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For Returned Volunteers /
From the Office of Domestic Programs

Hot Resources

Highlights

Public Administration Career Event

November 29 to December 1, 2006

This event will be held at
Paul D. Coverdell
Peace Corps Headquarters
1111 20th Street NW
Washington, DC 20526

Visit

www.peacecorps.gov/rpcv/events
for event updates.

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800.424.8580, ext. 1430
E-mail: hotline@peacecorps.gov
Fax: 202.692.1421

How can I stay connected to the Peace Corps?

There are many ways to stay connected.

Assist with recruiting potential Volunteers or share your PCV experience during Peace Corps Week

Update your contact information and learn more at

www.peacecorps.gov/index.cfm?shell=resources_former.helpus

Special Issue: Serving with Crisis Corps



Crisis Corps: Continued Service Through Relief and Response

Over the past 10 years the Crisis Corps program has grown and evolved in response to world events and the changing needs of Peace Corps posts and their partners. The first Crisis Corps Volunteers served in Central Asia and the Caribbean. Since then, more than 1000 Crisis Corps Volunteers (CCVs) have served in over 40 countries.

In the first three years, both Paraguay and Guinea had large Crisis Corps programs. In Paraguay, volunteer work focused on humanitarian relief as a result of major flooding. At the same time, the Crisis Corps sent teams of volunteers to the forest region of Guinea-Conakry to help major NGOs deal with a massive influx of refugees from wars in neighboring Liberia and Sierra Leone. Ten years later, the Guinea program still ranks as the 3rd largest in Crisis Corps history.

The second largest occurred in 1999 as Hurricane Mitch battered Honduras, Guatemala, and Nicaragua. At the invitation of the Peace Corps posts in each of the countries, the Crisis Corps geared up for a major initiative

that would last for three years and include more than 150 volunteers serving in a variety of capacities all focused on the reconstruction effort. One extraordinary assignment included a volunteer who served as a heavy construction machinery operator. He, along with a crew of Host Country Nationals, moved along the Honduran coastline repairing roads, washed out sections of the coastline, and helping locals remove dangerous debris from the storm.

From 2001 through 2004, the Crisis Corps focused largely on the HIV/AIDS epidemic with nearly 80% of volunteer assignments working in the sector. The largest programs include Malawi, Zambia, Kenya, and Namibia.

In a two year project that began in 2005, the Crisis Corps played the lead role in Peace Corps' response to the tsunami that struck South East Asia, sending over 70 volunteers to Thailand and Sri Lanka to support post-tsunami rebuilding efforts.

In September of 2005, Peace Corps secured a mission assignment from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to provide

Crisis Corps Volunteers to support the emergency relief efforts in the Gulf Coast region. 272 Volunteers were deployed to help survivors in Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Texas. This historic endeavor marked the first time Peace Corps has deployed in the United States.

Crisis Corps Volunteers work in five main program areas including:

- Humanitarian Response
- HIV/AIDS (including PEPFAR/Emergency Plan Programming)
- Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation
- Natural Disaster Relief and Reconstruction
- Post Conflict Relief and Reconstruction

As Crisis Corps looks forward to the coming year, we will be searching for many more qualified candidates to return to service. To apply for the Crisis Corps, see our online application at www.peacecorps.gov/crisiscorps.

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PUBLIC SECTOR

SCHOOL NURSE CONSULTANT • Boulder, CO

Position available with Boulder Valley School District. Duties: works 10 months/year in school environment identifying and assessing health concerns; supervises unlicensed personnel and overseeing mandated school programs at six to eight schools as a consultant. Qualifications: BSN with active Colorado RN license; three to five years' school nurse, pediatric, or community health experience preferred; current Colorado special services license from CDE; current Colorado driver's license. For more information and to apply, visit www.bvnsd.org; address: Human Resources Division, Education Center, 6500 East Arapahoe, Boulder, CO.

AQUACULTURE OUTREACH SPECIALISTS •

Stevens Point, Madison, and Bayfield, WI

Positions available with University of Wisconsin (UW) Extension and the Northern Aquaculture Demonstration Facility (NADF). Positions are one year appointment with possible renewal based on funding. Duties: conduct aquaculture research; provide outreach and consultation; plan, implement, and evaluate educational programs; develop an aquaculture minor at UW-Stevens Point; improve aquaculture education opportunities in WI schools; create multimedia educational materials. Qualifications: BA with significant years of experience involving hands-on fish hatchery or farm production of cold water or cool water fish, including

yellow perch, walleye or various salmonid species required; ability to develop, teach, and evaluate educational programs; applied aquaculture research skills; ability to obtain grants required; MA with experience preferred. For more information and to apply, visit www.uwex.edu/ces/hr.

COMMUNITY COORDINATOR • Clovis, CA

Position available with Yosemite Institute and WildLink, a wilderness education program in Yosemite National Park. Duties: supports WildLink alumni in the completion and documentation requirements of the wilderness ambassador project; helps with special events. Qualifications: creativity and independence required; experience with culturally diverse populations; experience in the wilderness; education experience. Salary: \$17,750 for nine months, full benefits, and \$2000 travel budget. For more information and to apply, phone Mandy Vance at 209.372.0607; e-mail: mandy_vance@partner.nps.gov.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE • Bethel, AK

Position available with the Bethel Regional Public Health Center and the State of Alaska Division of Public Health. Duties: performs public health nursing core functions and essential services. Qualification: BSN. Benefits include relocation assistance. E-mail cover letter and résumé to Timothy_Struna@health.state.ak.us; phone: 906.543.2110; fax: 907.543.0435.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR • Jamestown, NY

Position available with Cornell Cooperative Extension, Chautauqua County. Duties: responsible for strategic, operational, and fiscal management.

Qualifications: MA with a concentration in education, public administration, community services, or business management required; six years' related experience. Deadline: 10/25/2006. Send cover letter and résumé to PA#419, Box 26 Kennedy Hall, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14853.

