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A Bulletin of Career, Educational, & Re-entry Information & Opportunities for RPCVs

HOT Resources

If you are interested in a position with one of these organizations, contact them ASAP as spots for the summer are filling up fast.

The Experiment in International Living
Phone: 800-345-2929
Web site: <www.usexperiment.org>
This affiliate of World Learning sends students on language training, community service, ecological, and outdoor adventures all over the world. Destinations include Peace Corps host countries: Belize, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Ghana, Kenya, China, Thailand, and Poland.

Visions Service Adventures
Phone: 800-813-9283
Web site: <www.visionsadventure.com>
Trips combine service work with intercultural learning, outdoor adventure, and cooperative living. Summer programs include assignments in the Peace Corps countries of Dominica and the Dominican Republic. French and Spanish fluency often required.

Putney Student Travel
Phone: 800-387-5885
Web site: <www.gopotney.com>
Programs focus on adventure travel, language programs, and community service projects, as well as academic programs abroad. Summer programs operate in a number of Peace Corps countries, including Nepal, Costa Rica, Slovak Republic, Dominican Republic, Tanzania, Ecuador, and Dominica.

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For information on how to place job announcements, contact:
Peace Corps
Returned Volunteer Services
Phone: (202) 692-1430 or (800) 424-8580, ext. 1430
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Fax: (202) 692-1431 or 1421

Summer Adventures Abroad

by Robin Solomon

Program Assistant, Peace Corps Day

Now that you are home from the Peace Corps, how are you going to spend your summer? If you have not already made plans, consider one of the following:

- sleeping in traditional *yurts* on the edge of the Gobi desert;
- planting organic coffee seedlings and trees for habitat restoration in Costa Rica;
- renovating houses and building public parks in the Dominican Republic; or
- improving local water supply systems in Tanzania.

Before jumping to conclusions, let me assure you that this is not an article about returning for another run as a Peace Corps Volunteer, despite the striking similarities to your life as a Volunteer. Instead, the list above describes dynamic summer employment opportunities that returned Peace Corps Volunteers (RPCVs) are uniquely qualified for.

Summer leadership positions working with such organizations as Putney Student Travel, Visions Service Adventures, and the Experiment in International Living give RPCVs an opportunity to lead groups of American high school students to foreign lands where they will engage in purposeful service work and cross-cultural learning. This temporary seasonal employment could help you in the transition between Peace Corps service and a full-time, nine-to-five job in the United States.

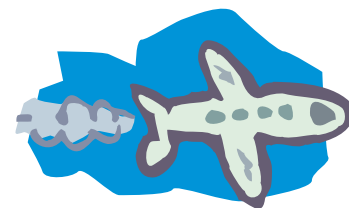
Returning Overseas

Every summer, there is a great demand for highly skilled and specialized people to take on the task of leading American teenagers abroad for language learning and community service.

By traveling and living day-to-day with students, you will serve as a mentor, leader, and counselor. "Staffers wear many hats," explains Joanne Pinaire, director of Visions Service Adventures, based in Newport, Pa. "They are technicians, group leaders, role-models, and friends."

Sharing in community service work, intercultural learning, and recreational activities allows you to encourage new attitudes and awareness in America's youth, many of whom are traveling abroad for the first time. "There is nothing that leaders don't do, from the logistical matters to the harder part of being an inspirational leader for the students," says Tim Weed, the executive director of Excel Programs at Putney Student Travel in Putney, Vt.

As a trip leader, you also facilitate the students' learning experience, provide support, and encourage the personal growth that comes with their experience abroad. You are working with students to broaden their global understanding through a combination of travel abroad and service-learning. "Leaders serve as the prime facilitator and catalyst of personal development, cross-cultural skills, and the inner voyage of the program participants," ex-



plains Spencer Moser (RPCV Benin, 1991-94), outreach coordinator and leadership supervisor with the Experiment in International Living in Brattleboro, Vt.

Utilizing Your Peace Corps Skills

These organizations generally demand a number of qualifications from their trip leaders. Namely, you must have skills working with young people, in-country experience, leadership capabilities, language competency, and an interest in intercultural and experiential learning. In addition, emotional maturity, enthusiasm for service, flexibility, and a sense of humor are crucial. Most leaders have at least a bachelor's degree, and many possess additional specialized skills.

RPCVs already boast many of the required skills for these summer leadership positions. For instance, the in-country experience, language fluency, community service know-how, and technical expertise gained in the Peace Corps transfers easily into such positions.

As a group leader, you are also able to utilize and share the cross-cultural skills that you gained in the Peace Corps. "RPCVs can empathize with program participants because of the cross-cultural sensitivity and awareness they had to develop as Volunteers," explains

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PUBLIC SECTOR

CAMPUS RECRUITER • Salt Lake City, UT

Position available at University of Utah for Spring 2001 and 2002. Duties: works with the Denver Regional Peace Corps office to help coordinate recruitment campaigns on campus, recruit potential PCVs, and increase awareness of Peace Corps on campus. Qualifications: RPCV able to maintain regular office hours (between 10 and 20 hours/wk). For more information, contact Nelson Chase, Peace Corps Regional Manager at: (303) 844-7024 or <nchase@peacecorps.gov>.

HEALTH SPECIALIST • Washington, DC

Position available in mental health with Head Start Bureau. Duties: provides and monitors training, technical assistance, and guidance activities designed to improve Head Start and Early Head Start practices in mental health and the social and emotional development of young children; serves as project officer for interagency and intra-agency agreements, discretionary contracts, and/or grants, designed to strengthen the quality of mental health services for young children and their families; consults and maintains liaison with other agencies and organizations. Contact Jim O'Brien, Head Start Bureau, 2004 Switzer Building, 330 C Street, SW, Washington, DC 20447 or <jobrien@acf.dhhs.gov>; phone: (202) 205-8646; fax: (202) 260-9336.

PROGRAM SPECIALIST • San Francisco, CA

Staff position is available with the USDA Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) in the San Francisco Regional Office. Duties: provides policy guidance and oversight for state offices administering the Food Stamp, WIC, Child Nutrition, and other FNS programs. Qualifications: strong communication skills and analytical/problem solving ability required; related experience helpful but not required; BS degree or specialized work experience for GS-5; additional work experience for GS 7/9/11. Submit résumés or OF-612 applications to: Mavis Buchholz, USDA-FNS, 550 Kearny Street, R. 400, San Francisco, CA 94108; phone: (415) 705-1314; fax: (415) 705-1353; e-mail: <mavis_buchholz@fns.usda.gov>. Deadline: 5/25/01.

