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PRESENTATION

DEAR INCOMING EXCHANGEES TO BOLIVIA:

This booklet contains details of ICYE's projects in Bolivia. You will find details only of the projects we work with every year, however, we have more projects available that you may choose once you arrive. Also, at the end of the document you'll find the PREFERENCE LIST form, please fill this form completely (in English or Spanish), and return it to ICYE Bolivia.

We usually wait for our exchangeees to arrive, to meet their families and to attend the first conference before assigning them a project. Prior to this, we prefer to explain to them our social reality: how state institutions work, the situation for women in general, the many young workers who live in the streets and what it might mean to work in a project run by religious people or institutions.

Once the Committee has introduced the new exchangeees to these topics, they can express, or remark, their preference and decide in which project they want to work. Projects are usually very enthusiastic about help offered, in whatever form this may be, however they expect foreign volunteers to integrate and, more than ever, to put some serious effort into learning SPANISH.

Your voluntary placement in Bolivia will be your main activity during the year. By working in a social project you will have the unique opportunity to see the 'real Bolivia' either through working with women, children, craftsmen, children with disabilities, homeless people or in the area of human rights.

You will be able to make contact with people in need, understand their problems and get awareness of the problems some Bolivian people face. The work may be very different to the work you've already done, but your enthusiasm, sense of humor and ideas will make your work placement more enjoyable. The key word is attitude.

The exchangeees have to be prepared to potentially different working conditions, such as:

- no timetable: most of the projects don't have a defined structure
- some projects don't have appropriate tools, etc...

Mostly, it is up to exchangeees to find a way to be useful in any project they work at. This will require, as aforementioned, enthusiasm, patience, perseverance and dedication.

Working in the countryside, in a project related with economic and social development, may be possible. This will depend on the Spanish knowledge of the exchangee.

Types of Projects

Below you will find some information on the different projects we currently have available. If the kind of work you want to do isn't listed, don't be too concerned - let us know beforehand the kind of work you would be interested in and we will try to find it for you. There are a many great projects of a diverse nature in Bolivia, and it is likely that we will be able to find a project to match your interests and expectations.

Projects with Children & Teenagers

These projects work with children who have lived in the streets. Children need to be taken to the dentist or the health center, supervised when buying things or making phone calls.

During the week most of the children go to school but the volunteers are then responsible for looking after the children who are too young to go to school or do not go for other reasons.

Exchangees in the past have:

- ✓ Supervised children
- ✓ Supervised the cleaning of the house
- ✓ Helped to cook meals
- ✓ Played games – especially football
- ✓ Participated in group therapy sessions
- ✓ Helped with homework
- ✓ Supervised outings to the park, nature walks, mountains

Working hours are usually 36-40 hours per week, Monday – Friday. Volunteers may work at the weekend if he/she wants.

This type of work is not easy! You will be working with children who have come directly from the streets and their habits may be very different to what you are used to. Basic knowledge of Spanish would be useful, but there is always someone at the project who can explain what words mean.

Development projects

Work here is based on the assistance and training for small businesses, mainly dialing with crafts, who wish to develop technical, financial, industrial, educational and health programs.

Exchangees in the past have:

- ✓ Translated letters from English to Spanish and vice versa
- ✓ Maintained contact with organizations such as Oxfam to supply goods
- ✓ Attended trade fairs and exhibitions
- ✓ Traveled with the organizations to promote products
- ✓ Visit rural communities to acquire products or to deliver workshops on different development issues.

Women

Women's groups in Bolivia are becoming more popular as the contribution of women in society is being recognized. There are a number of organizations which promote the rights of women, offer health and legal advice, and also provide information regarding the development of women.

Human Rights

There are a number of National Organizations which work at the National and Regional level to offer aid and protection for Human rights. The aims of these organizations are to provide trustworthy information about the social problems which are affecting Bolivia today and to promote basic human rights – education for children, the right to live without violence, the right to free speech, adequate health care and working conditions etc. Work opportunities are solely dependent upon your ability to speak Spanish and the work experience you have.

Exchangees in the past have:

- ✓ Offered translation services (Spanish – English)
- ✓ Promoted Human Rights through the distribution of written material and other forms of communication: radio, audiovisual, etc.
- ✓ Designed exhibition panels
- ✓ Attended at public (street) exhibitions
- ✓ Provided research/statistical information

Most Human Rights offices are staffed by volunteers – Lawyers, Writers, Teachers, Doctors and students - who have decided to dedicate some of their time to the advancement of Human Rights in Bolivia. This means that there is always something which needs to be done – answering the telephone, providing information or fund-raising. Your efforts will be appreciated.

Health and Disadvantaged

Exchangees can work in these projects to promote healthy living among low income families. You might be working in hospitals or drug rehabilitation centers with men, women or children.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT OUR PROJECTS, OR TO RETURN THE PREFERENCE LIST TO US, PLEASE CONTACT OUR NATIONAL OFFICE:

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REGIONAL LA PAZ

ICYE BOLIVIA – NATIONAL OFFICE	
Project Code: BOL-73	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Youth, intercultural relations, information,
Aims of project:	<p>International Cultural Youth Exchange ICYE (for its acronym in English) is a non-profit association that promotes intercultural exchange programs focused on voluntary social work. It encourages young people around the world, guiding collaboration in social projects, and opening new perspectives and a window to the world. ICYE promotes youth exchange between nations as a tool for global and intercultural education.</p> <p>The objectives of ICYE-Bolivia are integrating different cultures, classes, ethnicities, genders and ideologies, and train young Bolivians about the reality in which we live; encouraging them to resume cultural values that have been forgotten or ignored, to get a better understanding of existing problems in the local, national and international communities to build social sensitivity that is subsequently reflected in our environment.</p>
Activities of project:	<p>The national ICYE Bolivia office manages short and long term incoming international volunteers from different parts of the world and outgoing Bolivian volunteers within the frame of ICYE, WW and IJFD programs. The national office coordinates the 3 regional offices located in Santa Cruz, Sucre and Cochabamba and act as a link between regional coordinators, projects and volunteers.</p> <p>National office coordinates as well projects located in the city of La Paz and El Alto.</p> <p>Organizes the camps, trainings and meeting for volunteers; provides personal support for volunteers, act as a mediator between volunteers, families and host projects, arranges bureaucratic procedures for volunteers, provide learning opportunities, promote the organization activities at fairs, meetings, presentations and online (webpage, social networks),</p>
Community Context:	The national office is located in the city of La Paz, working both with young Bolivian outgoing volunteers and the international incoming volunteers.

Volunteer Requirements:	<p>Basic/intermediate Spanish level. Interest in working with national and international volunteers. Patience and capacity to work on intercultural environments. Open minded Basic knowledge on how to work with computers</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>Support the office staff with the volunteers hosting and sending programs. Participate in promotion activities of the organization; attend fairs, seminars, talks. Manage social networks and update webpage to spread the information and promote the activities of the organization; facebook, twitter... Support the training activities and volunteer camps.</p>
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: 2016	

Hogar de Niños ALALAY	
Project Code: BOL- 1	User ID: bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city,town):	La Paz, Cochabamba, El Alto and Santa Cruz
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	Alalay is a non-profit organization, dedicated to helping street children in their reintegration into the society.
Activities of project:	<p>Alalay gives the street children home, board, education, health care, social and psychological assistance. Alalay also helps the children finish school and offers special training for their future. Alalay brings them love and teaches the street children to find their place in society, self-confidence and responsibility. The children come directly from the streets and most are addicted to drugs so the project also helps them to combat their addiction.</p> <p>The Alalay programme has different houses, representing different stages within the reintegration process. In La Paz there are 4 houses, and different stages of development of the children in every house. There is a house only for girls, another only for boys, another one in the countryside and another downtown. Besides, one house in every mentioned city.</p>
Community Context:	Children who have family and/or social problems, for example, are addicted to drugs, are homeless or victims of sexual abuse.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteers have to be open-minded, with initiative, creativity, patience, and show a lot of affection for the children. They have to be prepared to work in a difficult context and reality because work with former street children can, at times, be difficult. Motivation is very important and some knowledge of Spanish is preferable. Both sexes are possible. If a volunteer is working in Alalay Aldeas (la Paz's countryside), she/he has to live within the project from Monday to Friday.
Volunteer Tasks:	Helping to take care of the children and helping with their homework, sharing the activities and experiences of the children living in the project, preparing workshops on different topics, work on the streets informing children of the project, taking the children to school, hospital, dentist, etc. If the volunteer speaks good Spanish he/she can participate in the therapeutic groups. The project is open to new ideas like painting, carpentry, music, sports or whatever skills the volunteer has.

Hosting Situation:	The project sometimes hosts volunteers but normally they have host families.
Number of Volunteers:	2 or 3 volunteers in each house of the project.
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<i>Instituto de Adaptación Infantil (IDAI)</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 2	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Mentally and physically disabled
Aims of project:	It is a governmental institute housing those with disabilities providing them lodging, food and medical assistance. There is also a school for internal and external children with disabilities.
Activities of project:	Taking care of the children and adolescents who are mentally disabled and helping them through therapies and healthcare. Some of the children and adolescents live in the project (about 100) whereas other ones only come for therapy and school. The project also does special pedagogical work with the disabled.
Community Context:	Residents are mainly children and adolescents who are mentally disabled but it also houses some adults.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer has to be responsible, very motivated and be prepared to do the same routine daily, have interest in working and spending time with the disabled, be emotionally strong, show a lot of affection for the residents and have initiative. Previous studies or experience in this area would be beneficial, the volunteer should be over 20 years old and have knowledge of Spanish.
Volunteer Tasks:	Taking care of the residents, feeding them, playing with them, taking them out, organising other leisure time activities using initiative and helping children with school tasks. If the volunteer has the skills needed she/he can provide help for the specialists.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1-2 volunteers
Last Modified: 13-May-2016	

Fundación La Paz "JILAÑATAQUI"	
Project Code: BOL- 5	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city,town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Children, disadvantaged
Aims of project:	Providing assistance for those coming from disadvantaged families.
Activities of project:	Nutritional, health, pedagogic and economical support to children coming from disadvantaged families. The program owns several centres and schools where poor children receive alternative education, leisure activities and professional preparation. The organization also aims to enhance the acknowledgment of the target group on topics such as rights of children, life coaching, equal opportunities and human rights. There also is a house only housing babies (called wawauta).
Community Context:	Babies aged between 6 months to 3 years; children between 4 and 12 years; youths between 13 an 18 with a background of living with one or both parents, families having economic problems and/or family violence.
Volunteer Requirements:	Initiative, creativity, patience and a lot of interest in working with children and adolescents. Skills like painting, sports, calculation etc. are desirable.
Volunteer Tasks:	To take care of the children and adolescents, help with their school tasks, play and do other activities, teach English and give them a lot of affection.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1 volunteer working in each of the centres.
Last Modified: 13-May-2016	

Hogar Soria	
Project Code: BOL- 7	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz, Sopocachi
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	It is a state house temporarily hosting abandoned, maltreated or orphaned children with the aim of reintegrating the children with their families. The children remain there until the court decides where they will go.
Activities of project:	All the activities regard housing the children, taking care of them and cheering them up. There is work available only in the afternoons.
Community Context:	A residential home where socially disadvantaged abandoned children temporarily live. The orphanage houses between 55 and 75 children who are aged between 5 to 14 years. About 1/3 of the children are reintegrated with their families and those who are not are moved to other places.
Volunteer Requirements:	To be an outgoing person, full of initiative and care for the children. Some knowledge about art and drama would be beneficial. Knowledge of Spanish is not necessary. A person should be over 18 years old.
Volunteer Tasks:	Organising recreational activities for the children in the afternoon within the space run by a group of volunteers called "the friends of the Hogar". This group has worked since 1990 and they have their own space where they hold games and workshops. Activities include planning and doing arts, playing outside and organising games. Also, there is a special theatre project run by the volunteers.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: 13-May-2016	

<i>Asociación Artesanal Boliviana "Señor de Mayo"</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 12	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	City of El Alto, next to La Paz
Areas of Project:	Development, Indigenous, Women.
Aims of project:	Administrative company that is economically viable, socially accepted and ecologically sustainable having as its goals to build a fair and equal market.
Activities of project:	It provides training to all its members so that all have the same opportunities and are able to maintain the quality of their products forming contacts and doing marketing on local and international levels. The members of the association are members of the International Federation of Trade.
Community Context:	The institution has as its associates groups from urban poor areas and rural communities, mostly Aymara and Quechua women. It promotes fair trade.
Volunteer Requirements:	A lot of motivation and energy. The person has to try to learn Spanish the quickest way possible, it would be desirable that he/she had prior knowledge of the language before arrival. Patience is important, especially at the beginning because it is difficult to enter and to understand people.
Volunteer Tasks:	To help with the administration, emails, translations, and computation. The office work is important because the majority of the people working in the project cannot read, write and sometimes not even speak Spanish (only Aymara or Quechua). Other tasks are to visit the production centres which sometimes are located in the rural areas. To participate in meetings, make contacts and promote the organization to foreigners.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: 13-May-2016	

Centre of Training and Promotion of the Andean Woman "Bartolina Sisa" (Ceproma-BS)	
Project Code: BOL- 19	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Development, women, indigenous.
Aims of project:	The Center for Training and Promotion of Andean Women Bartolina Sisa joins organizations of Aymara women with the main objectives of combating poverty in general, to train Aymara leaders in agriculture, livestock and crafts, making them aware of their human rights.
Activities of project:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide knowledge and training on human rights; 2. Provide information and training on agricultural practices; 3. Make contact, produce and market alpaca crafts locally and internationally.
Community Context:	Indigenous women of Aymara, Quechua and other cultures mainly in El Alto and other 4 Andean regions
Volunteer Requirements:	<p>Interest in rural and indigenous communities and human rights in particular those of women. Creative character, energy, ideas and motivation. Patience is important, especially at first, because it is hard to get and understand all people.</p> <p>Computer skills to promote the marketing of craft products.</p> <p>A degree in education, social work, Agriculture and Local Development would be helpful, as well as some previous Spanish knowledge.</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>The volunteer will work as support in planning activities for women in rural areas. They will visit different communities where projects are developed, working in the development, management and implementation of projects and also in finding financing.</p> <p>Making catalogues of products from all members of CEPROMA-BS, in addition to supporting the commercialization of products through the website.</p> <p>Conduct inventory, availability of trips to visit the municipalities, provinces and departments where the groups are.</p> <p>The volunteer has the opportunity to work part time with other partner project called Comart Tukuy Paj</p>

	<p>(Community of craftsmen for all) working on fair trade, which have an office and shop in Linares street.</p> <p>They work with 30 craft associations nationwide. The volunteer will be responsible for inventory, technical part, promotion and marketing.</p> <p>They could visit the organizations to strengthen relations between associations and get know the products for sale.</p>
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: 2016	

* **Note:** This Project is quite far away from the city center. It will take the volunteer approximately 1,5h to get there.

