

Lestari z.s.

Department/division: EDUINDO

Lestari z.s. has been active in the field of biodiversity conservation both in Europe and in Asia for about a decade. Lestari has been a founding organization for the initiation of public discussion about pros and cons of palm oil in the Czech Republic and in 2017 Lestari has organized a set of hearings in the European Parliament regarding the new approach of EU to Indonesia. Lestari has been supported by large grants both from EAZA (European Association of Zoos and Aquariums) and from UCN (International Union for Conservation Nature). Nowadays Lestari has prepared a new project in the field of global environmental education. Selected university students from Europe will get a chance to participate in longtime enviro-English education programmes in rural disadvantaged areas of Sumatra (Indonesia) and contribute to systematical long-term changes in educational models in the province of Banda Aceh. This project is initiated together with University Syiah Kuala and local government.

Position title: Assistant

Position purpose: To take part in environmental teaching and leisure time activities focused on the global climate in Sumatra

Duties and responsibilities:

- Activity 1: Environmental teaching focused on the global climate in Sumatra

temporal frame: 5 days a week

tasks: teaching students at selected schools in the Aceh province to be more responsive to the evolving nature of the concept of sustainable development and the well-being of all three realms of sustainable development, i.e. environment, society and economics and to reflect local needs, perspectives and conditions facilitating achievement of sustainable development; emphasizing the paradigm shift from mere teaching to construction of knowledge envisaged for achieving sustainable development; building capacities in teacher trainees for critical thinking and problem-solving; the following pedagogical methods shall be used: games, nature walks, role play, theatre, individual work, group work, teacher-centered methods and experiments.

- Activity 2: Leading leisure time activities, student clubs

temporal frame: 3 days a week

tasks: introducing students to their nature environment, its values and benefits; introducing students to basic ecological principles in the field to complement their school curricula; increasing student interest in the natural world; listing benefits of their nature environment; explaining several ecological principles; identifying several common plants and animals in their nature environment and their adaptations to the environment; some of the activities will be: drawing or writing about plants and insects around the students' school and home, listing animal life that fed or took shelter in a local tree, constructing a food web, identifying environmental problems and possible solutions.

Qualifications

Field/s of study:

- Sociology and cultural studies

Level of study: bachelor, master

Professional competences:

- Knowledge of development and environmental studies

- Skills in environmental teaching

Key competences/Language skills:

- English – B2 – Upper intermediate (Required)

Key competences/Computer skills:

- Word processing, Spreadsheets, Databases, Presentation – Independent user

Key competences/Other:

- Communication
- Critical and analytical thinking
- Creative thinking
- Planning and organizing
- Teamwork
- Supporting others
- Interpersonal skills
- Intercultural perception
- Responsibility
- Adaptability/flexibility

How to apply

Please send CV and cover letter (in English) to Simona Šafaříková, simona.safarikova@upol.cz, by 16/04/2022 at the latest.

Facts

Economic sector: Other professional, scientific and technical activities

Size: staff 1 to 20

Working language/s: English, Indonesian

Type of work placement: Traineeship

City/Country: Haloban/Indonesia

Earliest start date: 20/05/2022

Latest start date: 10/08/2022

Duration: 2,0 months

Working hours: 40 hours/week

Remuneration:

Financial contribution: 0 EUR/month

Contribution in kind: accommodation

Application

Required application documents: CV, cover letter (in English)