CITY PARK WORKER • New York, NY

Positions available with New York Parks and Recreation Department. Duties: work outdoors and beautify parks. Positions start early spring and last at least 7 months. Possibility of continued employment and promotional opportunities. Qualifications: valid driver's license and New York residency; college degree and a commercial driver's license a plus. Salary: \$11.04/hr. Send résumé to: My Future, Personnel, City of New York / Parks and Recreation, 16 West 61st Street, 8th Fl., New York, NY 10023; fax (212) 830-7860.

CAMPUS RECRUITER • Iowa, MN

Positions available at Iowa State University and the University of Minnesota for fall 2001-Spring 2002. Duties: works with the Minneapolis Regional Peace Corps office to help coordinate recruitment campaigns on campus, recruit potential PCVs, and increase awareness of Peace Corps on campus. Qualifications: must be affiliated with the university; RPCV; able to maintain regular office hours (average of 20 hours/week). For more information, contact David Belina, Peace Corps regional manager, at: (612) 348-1480, ext. 230; e-mail: <dbelina@peacecorps.gov>.

CAMPUS RECRUITER • Pittsburgh, PA

Position available Aug. 2001 at the University of Pittsburgh, University Center for International Studies for 20 hours per week. Duties: designs and implements recruitment activities to increase awareness about Peace Corps programs; evaluates applications and conducts personal interviews; maintains working relationship with the New York Regional Office. Qualifications: RPCV enrolled in a graduate program at the University of Pittsburgh; excellent communication skills; initiative and ability to work without close supervision. Compensation: full tuition, fees, health insurance, and monthly stipend. Send letter of interest and résumé to: Glema Burke, University Center for International Studies, 4G33 Posvar Hall, Pittsburgh, PA 15260, fax: (412) 648-7365 or e-mail: <gburke@ucis.pitt.edu>.

CLAIMS EXAMINER • Washington, DC

Multiple entry-level vacancies available with the U.S. Department of Labor. Duties: examine, develop, and adjudicate a variety of claims that involve traumatic and non-traumatic injuries; reviews medical reports and other documents for factual sufficiency and legal correctness; determine and recommend compensation for job-related injuries for benefits under federal workers' compensation laws. Qualifications: one-year experience in adjudicating injury claims or death cases or one full year of graduate education, law school, or a graduate degree. Salary: \$29,966 per annum. Send résumé to: Mrs. Lyons, U.S. Department of Labor/ESA; Room S-3316; 200 Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20210; phone: (202) 693-0260.

PRIVATE SECTOR

*LPN/RN • Dover, DE

Temporary seasonal full-time positions (three months) available with Delmarva Rural Ministries, a nonprofit agency dedicated to providing health care/community services to seasonal migrant farmworkers. Duties: assess, treats, refers, educates clients in general nursing practice/protocol. Qualifications: current valid nursing license; CPT certification; two years of experience in community health; school or family practice setting; reliable transportation; good assessment skills; bilingual (Spanish/English) a plus. Send résumé to: Norma Hunter, Delmarva Rural Ministries, 26 Wyoming Ave., Dover, DE 19904; fax: (302) 678-3652; e-mail: <employment@ldrm.com>.

WILDERNESS INSTRUCTORS • Tallahassee, FL

Positions available with the Hurricane Island Outward Bound School/Southern Programs, a nonprofit organization dedicated to working year-round with at-risk and adjudicated youth in a wilderness, residential, and home setting. Duties: work in the field and in team situations; teach; oversee safety of course. Qualifications: CPR, WFR, and prior experience with teens. All are encouraged to attend an initial training program (occurs four times per year). Programs range from 18 to 30 days in wilderness courses and 180 days in residential settings. Send résumé to: Alyse Ostreicher, Staff Developer, HIOBS, 177 Salem Court, Tallahassee, FL 32301; phone: (850) 414-8816; fax: (850) 922-6721; e-mail: <alyseo@aol.com>; Web site: <members.tripod.com/outward.bound>.

*ENVIRON. OPPORTUNITIES • Worldwide

Positions available with World Wildlife Fund for the following: development associate, program clerk, junior research assistant, and program officer. For more information, please visit: <www.worldwildlife.org>.

*NURSE • Southern Colorado

Positions available with Otero Junior College Migrant Head Start Program. Duties: responsible for the provision of comprehensive health and nutrition services for each enrolled child and family, as well as coordinate health activities within assigned center. Qualifications: current nursing license with no conditions pending; bilingual English/Spanish and community health/pediatric experience preferred. Submit résumé to: Michelle Weaver, Child Development Services, 200 Burshears, La Junta, CO 81050; phone: (719) 384-1091, fax: (719) 384-1096, e-mail: <Michelle.Weaver@OJC.CCOES.EDU>.

*INSTRUCTORS • San Jacinto Mountains, CA

Positions available with Pathfinder Ranch Outdoor Education School, a nonprofit organization affiliated with the Boys and Girls Club of America. Duties: offer classes in freshwater, forest, and animal ecology, entomology, ethnobotany, geology, rock-climbing, canoeing, archery, challenge course, etc.; assist with evening programs, meals, and overall program operation. Qualifications: college degree; teaching experience; ability to teach environmental and recreational subjects. Benefits: \$270-300/week plus room and board. Also inquire about the assistant director position. Starting date: 9/3/01. Send résumé and application to: Julie Faulkner, 35510 Pathfinder Rd. #104, Mountain Center, CA 92561; fax: (909) 659-0351; or e-mail: <oedirector@pathfinderranch.com>; phone (909) 659-2455.

ANALYST • Washington, DC

Position available in loan monitoring with USAID Credit and Investment Office, TCG International LLC. Duties: verifies report and loan compliance; produces statistical utilization reports on active guarantee and loan transactions; performs data entry processing of ledger information on sub-loans; generates correspondence with banks to resolve compliance issues; processes claims. Position includes one to three site visits to partner financial institutions in the countries involved in the MSED program. Qualifications: undergraduate degree in finance/accounting/economics; two to three years of relevant financial analysis or accounting experience; commitment of one year with possible extension. Send résumé and cover letter to Chris Ray via fax at: (202) 667-3035; or e-mail: <ray@thecomunitestgroup.com>.

RANCH POSITION • Townsend, MT

Position available on sheep and cattle ranch ASAP to work with the lambing crew through May. Duties: includes heavy lifting, wrangling, docking, and other ranch work. After lambing finishes in May, the job changes to fencing, irrigating, and haying. Work starts at sunrise and ends at sunset, seven days a week in all kinds of weather and in some of the most spectacular scenery that Montana has to offer. Benefits: \$650 a month plus room and board. For information, contact via e-mail: <kingalls2@juno.com>.

ENVIRON. CONSULTANT • Gaithersburg, MD

Positions available with PRIZIM Inc., a small environmental consulting firm. Duties: assist with projects involving regulatory compliance, pollution prevention, environmental management systems, training, conference management, energy efficiency, desktop publishing and editing, and general mission support. Key clients include small businesses, EPA, NPS, BIA, and FWS. Send résumé, references, and salary requirements to <HRDept@PRIZIM-Inc.com> or by telefax at (301) 840-0139.