ESPACIO CULTURAL CREATIVO	
Project Code: BOL- 20	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz centre
Areas of Project:	Children, education
Aims of project:	Small NGO dedicated for the diffusion of an Alternative Ludico-Creative Educational Method. A colourful space where many creative activities converge with the mission of developing creative intelligence in all those children and young people who are subjected to the traditional educational and discriminatory method.
Activities of project:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Yearly training of socio cultural cheerleader. - Weekly performance of street playgrounds (ludotecas) - Workshops of handicraft and spontaneous theatre - Production of alternative educational material to sell to schools and to private instances.
Community Context:	Young poor students of pedagogy or similar careers that wish to become socio-cultural cheerleaders, street children that can freely participate in the street ludotecas and teachers of primary schools.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer should be a student of a career related to education, creativity or psychology. Also someone without experience is welcomed. The volunteer should have manual skills in order to prepare material since all the teaching material is prepared manually.
Volunteer Tasks:	Participating in workshops, in ludotecas and in the annual training of socio-cultural cheerleaders with the possibility of obtaining him/her-self certification of participation and help with the production of alternative educational material.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: 14-May-2016	

* **Note:** This Project is quite far away from the city center. It will take the volunteer approximately 1,5h to get there.

* **Note 2:** This project depends on external funding therefore some periods may have low amount of work and volunteers may have to work part time in other projects.

<i>Erick Boulter</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 21	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Disabled
Aims of project:	Erick Boulter is a state institute hosting and educating deaf-mute children and young people who also have some mental disabilities. Currently it also houses 45 mentally disabled women.
Activities of project:	As the house is a residential home the activities it provides are of a routine nature. The residents study within the project, do their school work, practice sports or some manual activities
Community Context:	It is a state institute hosting some 25 deaf-mute people, mainly children. There is also a school which has as students external children who live with their families.
Volunteer Requirements:	To be sensible and very available for the children, have affinity with mentally disabled, be prepared to take initiative and be emotionally a strong person. If the volunteer has studies in medical and educational area he/she can take active part in the educational process.
Volunteer Tasks:	To initiate activities for the residents living in the centre such as holding workshops of plastic arts, organizing sports or other recreational activities.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	3-4
Last Modified: 13-May-2016	

Proyecto "Marcelina" (Girls house)	
Project Code: BOL- 27	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Homeless girls
Aims of project:	Organisation that helps girls who have formerly lived on the streets to reintegrate into the society and find their place within it.
Activities of project:	Marcelina is a 1 st and a 4 th stage house within the Alalay-programme housing those girls who have moved into the project straight from the streets and those who are participating in the final stage. Marcelina provides them housing, food, education, health, social and psychological attendance, affection and teaches them to find their place in the society. Previously many of the girls have consumed drugs therefore the organisation helps to combat their addiction. Girls taking part in the last stage are studying for a profession and also going to school during the evenings.
Community Context:	Girls with family, social or drug problems.
Volunteer Requirements:	Especially volunteers with a lot of initiative and creative skills are welcomed as girls enjoy doing activities such as dance, theatre and other similar activities. Also, it is necessary to be open, patient, to show a lot of affection for the girls and be prepared to work in a difficult context. Motivation is important and to have a basic knowledge of Spanish would be desirable.
Volunteer Tasks:	A volunteer should provide help with schoolwork and also with administration, but there is also a lot of space for a volunteer to develop her/his own activities and use initiative. Assisting the girls with whatever they may need always maintaining an open mind is important.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	Limit of the number of volunteers is 3.
Last Modified: 15-May-2016	

<i>The International Children's Protection</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 28	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	El Alto
Areas of Project:	Children, human rights
Aims of project:	DNI-Bolivia is a private, non-profit association founded on 27th of April in 1985. It is politically independent and is part of the movement of The International Children's Protection in Geneva, Switzerland. The different activities take place in both rural and urban areas of the city. At this moment the association has 4 affiliates situated in El Alto, Oruro, Cochabamba and Santa Cruz.
Activities of project:	<p>The main activities of the project are the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Develop law and public politic proposals responding to the needs of the children in the project. - Search and investigate subjects with reference to childhood and adolescence. - Free juristic, psychological, and social attention in relation to sexual and violent abuse, labour exploitation and legal advice to children in trouble with the law. - Publication every three months of the paper "The Protagonists" and other educational materials. - Develop an educational process within the area of human rights through courses, workshops, conferences and seminars. - Encourage children and youngsters to participate actively. - Help different social organisations.
Community Context:	Children
Volunteer Requirements:	A professional in one of these areas: psychology, sociology or law or somebody with previous experience in these fields. The volunteer must be responsible and capable of teamwork. More importantly, the volunteer must show maturity and responsibility in any given situation in the project.
Volunteer Tasks:	Depends on the area in which the volunteer is to work in.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: 15-May-2016	

Centro de Terapia Mujeres	
Project Code: BOL- 32	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Delinquency, women
Aims of project:	A state residential home for girls who have experienced sexual violence, have been trafficked, committed little crimes and prostitution. The aim is to reintegrate them back into their families and to do a follow up of them while the court decides what to do with their cases.
Activities of project:	Being a residential home the activities of the house refer to almost every life aspect of the girls such as housing and feeding them, offering psychological support, services of a social worker and leisure.
Community Context:	The residential home houses young women, currently about 20-30, within the age range of 12-18 who come from disadvantaged circumstances and who have committed little crimes or prostitution.
Volunteer Requirements:	Preferably the volunteer should be a professional in the field of sociology, psychology, social work or women; have sensibility, strength and motivation to work with this particular target group and also to have a lot of energy in order to encourage and increase the self-esteem of the girls. Knowledge of Spanish in order to ease interaction with the girls. To enter this project can be difficult. Entering the project is easier for professionals.
Volunteer Tasks:	Helping with daily activities, have a chat with the woman, organize workshops, teach English and organize activities such as playing sports, knitting or doing other recreational activities. There is work available only in the mornings 3 or 4 times a week.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: 15-May-2016	

<i>Mujeres Creando (Women Creating)</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 33	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Women, activism, human rights
Aims of project:	It is a self-administered house that works as a cooperative in order to sustain the space and the activities. The mission of "creating woman" is to impel political and cultural actions that should increase the consciousness of Bolivian women about their role in a discriminatory society. They have a strong vision and their activities are very well known and occasionally contentious.
Activities of project:	The house, called "Virgin of desires", offers lodging, restaurant and bar services. The restaurant and bar are highly recommended for a visit. The members organize workshops of: Music, dance, theatre, poetry, video, computing, script writing, narrative, etc. They have a little shop where they sell exclusively agro-ecological products coming from rural women, as well as books and magazines. They have their own radio station, and also offer various counselling and psychological services. Organize political and cultural campaigns every time there is an important issue such as elections, or a violation of human rights.
Community Context:	The members are women activists of every age and social extraction. The target groups are all those women considered to be in a status of repression.
Volunteer Requirements:	Volunteer has to be a woman who shares completely their vision and be somebody able to contribute actively. The volunteer has to be a professional in one of the following areas: sociology, psychology, pedagogy, communication, ecology or agro-ecology. Advanced Spanish in a must.
Volunteer Tasks:	Help with the organisation of campaigns and realization of panels of protest; implement workshops and participate in already existing ones; help in the daily activities related with lodging and restaurant.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1
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<i>Instituto de Terapia e Investigación (ITEI)</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 34	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Human rights
Aims of project:	Bolivian NGO whose area of work is interdisciplinary combining areas such as psychology and law. The NGO focuses on direct support and assistance given to people affected by torture and governmental violence by providing psychological attendance and also legal assistance in some of the cases as well as aims to affect public policies.
Activities of project:	It offers consultancy in the following areas: Psychotherapy to affected people; Medical, legal and social attendance; Investigation of state repression in manifestations and social convulsions; Organize campaigns against torture and impunity and Fundraising.
Community Context:	Survivors of massacres, victims of repression and torture, political prisoners, political refugees, relatives of dead or missing persons.
Volunteer Requirements:	Strong character due to difficult cases that may come to the centre, intermediate level of Spanish is advisable and trust in yourself.
Volunteer Tasks:	Office work is important such as translating documents but also to speak with the victims, take notes, hospital visits, transcription and translation of the interviews with the victims, fundraising and providing help with accounting.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1 or 2
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ADESPROC-LIBERTAD GLBT	
Project Code: BOL- 35	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz, Miraflores
Areas of Project:	Minorities, LGBT, human rights
Aims of project:	Organization that promotes empowerment, participation and rights of sexual minorities.
Activities of project:	<p>Different actions directed to provide help to the gay-lesbian-trans community in La Paz and in other regions and aiming to change the attitudes of the society as a whole:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organizing workshops about sexually transmitted infections, self-esteem and rights of gays-lesbians; - Producing informative material and redacting the bulletin; publicising activities via social media - Delivering speeches in schools and universities about sexuality and homophobia; - Giving speeches, workshops and presentations to local government officials, public bodies about sexual orientation. - Offering a confidential line for all those who feel like misunderstood or have doubts regarding sexual relations to ring up; - <i>Currently working on legal proposals relating to gender identity and same-sex marriage with CDC (listed below) – as of December 2012.</i> - Have a café space (café Vox) – open every weekday with a library of books, magazines and videos. - Organize yearly events for the Int. Day against Homophobia and Transphobia and a gay pride event (June/July) as well as sporadic conferences with other LGBT organisations.
Community Context:	Gays, lesbians, bisexuals, transsexuals.
Volunteer Requirements:	To be an open, flexible and creative person with organisational skills, be able to work in a group and have communication skills. Preferably to have previous studies in psychology or communication.
Volunteer Tasks:	Organising events, providing assistance in workshops and in various other activities and projects undertaken by the organisation. Day-to-day help in the office, with cataloguing, translations, updating the internet, Facebook and twitter pages with information and international news relating to LGBT rights. Organising the library, exchange of ideas and

	experiences among cultures and implementing methods to increase the self-esteem of the community.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1 or 2
Last Modified: 2016	

CDC - Training and Civil Rights	
Project Code: BOL- 36	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Central La Paz and Sopocachi
Areas of Project:	Human rights, vulnerable sectors, legal
Aims of project:	Training and Civil Rights (CDC), is an NGO, founded in 1993 to promote a culture of peace and human rights through providing education to vulnerable sectors of the population such as children and adolescents coming from disadvantaged families and to persons deprived of their liberty. It also provides legal help for these populations. Project provides a yearly legal training programme to students (mainly of law) in public and private universities as well as professional lawyers, to increase their understanding of human rights. These young professionals then carry out legal work in the field, either giving human rights workshops to children, adults, prisoners, police etc., or working on specific legal cases.
Activities of project:	HUMAN RIGHTS TRAINING PROGRAM, JURIDICAL ORIENTATION PROGRAM, JURIDICAL TRAINING PROGRAM
Community Context:	Work with adolescents and students, social and scholastic settings. Adults, primarily women, civil society organisations, penitentiary populations and security guards and the police.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer must be a lawyer, a law student in her/his final year, have experience in this field or have studies in the field of communication or psychology. Some knowledge of Spanish with a view to improving quickly, as will have to understand presentations on legal concepts and engage in public speaking.
Volunteer Tasks:	The volunteering program runs once a year only. Volunteers first study for a period of approximately one month, each day listening to a presentation on a specific legal concept or the work of CDC. After this, the volunteer must complete an exam to be admitted as a CDC volunteer. Upon successful completion, she/he can work within the human rights training program (giving workshops to the groups outlined above) or within the juridical orientation program (working on specific cases) if she/he has knowledge of the Bolivian legal system. In addition, various fairs and activities are held to increase public awareness, in which the volunteer can participate. A highly rewarding project for a volunteer with drive, enthusiasm, sensitivity to legal issues and working Spanish.

Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1 or more
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<i>Instituto de Rehabilitación Infantil</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 38	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Disabled, health
Aims of project:	It is a specialized hospital aiming for rehabilitation of children who have gone through surgery or have suffered an accident. Most of the beneficiaries live in the house (currently 10) but there is also external children using the services offered.
Activities of project:	The activities focus on housing the residents and on rehabilitative activities. Every day the IRI offers medical services such as physiotherapy, dentistry and radiology. Some of the children live in the project most of them for short periods of time the house providing them with shelter, food, and schooling (not a formal school but provides teaching).
Community Context:	The institute hosts those coming from the countryside where they would not have had the assistance. The centre is also attended every day by children coming from poor families living in the city of La Paz. The children only have physical, not mental, disabilities.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer has to be sensitive, responsible and very motivated. He/she should have interest in this type of job, be emotionally strong enough and be able to transmit affection to the residents. It would be beneficial if he/she had some training in medical area or physiotherapy.
Volunteer Tasks:	If volunteer is to help out with the physiotherapy she/he only works in the mornings with the children that live with their families and attend the institute. Volunteers without particular training can teach English or some other subject and help with school work. Volunteers can also initiate recreational activities such as teach playing of instruments, read stories, take residents outside and cheer them up with manual activities such as drawing or making little bags or bracelets to sell outside the centre.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1
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Hogar Virgen de Fátima	
Project Code: BOL- 63	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	To provide a house for orphans (from babies to 10 year old children). They received food, care, love and school support. The institution depends from the state and provides the possibility of adoption for all the kids.
Activities of project:	Following activities are carried out within the project: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physiotherapy with the babies • Nursery for the babies • Homework of the children • Games with the children • Work of the home • School support
Community Context:	Virgen de Fátima focuses on orphans, abandoned children or on those who have suffered maltreatment. The home houses almost 120 children but 10% of the children move during a year. Virgen de Fátima is also in charge of the possibility of adoptions. It is a state owned organisation, and there is between 48 and 50 people working there such as director, social worker, physiotherapists, teachers (“mamitas”) and cooks.
Volunteer Requirements:	Male or female, must be over 18 years old, religion is not important. No previous training is required. It is very useful if the volunteers already has experience of working with children or with babies. It is not necessary that a volunteer knows how to speak Spanish. Personality: The volunteer has to work with children or with babies, for this reason it is important that she/he likes to be with them, has a lot of patience and initiative to help children and to play with them. The volunteer has to be very responsible with the timetable and with the work, to have a lot of patience with the babies and children and help to clean the home.
Volunteer Tasks:	Voluntary work which can be carried out in this project is with orphaned newborn babies or with those that have been abandoned by their parents or with orphaned and maltreated children up to the age of 10. For this reason work is to be different depending with whom volunteer is to work with. Tasks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Play and amuse the babies • Play with small children • Nursery of the babies • Homework of the children • Games with the children • Work of the home. Work can be carried out in the afternoon when the children return from school or, if the volunteer wants, can work with the babies in the morning.

Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1 - 8
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CECASEM – Centre for Training and Services for Women	
Project Code: BOL-74	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Sexual, reproductive, economic rights of women in rural areas, Food Security, Human Trafficking
Aims of project:	<p>Empowering women in rural areas and provide tools to increase their participation in public and political areas in the municipality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To Improve socio-sanitary conditions of the women in the communities of the province of Quiabaya (Bolivia) • To promote the exercise of political rights of women • To Ensure access of indigenous peasant women and children a proper attention to nutrition and sexual and reproductive health, as part of their basic right to health • To contribute to the improvement of food security of indigenous small producers of farming communities • Economic empowerment of indigenous peasant women from four communities in the canton Conchupata in the town of Quiabaya based on honey production • To contribute to the validation of effective strategies for the prevention and punishment of the crime of trafficking for commercial sexual exploitation and primary care and occupational reintegration of victims
Activities of project:	<p><u>Participation of women in public and political spaces of the municipality:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training Plans on Leadership, Rights and Politics incidence, training of trainers... • Awareness campaigns on human rights, political rights, and communicative leadership in the educational system • Symposia, conferences... <p><u>Socio-sanitary conditions for women:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workshops for midwives and community health workers on "Sexually transmission diseases and hygiene standards", "Pregnancy and prenatal care", "Childbirth support and aseptic", "Assistance to the newborn and postnatal care", " Family Planning and sexual and reproductive rights " <p><u>Attention to nutrition and sexual and reproductive health:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Construction, adaptation and restructuring the infrastructure of the health centers in Quiabaya and equipment for the implementation of an Intercultural Pharmacy • Training of Community Health Agents • Awareness campaigns on radio on SRR of women and the impact of sexism on the health of women • Awareness campaigns on prevention of malnutrition in children,

	<p>women of childbearing age, pregnant and lactating</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prevention campaigns on cervical cancer and sexually transmitted infections and STD Testing And PAPs to women <p><u>Food security</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training and technical assistance on Community Management for sustainable exploitation of productive resources. • Support the implementation of the irrigation system and technologies for soil remediation <p><u>Economic Empowerment of Rural Women based on honey production:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training and Technical Assistance to the target group in beekeeping .. • Development of new local knowledge. • Training of the target group on entrepreneurship. • Exchange of experiences among women's groups. <p><u>Prevention and punishment of trafficking for commercial sexual exploitation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identification of schools where traffic occurs. • Information, discussion and reflection on the threats of trafficking for commercial sexual exploitation in identified schools in San Borja and collective construction of plays (Forum Theatre) on the issue of trafficking • Assistance and social counseling for victims • Media coverage of the lawsuits. Transmission of a radio program for dissemination of information and awareness about trafficking • Follow the process of labor reintegration of victims of trafficking
Community Context:	CECASEM, has over twenty years of experience in sustainable integral human development, working in municipalities in the highlands and valleys of the department of La Paz, Pando, Beni in Bolivia, developing their programs of sustainable management of natural resources, Community, Social Development, Human Rights and Access to Justice, Health and Preventive Nutrition Economic Development.
Volunteer Requirements:	Empathy, passion for what they do and conviction. Some Spanish would be advisable.
Volunteer Tasks:	Direct support to the professionals´ team on the development and implementation of the various projects and working areas, according to the skills, interest of the volunteer and the needs of the organization. Research, data analysis, correspondence management, etc External relations: Spokesperson to media, fundraising, institutional, etc.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers	2
Last Modified: 2016	

Fundación COMPA – TEATRO TRONO	
Project Code: BOL-75	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	El Alto, La Paz
Areas of Project:	Arts and Culture, Education
Aims of project:	To offer the conditions to children and young people of El Alto to achieve individual and collective development and transformation through art and culture designed to restore and build visions of equality, complementarity, participation, community democracy and solidarity
Activities of project:	<p>Produce and distribute written and virtual materials for COMPA educators, teachers and directors of the education system of the city of El Alto and train them to acquire strategies and techniques of alternative teaching through arts, according to a comprehensive training plan (pedagogical and artistic training).</p> <p>Maintain the Cultural Centers Houses for children and young in Districts 1, 4 and 6 of El Alto</p> <p>Offer workshops of various forms of arts to promote individual and social ethical values to children and young people enrolled in the cultural centers El Alto.</p> <p>Empower children and young people enrolled in the cultural centers in creating artistic productions to develop their creative skills and imbued with the values promoted by COMPA.</p> <p>Strengthen through artistic and pedagogical strategies the school performance.</p> <p>Institutions of the education system of the city of El Alto are our first partner in meeting our mission of individual transformation with children and youth with the goal of a long-term social change.</p> <p>Participate or organize special events of great magnitude on a municipal, regional and national levels to promote the arts as a tool for transformation / social changes</p>
Community Context:	<p>Needs that warrant intervention</p> <p>In Bolivia, especially in El Alto, there is a high political participation that has managed to transform the national political history. However it is common that the changes have profound limits that do not hold up over time. The oligarchies have always been regenerated by returning to holding power. There is lack of innovative proposals to exercise participation beyond mere protest and lack of practices to build a democratic participatory culture, sustained by the protagonists of the daily exercise of</p>

	<p>these social actions. We believe that art and education can raise with society, new forms of political action, new citizens exercising a democratic culture born in communities (neighborhoods, schools), and with the participation of children and youth. An everyday political practice, committed to the future, which rises in today.</p> <p>The policy must change; participation should explore new paths, finding new ways. We believe this is an urgent basic need. Building the future is a daily and community art. School, politics, community, social transformation.</p> <p>Main Area of intervention: Districts 1, 4 and 6 of the city of El Alto</p>
Volunteer Requirements:	<p>Advanced/ intermediate Spanish level. Ability to work with children and adolescents. Pedagogical skills. Artistic skills (Dance, Brake dance, percussion, visual arts, circus, etc.). Capacity to plan and implement activities without intermediaries.</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>Plan and give workshops of various forms of arts that promote individual and social ethical values to children and young people enrolled in the cultural centers of districts 1, 4 and 6 of El Alto</p> <p>Empowering Children and young people enrolled in the cultural centers of districts 1, 4 and 6 of El Alto and towns in creating artistic productions to develop their creative skills and imbued with the values promoted by COMPA.</p> <p>Support the strengthening of school performance through artistic pedagogical strategies in schools near the cultural centers.</p>
Hosting Situation:	3
Number of Volunteers:	
Last Modified: 2016	

FUNDACIÓN KAYA	
Project Code: BOL-76	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Street children
Aims of project:	Kaya returns safety, childhood, dignity and future to children from whom it has been unceremoniously stolen. Kaya Children International is a Christian not-for-profit organization working with children and adolescents (ages 3-20) in La Paz, Bolivia. Kaya serves children living and working on the streets as well as those at extreme high risk of entering street life. By securing and promoting social justice for children on the streets, Kaya helps them reach their potential and fulfill God's unique plan for their lives
Activities of project:	We serve children through two core programs: a Prevention Program and a Residential Program. The Prevention Program serves at-risk children and their families through a full-day center (Kaya Center). The Kaya Center is a safe place for the children where they receive emotional and academic support as well as a meal every weekday. Through the Residential Program, we provide safe and loving homes to children whose lives have been devastated by abuse, poverty, addiction, homelessness and other circumstances.
Community Context:	The Kaya Center is located in the south zone of La Paz on Calle 26 of CotaCota. The average daily income for a family served at the Kaya is \$3 per day. The children served in Kaya's Prevention Program come from very unstable families. Most live in extreme poverty without running water and electricity in their homes. Most of the children were not attending school before coming to the Kaya Center, but spending their time working and hanging out in the streets.
Volunteer Requirements:	The children we work with are especially vulnerable and need stable relationships and strong support networks. We typically take volunteers who can offer a significant time commitment. The degree of contact with the children and the level of responsibility will depend on the length of a volunteer's commitment.
Volunteer Tasks:	The Kaya Center has three classrooms divided by age. During the week, volunteers work at the Kaya Center providing academic support and helping to supervise a classroom. In addition, volunteers have the opportunity to help organize activities during school vacations and free time. Volunteers are welcomed at the

	birthday parties for the children and other celebrations. Volunteers accompany the children to other activities. Depending on the interests and skills of the volunteer, volunteers have the opportunity to shadow and help the social workers and psychologists at Kaya.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	5-8
Last Modified: 2016	

<i>CENTRO DIAGNOSTICO TERAPIA VARONES</i>	
Project Code: BOL-77	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Young offernders, adolescents,
Aims of project:	Rehabilitate and socially reintegrate young offenders of the law through a model of care opportunities, treatment and rehabilitation programs and family and social integration.
Activities of project:	Regular education Technical training with and Alternative Education Center Occupational Therapy Group Therapy Family Therapy
Community Context:	Adolescents aged 14 to 17 in conflict with the law who are in situation of detention and pretrial detention.
Volunteer Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Basic/medium spanish - High social commitment and personal initiative - Meet the requirements for authorization in SEDEGES - Preferably with a degree on humanistic area (psychology, social work, sociology, education, etc).
Volunteer Tasks:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assist the Psychology area either with intervention, support hearings, therapy, family counseling... - Take part on the follow up of each case - Support the educational area through workshops and selling their products. - Keep company to the adolescents, talk to them, listen to them.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 2016	

Maya Paya Kimsa Initiative	
Project Code: BOL-78	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	<p>Vision: The Maya Paya Kimsa initiative seeks to end the problem of NNASC (children and adolescents on street situation), building a coordinated social network between private and public organizations, which does not allow a NNA find their living space on the street.</p> <p>Mission: The Maya Paya Kimsa initiative is the bridge from the street into a supportive space, which allows an adequate comprehensive development to the child or adolescent who is currently homeless or at high risk.</p> <p>Aim: Encourage, strengthen and accompany the processes that lead to the construction of a life project itself, which in its implementation gives a better quality of life to the subject in its development.</p>
Aims of project:	<p>The Maya Paya Kimsa Initiative focuses specifically on the part of the process is known as "street work". This is the first phase for Educators to approach the living space on the street of NNASC. The teaching staff of the Initiative Maya Paya Kimsa addresses the target population, applying an innovative methodology that facilitates the processes needed to achieve better quality of life for the children and adolescents. Based on core values such as dignity, non-judgment and professionalism is active at different levels in order to support and assist the population in the search for an alternative future, in making a personal decision and implementation a project of life and thus allow a change in his condition which is the street. Activities for this purpose with the target population are performed in three categories:</p> <p>Diving: Diving or Rutaje comprises a form of direct encounter with NNASC, as close to their living space as possible. This is done through a tour of the city´s strategic points to generate individual approach and strengthen contacts.</p> <p>Activity in neutral space: Three times a week a recreational structured activity is developed.</p> <p>Open Centre: also three times a week the Open Center opens as physical space of contact with NNA. Being an institutional setting, it allows greater control of variables in terms of the characteristics of survival strategies of the NNASC</p>
Activities of project:	<p>Maya Paya Kimsa works with 4 target populations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and adolescents at street (NNASC). • Children and adolescents at high risk (NNAAR) who interact on a