PRIVATE SECTOR

SENIOR PROGRAM OFFICER • DC

Position available with PACT, Inc. Duties: manages a range of duties related to the NGO grants competition, award and grant monitoring, associate award country-level program development, and backstopping; provides technical assistance to country programs and grantees. Duties: minimum eight years' relevant experience with the U.S. government (USAID preferred); minimum three years' experience working with contracts or grants programs. For more information, visit www.pactworld.org or <http://recruitment.pactworld.org/apply>. E-mail cover letter and résumé to dreilly@pacthq.org; fax: 202.466.5669.

DATA PROCESSING SPECIALIST • Calverton, MD

Position available with ORC Macro. Duties: responsible for programming, installing, and maintaining computer applications for data entry, editing, and imputation. Qualifications: extensive travel to developing countries required; minimum BA/BS in computer science, statistics, demography, health, or related field required; strong programming skills required; good understanding of statistics and data structures; population survey experience; French skills preferred. E-mail résumé with subject heading "Job Code: DPS/SB" to hrb@orcmacro.com.

VICE PRESIDENT • New York City

Position available with Girl Scouts of the USA. Duties: provides vision, leadership, and direction to the Global Girl Scouting unit; ensures the seamless integration that leads to the creation of a state-of-the-art global organization while ensuring that the same high level of services is provided throughout the transition process. For more information and to apply, visit www.girlscouts.org/careers.

PROGRAM OFFICER • DC

Position available with, American Councils for International Education: ACTR/ACCELS. Duties: provides program administration. For more information, visit www.americancouncils.org. Send cover letter, résumé, and salary requirements to Human Resource Department, American Councils, 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, Suite 700, Washington, D.C. 20036; fax: 202.872.9178 or 202.833.7523; e-mail: resumes@americancouncils.org.

HOT! OPPORTUNITIES

PEACE CORPS RECRUITER • Chicago

Temporary position with the Peace Corps Chicago Regional Recruiting Office. This is a 12 week position that begins 1/2007. Duties: assists other recruiters with conducting recruitment campaigns on college campuses; promotes Peace Corps at speaking engagements; prepares campaign promotional materials. Qualifications: excellent oral and written communications; initiative and ability to work independently; proficient in MS Office; able to maintain a 40-hour work week; some travel required; must be an RPCV. Salary: \$18/hour. Deadline: 11/17/2006. E-mail cover letter and résumé to Virginia Koch at vkoch@peacecorps.gov; phone: 312.353.9091.

COMMUNICATION ASSOCIATE • MD

Position available with Johns Hopkins University. Duties: develops communication strategies and materials; implements short term projects to disseminate Demographic and Health Surveys along with other survey data to multiple audiences primarily in developing countries. Qualifications: MA; minimum two years' relevant communication experience; fluent in French required; experience working with developing countries required; experience with USAID funded projects preferred; must be willing to travel internationally up to 30 percent of the time (particularly in Africa). For more information, visit job number "25563" at <https://hrnt.jhu.edu/jhujobs>. E-mail CV or résumé to hremail@jhuccp.org with "Communication Associate, 25563" in the subject line.

CASE MANAGER SENIOR SPECIALIST • Claymont, DE

Position available with CIGNA International. Duties: directs case management activities to control the costs of high-risk, high-cost cases in both U.S. and international settings. Qualifications: RN required; BS with active license preferred; ability to obtain a Delaware RN license within three months. For more information and to apply, e-mail Jonathan Janise at jonathan.janisak@cigna.com.

REGIONAL FIELD COORDINATOR • Baltimore

Position available with AFS. Duties: supports volunteers in their efforts to recruit host families and find American high school students to go abroad; recruits and builds volunteer teams. Qualification: experience abroad preferred. To apply, e-mail salary requirements to sleslie@afs.org.

MANAGER • DC

Position available with National Geographic Society and the development department. Duty: manages and conducts prospect research of individuals. Qualifications: enthusiastic; detail-oriented; team player who can work independently; ability to locate and evaluate complex business and financial data; knowledge of biographic and public record information sources; ability to use good judgment and handle confidential materials; four to six years' experience researching individuals preferred. For more information and to apply, visit www.nationalgeographic.com/jobs.

PROJECT COORDINATOR, CENTRAL AFRICA • DC

Position available with World Resources Institute (WRI). Duties: provides administrative support to project staff and partners; manages sub-agreements; reviews and edits reports; maintains project financials. Qualifications: BA/BS; fluent in French; strong organizational skills. For more information and to apply, visit <http://joblist.wri.org>.

PROGRAM COORDINATOR • Nashville, TN

Position available with Urban Housing Solutions. Duties: works with ex-homeless and ex-offenders to develop a self-sufficient community; travels to San Francisco's Delancey Street for training; recruits and monitors residents; develops training schools that lead to self-sufficiency. Qualifications: two year commitment to live on site required; patience with those sincerely trying to change; sense of humor. Benefits include room and board, health care, and salary. For more information and to apply, phone Lee Mitchell at 615.726.2696, ext. 18; e-mail: lee@urbanhousingolutions.org.

PROJECT CONSULTANTS • Boston and St Louis

Positions available with Capital Link. Duties: consult to nonprofit community health centers, primary care associations, and other similar organi-

zations; develop capital resources for health center building and equipment projects; assist plan and obtain financing for capital projects; work with organizations to improve health center access to capital; collaborate with senior management lenders, grantors, and government agencies to assist health centers to undertake successful capital projects and develop and access capital to meet their needs. Qualifications: strong analytical, finance, and communications skills. For more information, visit www.caplink.org. To apply, e-mail Elizabeth Phillips at ephillips@verizon.net.

PROJECT CONSULTING COORDINATOR • Bethesda, MD

Position available with Capital Link. Duties: assists with various client engagements; refines Capital Link products and services; researches funding and partnership opportunities; develops and maintains databases; provides written materials and analyses; interfaces with a range of health care professionals to support health centers to plan and finance feasible capital projects. Qualifications: strong analytical and communications skills. For more information, visit www.caplink.org. To apply, e-mail Elizabeth Phillips at ephillips@verizon.net.