***OUTDOOR LEADERS • Waterbury, VT**

Positions available with the Vermont Youth Conservation Corps. Duties: train and supervise small teams of high school and college-age crew members in conservation work and education program; build cohesive teams while completing high priority work projects and facilitating educational activities. Projects include: state park management, trail construction, and watershed restoration in either day or residential settings. Salary: \$320-\$400 per week plus AmeriCorps Educational Scholarship, room and board (depending on position and contract length), and paid staff training. Seasonal positions begin in April, May, and June. Call today for information and application: (800) 639-8922; (802) 241-3699; e-mail: <yccorps@together.net>; Web site: <www.vycc.org>.

COMMUNICATIONS DIR. • Washington, DC

Position available with the office of a national nonprofit organization coordinating a rural community development service delivery network working with communities in all 50 states to acquire safe drinking water, clean wastewater, and solid waste infrastructure. Duties: edits reports, articles, and proposals; produces brochures, newsletters, and a magazine; coordinates material development grants; coordinates with network regional staff. Qualifications: degree in communications or journalism; five years of experience; knowledge of both PC and Apple communication and graphics programs; knowledge of environmental issues preferred. Salary: \$35-45K. Send résumé to: Randy Adams, Executive Director, Rural Community Assistance Program (RCAP), Inc., 1522 K St, NW, Suite 400, Washington, DC 20005; e-mail: <rcap@rcap.org>; fax: (202) 408-8165.

PROGRAM DIRECTOR • Southeast US

Position available with The Land Trust Alliance, the national organization of land trusts. Duties: designs and implements programs to strengthen land trusts in conjunction with partner organizations throughout LTA's eight-state Southeast region (North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, Kentucky, Mississippi, Alabama and Florida); manages the program budget and leads program fundraising in conjunction with other LTA staff; travels frequently throughout the region. The director will be based at a mutually suitable location in the central portion of the region. Interested applicants should mail their résumé to "Southeast Program Director," Land Trust Alliance, P.O. Box 792, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866. Additional information about LTA is available at its Web site: <www.lta.org>.

LOAN SERVICES COUNSELOR • Baltimore, MD

Position available with Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service. Duties: maintains control of delinquent loan accounts; creates adequate payment arrangements; ensures that all activities are within the guidelines of fair debt collection practices act; identifies uncollectible accounts; maintains highest level of customer service towards refugees; provides requested loan information only to borrowers and authorized parties; contacts and counsels refugees regarding the importance of repaying travel loans; tracks delinquent accounts and address changes. Qualifications: high school diploma/GED; some college preferred; strong collections background with proven track record; foreign language a plus. Send cover letter and résumé to: Ann Fries, Mgr., HR, LIRS, 700 Light Street, Baltimore, MD 21230; fax: (410) 230-2882; e-mail: hr@lwr.org; Web site: <www.lirs.org>.

VARIOUS • Eugene, OR

Positions available with Northwest Youth Corps, a nonprofit youth development program. Program director duties: coordinates operations and long-term growth of the organization's four departments. Qualifications: four-year degree; five years of managerial experience with budgetary, marketing, personnel, fundraising emphasis. Salary: mid \$30K-\$40K DOE. Conservation corps leader duties: lead teenage field crews throughout the Pacific Northwest; supervise conservation work crews; teach evening education. Salary: \$68-\$78/day DOE. Please visit the Web site at <www.nwyouthcorps.org> for a complete job description; or e-mail a résumé and cover letter to: <work@nwyouthcorps.org>.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR • Camden, NJ

Position available Aug. 2001 with St. John Community Development Corporation. Duties: helps grow a start-up organization involved in community development and neighborhood revitalization. Qualifications: five years of nonprofit work experience, preferably in the community development field; entrepreneurial aptitude; self-starter; ability to manage multiple projects, form partnerships, and fundraise. Starting salary: low \$ 40s. Send cover letter and résumé to: search Committee, G. U Barry, Inc., 309 Richmond Avenue, South Orange, NJ 07079; fax: (973) 762-6011; e-mail: <GUReply@aol.com>.

PARA-PROFESSIONALS • Stillwater, OK

Two temporary positions available with the Department of Forestry, Oklahoma State University. Duties: assist with fieldwork in western Arkansas and eastern Oklahoma on the Ozark and Ouachita National Forests. Qualifications: requires some forestry academic background. Travel and living expenses paid when working outside the Stillwater area. Salary: \$9 to \$12 per hour. Start and end dates: 8/6/01 to 11/16/01. Send résumé, cover letter, three letters of reference, and transcripts of college work postmarked by 7/7/00 to: Dr. Thomas B. Lynch, Department of Forestry, Ag Hall Room 008C, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK 74078-6013; phone: (405) 744-5447; fax: (405) 744-9693; e-mail: <tlynch@okstate.edu>.

DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANT • Arlington, VA

Position available with Ashoka Innovators for the Public, a global nonprofit organization that identifies and invests in social entrepreneurs, individuals with ideas for pattern-changing social change, in Africa, Asia, Central Europe, US/Canada, and Latin America. Duties: works with the Development Director and staff to coordinate the organization's fundraising activities. Qualifications: undergraduate degree; computer proficiency and excellent written and oral communication skills; some international experience and/or foreign language skills are a plus. See the Web site <www.ashoka.org> for the full job description and application instructions.

TEACHERS • US South

Teaching positions available through Southern Teachers Agency for public and private schools, especially in small, rural districts. Duties: involve typical classroom assignments in all K-12 academic areas. Qualifications: bachelor's degree; teacher certification preferred, but not required. Salary: \$20-40K. Send résumé to: Southern Teachers Agency, 7 Elliewood Ave., Suite 2A, Charlottesville, VA 22903-2603; phone: (804) 295-9122 fax: (804) 295-6448; Web site: <www.southernteachers.com>.

PROGRAM ASSISTANT • Washington, DC

Five program assistant positions available with the Academy for Educational Development, an independent nonprofit service organization committed to addressing human development needs in the United States and abroad. Duties: make logistical arrangements; process and track expenditures; produce materials and literature; maintain resource files and update database; assist with design, writing, and maintenance of Web site. Qualifications: bachelor's degree and minimum two years' administrative experience or equivalent; excellent organizational and communication skills; expertise with word processing and Internet. Salaries from mid to high \$20s. Send résumé and cover letter to: HR/LB, The Academy for Educational Development, 1825 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, DC 20009; fax: (202) 884-8413; Web site: <www.aed.org>.