	<p>personal, group and territorial level with population living on the street.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child and adolescent victims of commercial sexual violence (VSC) on the street • Girls and pregnant adolescents (NAG) on the street
Community Context:	<p>The volunteer must be a person:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - At least prior training in the area of Social Work, Education, Psychology. - Average or good level of Spanish - More than 20 years - An empathetic person with initiative, active, good interpersonal skills, highly creative, good common sense.
Volunteer Requirements:	<p>The work consists in supporting the educators on the direct intervention with NNASC.</p> <p>Volunteers will support one or more of the different activities, and will be assigned specific responsibilities according to their interest and profile.</p> <p>Street work Attention on the Open Center “Diving” or fist contact with NNASC Health care Preventive Work Case follow up</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>Vision: The Maya Paya Kimsa initiative seeks to end the problem of NNASC (children and adolescents on street situation), building a coordinated social network between private and public organizations, which does not allow a NNA find their living space on the street.</p> <p>Mission: The Maya Paya Kimsa initiative is the bridge from the street into a supportive space, which allows an adequate comprehensive development to the child or adolescent who is currently homeless or at high risk.</p> <p>Aim: Encourage, strengthen and accompany the processes that lead to the construction of a life project itself, which in its implementation gives a better quality of life to the subject in its development.</p>
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	2
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HORMIGÓN ARMADO	
Project Code: BOL-79	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Street working children and youth
Aims of project:	Hormigón Armando aims to defend and protect the rights of every child, adolescent and youth worker on street situation, supporting personal development and growth and the improvement of their living situation through an integrated and crosscutting work.
Activities of project:	<p><u>Cultural Newspaper HORMIGON ARMADO</u>: the paper has nine years of life, is published every two months, the cost is 4 BS, 1 Bs for health fund that relies on emergencies and 3BS is for the person selling it, contributing to cover their own expenses at home. The newspaper writes about cultural, human rights, environmental conservation, etc.</p> <p><u>Weekly workshops</u>: Education and prevention workshops with different themes are developed every Saturday. We work with issues of sexual education, prevention and care of teeth, human rights, human trafficking, first aid, domestic violence, etc.</p> <p><u>Support the technical education for Shoeshine workers</u>: currently supports 30 lustrabotas (shoeshine boys) or immediate family per year with full scholarships for them to study a technical course of 6 months to 2 years, or in other cases 3-year degrees.</p> <p><u>Pedagogical Support</u>: children who study and work at the same time are supported with an economic subsidy to help cover school supplies and food. Children attend 2 times per week where they get as well support to develop their school activities.</p> <p><u>Shoe Shine Workers´ Tour</u>: The tour guides are shoeshine boys themselves who are trained, the tour is done around popular areas of the city of LA Paz showing everyday customs. The coordination is done by the director of Hormigón Armando</p>
Community Context:	<p>TARGET POPULATION: the target population is the shoeshine boys and street children/youth, some with addictions and substance abuse as 2%.</p> <p>Hormigon Armando works with a total of 50, which makes it almost 150 counting the direct family which is supported <i>as much as possible in emergency cases</i>.</p> <p>Hormigon Armando works with the target population that is located on the PRADO/CENTRAL area</p>
Volunteer Requirements:	Responsible, Active, dynamic, Expressive, Teamwork, Friendly, Sociable, respectful

Volunteer Tasks:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Monitoring and follow up of the educational development of the scholarship holders. - Street work is contact with the target population at their place of work 3 times a week. - Contribute to the educational support for children of 6-15 years. - Office work as required. - Support in cases of health issues to the target population. - Participate and lead workshops on various topics
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	2
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Centro Integral Comedor Popular "SAN CALIXTO"	
Project Code: BOL-80	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	La Paz
Areas of Project:	Children, homeless people
Aims of project:	It is a nonprofit organization, coordinated by the Catholic Church. Giving quality food to people in need (homeless, kids who live and work in the street, single mothers, elderly people and workers). Baby care, taking care of children from single mothers and families in need)
Activities of project:	Help solve the problem of hunger by providing the cheapest lunches. The placement provides showers, hair salon, pharmacy, medical Visit and dentist. There is a therapeutic service for alcoholics and a play centre for children. It also promotes informal education activities.
Community Context:	Comedor San Calixto has been working for more than 28 years we giving lunch every day. Comedor San Calixto receives different groups of people between 150 to 200 (children, elderly people, homeless, families in need and workers). The lunch is a bowl of soup, a second plate and a glass of juice or milk for the children, also "Comedor San Calixto" has a Baby Care for children from single mothers who work all day and also for children from families who live in the neighbourhood.
Volunteer Requirements:	Spanish language skills at least basic. Experience work with children. For the work with children we prefer a woman, although men are welcomed to participate in other activities of the project. A great sense of humour One important characterize for the volunteer who is going to work with children and elder people, have to be patience with the population of Comedor San Calixto.
Volunteer Tasks:	A volunteer can help in all tasks concerning the Centro San Calixto 1. Scheduling and developing all the activities and tasks with project staff 2. supporting teachers in the Baby Care, with the work with the children 3. share with children and the people who comes to the

	Comedor, be a part of the Project 4. Helping in the kitchen at least 3 hours per day in all the chores in the kitchen even cleaning.
Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	1 volunteer.
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**CENTER FOR REHABILITATION AND MENTAL HEALTH
"SAN JUAN DE DIOS"**

Project Code: BOL-81		User ID: Bolivia	
Country:	Bolivia		
Location (city, town):	La Paz		
Areas of Project:	Mental health		
Aims of project:	<p>San Juan de Dios provides psychiatric care to patients from the Departments of Cochabamba, Oruro and La Paz. Contribute to Mental Health in the Bolivian population Providing therapeutic care and rehabilitation to patients with diseases of alcoholism and drug addiction within a Therapeutic Community</p> <p>Provide outpatient and external monitoring and familiar to patients who require it. Offering a friendly and welcoming attention to hospitalized patients through comprehensive care.</p>		
Activities of project:	<p>The Center for Rehabilitation and Mental Health San Juan de Dios, is located in the South Zone of Chicani, zone Irpavi 2 No. 50.</p> <p>Recently seven buildings have been built, 5 of which are designed to accommodate people with mental illness, each community has a capacity for 32 hospitalized patients between men and women, one of the buildings, is for the administrative area and another building for cooking and Laundry.</p> <p>We serve specialty psychiatric pathology primarily low income persons, departmental and national level.</p>		
Community Context:	Adults with psychological disorders coming from the countryside or from low income families and those with drug dependencies		
Volunteer Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a person committed to improving the social conditions of life of others. - A person with high ideals, where prevail the welfare of others especially those who most need: homeless persons who have been abandoned and/or mentally ill. 		
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>Collaborate on ATI (comprehensive therapeutic support) existing in different classrooms.</p> <p>If the volunteer has specific skills that can contribute to good learning of patients, activities can be implemented on the different units.</p> <p>Other important roles are planning recreational or sports activities, such activities would be carried forward according to schedule.</p>		

Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 2016	

Fundación "ATIPAÑA"	
Project Code: BOL-82	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city,town):	La Paz, Achachicala
Areas of Project:	Disabilities, social inclusion
Aims of project:	Inclusion of disabled Person with intellectual problems, with problems of social inclusion, in the family, school and in the community.
Activities of project:	Special teaching for disabled Children and Adults, preparation for entering school and work, education for teachers, children and families who live, learn and work with the disabled.
Community Context:	The project is located in the suburbs of La Paz which is the location of the Bolivian government. It lays in between the centre and El Alto which is the next city. It is an andine area which people with a quite low salary, a lot of young people and a population who works independently (like for example artists).
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer has to be willing to learn and work with disabled and to travel with the other workers to other spots of the institute which sometimes can be places in rural areas, too. Being creative, responsible (especially with the time schedule) and patient it will be much easier for her/him to work here. Also if she/he has energy.
Volunteer Tasks:	The volunteer will be working here in one of the areas of our institute that he likes to work with. He will be mate of our work group and family, for the people who come here a person of confidence. It would be great if he sometimes would assist in some meetings of information or preparation to understand more the work and the context of our institute, to get involved more in it. But all in all we do not like to put a lot here because we do not want to but the new volunteers under pressure.
Hosting Situation:	Host Family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 2016	

Flavio Machicado Viscarra Foundation

Project Code: BOL-83		User ID: Bolivia	
Country:	Bolivia		
Location (city,town):	La Paz		
Areas of Project:	Culture,		
Aims of project:	<p>The Purpose of the Flavio Machicado Viscarra Foundation (FFMV) is to implement an Information Centre for Research in the Arts, Music and Social and Human Sciences. The Center seeks to be an institution dedicated to providing and improving access to information resources, to promote scientific research and creativity. The project is also aimed to serve as a source of support in the development of the library system of the city of La Paz</p>		
Activities of project:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Cataloguing and enhancement of the collections: Library, Historical Archives, Newspaper Archive and Sound Archive * Dissemination activities and access to cataloged resources * Activities that promote reading * Cultural activities: concerts, poetry reading etc 		
Community Context:	<p>In Bolivia there is a limited access to information resources for research and development in all fields. The main reasons for this are: first, most of bibliographic resources are in private collections and inaccessible libraries. Second the Library System of the city of La Paz is inefficient, poorly funded and inaccessible for people interested in developing research. The system is divided into isolated units without information exchange protocols, policies interlibrary exchange or other services.</p> <p>This has a direct impact on the field of higher education and research for development. In our direct field of interest, Music and the Arts, the effect of the lack of resources has identified a number of educational programs of low quality.</p>		
Volunteer Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to work in a multicultural environment • Age over 24 years. There is no maximum age limit. • People who enjoys being in contact with books. • People who likes reading. 		
Volunteer Tasks:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technical Processes: Cataloging-Classification • Circulation: Support the Library • Support communication, dissemination and cultural activities 		

Hosting Situation:	
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 2016	

REGIONAL SANTA CRUZ

<i>Hogar de Niños ALALAY</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 68	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Santa Cruz de la Sierra and Santa Rita (30km from Santa Cruz)
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	Alalay is a non-profit organization dedicated to help the street children in order to reintegrate them into society.
Activities of project:	Alalay gives the street children home, board, education, health care, social and psychological assistance. Alalay also helps the children finish school and offers special training for their future. Alalay bring them love and teaches the street children to find a place in society, self-confidence and responsibility. The children come directly from the streets and most of them take drugs, so the projects help them combat their addiction. Alalay is currently starting a Sports school, with the support of Real Madrid Foundation, aimed to train football with kids aged 5 to 17.
Community Context:	Children who have family, sex and social problems, homeless and drug users.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteers have to be open-minded, with initiative, creativity, patience and much love for the children. They have to be prepared to work in a difficult context and reality because the work with street children is hard. Motivation is very important and some knowledge of Spanish is preferable.
Volunteer Tasks:	Helping children with homework, sharing the activities and experiences of the children who live in the project. Helping children with their personal care. Preparing workshops. Non formal education and work in the streets .Taking the children to school, hospital, dentist, etc. If the volunteers speak good Spanish they could participate from the beginning in the therapeutic groups. The project is open to new ideas or skills like painting, carpentry, music, sports
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	Max. 3
Last Modified: 2016	

FUNDACION NIÑO FELIZ	
Project Code: BOL- 3	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Santa Cruz de la Sierra
Areas of Project:	Children, Family, Youth
Aims of project:	Brings together women's organizations of Aymara, quechua and guaraní origin in order to fight against discrimination and poverty.
Activities of project:	Medicinal attention, Pharmacy, Social Work, Social Help, Education
Community Context:	Poverty in the city
Volunteer Requirements:	There are different tasks, but the volunteer can choose according to their possibilities and skills. Creative character, ideas and motivation.
Volunteer Tasks:	Support in the planning of activities with women and children organizations. Paying visits to families. Elaboration of projects and fund-raising. Execution of projects. Representing and promoting the organization in Embassies, Countries and different events.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: May-2016	

<i>Aldeas Padre Alfredo Spiessberger</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 4	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Santa Cruz de la Sierra and San José de Chiquitos
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	Aldeas Padre Alfredo is a non-profit organization with support from the Catholic Church, dedicated to help the street children in order to reintegrate them into society.
Activities of project:	Aldeas gives the street children home, board, education, health care, social and psychological assistance. Aldeas also helps the children finish school and offers special training for their future. Aldeas bring them love and teaches the street children to find a place in society, self-confidence and responsibility and what is like to be part of a family.
Community Context:	Children and young people
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteers have to be open-minded, with initiative, creativity, patience and much love for the children. It helps if the volunteer has any experience with: -Social Work -Pedagogy -Psychology
Volunteer Tasks:	Helping children with homework, sharing the activities and experiences of the children who live in the project. Helping children with their personal care. Preparing workshops. Non-formal education and work in the streets. Taking the children to school, hospital, dentist, etc. If the volunteers speak good Spanish they could participate from the beginning in the therapeutic groups. The project is open to new ideas or skills like painting, carpentry, bakery, music, sports or whatever the volunteers can do.
Hosting Situation:	There are 2 Aldeas, one in the city where the volunteer can share a room with other volunteers and another one in San José de Chiquitos living with a "tia" and the children in a house.
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: May-2016	

CENTRO FORTALEZA SAN GUILLERMO DE MALAVALLE	
Project Code: BOL-84	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Santa Cruz de la Sierra
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	<p>The Fortaleza Centre aims to accommodate adolescents referred by the Public Prosecutor or the Judge Responsible Children and Adolescents, to support their empowerment and reintegration into society based on restorative justice model. This is conducted in a warm, safe environment which guarantees the respect for the rights of adolescents, under the rules and regulations that help and encourage the pursuit of this goal setting.</p> <p>The project has the purpose of reversing adverse situations that adolescents go through during their internment period, in collaboration with the family and society with an integral support to enable the return to their social environment as responsible persons and with the ability to contribute to the construction of a better future; this through the foundation of the restorative justice.</p>
Activities of project:	<p>The Fortaleza Centre seeks to contribute to the comprehensive training and rehabilitation of the adolescents by rescuing and generating on them a range of skills and values that guide you to understand and take on responsibility in their lives</p> <p>To facilitate and optimize the work of educators who daily work more closely with adolescents.</p>
Community Context:	The project works with up to 40 adolescents aged 14 to 17, in a situation of detention, probation and pre-trial detention, and some volunteers from external institutions.
Volunteer Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Age 25 years and over - Not having a history of violence or substance prohibited - Basic knowledge of the Spanish language - Training in educational or social overhead - Shortest stays 6 months
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>Depending on the capacity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Teacher for tutoring, ed. physics, dance, music ecc - Social educator, in collaboration with educators from the center - Presence in Central 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday

	through Friday
Hosting Situation:	Host Family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 2016	