PROJECT CONSULANT • LA or MS

Position available with Capital Link and New Markets Tax Credit Lending. Duties: consults to nonprofit community health centers, primary care associations, and other similar organizations to develop capital resources for health center building and equipment projects; assists to plan and obtain financing for capital projects; works with organizations to improve health center access to capital; collaborate with senior management lenders, grantors, and government agencies to assist health centers to undertake successful capital projects and develop and access capital to meet their needs. Qualifications: strong analytical, finance, and communications skills. For more information, visit www.caplink.org. To apply, e-mail Elizabeth Phillips at ephillips@verizon.net.

DATA COORDINATOR • Bethesda, MD

Position available with Capital Link. Duties: contributes to the development of a national assistance program for community health centers; provides support for the development of data resources and services; assists to develop and maintain a variety of data resources, used both internally and externally; analyzes and disseminates data and information to various audiences; interfaces with a range of health care professionals to interpret data and to plan and finance capital projects. Qualifications: analytical and communications skills; familiarity with relational databases. For more information, visit www.caplink.org. To apply, e-mail Elizabeth Phillips at ephillips@verizon.net.

PROGRAM COORDINATOR • Tallahassee, FL

Position available with Florida A&M University. Duties: assists with development of agricultural development training programs for South Africa, Jamaica, Haiti, and Guyana; recruits U.S. agricultural and business professionals to participate in overseas training programs; prepares them for training assignments; assists with program monitoring and impact assessment. Qualifications: BA in agricultural economics and agribusiness, international development studies, or related field; two years' experience working with program development at an organization involved in international agricultural development. E-mail cover letter, résumé, three references, and salary requirements to Harriett A. Paul, Director, at athapaul585@aol.com.

PROGRAM ASSISTANT • Tallahassee, FL

Position available with Florida A&M University. Duties: responsible for providing general support to the Farmer-to-Farmer Program and for maintaining the program database; assists with website updates and maintenance; manages program files, hard copies and electronic; assists with recruitment of volunteers; follows up and reports. Qualifications: three years post secondary study; strong computer skills with knowledge of MS Office applications and html; good writing skills; basic knowledge of office administration. E-mail cover letter, résumé, three references, and salary requirements to Harriett A. Paul, Director, at athapaul585@aol.com.

WILDERNESS THERAPY INSTRUCTOR • Loa, UT

Positions available with the Aspen Achievement Academy, an outdoor treatment program with an emphasis on therapy, experiential learning and personal growth. Qualifications: desire, willingness, and ability to provide compassionate, creative, and dedicated care to students ages 13 to 17; previous experience working with teens in outdoor leadership; WFR/EMT certification preferred. E-mail cover letter, résumé and two letters of reference to Jim Martucci at jmartucci@theaspenacademy.com; address: P.O. Box 400 Loa, UT 84747; phone: 435.836.1212.

VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR • DC

Position available with American Councils for International Education. Duties: assists with organizing and conducting training workshops for new and experienced Future Leaders Exchange program (FLEX) volunteers. For more information, visit www.americancouncils.org. Send cover letter, résumé and salary requirements to human resource department, American Councils, 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, Suite 700, Washington, D.C. 20036; fax: 202.872.9178 or 202.833.7523; e-mail: resumes@americancouncils.org.

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PEACE CORPS Fellows/USA



Peace Corps Fellows/USA works with more than 40 universities that offer financial assistance to RPCVs who wish to attend graduate school and work in underserved U.S. communities. Below is a list of universities and some of the subject areas they offer. For the complete list, visit www.peacecorps.gov/fellows; call 800.424.8580, ext. 1440; or e-mail fellows@peacecorps.gov.

Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA

Public policy/management, arts management, or healthcare policy management.

Contact: Renee Hairston

Phone: 412.268.1909

E-mail: hairston@andrew.cmu.edu

Columbia University, Teachers College

New York, NY

Urban education, including bilingual education, teaching math or science, ESOL, special education, reading specialist.

Contact: Reed Dickson

Phone: 212.678.4080

E-mail: PCFellows@tc.edu

DePaul University

Chicago, IL

Program temporarily suspended.

Elementary and high school special education certification.

Contact: Justin Speer

Phone: 773.325.7170

E-mail: jspeer@depaul.edu

Duke University

Durham, NC

Master of Public Policy (MPP) with option to earn joint degrees in professional or PhD programs.

Contact: Duke MPP Admissions Office

Phone: 919.613.9205

E-mail: MPPadmit@duke.edu

Program for International Development Policy (PIDP) with several concentration options.

Contact: Stephanie Alt Lamm

Phone: 919.613.9218

E-mail: pidpinfo@duke.edu

Duquesne University

Pittsburgh, PA

Graduate School of Business Administration: MBA, Information Systems Management, Taxation

Contact: Dr. William Presutti

Phone: 412.396.6269

E-mail: presutti@duq.edu

Environmental Science; Environmental Management; Environmental Policy: water resources and watershed protection, green building, energy conservation, environmental education, brownfield redevelopment.

Contact: Dr. Stanley J. Kabala

Phone: 412.396.4233

E-mail: kabala@duq.edu

Graduate Center for Social and Public Policy: analysis and administration, conflict resolution, peace studies.

Contact: Dr. Evan Stoddard

Phone: 412.396.5179

E-mail: stoddard@duq.edu

Florida Institute of Technology

Melbourne, FL

Environmental science, engineering, management, teaching, and other areas of education (science, mathematics, computer).

Contact: Dr. Tom Marcinkowski

Phone: 321.674.8946

E-mail: marcinko@fit.edu

Fordham University

Bronx, NY

International political economy and development with specializations in international development studies, international banking and finance, international and development economics, and international political analysis.

Contact: Dr. Henry Schwalbenberg

Phone: 718.817.4064;

E-mail: iped@fordham.edu

George Mason University

Fairfax, VA

Elementary education and English as a second language master's programs.

Contact: Dr. Lynn Walker Levy

Phone: 703.993.3602

E-mail: lwalker3@gmu.edu

George Washington University

Washington, DC

Transition special education, secondary education.