PROJECT ENGINEER • Pennington, NJ

Position available with WorldWater Corp., a publicly traded water solutions firm specializing in bringing solar technology to developing and emerging countries. Involves both domestic and international components. Duties: designs site-appropriate water and electrification systems; oversees installation of equipment; trains local technicians; manages program administration; generates technical proposals. Qualifications: BS in civil/mechanical/electrical engineering; experience managing water-related programs; at least two years' overseas experience; experience with solar technology, AutoCAD a plus. Salary range: \$35-40K. Please e-mail cover letter and résumé to <jfarrin@worldwater.com> or mail to: Jim Farrin, WorldWater Corp., Pennington Business Park, 55 Route 31 South, Pennington, NJ 08525.

PROGRAM ASSISTANT • Chicago, IL

Summer position available with Chicago Cares, Inc., a nonprofit volunteer service organization that addresses the critical human service, educational, and environmental needs of Chicago. Duties: trains and lead corporate volunteers at projects; determines appropriate types and quantities of supplies needed to accomplish each project; picks up and delivers supplies to project sites. Salary: \$9/hour. Hours: 25-30/week, primarily Wed.-Sat. For more information, go to <www.chicagocares.org> or send résumé to: Shannon Hunt, Project Dev. Manager, Chicago Cares, Inc., 300 W. Adams, Suite 300, Chicago, IL 60302; fax: (312) 780-0801; e-mail: <shannon@chicagocares.org>.

QUALITY DEV. ASSOCIATE • Washington, DC

Position available with Academy for Educational Development. Duties: conduct training and technical assistance (T/TA) in accordance with Head Start Performance Standards. Qualifications: master's in health or related field plus five years of relevant experience; minimum of five years T/TA experience designing training and developing materials; experience training adults to provide services to children and families from varying cultural, economic, and linguistic backgrounds; availability and willingness to travel up to two weeks at a time; bilingual in Spanish and English (strongly preferred). Send résumé with cover letter, salary history, writing sample, and reference to position number V1078wp to: AED/HR, 1825 Conn. Ave, NW WDC 20009; fax: (202) 884-8413; e-mail: <employ@aed.org>; Web site: <www.aed.org>.

***REGISTERED NURSE • Washington, DC**

Position available with Mary's Center for Maternal and Child Care. Duties: conducts post-partum home visits in exciting new home visiting program at nationally recognized health center. Qualifications: knowledge of maternal child health issues and immigrant populations; bilingual Spanish/ English preferred. Salary: \$45-50K. Please fax résumé and cover letter to Katy Gingles, HSI Program Director, Mary's Center, at (202) 797-2628.

***VARIOUS • Worldwide**

Positions available with The Gallup Organization, a leader in the measurement and analysis of people's attitudes, opinions, and behavior. Focus is on helping companies grow by creating new customers and building powerful workplaces for talented employees. Send résumé to: Jami Pogue, The Gallup Organization, 301 S. 68th Street Pl., Lincoln, NE 68510; e-mail: <jami_pogue@gallup.com>; Web site: <<www.gallup.com/employment>>.

SPECIALISTS • LA, AR, and AL

Positions available in waste/water with Community Resource Group, Inc., a nonprofit regional development organization, in its Rural Community Assistance Program division. Duties: provide onsite assistance and training in small communities with public water and wastewater disposal problems and needs, including utility management and operations, financial management, facility development and project financing. Qualifications: experience in PWS management and operation; travel in personal vehicle and PC proficiency required. To obtain job descriptions or apply, send a letter of application (including salary requirements) and résumé to: CRG Inc., 2423 E. Robinson, Springdale, AR 72764; e-mail: <mrrounsavall@crg.org>.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR • Stevens Point, WI

Position available with Native American Enterprise Community, which includes the implementation of a 10-year strategic plan to alleviate poverty in three rural Wisconsin tribal communities. Duties: manages and administers a federally designated Native American Enterprise Community; manages staff; develops and manages budgets, grant writing, planning, and citizen capacity building. Qualifications: BA/BS; business/admin. experience; organizational skills; personal initiative. Mail résumé and three references to: NNEC, 9987 Sand Lake Road, P.O. Box 28, Crandon, WI 54520-0028; e-mail: <nijiji01@newnorth.net>. Call (715) 588-3303, ext. 335, for position description or questions.

PROGRAM SPECIALISTS • New York, NY

Positions available with International Rescue Committee (IRC), a nonprofit agency assisting refugees around the world. Qualifications: university degree; experience in admin. position; proficiency in spreadsheets and word processing; team player; overseas NGO experience; computer skills; French/Spanish preferred. Send résumé and cover letter to: Human Resources, International Rescue Committee, 122 East 42nd St., New York, NY 10618; e-mail: <inge@intrescom.org>.

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR • Washington, DC

Position available at the National Peace Corps Association (NPCA). Duties: develops and implements plans and programs for 12,000 members and 130 affiliate groups; maintains database of members; acts as liaison with groups and board of directors. Qualifications: undergraduate degree, graduate degree preferred; training or experience in association membership; Peace Corps experience (recommended); proficient with computers, database, office software; good communication and organizational skills; experience working with volunteers. Contact: NPCA, 1900 L Street, NW, Suite 205, Washington, DC 20036; fax: (202) 293-7554.

GRANT SPECIALIST • Kansas City, MO

Bilingual position available with Children International, a nonprofit organization. Duties: participates in program development, grant writing and donor contact for both government and private grants. Qualifications: superior writing, analytical, and research skills; prior grant writing and international program development experience a must; fluency in English/Spanish. Send résumé and cover letter to: Children International, 2000 E. Red Bridge Road, Kansas City, MO 64131; fax: (816) 942-3714; e-mail <ericm@cikc.org>; Web site: <www.children.org>.

***CORRESPONDENTS • Various**

Positions available with Weissmann Travel Reports, a provider of worldwide destination information. Duties: work on detailed research about what to see and do in a destination; write up descriptions in a lively, original way. Fact checking is also required. Pay is generally US\$100-\$650, depending on the assignment. To see samples of Weissmann Travel Reports, visit <www.weissmann.com>. If interested, please send an e-mail to <weissmanncorrespondents@cahners.com>. Please put the destination you're inquiring about in the subject line, and include a brief description of your background.

VARIOUS • Brooklyn, NY

Two positions available with CAMBA, a nonprofit organization that provides technical assistance and micro loans to small businesses. Asst. director duties: supervises instructors and case managers; oversees curriculum development and implementation; supervises client flow from assessment throughout the program; manages two small contracts and reports. Job developer duties: assesses and address clients barriers to employment; assists clients in gaining employment by completing job preparation; acts as a liaison between clients and employers; develops a job bank of employers to hire program participants with many different skills, language levels, and American experience. Send cover letter, résumé, and salary history to: CAMBA, Attn: Melissa Mowery, 2211 Church Ave., Room 202, Brooklyn, NY 11226; fax: (718) 282-4858; e-mail: <melissam@2211.camba.org>.