Pastoral Social Cáritas (PASOC)	
Project Code: BOL-85	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Santa Cruz de la Sierra
Areas of Project:	Social development
Aims of project:	<p>Contribute to the development of self-managed and sustainable processes in the economic, social, political and cultural fields, so our target groups are change agents and protagonists of their integral human development, from the principles of the Gospel and the Social Doctrine of the Church, in the Archdiocese of Santa Cruz.</p> <p>The USJE is a pastoral unit of the Archdiocesan Pastoral Social Caritas Commission (PASOC) to promote a culture of solidarity for the neediest groups in our society so that they feel supported, strengthened and articulated within a prevention program solidarity and social support.</p>
Activities of project:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sustainable production in the municipality of San Carlos and the municipality of El Torno. - Promotion of women in the municipalities of La Guardia and Cabezas (Humanitarian Aid). - Development Training IT SJ. - Sustainable Strategies for water supply for human consumption in four (4) municipalities of Santa Cruz. - Project Development of local potential in the areas of citizen participation and sustainable agricultural production, in competent citizen participation, sustainable farming and health in the municipalities of Comarapa and Saipina Family. - Territorial Development Programs: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Education Project. 2. Community Intercultural Family Health Project. 3. Empowering local economies project. 4. Solidarity links Project. <p>This unit coordinates the implementation of projects of urban and peri-urban area of the city of Santa Cruz and eventually in rural areas.</p> <p>Among the core activities developed, is the prevention of HIV and the solidarity and support to people living with HIV and AIDS and their families.</p> <p>There is also a service of solidarity and support to prisoners helping them discover how to live free, with dignity, in the respect of their rights in prison.</p> <p>Also, working on the reintegration of children in foster care to their families of origin or insertion into foster families who</p>

	want to host as well as in strengthening families to prevent children and adolescents suffering. This unit also promotes humanitarian aid and responds to emergencies through the solidarity of citizenship and in coordination with departmental institutions.
Community Context:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Unit of social promotion and development in remote communities. - Unit training, research and communication. - Unit of Justice, solidarity and emergencies.
Volunteer Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Having work and professional experience to your interests. - Full-time Availability and weekends if required. - Basic knowledge of the Spanish language. - Availability to travel. - Proactivity.
Volunteer Tasks:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Support the promotion, facilitation and coordination of social commitment of the Church in the Archdiocese of Santa Cruz. 2. Monitoring of the social processes of full citizenship exercise, from the principles of the Gospel and the Social Doctrine of the Church, exercising a prophetic role and communicating life and hope. 3. Promotion, escort, defence and restitution of human rights of disadvantaged groups. 4. Generation, consolidating and strengthening sustainable development processes for integral human development. 5. Participation in conferences, workshops and seminars.
Hosting Situation:	Host Family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 2016	

Fundación Igualdad LGBT	
Project Code: BOL- 86	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Santa Cruz de la Sierra
Areas of Project:	Human rights, diversity
Aims of project:	<p><u>Project 1:</u> "Contributing to the development of democracy, promoting effective implementation of civil and political rights of people with different sexual orientation and gender identity within the framework of the Constitution of Bolivia and international treaties in force"</p> <p><u>Project 2:</u> "Strengthened organizational and ideologically LGBT Collective in Ascension Guarayos, Montero, Camiri and Santa Cruz de la Sierra to generate a political horizon, a discourse and a practice that allows cohesion and partnership with other sectors, the construction of new social relations and a better quality of life"</p> <p><u>Project 3:</u> Increased levels of prevention against HIV-AIDS, Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs) and protection of human rights in gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender (GLBT) in Santa Cruz</p>
Activities of project:	<p><u>Project 1:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meetings and mobilization of the LGBT population at departmental and national levels. • Socialization of proposals from LGBT organizations- • Monitoring of proposals submitted to government agencies. • Updating, tracking and news about the affective-sexual diversity. • Participation in interviews with mass media to report on the rights of the LGBT population and sharing of information <p><u>Project 2.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening of LGBT groups in Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Montero, Ascension Guarayos and Camiri. • Information Meetings with officials of the four municipalities. • Conversations with students and teachers from the schools • Conducting educational fairs, radio programs, literary contests. • Conducting cultural events: Film Festival, Festival TransFest. <p><u>Project 3.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conversations and talks on prevention of STIs, HIV and AIDS. • Distribution of materials of tools for prevention of STIs, HIV AIDS ys. • Making alternative events (film festival, festival of condom night, educational fairs)
Community Context:	LGBT Equality, works to promote human rights of people with different sexual orientation (lesbian, gay, bisexual) and gender

	<p>identity (transgender and transvestite) LGBT Equality identifies two main areas: Health and Human Rights and the projects are confined in them. LGBT Equality has offices in Montero, Camiri and headquartered in the city of Santa Cruz de la Sierra.</p>
Volunteer Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Commitment to Human Rights, affective sexual and gender diversity. - Skills on internet, social networks and other means.
Volunteer Tasks:	<p><u>Project 1.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Monitoring and updating the website and social networks. - Support the organization of the meetings. - Accompany the demonstrations, interviews, socialization. <p><u>Project 2.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Support for radio programs, educational fairs, literary competitions. - Fostering talks and meetings with authorities. - Support the strengthening LGBT Collective. - Support for the film festival and TransFest. <p><u>Project 3.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Support Discussions and talks on prevention of STIs, HIV and AIDS. - Support and distribution of materials prevention tools on STIs, HIV and AIDS. - Support and alternative events (film festival, festival of condom night, educational fairs)
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	3
Last Modified: 2016	

Centro Parálisis Cerebral	
Project Code: BOL- 49	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Santa Cruz de la Sierra
Areas of Project:	Cerebral palsy
Aims of project:	To involve all the social actors who guarantee the consolidation of the process of social inclusion of children, girls, adolescents, young people and adults with capacities and different skills and promote the active and responsible participation of families, institution, municipal governmental authorities and community.
Activities of project:	<p>Technical advice for adaptations of the classroom and different ambiances in which the activities develop, of the daily life and social. Socialization with the personnel of the educational unit, students, family and team.</p> <p>Promotion and diffusion of the inclusive experiences to the community in spaces of institutional participation: Spreading the right to the inclusion Development of the sustainable program of training, campaign to raise public awareness on inclusion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Workshops of information, orientation and training to: * The partners and partners of course * Students of the inclusive educational unit * Families of the educational community * Students and for teachers of the different universities
Community Context:	200 children, girls, adolescents and young people with incapacities and different skills and their families from of different contexts of the country.
Volunteer Requirements:	Balance and emotional stability, tolerance to frustrations, capacity of conflicts resolution, empathy, team working and to work under pressure.
Volunteer Tasks:	Support in the daily work in classroom. Integral support in classrooms. support in activities of the daily life and in community
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	5
Last Modified: May-2016	

REGIONAL COCHABAMBA

AMANE CER	
Project Code: BOL- 9	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	Since 1981 Amanecer has provided a home and a new beginning for the abandoned, abused and orphaned street children of Cochabamba. It offers support to girls and boys aged between 0 and 18 as well as to their mothers.
Activities of project:	<p>The program is intended to promote physical, intellectual, spiritual and social development of the former street children with the aim of eventually reintegrating them into the society with increased self-respect and the ability to maintain themselves economically.</p> <p>Main activities are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Boarding and recuperation of street children - Providing education and school material - Vocational training - Medical and dental service - Street work
Community Context:	The program has one facility housing 120 children aged between 0 and 5. (There are currently residing 24 babies who are aged 6 months or under.)
Volunteer Requirements:	<p>Volunteers must be 21 years old and willing to work in the program for at least six months. (Depending on the skills of the volunteer shorter terms can also be arranged.) Knowledge of Spanish is essential. Preferred backgrounds for volunteers are education, childcare, psychology or health care. However, anyone who loves children can be useful, and given the size and diversity of the program volunteers with different skills can most likely be accommodated.</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>Depending on the area they choose to work in volunteers are to help out educators, are to provide an example for the children to follow and should help to cheer them up!</p> <p>Main areas are:</p> <p>EDUCATION: Children require tutors for basic math, science, geography and language.</p> <p>BUILDING MAINTENANCE: There is a great need for people</p>

	<p>skilled in trade or people not officially qualified but able to effectively help with the maintenance of the various facilities of the program.</p> <p>CHILDCARE: This facility is in need of assistance in all operational areas including infant care and feeding, janitorial, laundry, plant maintenance and (most importantly) playing with and providing affection for children.</p> <p>MENTAL HEALTH: Many of the children have emotional problems and can benefit from individual attention and counseling by professionals. (A high level of Spanish is required.)</p> <p>SPORTS: Sports are used to encourage healthy physical development. Volunteers with abilities in this area or willingness to instruct sporting activities are welcomed.</p> <p>COMPUTERS: Volunteers with basic or advanced computer skills are needed to help maintain the computers and organize training.</p>
<p>Hosting Situation:</p>	<p>Host family or living in the project (in this case they have to sign a contract and share the values and respect the rules).</p>
<p>Number of Volunteers:</p>	<p>3-4</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Last Modified: 19-May-16</p>	

CERECO (Centro de Rehabilitación Cochabamba)	
Project Code: BOL- 39	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba center
Areas of Project:	Disabled
Aims of project:	CERECO is a non-profit organization with the aim of taking care of young people with physical and/or mental disorders coming from backgrounds of low economic resources. The center offers many activities for people of different economic levels.
Activities of project:	Besides delivering basic education the center also provides training and qualification in seven specific areas: carpentry, ceramics, bakery, seam, gardening, weaves, art and carving. The other main area of intervention is "physical education" which is believed to be fundamental for human development, carried out by professionals and aiming for high achievements, such as participation of the disabled in the Olympic games.
Community Context:	Young disadvantaged people with physical and/or mental disabilities.
Volunteer Requirements:	Volunteers must be older than 18 and preferred backgrounds are education, manual skills, psychology, sports or knowledge in nutrition. Min. period of work is 4 weeks. The volunteer should be patient, able to deal with children and have skills in organizing and running games for them.
Volunteer Tasks:	Help in carrying out daily routines, providing care assistance, organizing extra activities and workshops and help in daily drawing/art classes.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-3
Last Modified: 20-May-2016	

<i>Psiquiátrico San Juan de Dios</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 40	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Colcapirhua (8 1/2 Km. from Cochabamba)
Areas of Project:	Mental health, Anti-drugs, disabled
Aims of project:	<p>The Psiquiátrico San Juan de Dios provides psychiatric care to patients from the Departments of Cochabamba, Oruro and La Paz.</p> <p>Contribute to Mental Health in the Bolivian population</p> <p>Providing therapeutic care and rehabilitation to patients with diseases of alcoholism and drug addiction within a Therapeutic Community</p> <p>Provide outpatient and external monitoring and familiar to patients who require it.</p> <p>Offering a friendly and welcoming attention to hospitalized patients through comprehensive care.</p>
Activities of project:	<p>It is a public institution which accommodates two different treatment centers: one for the care of people with psychological disorders and the other for drug rehabilitation</p> <p>Both centers provide housing and care for their populations, giving them psychological and spiritual support.</p>
Community Context:	Adults with psychological disorders coming from the countryside or from low income families and those with drug dependencies.
Volunteer Requirements:	It would be preferable to have education and/or experience in the areas of health or psychology. Also, she/he must be emotionally strong, patient, have a lot of motivation and initiative.
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>The volunteer is to help with psychological treatment of the residents, with their physical rehabilitation and support the job of the professionals. In the Occupational Therapy Workshop performs the following activities</p> <p>Carpentry and painting workshop, Dressmaking, Hairdressing, Ceramics, Hiking, hiking therapeutic Embroidery, Didactic, Silkscreen, Gym</p>
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-3
Last Modified: 20-May-2016	

<i>IDA (Audiological Institute)</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 41	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Disabled, education
Aims of project:	An audiological institute and a public college for those young people who have some sensorial-audiological deficiency. The institute offers special education of high quality and does a lot of labor therapy.
Activities of project:	The institute offers to the children a possibility to study and to develop special skills which will be helpful for their self-development in order for them to be able to live normal lives in the society.
Community Context:	School aged children with a total or partial audio-sensorial deficit.
Volunteer Requirements:	Capacity of team work and childcare, manual skills, patience and a lot of initiative. Also, the volunteer must have the will and ability to deal and work with deaf children. He/she must be open-minded, social, tolerant, creative and willing to learn the sign language quickly.
Volunteer Tasks:	The volunteer works along with the regular staff in the school. During the day the volunteer works with the staff in supporting and helping the teacher-therapist within the classroom, assists in everyday activities and participates in artistic and creative workshops.
Hosting Situation:	Host family or project.
Number of Volunteers:	1 - 2
Last Modified: 20-May-2016	