Contact: Dr. Jeanne Embich

Phone: 202.973.1061

E-mail: jembich@gwu.edu

Georgia College & State University

Milledgeville, GA

Various education degrees, creative writing. Teaching assistants, tutors, special education teacher training, community creative writing program. Benefits include tuition waiver, stipend.

Contact: Dr. Roy Moore

Phone: 859.257.8204

E-mail: roy.moore@gcsu.edu

Humboldt State University

Arcata, CA

Secondary education program with placement at Academy of the Redwoods—an early college high school.

Contact: Keri Gelenian

Phone: 707.476.4577

E-mail: keri-gelenian@redwoods.edu

Illinois State University

Normal, IL

Applied economics, political science, sociology, with sequence in applied community/economic development, including community project design and management, topics in administration and planning, and 11-month paid internship.

Contact: Beverly Beyer

Phone: 309.438.7090

E-mail: StevensonCenter@ilstu.edu

Indiana University

Bloomington, IN

Master of Public Affairs (MPA) with choice of nine concentrations, including Comparative and International Affairs; Environmental Policy and Natural Resource Management; Policy Analysis; and Non-profit Management. Master of Science in Environmental Science (MSES) programs in Applied Ecology, Environmental Chemistry, and Water Resources. Joint Master Degree (MPA-MSES) and combined Master Degree with other programs also available.

Contact: Jennifer Forney

Phone: 812.855.2840

E-mail: spea@indiana.edu

Johns Hopkins University

Baltimore, MD

Nursing, public health.

Contact: Mary O'Rourke

Phone: 410.955.7548

E-mail: orourke@son.jhmi.edu

Loma Linda University

Loma Linda, CA

Public health, including global health, humanitarian assistance, and reproductive health.

Contact: Lory Alido

Phone: 909.558.1000

E-mail: sphpcinfo@llu.edu

Marquette University

Milwaukee, WI

Business, engineering, communication, English, economics, history, international affairs, philosophy, political science, public service. Benefits: full tuition scholarship and monthly stipend.

Contact: Carole Ferrara

Phone: 414.288.5861

E-mail: carole.ferrara@marquette.edu

New Mexico State University

Las Cruces, NM

Degrees in public health, border health, health education, social work, and nursing, plus joint public health and social work degree.

Contact: Dr. Sue Forster-Cox

Phone: 505.646.2183

E-mail: sforster@nmsu.edu

The New School

New York, NY

Urban policy analysis/management, health services management and policy, human resources management, organizational change management.

Contact: Peter King

Phone: 212.229.5400, ext. 1108

E-mail: kingp@newschool.edu

Fellows/USA listing continued on next page



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Northern Arizona University

Flagstaff, AZ
Business.
Contact: Jane Thompson
Phone: 928.523.7387
E-mail: mba@nau.edu

Rutgers University

Camden, NJ
Master of Public Affairs in educational policy and leadership with K-12 teaching position at the LEAP Academy.
Contact: Sandra Cheesman-Cattefesta
Phone: 856.225.6860
E-mail: scheesman@camden.rutgers.edu

Seton Hill University

Greensburg, PA
Art therapy, business administration, elementary education, marriage and family therapy, special education, technologies-enhanced learning, popular-fiction writing.
Contact: Dane Zimmer
Phone: 724.838.4209
E-mail: zimmer@setonhill.edu

Southern New Hampshire University

Manchester, NH
Community economic development, international community economic development, business, National Weekend Program.
Contact: Dr. Catherine Rielly
Phone: 603.644.3156
E-mail: c.rielly@snhu.edu

University of Arizona

Tucson, AZ
Criminal justice, community development, environment, health, nonprofit finance, public policy, and more.
Contact: Georgia Ehlers
Phone: 520.621.9103
E-mail: rpcf@grad.arizona.edu

University of Cincinnati

Cincinnati, OH
Economic development planning, environmental planning, international development planning, physical planning, urban design.
Contact: Dr. Johanna Looye
Phone: 513.556.4943
E-mail: johanna.looye@uc.edu

University of Denver

Denver, CO
International administration; international business transactions; international development; international human rights; international studies; international security; global finance, trade, and economic integration.
Contact: Susan Nelson
Phone: 303.871.2989
E-mail: snelso30@du.edu

School of Communication: International and intercultural communication.
Contact: Dr. Margaret Thompson

Phone: 303.871.3947
E-mail: mthomps@du.edu

University of Maryland-Baltimore

Baltimore, MD
Social work with dual-degree options in Jewish studies, law, business administration, and public health.
Contact: Lane Victorson
Phone: 410.706.5316
E-mail: lvictorson@ssw.umaryland.edu

University of Maryland-Baltimore County Shriver Peaceworker Program

Baltimore, MD
All programs of University of Maryland-Baltimore County: education, policy, applied sociology, intercultural communications, etc. Select consortium programs: social work (MSW), urban studies, nonprofit management, etc.
Contact: Dr. Joby Taylor
Phone: 410.455.6398
E-mail: joby.taylor@umbc.edu

University of Missouri-Columbia

Columbia, MO
Geography, public affairs, political science, rural sociology, social work, agricultural economics, PhD programs. In-state tuition, possibility for assistantships, waivers and additional support.
Contact: Donald Spiers
Phone: 573.882.6131
E-mail: SpiersD@missouri.edu

University of Missouri-Kansas City

Kansas City, MO
Master of Public Administration (MPA) with specialties in urban administration, nonprofit management, and health services administration. Benefits include wages from intern stipend, \$10,000; 6 credit hours tuition remission and possibilities for additional assistance.
Contact: Liana Riesinger
Phone: 816.235.2291
E-mail: riesingerl@umkc.edu

University of New Orleans

New Orleans, LA
Public administration, urban planning and urban studies with concentrations in housing/community development, land use/environment, historic preservation, urban anthropology, and nonprofit management.
Contact: Dr. Marla Nelson
Phone: 504.280.3110
E-mail: cupa@uno.edu

University of North Texas

Denton, TX
Anthropology, applied economics, applied gerontology, environmental science, public administration, social work, sociology, urban geography, volunteer management.
Contact: Dr. Stan Ingman
Phone: 940.565.2298
E-mail: ingman@scs.unt.edu

University of Oregon

Eugene, OR
Community and regional planning.
Contact: Megan Smith
Phone: 541.346.3881
E-mail: smith@darkwing.uoregon.edu

University of South Carolina

Columbia, SC
Multidisciplinary program (written/oral proficiency in Spanish required).
Contact: Teresa Butkus
Phone: 803.777.1365
E-mail: teresab@gwm.sc.edu

Moore School of Business: International business administration.