AFRICA TRADE ANALYST • Washington, DC

Position available with the International Executive Service Corps. Duties: manages overall database of U.S. companies interested in doing business with African entrepreneurs; qualifies business opportunity requests from Africa; matches and disseminates requests; follows up with American companies and monitors the requests to ensure prompt responses; facilitates communication between African entrepreneurs and U.S. companies; provides guidance in achieving a successful business transaction. Qualifications: BA in international business or related field; fluency in French; strong organizational skills; detail oriented; at least two years of overseas development experience, preferably in small enterprise development in Africa. Fax cover letter and résumé to: Nischal Patel, (202) 216-3526; e-mail: <npatel@usgtn.org>.

VARIOUS • Arlington, VA

Positions available with the Pharmaceutical Education & Research Institute (PERI), a nonprofit pharmaceutical training organization. Training course manager duties: recruits speakers; coordinates content, materials, and promotion of 20-30 training programs annually. Qualifications: strong organizational, communication, and project management skills; ability to analyze and solve problems; proficiency with MS Office; teamwork and flexibility a must; some travel required; degree required. Registration manager duties: registers participants and provides excellent customer service. Qualifications: experience with data management/databases (Access); customer service; data entry; accounting procedures; MS Word and Excel; degree preferred. Located two blocks from Rosslyn Metro. Fax or e-mail résumé with cover letter and salary requirements to: Attn. PCI, fax: (703) 276-0069; e-mail: <HR@peri.org>.

ORGANIC FARMERS • Upper Marlboro, MD

Positions available on a vegetable farm run jointly by the Chesapeake Bay Foundation and the Capital Area Food Bank. Duties: plant, weed, harvest, and distribute to member-families and Anacostia Farmers' Market. Qualifications: enjoys hard work; desire to learn farming. Full- or part-time. Salary: \$50/day. No housing available on farm (but 30 minutes from Washington, D.C.). For more information, call (301) 627-4662 for interview; Web site: <www.clagettfarm.org>.

TEMP. ASSISTANT • Washington, DC

Position (June - Sept.) available at national nonprofit land conservation organization. Duties: assists with conference registration. Qualifications: good phone,

HOT! OPPORTUNITIES

INTERNATIONAL YOUNG PROFESSIONALS SUMMIT • Australia

Join young delegates under the age of 35 from around the world to discuss and resolve global issues. The IYPS is Oct. 2-6, 2001 in Brisbane. Selected delegates will attend the summit and propose pilot projects for their region. The summit will focus on four themes (poverty, social capital, environment, and sustainability) and nine action areas. Students and professionals welcome. Sponsorships for summit and travel welcome and available. Check Web site to register online or to join discussion groups. Contact Stacy Fehlenberg, North American regional facilitator, <stacyfehlenberg@yahoo.com>; Web site: <www.iyps.org>.

organizational, and computer skills; reliable; database experience a plus. Salary: \$15/hour, 40hrs/week for 14 weeks. Send cover letter and résumé to: Land Trust Alliance, attn: Lara Mangan, 1331 H Street, NW, Washington, DC 20005, fax: (202) 638-4730; Web site: <www.lta.org>.

INTERNATIONAL

FARM MANAGER • Dominican Republic

Position available with environmentally conscious farm in the D.R. promoting biodiversity and community-wide ecologically sound agriculture. Duties: manages farm; directs nonprofit sustainable organic shade-grown coffee farm. Qualifications: ability to develop aggressive growth plan to create profitable farm venture to support educational foundation; experience and strong commitment to sustainable agriculture/community development/social justice; excellent leadership/management/communication skills; financial management training/experience; two years of international field experience (LAC region preferred); fluent Spanish (S4/R4); master's or equivalent in agriculture, business administration, or marketing. Send CV, cover letter, and salary history to: Cafe Alta Gracia, 758 Sheep Farm Road, Weybridge, VT 05753 or <cafealtagracia@earthlink.net>.

DEPUTY PROJECT MGR • Jakarta, Indonesia

Position available with International Foundation for Election Systems (IFES). Duties: oversees administration, office management, and financial reporting of the IFES programs in democracy-building, civic education, legal reform, and civil society support to Indonesia. Qualifications: experience in administration, management, contracts, procurement and financial reporting; international management experience required with SE Asian Regional work preferred; knowledge of USAID and international multilateral regulations and procedures needed. Please send résumés: IFES (130-J), 1101 15th Street, NW, 3rd Floor, Washington, DC 20005; fax: (202) 452-0804; e-mail: <recruit@ifes.org>; Web site: <www.ifes.org>.

PROGRAM MGR/FINANCE DIR. • Bosnia

Position available with Catholic Relief Services. Duties: provides overall management of CRS/Bosnia financial systems to meet management needs and ensure compliance with CRS and donor requirements. Qualifications: three years of experience in accounting in overseas development programs; ability to manage financial resources; technical expertise in financial systems; knowledge of USG and other reporting and program standards/compliance issues; degree in Accounting, CPA preferred; English and French, Spanish or Portuguese language proficiency required. Send cover letter and résumé with salary requirements by e-mail: <CRS@rpc.webhire.com> or fax: 800-383-0969. Must include source code PEAC and Req. No.: 100129.

HEALTH SPECIALISTS • Kosovo

Positions available with Relief International (RI) for junior-senior level openings as Ob/Gyns, nurse-midwives, and psychosocial specialists in its MCH training program, including safe motherhood, antenatal and childcare, high-risk management, family planning/contraceptive technology, STD prevention and treatment and SGBV. Positions include paid and volunteer assignments. Qualifications: two years minimum of international experience, including training program management; conceptual, problem-solving

and writing skills; ability to work independently and in teams; flexibility and leadership, and; interpersonal and intercultural skills. Please e-mail résumé, letter of interest (indicate preference: paid and/or volunteer assignment) and three professional references: <HR@ri.org> (preferred); fax: (310) 572-7790; Web site: <www.ri.org>.

*POPULATION FELLOWS • Worldwide

The Population Fellows Programs offer two-year professional fellowships to individuals with graduate degrees in population, environment, and development-related areas. Population Fellows are placed with organizations working to improve family planning and reproductive health programs in the developing world. Population-Environment Fellows work on projects that combine assistance for threatened environments with attention to the population dynamics and reproductive health needs of the communities living within them. Fellows receive a professional-level stipend and benefits. Please contact: The Population Fellows Programs, University of Michigan, 1214 South University, 2nd Floor, Ann Arbor, MI 48104-2548; phone: (734) 763-9456; fax: (734) 647-0643; e-mail: <pop.fellows@umich.edu> or <popenv@umich.edu>; Web site: <www.sph.umich.edu/pfps>.