Unidad Educativa "Obispo Anaya"	
Project Code: BOL- 29	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	The project is part of a wide network known as "Fe y Alegria" aiming to better the living conditions and education of rural children. The centre was founded 32 years ago and has already educated generations of poor peasants living outside Cochabamba.
Activities of project:	The centre offers basic education and organises constant information campaigns for the parents and for young girls about several topics such as: civil rights, health, prevention, childcare etc... Furthermore, they give pedagogical support to children attending the school and run handicraft and drawing workshops.
Community Context:	School aged children living in rural areas with low school attendance and coming from low income families.
Volunteer Requirements:	Team work and leadership skills, ability to handle children, a will to listen to them and to give them a bit of psychological and educational support.
Volunteer Tasks:	Develop activities with the children and educators, help in the preparation of local celebrations, take part in workshops of painting, theatre and folkloric dance and help children with their homework.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-2
Last Modified: 20/May/2016	

AGRECOL	
Project Code: BOL- 31	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Agriculture, development
Aims of project:	The AGRECOL Andes Foundation is an NGO dedicated to the promotion of ecological agriculture in order to contribute to a sustainable rural development in the Andean region, through the promotion of the ecological agriculture giving training to local people, revision of available information for the communication and improvement of technical of organic agriculture and the community participation for the sustainable development.
Activities of project:	Information and Communication for sustainable development, Training, facilitation and follow-up of processes of change Systematization and documentation of experiences. The Foundation offers high-quality services in the management of agro-ecological knowledge, thus contributing to the improvement of living conditions in rural Andean societies, through training and different working areas such as: political incidence, climate change and risk management, local activities.
Community Context:	Services in knowledge management, human resource training, exchange and dissemination of information on organic farming in rural communities in the country.
Volunteer Requirements:	Active people and with motivation for team work and with basic knowledge of organic or alternative agricultural production. The volunteer should be an active participant and planner of his/her own tasks and motivated to get in touch with different people.
Volunteer Tasks:	Support in the workshops of information and to carry out documentation of activities related with the ecological production. Capacity to diffuse information to the producer peasant. Work's schedule depends of the kind of activities the volunteer will do. Normally volunteer work 35 hrs/week.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

ITEI, Instituto de Terapia e Investigación	
Project Code: BOL-87	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	People affected directly and indirectly by torture and state violence.
Aims of project:	The ITEI is an interdisciplinary institute designed to serve people affected directly and indirectly, by torture and violence, through processes that facilitate their rehabilitation. On the other hand, wants to form a collective consciousness about the consequences of state violence and repair, helping to create a socio-historical memory that will benefit the eradication of these practices in Bolivia.
Activities of project:	<p>Contribute to the prevention of disorders caused by torture and state violence, providing integrated care, both psychotherapeutic and medical, social and legal assistance to those affected and their families and communities.</p> <p>Interdisciplinary teams train and work with the ITEI, in different parts of the country to attend to people affected by torture and state violence.</p> <p>Create a space that allows save social memory, through monitoring of clinical cases.</p> <p>Conduct epidemiological research on the aftermath of political violence and its repair.</p> <p>To investigate the subjective impact of state violence at individual and collective.</p> <p>Diagnose the need and demand quality and quantity of rehabilitation services for people affected, in order to develop a strategy for long term care.</p>
Community Context:	<p>The ITEI is an organization that accompanies those affected by torture and state violence in a comprehensive rehabilitation process, extending this task to his family and community. At the same time through training and research and create collective consciousness reported on the aftermath of Torture and State Violence.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Survivors of massacres. - People affected by political repression. - People affected by torture. - Political prisoners. - Political refugees in our country. - Returned from exile. - Relatives of dead and disappeared. - Family environment and community groups mentioned above

Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer work collaboratively with all areas of ITEI when has no professional training. Volunteers with specific training in certain areas (sociology, anthropology, research, psychology etc) might work with a professional given area according to the needs and competencies of ITEI professionals. Knowledge is required in any of the following areas: communication, law, psychology, social work.
Volunteer Tasks:	Office work, case tracking, visits to prisons, working with victims of torture and state violence, translations, human rights campaigns.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-3
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

Proyecto Horizonte USHPA USHPA	
Project Code: BOL- 51	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Children, women
Aims of project:	The Horizon Project - Uspha Uspha (Society of St. Vincent de Paul) is a non-profit institution of social welfare, located in Ushpa-Ushpa community, a marginalized semi-urban area 10 km south of the city of Cochabamba. It was founded in 2004, in order to cope with the extreme poverty of the community and respond to the needs of protection, education, medical care and feeding of children.
Activities of project:	Main activities are: Health Centre "Mineros San Juan", Comprehensive Educational Centre Initial Training and Education Unit "St. Vincent de Paul", Group of Women, "TANTAKUNA". Several groups of Sports and Culture (children, youth and adults) Department of Micro Finance and Micro Enterprise Development.
Community Context:	San Juan Mining District Ushpa-Ushpa is located in the km 10 to the southeast of the city Cochabamba. There some 1,500 families living under marginal economic circumstances. Very poor people who lack almost any basic service.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer must be very responsible, able to take the initiative and be open minded. Positive attitude.
Volunteer Tasks:	Support the nursery, provide school support (math, English), help with the sport and cultural classes (dance, music...), work with the women, organization of events, updates of the website, translation work (English /Spanish / German). Can join us in all areas of the project and the specific tasks depend on your existing knowledge and experience and on the length of your stay. We are also open for new proposals and ideas as long as they are aligned with our general project ideas.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-5
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

EDUCAR ES FIESTA	
Project Code: BOL- 52	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city ,town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Children, YOUTH
Aims of project:	<p>The Creative Arts Center "Educar es Fiesta" is an educational and artistic non-profit organization, which supports educational processes and the development of the artistic potential of children and adolescents living in suburban areas of the city of Cochabamba, including arts training school, a culture house stock and a circus-theatre.</p> <p>We propose an education based on art to promote social and personal transformation, causing an individual, group and social change, thorough a continuous supportive, creative, purposeful, honest, friendly, cheerful, dignified human development.</p> <p>We contribute to the development of intercultural and purposeful quality education in community spaces and schools, to strengthen the exercise of full rights and responsibilities of children and adolescents, all mediated through art and innovative educational strategies with public and political advocacy.</p>
Activities of project:	<p>The main activities of "Educar es Fiesta" are focused on the areas of circus, theatre, music and dance, helping young people between 5 and 18 years and involving families, schools, major actors in the community and state public institutions. This activities are developed on 3 main areas:</p> <p>Community Culture Houses: The houses are spaces of fraternal, friendly coexistence and aimed for children, adolescents and young people to live a dignifying life without violence, developing their artistic and creative potential.</p> <p>Friendly Schools, Schools without fears: Work is done both with students though the presentation of plays in schools and with teachers and educators through the design, exploration and implementation of concrete changes in human relationships in schools.</p> <p>Integrated Arts Centre TAPEQUE: counts with a Circus School for children and teens.</p> <p>Murga as musical expression that fuses dance, drums and voice messages expressing and feeling rebellious teenagers and young against a violent and exclusionary system.</p> <p>Cultural management area to the promotion and</p>

	dissemination of own shows. Dreams & Arts on Wheels: they participate in caravans, marches, campaigns, fairs, walks with the purpose of generating social participation through itinerant art and to raise awareness about the subject and problems of children.
Community Context:	Children and young people from low-resource.
Volunteer Requirements:	Training in social science, education, communication, social work, psychology, social marketing or related branches. Ability to work as a team with wide open to debate and conversation. Compliance and accountability in the development of the planned activities. Pro engagement and commitment. Positive attitude and good relations with the people and the work team. SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: *An intermediate/advanced Spanish *Some Artistic vocation * A work-related knowledge with children/teenagers *Commitments of at least 3 months
Volunteer Tasks:	Arts & Culture, Children and Youth, Human Rights and Civil Liberties, Addiction and Substance Abuse, Sports, Recreation and Leisure.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-3
Last Modified: 6 - Oct- 2016	

PERFORMING LIFE – FUNDACION ENSEÑARTE	
Project Code: BOL- 53	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Children, women
Aims of project:	Performing Life is a non-profit organization that helps youth who are working and/or living on the streets. The mission is to empower street youth by providing tools for a sustainable future through the learning of arts as productive skills for avoiding drugs and delinquency while improving their economic, social and personal well-being, their families and their community environment.
Activities of project:	The Performing Arts Classes are the core of what Performing Life is. They give free classes on performing arts, including juggling, diabolo and poi, that the youth can use to increase their income and thereby have more time for school and studying. Music is the creative focus of this project with youth who live/work on the streets. The Bracelet Program is a youth-managed enterprise, doing Bracelets for sale. Youth Home aims to provide creative activities that help youth to make the transition from street life to that in a Youth Home.
Community Context:	They work with two different groups of Children and Youth: One group who work in the streets to support themselves or their families, and another group who are working and living on the streets.
Volunteer Requirements:	Volunteer with skills related to arts, circus, music are desired. Also volunteers with interest in working with children with difficult backgrounds. Volunteers should make a minimum commitment for 3 months, speak basic Spanish and be willing to work at least half-time with Performing Life. Exceptions can be made for volunteers with specific valuable skills.
Volunteer Tasks:	Currently we need volunteers to: Teach performing arts, circus, theatre, music, dance, etc, support with fundraising and administrative work (project design, etc), Improve and maintain the web page, support the work with the women
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-3
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

<i>CETM, Centro de estudio y trabajo de la mujer</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 54	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Children, women
Aims of project:	Improve the quality of education through the formal qualification of pedagogical practice and guidance to develop attitudes, values and knowledge to eliminate discrimination and gender stereotypes, considered needs and interests of children. Raise awareness, promote holistic health from a bio-psycho-social approach to social, education and training, ecology and infrastructure, food sovereignty and citizenship, under the cross-gender equity and environment. Provide technical training to improve additional income to the household economy.
Activities of project:	Supporting integrated development in areas related to comprehensive health, education and training, ecology and infrastructure , food sovereignty and citizenship, under the cross-gender equity and environment, improving the quality of education, health education, developing comprehensive community, Center for Knowledge Exchange and Apprenticeship and cultural activities
Community Context:	The Centre for Labour Studies and Women (CETM) non-profit organization was founded on 15 February 1986, starting its activities in various print media and grassroots support in urban areas. Later (1990) begins its activities in rural areas of our city and now works in communities in the municipalities of Sacaba Tacopaya Arbieta.
Volunteer Requirements:	Good Spanish, not be afraid of bugs, some educational background
Volunteer Tasks:	You can work in Learning Resource Centre: Library, Tele-centre, Games Room, school support, Auditorium Cultural & Educational Fairs Supporting technical CETM
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-2
Last Modified: 9/Mar/2016	

CONSIPE, Centro de Educación Integral	
Project Code: BOL- 56	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Children, Disabled, Education
Aims of project:	The main objective is to provide to students the opportunity to achieve the objectives of each stage as to the capabilities of the students themselves; following pathways identical to those of regular schools to help achieve greater equality of opportunity, at the end get a job or a career as any in his generation. It works with specific problems in different areas like: Phonetic, Psychological, Psycho pedagogical, Physiotherapeutic and others.
Activities of project:	The centre works with two different specific mental areas: Mental Handicap and learning problems. Mornings: 8:00 am. to 12:30 pm. takes care of mental handicapped with its three levels from 6 to 8 years old. Afternoons; 14:00 pm. to 18:00 pm. with learning problems from 6 to 17 years old. PRACTICAL WORKSHOPS In Consipe also study some children with severe problems in sensory perception of daily activities. They are treated in other divisions, such as recycling paper and the Works Ceramic Painting & Clay. These two sections are devoted exclusively to training in technical work of students with manual skills.
Community Context:	Schoolboys and girls with mental handicap or learning problems.
Volunteer Requirements:	Work with children and handicrafts skills. Have full time available and experience leading with people with problems and a lot of initiative.
Volunteer Tasks:	Support the children with their school activities and support them with their development by programs of social insertion and independence.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1- 2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

<i>Ayni Ruway</i>	
Project Code: BOL-62	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city ,town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Delinquency, Human rights
Aims of project:	Ayni Ruway's central mission is to fight for the equality of inmates, former inmates and their families. By providing workshops and skill shares they hope to better the quality of life and facilitate integration of incarcerated individuals back into society. Ayni Ruway goals include offer educational, health and legal services within all Cochabamba prisons and to all former inmates at its community centre, provide workshops on violence prevention, help inmates make an income by providing skill shares and training, offer childcare services for the children of current and former inmates, help with the marketing and distribution of goods produced by current and former inmates
Activities of project:	Ayni Ruway has created a nursery in the San Sebastian Prison - Women (30 children) and another nursery located in the offices of Ayni Ruwaya, (40 children). In both nurseries are providing comprehensive care for children from 0 to 6 years. It is running a project called "House of teenagers" that welcomes children of teenage inmates and former inmates of penitentiaries Cochabamba providing a space where they are offered different workshops In this context, AYNi Ruwaya running a program directed to the attention of Interns and ex-interns/as of 6 prisons in Cochabamba, whose main objective is to meet the mothers and fathers, thus improving quality of life of their children who are directly affected by the situation of families..
Community Context:	The projects are implemented in the four prison facilities of the City of Cochabamba (San Sebastian Women, Men San Sebastian, San Antonio, El Abra) and two sites in the provinces. Ayni Ruway also deals with current and potential buyers of products produced by inmates while in jail. These can be both domestic and international. The focus is on maintaining a constant relationship so that prisoners have a secure source of income.
Volunteer Requirements:	Intermediate - advanced Spanish, experience and/or knowledge in relevant fields (i.e. counselling, marketing, education - valued but not necessary) , experience working with at-risk persons (valued but not necessary), willingness to work in a prison environment and to share a skill,

	motivated with good interpersonal skills.
Volunteer Tasks:	Counselling, Social work and family, Strengthening Educational and support for access to educational services, Medical Assistance, Support for access to health services. Micro-Management Workshops, Wood Craft Workshops, Craft Workshops Candy and Chocolate Workshops, Electricity workshops, Drama workshops, Music workshops, Pottery Painting Workshop, Sewing Workshop.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1- 2
Last Modified: 15/Mar/2016	