Contact: Reena Lichtenfeld
Phone: 803.777.6749
E-mail: rlichten@moore.sc.edu

University of Vermont

Burlington, VT
Community and economic development; entrepreneurship; environment; agriculture; applied economics; management; strategic planning; marketing; public policy; healthcare; leadership; international public administration; human resources; budgeting/finance; organizational development; information technology.
Contact: Edward R. McMahon
Phone: 802.656.4565
E-mail: emcmahon@uvm.edu

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Milwaukee, WI
Business administration, economics, geography, history, sociology, urban studies.
Contact: Lisa Heuler-Williams
Phone: 414.229.6155
E-mail: heuler@uwm.edu

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point

Stevens Point, WI
Fields relating to the environment, including natural resources, forestry, environmental education, youth programming, land-use planning, wildlife, soil and water science.
Contact: Dr. Tim Ginnett
Phone: 715.346.4191
E-mail: tim.ginnett@uwsp.edu

University of Wyoming

Laramie, WY
American studies with concentration in education, geography, history, or literature.
Contact: Dr. Eric Sandeen
Phone: 307.766.3898
E-mail: esandeen@uwyo.edu

Western Illinois University

Macomb, IL
Business administration; economics; geography; health sciences; political science; recreation, park, and tourism administration.

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Contact: Karen Peitzmeier
Phone: 309.298.2268 or 800.526.9943
E-mail: pcf@wiu.edu

Western New Mexico University

Gallup, NM
Elementary, secondary, or special education; counseling; educational leadership.
Contact: Dr. Patricia Maguire
Phone: 505.722.3389
E-mail: wnmupcf@hotmail.com

Wichita State University

Wichita, KS
Teacher education: middle and secondary grades, art, music, English, French, Spanish, biology, chemistry,

physics, math, TESOL (if already teacher-certified), comprehensive social studies, special education (if already teacher-certified).

Contact: Dr. Judith Hayes
Phone: 316.978.6580
E-mail: judith.hayes@wichita.edu

Yale University

New Haven, CT
In Development: international relations MA with concentrations in history, economics & political science; joint degrees available in forestry and environmental studies, management, law, or public health.
Contact: Felicia Spencer
Phone: 203.432.9394
E-mail: Felicia.spencer@yale.edu

Xavier University of Louisiana

New Orleans, LA
Fast Track to Teaching Program for those interested in teaching math, science, or special education.
Contact: Dr. Renee Akbar
Phone: 504.520.5389
E-mail: rvakbar@xula.edu

FLAGSHIP PROGRAM OFFICER • DC

Position available with American Councils for International Education. Duty: provides program administration. For more information, visit www.americancouncils.org. Send cover letter, résumé and salary requirements to human resource department, American Councils, 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, Suite 700, Washington, D.C. 20036; fax: 202.872.9178 or 202.833.7523; e-mail: resumes@americancouncils.org.

PROGRAM AND OFFICE SUPPORT

MANAGER • San Diego, CA

Position available with International Rescue Committee (IRC) and the Regional Resettlement Office. Duties: assists newly arrived refugees in the path to self-sufficiency in their new home; focuses on specific technical, administrative, and logistical support activities; manages administrative and logistical support functions; manages the preparation of grant proposals, including budgets, maintenance of field manuals, and implementation of IRC Tax Preparation program. Qualifications: BA; two to three years' administrative experience with a nonprofit; writing and editing skills; computer skills. For more information and to apply, visit www.ircjobs.org.

INFORMATION SERVICES SPECIALIST • Eugene, OR

Position available with Mobility International USA and the National Clearinghouse on Disability and Exchange (NCDE). Duties: coordinates, implements, and develops information and referral services; provides technical assistance and support to individuals and organizations related to study, work, professional development, and volunteer abroad programs and inclusion of people with disabilities. Deadline: 10/23/2006. For more information, visit www.miusa.org. E-mail cover letter, résumé, and list of references to Cerise Roth-Vinson at crothvinson@miusa.org

with "Information Services Specialist" in the subject line. No phone calls.

MANAGER, YOUTH PROGRAMS •

New York City

Position available with PAX and Real Solutions to Gun Violence. Duties: runs a highly acclaimed national youth violence prevention program; manages the Speak Up campaign; identifies, develops, and maintains strategic partnerships with national, state, and local leaders in the fields such as education, law enforcement, public health, philanthropic, media and entertainment for the purpose of developing and expanding awareness of the campaign in communities nationwide. E-mail cover letter and résumé to jennie@paxusa.org. No phone calls.

SENIOR FINANCE OFFICER • DC

Position available with Pact, Inc. Duties: manages all aspects of accounting and sub-grantee financial management for headquarters-based sub-grant programs utilizing AccPac accounting software and sub-grants management database. Qualifications: knowledge of GAAP and OMB financial grants regulations; nonprofit project accounting experience. For more information, visit www.pactworld.org or <http://recruitment.pactworld.org/apply>. E-mail cover letter and résumé to dreilly@pacthq.org; fax: 202.466.5669.

INTERNATIONAL

NUTRITIONIST •

Kasongo, Democratic Republic of the Congo

Position available with Concern Worldwide. Duties: conducts nutrition analysis in order to understand the level of Global and Severe Acute Malnutrition; guides the operational decisions based on the needs and level of malnutrition identified. Qualifications: technical expertise in conducting nutrition surveys; competent in using EpiInfo and EpiNut programs; experience in analyzing survey results report writing

skills; ability to conduct KAP surveys; BA in nutrition; technical qualification in nutrition; three years' relevant overseas experience in emergency or insecure field work; proven track record in national staff capacity building and training and management; very good knowledge of French; fluent in English. For more information and to apply, phone hrenquiries@concern.net; phone: 353.1.417.7700.