RESEARCH ANALYST • US Virgin Islands

Position available at the University of the Virgin Islands. Duties: conducts research on tilapia production; assists with ongoing aquaponics research projects; supervises a water quality analyst; maintains research facilities; writes grants and other related duties. Qualifications: master's degree in aquaculture and successful work experience in area of research dealing with tilapia culture systems; knowledge of aquaculture literature; good writing ability and experience with training, extension and construction desirable. Salary: \$28-43K. Send letter of application, up-to-date résumé, three letters of recommendation, and college transcripts by 5/18/01 to: James Rakocy, Director, University of the Virgin Islands, RR2 Box 10,000, Kingshill, St. Croix, USVI 00850.

COUNTRY DIRECTOR • Cambodia

Position available with Food for the Hungry International (FHI), a Christian relief and development organization working in over 20 countries worldwide. This position is FHI's chief representative and manages all programs and personnel. Qualifications: minimum of two to three years of previous program management experience, preferably in SE Asia; educational background related to international relief and development; bi-lingual (this may be worked towards via on-going training); understanding of basic accounting and management practices; proven ability in funding, proposal writing, and contacts with major donors. Résumés/CVs must be sent by e-mail (please use MS Word for attachments) to <dvogt@fhi.net>. Closing date: June 30.

EDUCATION

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY • Washington, DC

The Community/Public Health Advanced Nurse Specialist Program prepares nurses for advanced practice in community-based care of vulnerable people. The curriculum is designed to develop theoretical, clinical, and cultural competence in the design, delivery, and evaluation of population-based health programs; case-finding and preventative health

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Moser. "RPCVs can serve as role-models in this, having dealt with similar situations."

Professional Gains

In addition to the monetary compensation (all of your travel expenses are generally covered, usually accompanied by a stipend), there are many professional advantages to taking on such a position.

Professionally, leadership in these service-learning programs abroad enhances your skills in management, activity coordination, and budget oversight. Generally, as a trip leader, you also serve as an in-country liaison between program administrators and the travelers. "It's an opportunity to sharpen your teeth professionally," says Pinaire.

As Weed of Putney Student Travel explains, "Group leaders gain a number of professional skills. For one, the responsibility of a group leader is enormous, having to deal with a large budget, safety, and security. Also, leaders gain specific skills in field leadership and experiential education, but the broader leadership skills acquired can be applied to any job. It is a good jumping-off point for developing professional leadership skills."

Making the Transition

Whether you can return to your Peace Corps country of service or employ the language and technical skills you gained from the Peace Corps in another country, these programs are ideal ways to ease into the professional world once your Peace Corps service is over.

Moser led four groups—two to Ghana and two to Kenya—with the Experiment in International Living during the summers between graduate study following his Peace Corps service. "As a group leader, I was able to combine my interest and desire to be in West Africa with my educational and professional interests in international education," he explains.

Besides the professional transition, there is also an element of personal readjustment that is facilitated by this opportunity abroad. "After Peace Corps Volunteers undergo the personal experience of change and growth that comes along with Peace Corps service, it is a healthy psychological step to share this experience with others," says Weed.

The third goal of the Peace Corps urges RPCVs to strengthen Americans' understanding about the world and its peoples, and leading high school abroad is an ideal way to accomplish this. "RPCVs serving as group leaders take the third goal of the Peace Corps back overseas and then return home with it again, this time as a driving force to help young peoples' understanding of the world," explains Moser.

In an experience beyond simply touring or sightseeing, you can guide teens in their discoveries of similarities and differences between themselves and others around the world. It is an opportunity to "bring the world back home" by sharing a little of what you learned in the Peace Corps.

services. The framework integrates public and community health concepts related to the care of mothers, children, and adults and addresses public and private health care safety nets. Scholarships available. Apply now for summer and fall classes. Discounted tuition in summer. Contact: Sr. Rosemary Donley, PhD, ANP, FAAN, The Catholic University of America; phone: (202) 319-6462; e-mail: <collinsl@cua.edu>.

***AMERICAN UNIVERSITY • Washington, DC**

The International Training and Education Program gives special consideration to RPCVs for their volunteer experience. This multidisciplinary master's degree program through the Department of Sociology is designed to prepare students for careers in international development, development education, grassroots community development, nonformal and adult education, consulting, training activities, program design and evaluation, global and multicultural education, and foreign student affairs. For more information, contact: Dr. Wendy Bokhorst-Heng, International Training and Education Program, American University, Dept. of Sociology, 4400 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20016-8072; phone: (202) 885-3723; e-mail: <itep@american.edu>; Web site: <www.american.edu/cas/sociology/itep>.

ANTIOCH UNIVERSITY • Seattle, WA

The Antioch Center for Creative Change offers interdisciplinary graduate studies in Environment & Community (MA), Management (MS), Whole System Design (MA), and Organizational Psychology (MA). Serving as an integrated model of graduate education, each program maintains its distinctive identity but shares its expertise with the others, allowing students and faculty to cross boundaries in their research, coursework, projects, and internships. Applications for summer quarter program admissions and enrollment for Permaculture Design Certificate Course being accepted. For information, contact Jean Joichi, (206)-268-4208 or visit <www.antiochsea.edu/center/index.html>.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON • Seattle, WA

The Evans School of Public Affairs at University of Washington offers a Master's in Public Administration that is designed for present and future leaders of the public and nonprofit sectors. The program emphasizes broad-based public policy analysis and management knowledge while students pursue one or more specialized policy fields. Emphasis areas include: international affairs, environmental policy, education, and social policy. There is also a certificate program in international development policy and management. For more information, contact: Evans School of Public Affairs, 109 Parrington Hall, Box 353055, University of Washington, Seattle, WA 98195-3055; phone: (206) 543-4900; Web site: <evans.washington.edu>; e-mail: <mpaadmit@u.washington.edu>.

***UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN • Madison, WI**

Prepare for careers outside of academia requiring a strong knowledge of French, communication, and cross-cultural analysis skills through the Professional French Masters Program (PFMP). All PFMP students take classes in French language and culture within the French Department, completed by coursework in the department of a chosen area: business, education, European Union affairs, international development, or media/arts/cultural production. PFMP students can earn a 20-credit professional graduate certificate or a 30-credit Professional Master of French Studies degree.

Students also do a professional internship abroad, in a business or organization directly related to the student's chosen concentration area. For information, contact: <mdeitz@facstaff.wisc.edu>; Web site: <www.wisc.edu/pfmp>.

***MS TEACHER CORPUS • University, MS**

The Mississippi Teacher Corps is a two-year program that offers the following benefits for those who are willing to teach in a critical teacher shortage area in Mississippi for two years: free tuition for a master's degree in education, stipend for books, free laptop computer, and tremendous support. The master's degree will be completed during the two years of teaching. For more information, call 800-884-7606; Web site: <www.olemiss.edu/programs/mtc>.