Fundación Gaia Pacha	
Project Code: BOL-88	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city ,town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Environment, ecology
Aims of project:	In 2006, a group of young Bolivian environmental professionals decided to create an institution that would respond to the big environmental challenges in the country. The greek term Gaia evokes the Lovelock's theory that indicates that Earth is alive. In the same complementary way, the term Pacha that comes from native languages such as Quechua and Aymara, is part of the more complete term Pachamama. Pachamama means "Mother Earth". In consequence, Gaia Pacha is a combination of modern theory and a legacy of ancient wisdom that expresses pretty much the same. That our Mother Earth is alive explained by two different cosmo-visions that complement perfectly each other.
Activities of project:	Gaia Pacha's efforts are addressed to four dimensions that we believe, combined, can ensure sustainability in different levels. These working areas are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research & Technology • Training & Education • Environmental Policy • Conservation & Ecosystems Restoration
Community Context:	Gaia Pacha focuses on environmental awareness, protection and sustainability of communities at risk that their resources further reduce the dangerous effects of environmental degradation.
Volunteer Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be at least 18 years old • Be responsible, enthusiastic, committed to Bolivia's sustainable development, and eager to learn and share • Have an intermediate Spanish level • Be able to work for a minimum period of three months • Demonstrate cultural sensitivity and work well in a team
Volunteer Tasks:	<i>Educational Project at the Manuela Gandarillas Center for the Blind.</i> Gaia Pacha is involved in organizing workshops and ludic activities for partially-sighted young people who attend a daycare center. The activities are focused on informing the children about the environment and they have recently

	<p>designed a sensory garden for the children.</p> <p>- <i>Workshops at the Natural History Museum</i>: Gaia Pacha has set up an agreement with this museum to provide educational workshops focusing on the environment and natural sciences.</p> <p>- <i>Environmental education program for children at Aldeas Infantiles SOS-Cochabamba</i>: a program to implement an environmental education program for groups of visiting children that is both accessible and enjoyable.</p> <p>Volunteer activities associated with all of these programs include designing and implementing educational materials, planning projects to raise environmental awareness among young people.</p>
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-4
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

Centro Integral Warmi	
Project Code: BOL-89	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	<p>The WARMI CENTER, based on a sustained process of education for women, children and youth as well as production and support services, helps create opportunities and conditions for integrated development.</p> <p>Training for migrant women so that they can better integrate to the urban society through economic self-sustainability.</p> <p>Contribute to the education process of children, youth and women through critical thinking and reflection activities.</p>
Activities of project:	<p>Centro Integral Warmi is an organization that works with kids and women to provide a safe and healthy location that gives educational and developmental opportunities. Warmi includes a nursery and library for the kids, but also has a soap factory where a group of women work. The relationships that are formed in Warmi create a strong community, like a second family.</p>
Community Context:	Children
Volunteer Requirements:	<p>The volunteer must have an open, adaptable, tolerant and respectful attitude regarding cultural differences, .be very responsible, take initiative and be dynamic. Positive attitude. Must have a strong commitment to regional, social, cultural and educational development of the local communities, as well as human rights and especially the rights of children. Have an intermediate level of Spanish</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>There are several areas in which volunteers can help depending on your skills and interests. Currently available are:</p> <p><u>Leisure / Recreation:</u> Support the development of the skills of children in artistic activities such as music, singing, dancing, drawing, painting, crafts, performance. Show and share the culture of the country from which the volunteer with children, through exhibitions, dynamic, local foods, music, dances typical of their region, etc..</p> <p><u>School support:</u> Provide support to school children to help in the fulfillment of their tasks and grow their formal education.</p> <p><u>Library:</u> Improving the use of books for children and teach them the good way to use the library. Build motivation and love for reading in children</p>

	<p><u>Psychological support:</u> Provide specific support to children who need individual attention to develop their emotional and mental maturity.</p> <p><u>Organization of Events:</u> Generate strategies fundraising locally with events such as parties, concerts, dinners, etc.</p> <p><u>Administrative Support:</u> Update information on the website of and social networks</p>
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-3
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

Alalay, Centro de Apoyo Escolar	
Project Code: BOL-90	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Cochabamba
Areas of Project:	Primary and secondary students
Aims of project:	Help reverse the poverty spiritual, emotional, economic and social development in children and adolescents and families at high risk through a preventive and protective approach focusing on the example of Jesus.
Activities of project:	<p>The prevention program, Schools for the life, works in a holistic manner, with children and adolescents and families at risk who live in extreme poverty, most of them come from migrant families first and second generation who are immersed in circles of family violence.</p> <p>This program, also works with schools, community and local governments, with the aim of preventing children there in the streets because of domestic violence and to build a society promotes a culture of peace, the good treatment and a culture of childhood, where children exercise their rights, society and the state recognizes them the guarantee.</p>
Community Context:	College students from 5 ^a primary to secondary.
Volunteer Requirements:	No matter what race you, ethnicity or culture they come, town, city or country of origin. If you can commit and identify with the values Alalay Foundation and its mission, you are welcome to serve alongside us.
Volunteer Tasks:	School support Areas of Music, Arts & Sport Support in English
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1-4
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

REGIONAL SUCRE

<i>Hogar Sucre</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 13	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre, Bolivia
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	This project hosts abandoned and street children.
Activities of project:	Assisting the administrator in providing school support to the children, participating in sports, theater, music, etc.
Community Context:	Young children and adolescents who have decided to leave their homes or who have been abandoned.
Volunteer Requirements:	A person older than 18 with some knowledge of Spanish, team work skills and knowledge of education, sports and/or handicraft.
Volunteer Tasks:	To help children with their homework and household chores, participate in the bakery training workshops and look for markets for the products they make. Help to sell the bread that is baked in the center, serve food to the children and to organize leisure and sporting activities for them.
Hosting Situation:	Host family or community
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 2016	

Centro Guadalupe	
Project Code: BOL- 14	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre, Bolivia
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	It is a state boarding house that offers immediate attention to girls between 6 and 16 years old, who have escaped from their families or who are waiting for a court sentence. They stay in the center for a certain period after which they should be adopted by a new family.
Project activities	Housing the girls, taking them to school, assisting them psychologically and stimulating them to participate in the activities of the community. To help the girls develop their abilities inside the different occupational therapies.
Community Context:	Young girls with different kinds of social and family problems.
Volunteer Requirements:	Possibly he/she should have some training in occupational therapy, such as embroidery, painting, or sewing. To have a lot of initiative is essential.
Volunteer Tasks:	To help the girls with homework, school support and in everything relates to occupational therapy.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1
Last Modified: 2016	

Hogar "Tata San Juan de Dios"	
Project Code: BOL- 15	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre, Bolivia
Areas of Project:	Children, Homeless
Aims of project:	The center works with abandoned newly born babies and orphaned young children aged between 0 and 5 years.
Activities of project:	Housing and caring for the children while waiting for an adoption or a decision of the court.
Community Context:	It is a Catholic project providing care for the abandoned children.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer must like working with the babies, a lot of patience and enthusiasm are required, he/she has to be responsible and respect the schedule.
Volunteer Tasks:	To feed and to look after the babies in the center of care, reading stories, taking them to school and helping to organize leisure activities for them.
Hosting Situation:	Host family.
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: November, 2015	

Centro Educativo Ñanta	
Project Code: BOL- 16	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Address:	Calle Ballivián # 53
Aims of project:	The centre offers attention to street working children and adolescents of the city of Sucre. Children and adolescents Those kids have the possibility to go to the Ñanta centre where they receive food, education, medication and find friends to play. Cultural and sportive events are being organized so that the children can be children and not only workers. Furthermore there is a social worker who helps the kids with psychological problems and family conflicts.
Activities of project:	To offer pedagogic and social support and to give the children a recreational space. The project runs workshops of music, painting, arts & crafts and drawing. To return them a childhood outside of their daily responsibilities giving them an educational, recreational and stable space. To support their primary necessities and to take care of their health and hygiene. To increase their self-esteem and creativity through the free expression and the revaluation of their identity, To give them the means so that they can improve their own life, motivation them to continue their education and to look for different working forms. To encourage companionship, solidarity and fraternity between them.
Community Context:	Young workers, often migrants from the countryside, that want to be part of a social group, to continue learning and to enjoy different activities offered by the center.
Volunteer Requirements:	To speak basic Spanish, to have a tough character considering that many of the children are used to life on the streets and therefore the work may at times be quite demanding.
Volunteer Tasks:	The volunteer has freedom to implement whatever activity that is suitable and educational. Also he/she has a big role in organizing sporting activities.
Hosting Situation:	Host family.
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: September, 2015	

<i>CIMET (Integral Center of the Child Worker)</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 17	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	CIMET is a center which promotes the integral development of working children and adolescents of the street, through 4 main areas: Health, Pedagogical support, Social assistance and nutrition.
Activities of project:	<p>Offers support for the integral development of the children and youth. The children and adolescents of the street can learn here or improve a skill such as be trained as tourist guides in the historical general cemetery.</p> <p>Health Area: bring protection and assistance in medical and odontological health.</p> <p>Pedagogical Area: develop and strengthen knowledge, values, skills, through school support, pedagogical reinforcement and art workshops.</p> <p>Nutrition Area: Provides food to children and adolescents to support their physical development.</p> <p>Social Assistance: promote the support to the children and adolescents in cooperation with the other services.</p> <p>Family Health: prevent intrafamily violence</p>
Community Context:	Street children that want to learn and improve their own life.
Volunteer Requirements:	Motivation, energy, patience, a basic level of Spanish and self-esteem to transmit to the young workers.
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>To take the children to the doctor, help with the training activities, give them company while having lunch and stimulate them to take care of themselves, especially of their body and to trust in themselves.</p> <p>Volunteers will be able to work, according to their interest and experience in the several integral centers where they provide assistance in the following areas: Education, Health, Law, Social Assistance, administration.</p>
Hosting Situation:	Host situation
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

CECAJOC (Training Center for Young Land Workers)	
Project Code: BOL- 91	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Areas of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	CECAJOC aims to provide integral training and development to men and women from rural communities from their own reality and strengthen them with liberating actions.
Activities of project:	<p>The base on the integral training offered is the Alternative Education for Adults in different areas, complemented with transversal subareas focused on human, social and spiritual issues, aimed to strengthen and facilitate the development and to generate educational longlife learning processes with men and women as main characters of the socio-productive transformation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Primary school for Adults -Secondary school for Adults -Technical Alternative Education <p>The project counts with a Boarding school for young landworkers between 18 and 18 years old, where they learn different skills such as: Mechanics, sewing, agricultural training etc.</p>
Community Context:	Young men and women land workers from rural areas.
Volunteer Requirements:	Motivation, energy, patience, a basic level of Spanish and self-esteem to transmit to the young workers.
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>To support the staff on the daily activities of the project or the boarding school. Develop Culture and Sports activities with the young people and adults.</p> <p>Support the rural schools on the area nearby the boarding school. Volunteers will be able to work, according to their interest and experience in the several integral centers where they provide assistance in the following areas: Education, Heath, Law, Social Assistance, administration.</p>
Hosting Situation:	Host situation
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

PRADOS (Centro de rehabilitación para drogadictos y alcohólicos)

Project Code: BOL- 22

User ID: Bolivia

Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Areas of Project:	Disadvantaged, Anti-Drugs
Aims of project:	It is a rehabilitation center for those alcoholics and drug-addicted people who want to quit and get out of their depression.
Activities of project:	The center offers them with alternatives and trains them in some manual job such as carpentry, wall painting, cooking etc.
Community Context:	Young and adult ex-alcoholics going through a process of recuperation.
Volunteer Requirements:	Preferably the volunteer should be a man, he should have some handicraft skills in order to hold some workshops himself and he has to show a correct attitude such as not to smoke in the center. He has to be easygoing, creative and cheer up the participants.
Volunteer Tasks:	Main duties consist of participating in the workshops, encouraging the participants and talking to them.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	3

Last Modified: November, 2015

<i>Instituto Psicopedagógico "San Juan de Dios"</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 23	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Areas of Project:	Disabled, children, Anti-Drugs, youth
Aims of project:	Assisting children between 0 and 18 years with special needs and drug-addiction problems.
Activities of project:	Offers specialized, integral and humanitarian attention in the areas of health and education to children and young people under the age of 18 with physical and/or mental disabilities and drug addictions aiming to reintegrate them back into the society.
Community Context:	Children and young people with physical or mental disabilities.
Volunteer Requirements:	To be a humanitarian person with a lot of patience and a lot of will to work and creativity.
Volunteer Tasks:	Help feeding the children and take care of them, take them to the doctor, help in educating them and organizing leisure activities for them.
Hosting Situation:	Host family or community
Number of Volunteers:	4-5
Last Modified: 21-May-2016	

<i>Asociación de Arte Indígena "Inca Pally"</i>	
Project Code: BOL- 47	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Areas of Project:	Art, Culture, Indigenous, Development, women.
Aims of project:	To achieve self financing for indigenous women and to maintain their traditional culture.
Activities of project:	Inca Pally carries out market search on behalf of their associates and forms contacts with international companies in search of new foreign markets, provides technical assistance and training of the associates to support new economic and production initiatives, does promotion and external trade, creates contacts with European countries and guarantees the participation at local and international fairs.
Community Context:	Indigenous women that live outside the city wanting to increase their incomes. They make native textiles which are sent to the museum/store and sold.
Volunteer Requirements:	The volunteer has to have knowledge in the field of trade, computing, communication and have good attitude in sales.
Volunteer Tasks:	Participate in the local and national fairs, travelling to the countryside to follow the production process and also, the organization is in need of someone that could design their web page.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 22-May-2016	