CONSULTANTS • Kosovo; Mexico; Honduras; Turkey; Uruguay

Positions available with SME Interventions Ltd. For more information and to apply, e-mail Myriam Escallon at mmescallon@gmail.com.

PROGRAM COORDINATORS •

Various locations

Positions available with American Refugee Committee International (ARC). Duties: oversee the planning, implementation, budgeting, monitoring, evaluation, and reporting on all of ARC's country program gender-based violence (GBV) activities; lead the development of strategic plans, concept papers, and proposals. Qualifications: MPH or related; three years' management experience in a post conflict and developing country; strong GBV/RH knowledge; experience in participatory methodologies. For more information and to apply, visit www.arcemployment.org.

PROGRAM COORDINATOR • Sri Lanka

Position available with American Refugee Committee International (ARC). Duties: manages and develops the income generation and micro-enterprise activities of ARC Sri Lanka in Trincomalee District; supports overall ARC program development in Sri Lanka; hires, trains, and manages local micro-enterprise development (MED) staff; develops long-term MED strategy; establishes relationships with local service providers for MED activities; works with

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Uganda

Apollo Na Angor requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to work as a **Technical Advisor** for a six month assignment. Duties: develops operational policies, monitoring and evaluation procedures, and staff job descriptions and work contracts to allow the organization to function more effectively; assists with development of human resources and financial policies; helps create a workplace training program for staff; formats job descriptions and employment contracts; develops monitoring and evaluation tools for staff performance and programs; designs appropriate daily management methods; develops a resource mobilization strategy focused on sustainability. Qualifications: Africa RPCV; MPH/MS/MA in organizational psychology or related degree; experience in IEC development and training and in organizational and human resource development, training, and capacity.

El Salvador

New Acropolis requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to work as a **Disaster Prevention and Mitigation Specialist** for a six month assignment. Duties: researches current attitudes and knowledge of disaster planning and mitigation through interviews and surveys with community members and local leaders; provides a comprehensive report on the current state of the region along with a proposed plan of action; provides a range of disaster scenarios that includes current resources and make suggestions on action items needed to mitigate the possible disasters; creates a written disaster preparedness diagnostic of the area. Qualifications: degree in sociology or other social sciences; experience preparing and facilitating community workshops; basic knowledge of risk and emergency management; ability to work independently with little support or supervision; knowledge of Spanish. Desired Qualifications: experience in local development related to disaster prevention and risk mitigation.

In response to destruction caused by Hurricane Stan and the recent eruption of the volcano Ilamatepec, **Trinational Commission of Plan Trifinio** requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to serve as a **Civil Engineer** for a six month project scheduled to depart ASAP. Duties: provides technical support to the Tri-national Program of Sustainable Development in the High Valley of Rio Lempa; helps Plan Trifinio work for the sustainable development of mostly rural communities through infrastructure and sanitation projects, including agro forestry, soil preservation, and water projects; organizes and strengthens communities in risk management, rehabilitation, and reconstruction in the most

affected areas. Qualifications: civil engineer with experience in designing soil stabilization projects; fluent oral and written Spanish; experience with ArchView and ArchInfo software programs; can work independently and with little supervision; ability to integrate and work in a group; ability to adapt to other cultures and customs.

In the fall of 2005, the volcano Ilamatepec (Santa Ana) erupted, destroying 800 hectares of natural habitat and damaging 2,000 hectares of coffee plantations, a very important source of income in the region. The volcano is part of the new National Park Los Volcanes, which has been managed by SalvaNATURA since 2003. Los Volcanes is one of the four most important natural areas in El Salvador. The eruption caused the evacuation of 6,500 people and has interrupted, and in many cases destroyed, the livelihoods of local populations and the infrastructure used to support the economy and the budding tourism industry. Through this project, **SalvaNATURA** hopes to reconstruct much of the infrastructure. One Crisis Corps Volunteer is requested to act as an **Economist and Business Administration Specialist** for a six month project to begin ASAP. Duties: develops budgets for the project plan; creates a Fundraising Action Plan; develop proposals and requests for national and international donations for funding; works in coordination with SalvaNATURA's technical staff to support the formulation of a Fundraising Action Plan, research funding possibilities, and develop and submit proposals to potential donors. Qualifications: degree or significant experience in economy or business administration; experience in proposal writing and fundraising; proficient in Spanish. Desired Qualifications: experience in the design of inversion and pre-inversion plans for eco-tourism projects.

Guatemala

Asociación Maya-Mam de Investigación y Desarrollo (AMMID) requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to work as a **Water and Sanitation Specialist** for a six month assignment. Duties: assesses damage to community water systems; develops cost-effective design to repair water systems; develops materials list for water system repair; assists with cost-estimate for water system reconstruction using locally available materials; designs and installs an appropriate water disinfection method; supervises construction activities; responsible for community follow-up and operations assistance after reconstruction and repair of water system facilities. Qualifications: degree in engineering or other relevant discipline with experience in rural community water systems; fluent in Spanish; experience in project planning and water system design in developing countries; ability to work independently with minimal support; ability to

meet physical demands of working on water systems at high altitude.

The Ministry of Health, District of Cantel requests a Crisis Corps Volunteer for a six month assignment to work as a **HIV/AIDS Specialist**. Duties: researches locally available information and organizations conducting HIV/AIDS programming in the region; establishes relationships with organizations conducting HIV/AIDS activities; serves as a liaison between those organizations and the district's rural health promoters; analyzes, together with the district health staff, HIV risks in communities; conducts workshops on HIV/AIDS awareness for Trainer or Trainers; helps design and plan weekly radio programs on HIV/AIDS; provides recommendations to the district health office to further integrate HIV/AIDS awareness into existing programs; provides trainings to interested PCV's who wish to work in HIV/AIDS awareness, including techniques for working with different populations. Qualifications: BA/BS in a development or international-related field, preferably health-related; successful completion of Peace Corps Volunteer Service in a health-related sector; fluent in oral and written Spanish; experience working with HIV/AIDS awareness programs in a developing country context; mature and professional interpersonal skills, which allow for cultural, religious, and political sensitivity and diplomacy in a variety of contexts and with diverse partner staff and organizational working styles; dynamic and proactive person with demonstrated organizational skills; flexible self-starter, able to work individually as well as a part of a team.