***THE HELLER GRAD. SCHOOL • Waltham, MA**

Offering a Master's Program in Health and Human Services Management, combining cutting-edge management training and social policy analysis for graduates to design effective programs and lead organizations into the future. The Master of Management and MBA (human services) are offered on a full- and part-time basis and begin in June. Students can concentrate in a number of policy areas, including health, child, youth and family services, and services for elders and people with disabilities. Heller also offers a Ph.D. in social policy. RPCVs are entitled to waive the \$50 application fee. For more information, please call Heller Admissions at (800) 279-4105, or e-mail: <HellerAdmissions@brandeis.edu>; Web site: <heller.brandeis.edu>.

LEADERSHIP PROGRAM • Nationwide

The Knowledge is Power Program (KIPP) is seeking innovative school leaders to apply for the Fisher School Leadership Program; a one year intensive school leadership and management training program designed to equip dedicated teachers who are interested in starting their own school with the necessary tools to succeed in leading and managing their own KIPP Network School. As a Fisher Fellow, you would receive invaluable leadership and management training at the Haas School of Business at Berkeley, school start-up assistance and technical support, and a \$45,000 stipend during the 2001-2002 school year. Travel costs and housing expenses are included. Qualifications: bachelor's degree; teaching experience in grades K - 12. Visit the Web site at: <www.kipp.org> for further information or to download an application.

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BICYCLE REPAIR INSTRUCTOR • Ghana

Position available with Institute for Transportation and Development Policy, an international nonprofit dedicated to sustainable transportation. Duties: trains teachers, farmers and students in bicycle repair; monitors the poverty alleviation impacts of bicycles; manages program budget and Ghanaian staff; writes reports. Qualifications: bike repair skills; experience in development work; ability to start by May 15 with a two-month minimum commitment. Small stipend. Send résumé to: David Peckham, c/o KGSF, Box 77, Denu, V/R Ghana; e-mail: <ghanabikes@hotmail.com>.

***CONSERVATION ASSOCIATES • Naples, FL**

Positions available through The Conservancy of SW Florida. Naples Nature Center: environmental policy, land acquisition, Museum of Natural History, summer day camp, school programs, and wildlife rehabilitation

clinic. Briggs Nature Center: environmental interpreters. Positions are available on a rotating basis. Applicants must be at least a junior in college or graduates with a background in biology, conservation, wildlife, research, teaching, elementary education, environmental education/science, marine, or related fields. For information, Request an application from Sharon Truluck, Human Resources Director, The Conservancy of Southwest Florida, 1450 Merrihue Drive, Naples, FL 34102; phone: (941) 403-4213; e-mail: <humanresources@conservancy.org>.

ENV. ED. INTERNS • Chevy Chase, MD

Summer internships available with The Audubon Naturalist Society. Duties: help lead groups of 16 children in outdoor-based programs covering a variety of natural history and environmental topics. Sessions run 6/26 thru 8/24. Qualifications: previous experience teaching children; basic knowledge of biology and natural history; First Aid and CPR certification; enthusiasm for the outdoors; \$200/week stipend; housing available. Send cover letter and résumé to: Children's Program Coordinator, Audubon Naturalist Society, 8940 Jones Mill Road, Chevy Chase, MD 20815; e-mail: <jhuff@audubonnaturalist.org>; fax: (301) 951-7179.

ESL VOLUNTEERS • Arlington, VA

Part-time positions (10-20 hrs/week) available with the Arlington Education and Employment Program (REEP), a multi-faceted English as a Second Language Program for limited English-speaking immigrant and refugee adults. Afternoon and evening positions are available beginning 5/7/01. Salary: \$19.63/hour plus limited benefits. If interested in evening work, send résumé to: Kathleen Reich, Coordinator, REEP, 2801 Clarendon Blvd., Room 218, Arlington, VA 22201; e-mail: <kreich@arlington.k12.va.us>; fax: (703) 527-6966.

***PROGRAM RESIDENTS • Berkeley, CA**

Positions available with Odiyan Center, Buddhist Country Retreat Center on 1,100 acres. The center has been under development for more than 20 years to create an environment for the preservation of Tibetan Buddhist texts, art, architecture, and culture. Learn new and expand existing skills while participating in creating a historic expression of art based on original Tibetan Buddhist sculpture. Residents live in a courtyard complex surrounding the main temple. Small living stipend is provided. Duties: work on all phases of steel construction, sculpting, mold making, casting, and finishing. Contact: Iris Maitland, Odiyan Office, 2425 Hillside Ave., Berkeley, CA 94704; phone: (510) 843-6771; fax: (510) 845-7540; e-mail: <irismaitland@MSN.com>.

MENTOR • Arlington, VA

Positions available with the Ethiopian Community Development Council's Multicultural Community Services Office. Volunteers would act as a reference to help answer questions, achieve self-sufficiency, increase conversational English skills, as well as provide friendship. A great way to assist newly arrived refugees from Africa, the Middle East, and the Balkans. For more information, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator at (703) 685-0510, ext.222, or <ecdevolunteer@yahoo.com>.

VARIOUS • Chicago, IL

Positions available with the Marjorie Kovler Center for the Treatment of Survivors of Torture, a nonprofit organization that provides mental health, medical,



and a wide variety of supportive social services to survivors of state-sponsored torture from more than 40 countries on four different continents. The center is one of 23 treatment centers in the United States specifically working with survivors of torture. Volunteer clinicians work one-on-one with survivors and gain valuable experience through monthly clinical meetings that emphasize training and collaboration with clinicians from fields such as social work, psychology, physical therapy, occupational therapy, massage therapy, and psychiatry. Call Ken Surdin (773) 271-6573; or send résumé to: Marjorie Kovler Center, 4750 N. Sheridan Avenue, Suite #300, Chicago, IL 60640.

PEACE CORPS' FELLOWS

*WESTERN ILLINOIS U. • Macomb, IL

Western Illinois University is seeking RPCVs for Fall 2001 and Spring 2001 enrollment in their Fellows/USA Program in rural community development leading to a master's degree. Academic programs include: MBA, economics, community health and health services management, geography (rural and regional planning), political science (public administration), and recreation, park, and tourism administration. Fellows spend one year assigned to a rural community working full-time on a variety of community development projects. Fellows receive a graduate assistantship during campus coursework, and a monthly stipend during the community internship. Contact: Carolyn Lawrence, Illinois Institute for Rural Affairs, 503 Currens Hall, Western Illinois University, One University Circle, Macomb, IL 61455; phone: 800-526-9943; fax (309) 298-2142; e-mail: <CA-Lawrence@wiu.edu>; Web site: <www.iira.org/fellows>.