HOGAR MERCEDES	
Project Code: BOL- 59	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city ,town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Elderly
Aims of project:	This project hosts mature people that require help in their daily activities and medical care.
Activities of project:	Assisting the personnel that work in the home, providing support, caring for the residents, participating and organizing activities like gymnastics, music, entertainment, games, etc.
Community Context:	Mature people who have decided to leave their homes because of lack of support and care from their relatives; or those who have been abandoned.
Volunteer Requirements:	Maturity, and most importantly, sensitivity. Preferable if the volunteer is a professional in psychology, pedagogy, or another area of health etc. Experience of working in education and the ability to be initiative are important. Some knowledge of Spanish.
Volunteer Tasks:	To help mature people with personal activities, organizing activities like entertainment and games, practicing exercises with them, going for walks outside the home and accompanying the old people when visiting the doctor.
Hosting Situation:	Living in the project, Host family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 22-May-2016	

CERPI , Centro de Recursos Pedagógicos Integrales	
Project Code: BOL- 60	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Children
Aims of project:	The center works with children and adolescents, most of whom are working, from the urban areas of Sucre and its surrounds.
Activities of project:	To provide support and motivation to hard-working children and adolescents in different occupations.
Community Context:	Children and teenagers aged 4 to 16 years old from different social settings - some with or without parents; some with a history of family violence; some with economic problems etc.
Volunteer Requirements:	Interest in working with children and adolescents; artistic skills such as painting; an enjoyment of sports; some knowledge of educational and didactic games.
Volunteer Tasks:	Helping the children and adolescents to develop their abilities and adeptness; supporting and motivating them; teaching how to play educational games in the "Escuela movil" (a small car which has a lot of didactic games).
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	1 - 2
Last Modified: 22-May-2016	

CEMVA (Centro Educativo Multifuncional Villa Armonia)	
Project Code: BOL- 61	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Development
Aims of project:	This project aims to improve the conditions of the lives of the Quechua people that have migrated to the city's north zone. The project aims to strengthen the basic pillars for the population's development through the implementation of integral programs on the lines of education, health and social support based on respect and responsibility.
Activities of project:	Assisting the personnel in different tasks; providing school support to the children and teenagers; taking consideration of the importance of health care and education.
Community Context:	Specifically children and adolescents that live in the city's north zone.
Volunteer Requirements:	Some knowledge of Spanish. Skills in education or pedagogy, sports, handicraft, carpentry, bakery, nursing, children's care and team work.
Volunteer Tasks:	Help the children with school support as well in the library. Help the personnel in the school, with carpentry lessons, craft work, nursing, and childcare or in the bakery (bread is sold in the centre). Creating and organizing activities in the juvenile centers.
Hosting Situation:	Host family or Project.
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 12-Jun-2016	

<i>CENAO – Consejo Educativo de la Nación Quechua</i>	
Project Code: BOL-92	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Indigenous, Development, Education
Aims of project:	CENAO is an organization that works with the Quechua communities promoting intracultural, intercultural and multilingual education, with the aim to build a society based on own identity, solidarity, reciprocity, complementary and social justice, to live well.
Activities of project:	It strengthens the different levels of community social participation in educational activities within the Quechua nation and in the territories where the Quechua families are settled within the national territory.
Community Context:	Quechua communities of Sucre
Volunteer Requirements:	Enthusiastic volunteers that enjoy working in the educational area and who likes traveling to the countryside to encounter the communities. Good standard of Spanish is required. Interest in learning quechua is desired.
Volunteer Tasks:	Working with social organizations, support in administrative tasks (project writing, design, etc) translating from Spanish to English, traveling to the countryside to visit quechua communities, visit rural schools to deliver school material for the children.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

Hogar Mallorca/ Hogar Misky Wasi	
Project Code: BOL-93	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Children, Youth
Aims of project:	Reduction of marginalization and poverty situation and improve the life conditions of street working children in Sucre city.
Activities of project:	The Foundation counts with 2 orphanages for working children of the street (one for boys and one for girls) where they offer housing, food as well as pedagogic support, individualized medical and nutritional care, vocational training to facilitate the integration of children into the labor market in the future, extra-curricular activities such as computer or music to complement their formal education and specific workshops (eg. health, hygiene, human rights, equality between men and women, environment...). The Foundation supports 80 boys and 40 girls between the ages of 7 to 18.
Community Context:	Hard-working children and adolescents of the street between 7 and 18 years old, migrants that live in poverty and social disadvantage.
Volunteer Requirements:	Older than 20 years of age, better if volunteer is professional or in education, health, music areas as well related to recreational activities.
Volunteer Tasks:	Support children and adolescents in their school activities, reinforcement in some educational areas (English, mathematics, physics, chemistry). Carry out recreational and leisure activities (sports, handcrafts, games) Develop specific workshops with children and adolescents.
Hosting Situation:	Host family or community
Number of Volunteers:	3
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

Sayariy Warmi – Levantate mujer	
Project Code: BOL-94	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Women, Children, Youth
Aims of project:	To repair the dignity of the women, children, girls and adolescent victims of traffic and violence so that they are main characters of the transformation of their reality and contributing to the construction of a fairer and more equal society.
Activities of project:	<p>Sayariy Warmi offers support and restitution on their human rights to women, children and adolescents through the reception, protection, training and reinstatement, forming nets to promote their personal and social transformation.</p> <p>The institution works with victims' of gender violence, traffic, intra-family violence and sexual violence.</p> <p>At the moment Sayariy Warmi works in the following programs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Non Violence in Family context (trainings and seminars with local and rural families to prevent intrafamily violence) - Integral Development for Children and Adolescent (temporary hosting, pedagogical support, soup kitchen) - Economical Justice (training on labor skills: clothing, bakery, loom weaving etc and strengthen productive enterprises)
Community Context:	Boys, girls, adolescents, women and families of different ages in risk and social disadvantage situation. Women victims of violence, migrants from rural areas.
Volunteer Requirements:	Some basic Spanish is required. Open mind, Patience, solidarity, flexibility. Professionals or people in different areas like social workers, psychologists help a lot.
Volunteer Tasks:	The volunteers can work helping the educating ones or professionals of the area, in team or in an independent way, but always under the supervision of a responsible one; for example visiting some families to support them.
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

ASE – Asociación Sucrense de Ecología	
Project Code: BOL-95	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Women, Children, Youth
Aims of project:	To protect, to defend and to promote the conservation of the environment and natural resources in the context of sustainable development, to improve the quality of the inhabitants' life.
Activities of project:	<p>ASE promotes, develop and implement ideas, studies, projects and programs for sustainable development to reconcile the development of urban and rural residents of the area with the rational use of natural resources and environmental conservation.</p> <p>They conduct educational programs that enable a better understanding of sustainable development, defending the rational use of water, air, soil, flora, fauna and natural resources in general, to ensure their availability in the future.</p> <p>ASE is currently developing the programs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Climate Change - Installation of photovoltaic panels - Lombricultura - Environmental Education
Community Context:	<p>Children, adolescents and teachers of schools, university students and population in general of the city and the countryside.</p> <p>On the other hand, authorities and institutions whose work is coordinated on the environment</p>
Volunteer Requirements:	<p>Respect and love for the nature and the environment</p> <p>Open mind, patience, creativity</p> <p>Bias to talk about environment topics</p> <p>Basic Spanish or fluid is required.</p> <p>Professionals in environment topics are also required.</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>Related to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Participation on awareness raising campaigns on schools, university etc. - Work in rural areas with communities - Support in educational workshops and training. -Collaboration in the organization and preparation of colloquies, fairs, shops and others. -Cooperation in the organization and preparation mainly in the educational subject.

	-Collaboration in the elaboration of educational documents. - Support in the Library
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

MUSUQ SUNQU – Corazón Nuevo	
Project Code: BOL-96	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Children, Education
Aims of project:	Provide a quality feed to children of the area so they are able to perform in the school and follow up their performance through pedagogical support. Create a healthy leisure environment for children on the area. Allow families to work while the children are being taken care of.
Activities of project:	Musuq Sunqu counts with a Soup Kitchen where up to 60 children receive daily food and a working area where up to 80 primary students of local schools are supported with their homework and other educational complementary tasks.
Community Context:	Children of the area of Lajastambo in risk and disadvantage situation.
Volunteer Requirements:	Some knowledge of Spanish. Skills in education or pedagogy, sports, handicraft, carpentry, bakery, nursing, children's care and team work.
Volunteer Tasks:	Volunteers will support the workers and educators with the soup kitchen, help children with their tasks and carry out activities to support their learning.
Hosting Situation:	Host Family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

PRO-VIDA - Fundación de Asistencia al Anciano	
Project Code: BOL-97	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Elderly
Aims of project:	Offer intergenerational integral social attention to elderly needier.
Activities of project:	Providing support to elderly in different areas like Physiotherapy, Kinesiology, Acupuncture, Lawful Consultantship, Social Work, Infirmary and General Medicine.
Community Context:	Old people especially from the country side and other cities, poor people with or without relatives, with economic problems.
Volunteer Requirements:	Patient, mature, better if volunteers are professionals in some area of health, It is important to be a sensitive person, with some knowledge of Spanish, flexible to learn the native language "Quechua" at least a little for a better communication because most of the old people also speak this language.
Volunteer Tasks:	The Volunteers offer help to the personnel in different areas, caring and motivating the old people. The volunteers also participate and organize activities like gymnastics, entertainment games, etc.
Hosting Situation:	Host family or project
Number of Volunteers:	3
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

CIES – Centro de Investigación, Educación y Servicios	
Project Code: BOL-98	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Health, Education, Development
Aims of project:	The purpose of the CIES is to contribute to the sustainable human development with emphasis in the women, men and adolescents of low economic resources. They develop the model of promotion and assistance in sexual and reproductive health, with a gender, intergenerational and intercultural focus.
Activities of project:	<p>Activities in educational services: To revalue the woman's health, the necessary cares and their relation with the community. To prevent the infections of sexual transmission, the VIH / AIDS and not planned pregnancies, taking care of the health in general. To promote actions for the care of the sexual health and reproductive health. To promote the exercise of the sexual rights and reproductive rights. CIES offers different services and programs such as: Empowering young people, Gender violence, Health mobile units...</p>
Community Context:	Especially population of low income
Volunteer Requirements:	<p>Open mind, patience, respect and love for the care of the health and life. Students or people that work in the health area are also required. Basic Spanish is required.</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>The volunteer will work with others of the medical or administrative staff in different areas related to the orientation and educational support to adolescents about reproductive topics and prevention. Volunteers can also work in a rotation way in the different areas of orientation, prevention, infirmary, etc.</p>
Hosting Situation:	Host family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

MISOL	
Project Code: BOL-99	User ID: Bolivia
Country:	Bolivia
Location (city, town):	Sucre
Area of Project:	Children, Education
Aims of project:	<p>Provide lunch to children and young people of low income families.</p> <p>Train children and youth in coexistence, tolerance and respect.</p> <p>Assist with the needs of low-income people and support poverty reduction.</p> <p>Empowering women the basic tools for learning to read and write.</p>
Activities of project:	<p>School Soup kitchen: lunch is prepared every weekday for children and youth.</p> <p>Sponsors Project - Provide training lectures, educational games and championships to sponsored children on Saturday afternoons.</p> <p>Social Work - Endowment food or medicines to humble people and seniors.</p> <p>Physiotherapy - Provide physiotherapy services to people / patients with different psychomotor or degenerative problems.</p> <p>Empowering Women: Promoting literacy learning for women who had no opportunity to go to school.</p> <p>Training and learning "machine woven"</p> <p>School Support - Support the learning of children and adolescents in primary and secondary school</p>
Community Context:	<p>Children and adolescents aged 7-19 years.</p> <p>And young mothers who had no opportunity to study.</p> <p>Patients with different difficulties and psychomotor of scarce economic resources.</p>
Volunteer Requirements:	<p>Volunteers with patience, enthusiasm who like working with children, adolescents and young mothers in education and in the various project areas are required.</p> <p>Basic Spanish is required.</p>
Volunteer Tasks:	<p>Support children and adolescents with their school learning.</p> <p>Care for children before and during lunch hours.</p> <p>Cooperate in talks training, educational games and organizing competitions for children.</p> <p>Talk to children, listen to them.</p> <p>Support in different areas and activities of the project.</p>

Hosting Situation:	Host Family
Number of Volunteers:	2
Last Modified: 6-Oct-2016	

INTEREST AND PREFERENCE LIST – ICYE BOLIVIA

Dear Exchangee, please read carefully the Bolivian Work Profile so you can complete this form correctly. We will endeavour to provide a satisfactory placement for you with the information you provide to us.

Name:

Country:

Fields of interest (you can cross more than one)

- Babies
- Children
- Youth
- Disabled people
- Female (only for female exchangees)
- NGO/human rights
- Others

Educational background

- Secondary school or equivalent
- College/University – Profession(s):
- Other(s):

Spanish level

- None
- Basic
- Fair
- Good
- Fluent

Name three projects which you are interested in working with:

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IMPORTANT: Your interests and preferences could influence the city in which you will be placed. We cannot guarantee you will work in the exact project of your choice, but we will try our best to secure a project which reflects your interests and preferences as closely as possible.

Date:/...../.....

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Signature

Thank you for taking the time to complete this form. We look forward to welcoming you to Bolivia very soon! – ICYE Bolivia