Municipality of Cuilco, Office of Municipal Planning requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer for a six month assignment to work as a **Disaster Planning and Preparedness Specialist**. Duties: develops an emergency and disaster preparedness program; researches the activities of other organizations engaged in various aspects of disaster management; conducts assessment activities; trains communities on the concepts of the Early Alert System in the region; helps create emergency plans that reflect the geographically diverse communities within the municipality; helps to implement and expand current municipal development plan. Qualifications: RPCV in Latin America; experience in disaster mitigation (preferably in heavy rains, landslides, and earthquakes); fluent oral and written Spanish; experience in evaluating, planning, and implementing grassroots training activities; experience conducting training sessions in Spanish; strong organizational skills and ability

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to work independently; ability to meet physical demands of hiking in high altitude. Desired Qualifications: academic training in international development, environmental studies, organizational development or related degree; Red Cross training and/or experience in disaster preparedness or response activities; experience with inter-institutional coordination and planning; knowledge on the causes of the natural phenomena such as hurricanes; knowledge on the socio-political, environmental reality, economic conditions and international culture of Guatemala.

Fundación Solar requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer for a six month assignment to work as an **Agricultural Marketing Specialist** volunteer. The CCV will work with local community representatives to develop a market research study for agricultural produce. Duties: develops standardized survey materials and questionnaires for field research; conducts comprehensive interviews with local farmers, local and international organizations, and buyers and sellers of agricultural produce; market research, including travel to, local, regional, and national markets to investigate supply and demand of agricultural produce; helps develop marketing plans with community groups and farmers. Qualifications: RPCV in Guatemala or other Latin American country; fluent in Spanish; positive attitude with ability to work individually as well as in a team environment; experience working on market research projects, preferably related to agricultural marketing; self-motivator and creative thinker, willing to take innovative approaches to reach diverse populations. Desired Qualifications: experience with NGOs working in rural agricultural marketing projects; experience working with farmers and indigenous populations; strong interest in agricultural marketing.

Project Concern International (PCI) requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer for a six month assignment to work as a **Health Education Specialist**. The CCV will work with local community representatives to develop appropriate health educational materials and to provide educational health presentations to affected rural communities in prioritized areas. Duties: develops educational materials for non-literate audiences and audiences speaking different languages; develops innovative and creative interactive group exercises that will facilitate educational understanding of health, hygiene, and nutrition messages by non-literate groups; strengthens organized women's groups; presents and trains on health subjects to women's groups; health and hygiene practice observation at household level; follow-up and accompaniment to women's groups for the presentation of successful projects. Qualifications: degree in biological science, education, nursing or other relevant discipline with experience in rural community health and nutrition education; fluent in Spanish; completion of Peace Corps Volunteer service in

Latin American country; ability to work independently with minimal support; ability to meet physical demands of rural health promotion at high altitude. Desired Qualifications: experience with NGOs working in rural health promotion in developing countries; experience developing interactive educational materials and/or games for children and non-literate groups.

Municipality of Tacaná requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to work as a Disaster **Preparedness and Mitigation Specialist** for a six month assignment. Duties: develops a disaster preparedness program in case of a variety of natural disasters, including hurricanes, landslides, floods, earthquakes, and volcanic eruptions; researches the activities of other organizations engaged in disaster management; consults with organizations undertaking community-based disaster management activities; trains the municipality and other organizations in the communities on the concepts of the Early Alert System in the region; helps to implement and expand current municipal development plan to reflect current projects and changes based on the aftermath of Stan. Qualifications: PCV service in Latin America; experience in disaster mitigation, preferably in heavy rains, landslides, and earthquakes; fluent oral and written Spanish; experience in evaluating, planning, and implementing grassroots training activities and community-based projects; experience conducting training sessions in Spanish with local counterparts; strong organizational skills and ability to work independently or with little supervision; ability to meet physical demands of hiking in high altitude.

Familia a Familia requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to work as an **Agro-forestry Specialist** for a six month assignment. Duties: evaluates the degree of deforestation in the rural countryside; develops a report detailing the reality of the deforestation; formulates a reforestation plan for the communities; gives presentations and trainings on the importance of reforestation and soil conservation; trains local communities on the construction and management of tree nurseries. Qualifications: degree in forestry, sustainable agriculture, or other relevant discipline with experience in rural community development; fluent in Spanish; experience in construction and management of tree nurseries; experience in implementing reforestation programs; ability to direct and to promote discussions and analysis, to formulate conclusions, and to propose solutions with groups on the subject of the environment; strong organizational skills and ability to work independently or with little supervision. Desired Qualifications: knowledge of the causes of natural phenomena like hurricanes; knowledge of the socio-political, environmental reality, economic conditions and culture of Guatemala; experience working in soil conservation projects; experience working in medicinal plants and/or family gardens.

Jamaica

Walkerswood Community Development Foundation requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to act as a **Technical Advisor**. Duties: helps establish sustainable land management practices through the introduction of organic fertilizer using public and private partnerships; responsible for the planning and implementation of the overall composting plan including the design and construction of the composting beds and training persons in bed construction; works with stakeholders to construct and implement the composting plan; provides training in all construction and maintenance methods; sensitizes members of community as well as farmers and other interested persons from adjoining parishes; helps train and educate on vermicomposting (composting using worms) and, if appropriate, implement a vermicomposting component in the overall operations; works with farmers in the proper use of composted material in the field through field sessions with appropriate organizations, agencies, and participants. Qualifications: BA/BS in agriculture or related field; two years' experience in large scale composting; experience working outside of U.S.; experience in adult education or training; ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing. Desired Qualifications: knowledge of and experience with vermicomposting, MA/MS in agriculture or related field; agriculture experience with cash crops such as peppers, scallion, tomatoes, onion, and cucumbers; technical expertise in operating shredders and chippers.