NORTHERN ARIZONA U. • Flagstaff, AZ

The Peace Corps Fellows/USA Program at Northern Arizona University is accepting applications for its next cohort of students beginning Summer 2001. Students in this program will teach as full-time, salaried instructors in elementary or secondary school classrooms on one of three Reservations in Arizona during the school year while taking courses leading to Arizona Teacher Certification and/or a Master's degree in education. Fellows attend classes full-time at Northern Arizona University during the summers, and part-time through distance education while they are teaching to work toward certification and/or master's degrees. Participating school districts will provide partial tuition assistance for Fellows while they are under contract. Application information can be obtained from Joann Wood, (520) 523-9316, or by e-mail <joann.wood@nau.edu> or by mail: Peace Corps Fellows Program, Box 5774, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ 86011.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON • Eugene, OR

Resource Assistance for Rural Environments (RARE), a Peace Corp's Fellows/AmeriCorps Program, is accepting applications for January 2001 placements. Deadline for applications is 11/10/00. RARE participants assist in the development and implementation of projects relating to community and economic development, watershed and natural resource planning, policy coordination, and delivery of social services in Oregon's rural communities. Living stipend and medical insurance are provided. Participants are eligible to receive an educational award of \$4,725 upon completion of service. Write

Crisis Corps in Need of Volunteers to Assist El Salvador in Earthquake Reconstruction Efforts and Work On HIV/AIDS Activities In Africa

Crisis Corps is recruiting Volunteers to aid El Salvador in earthquake recovery and reconstruction efforts. RPCVs must have experience in Latin America (preferably Central America). Volunteers have been requested to work with the Cooperative Housing Foundation (CHF) and Project Concern International (PCI). Assignments are for six months, with a minimum three-month commitment. Excellent Spanish skills are required. Start date: as soon as possible.

Assignments include: 1. CHF construction facilitator (experience in general construction, roofing and/or carpentry); 2. CHF logistics facilitator (experience in logistics, commodity tracking, and inventory control); and 3. PCI project coordinators (experience in water and sanitation—potable water, latrines, and wells; logistics; community development; and construction).

HIV/AIDS Africa Assignments in Kenya, Malawi, and Zambia

The following assignments require previous African work experience, a six-month commitment starting from late May to mid June, and HIV/AIDS work/volunteer experience. Country or local language preferred for all assignments. Additional qualifications listed.

Kenya: 1. materials development volunteer (communications degree and several years of experience developing training materials); 2. income generation specialist (business degree and experience in small enterprise development/ income generation); 3. field coordinator volunteers (two years of community and NGO development experience).

Malawi: 1. HIV/AIDS life skills volunteer (experience in teaching life skills programs to youth and community groups); 2. home-based care advisor/trainer volunteer (health degree and experience caring for AIDS patients—also intermediate Chichwa required).

Zambia: 1. NGO development and health training volunteers (experience in training and NGO development); 2. workplace HIV/AIDS educator (health education degree and experience in workplace health education); 3. agricultural and behavior change education volunteer (agricultural work experience); 4. monitoring and evaluation volunteer (MPH and biostatistics and research experience, in addition to community experience).

RPCVs interested in these assignments should submit an application and résumé to the Crisis Corps. An application form and additional information about each position can be downloaded from the Crisis Corps Web site at: <www.peacecorps.gov/crisiscorps>; or call 800-424-8580, ext. 2250; or e-mail: <crisiscorps@peacecorps.gov>.

to: RARE Opportunities, 1209 University of Oregon, Eugene OR, 97403; phone (541) 346-2879; email: <rare@darkwing.uoregon.edu>; Web site: <darkwing.uoregon.edu/~rare>.

AMERICORPS/VISTA

SPECIALISTS, ORGANIZERS • Kansas City, MO

Positions available as community development/youth environmental education specialist and organizers with Bridging The Gap and Keep Kansas City Beautiful, both nonprofit organizations dedicated to environmental education and community revitalization. Duties: support project planning that strengthens community partnerships; raise awareness for environmental health issues; improve neighborhood livability; build community ownership. Qualifications: excellent oral and written communications skills; experience in community-based or nonprofit work;

experience with youth and environmental education helpful. Send résumé to: Elizabeth Fischer, Bridging The Gap, PO Box 10220, Kansas City, MO 64171; e-mail: <elizabeth@bridgingthegap.org>; phone: (816) 561-1087; fax: (816) 561-1091.

LEADER • Lewiston, ME

Position available with Maine Campus Compact, a coalition of 19 colleges and universities established to encourage and enhance campus engagement in the community. Duties: provides support and training for a team of VISTAs involved in building campus-community partnerships; develops service learning, community service, and literacy initiatives focusing on anti-poverty. Benefits include: living allowance, health insurance, and post-service education award or stipend. To apply, send résumé, cover letter, and four references to: Maine Campus Compact, 220 College St. #2, Lewiston, ME 04240. For more information, contact

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New Career Books

If you're in the Career Center at Peace Corps headquarters, you may want to check out the new display set up by Returned Volunteer Services which features over 20 new career titles to help you with your job search.

Happy reading!

April Career Event

What:
Cynthia Way, a personal and professional coach and workshop leader, presents a snapshot view of the 8- to 10-week program "Learn to Fly: Realizing Your Potential." This professional development program, which is being offered through Georgetown University's School for Summer and Continuing Education, presents a holistic approach to creating fulfillment in all areas of your life during transitions.

When:
April 18, 2001, 12 noon-1:30 p.m.

Where:
Peace Corps, 1111 20th St., NW
Shriver Conference Room B
Washington, D.C. 20526

For more information, please contact Elvira May, RVS, at (202) 692-1445.

Carla Ganiel by phone at (207) 786-8392 or e-mail at <cganiel@bates.edu>.

VOLUNTEERS • Seattle, WA
Positions available with the Fremont Public Association to serve full-time for one year. An eight-week summer program is also available. Duties: work with troubled teens, help the elderly or disabled, or teach children to read, while earning a modest monthly living allowance, an education award, and benefits. Call (206) 675-3200 or visit the Web site at <www.fremontpublic.org> for more information and an application.

VISTA LEADER • St. Paul, MN
Positions available for one year through the Minnesota Housing Partnership (MHP) to provide support for 30 VISTAs working statewide to address the need for affordable housing. Duties: recruits and selects VISTAs; develops training activities and support systems. Qualifications: one year of VISTA or two years as a PCV; excellent communications skills; knowledge of housing issues; and organizational development in a nonprofit environment. Benefits: living allowance of \$950 plus educational award (\$4,725) or cash stipend (\$2,400). Send résumé and two references to: Carrie Monroe, MHP, 1821 University Avenue West, S-137, St. Paul, MN 55104; phone: 800-728-8916, ext. 119; e-mail: <cmonroe@mhponline.org>.

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