The All Island Bee Farmers Association (AIFBA) requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to serve as an **Administrative Advisor** for a six month assignment. Duties: develops a database to track numbers of bee farmers and their locations; yields by region, parish, and type of flora; pollen and wax production; analyzes the AIFBA structure and recommend specific lines of communication and reporting procedures between the parish managers, the executive body, and the Ministry of Agriculture; develops and maintains an effective communication system with the Bee Farmers and the public; assists with the establishment of a promotional website; coordinates logistics and establishes written procedures for AIFBA events planning (including annual meetings, public relations events, and agricultural expo days). Qualifications: degree in public administration or related field; significant experience as public administrator; proven understanding of systems development; mastery of MS Office applications with the proven ability to manage databases using Excel and manipulate documents using Word; excellent communication skills and the ability to work well with people; successful completion of Peace Corps Volunteer service.

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The All Island Bee Farmers Association (AIBFA) requests one Crisis Corps Volunteer to work as a **Queen Bee Advisor** to increase the capacity of AIBFA through development of healthy, productive queen bees. This is a six month position that is scheduled to depart ASAP. Duties: coordinates with the two queen bee Station Supervisors, under the direction of the AIBFA Project Manager to realize sustained development of their projects; works in the Apiaries to manage and stimulate queens to ensure high quality queen; collects data on queen operations and report on the overall status

of queen production to the AIBFA and the Ministry of Agriculture; establishes a database to help track the success of colonies established with AIBFA produced queens; documents all work done with queen bee production and assists with the publication of a locally appropriate Queen Bee Rearing Manual. Qualifications: significant apiculture experience; successful completion of Peace Corps Volunteer service; specific experience in developing and increasing queen bee production; excellent written English; experience with database development; good communication skills and the

ability to work well with people of different backgrounds; creative and organized; ability to work independently with minimal supervision.

Crisis Corps expects to see additional HIV/AIDS related assignments in Africa in the coming months. Africa RPCVs with experience in VCT, human resources, NGO development, and those with other HIV/AIDS-related experience are encouraged to apply immediately.

How to Apply

For additional assignments and more detailed descriptions of these assignments, including the required qualifications, visit the Crisis Corps website at www.peacecorps.gov/rpcv/crisiscorps; or call 202.692.2250 or 1.800.424.8580, ext. 2250. Applications can be downloaded from the website at www.peacecorps.gov/tpcv/crisiscorps.

Send Crisis Corps application, résumé, and Description of Service (if available) to crisiscorps@peacecorps.gov; fax: 202.692.2251; address: Peace Corps - Crisis Corps, 1111 20th St. NW, Washington, DC 20526. To be considered for a specific assignment, indicate the position title on the cover letter or application.

partners and NGOs; manages MED budget; prepares reports; writes proposals for program expansion. Qualifications: two years' experience in MED in developing countries (Asia or post-conflict situations preferred); two years' management experience; MA in economics or finance preferred. For more information and to apply, visit www.arcemployment.org.

REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH COORDINATOR • Darfur, Sudan

Position available with American Refugee Committee International (ARC). ARC supports over 14 clinics in rural areas as well as one clinic in an IDP camp setting. Each clinic has an RH unit incorporated. Duties: helps improve access to basic health care services in South Darfur through capacity building, provision of material support, and emergency preparedness and response. For more information and to apply, visit www.arcrelief.org.

PROJECT MANAGER • Rwanda

Position available with American Refugee Committee International (ARC). Duties: manages and develops ARC's gender-based violence (GBV) programs in two refugee camps in Rwanda; collaborates with health coordinators in planning, implementation, budgeting, monitoring, evaluation, reporting, and review of ARC's GBV prevention and response program. Qualifications: graduate degree in public health, social work, counseling, or relevant field; minimum three years' experience in program management and budgets; minimum one year in a developing country (Africa preferred); staff management experience; strong knowledge of RH, sexual violence, STI/HIV/AIDS issues; experience developing curricula and conducting trainings, especially with sensitive issues; proficient in French required. For more information and to apply, visit www.arcemployment.org.

COURSE INSTRUCTORS • Central and South America; Caribbean; China; Canada

Positions available with Broadreach Academic Treks. Duties: instruct teen education programs in Ecuador, Mexico, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Peru, Belize, Brazil, Caribbean, China, France, or Canada; study language, culture, service, sustainable development, and marine science; live with students; facilitate positive group dynamics, education, and leadership. Qualifications: experience leading teens; international travel experience; strong language skills; relevant education. For more information, visit www.academictreks.com. Send cover letter, résumé, and three references to Broadreach, 806 McCulloch Street, Suite 102, Raleigh, NC 27603; fax: 919.833.2129; phone: 919.833.1907 or 888.833.1907; e-mail: staffinquiry@gobroadreach.com.

PROJECT MANAGER • Stellenbosch, South Africa

Position available with Florida A&M University. Duties: provides strong management leadership to economic development program; insures agricultural groups are strengthened organizationally and economically from Farmer to Farmer training provided; responsible for the identification of South African agricultural enterprises that will be assisted by this program; oversees small office and field staff. Qualifications: MA in agriculture, agricultural economics, development studies, or related field required; five years' work experience in agricultural enterprise development programs required. E-mail cover letter, résumé, three references, and salary requirements to Harriett A. Paul, Director, at hapaul585@aol.com.

PROGRAM MANAGER • Gulu, Uganda

Position available with Visions in Action. Qualifications: minimum three years' construction experience in Africa; BA/BS required; knowledge of school construction, education,

and rural African development; experience leading a team with large budgets; willing to work in a challenging rural environment for one year. Duties: manages school construction program in IDP camps in Gulu District, a war-affected area; manages logistics, finances, training sessions, and monitoring; leads staff of 12 in community mobilization, operation of early childhood centers, and schools. Deadline: 11/1/2006. For more information, visit www.visionsinaction.org. E-mail cover letter, CV, and three references to shaun@visionsinaction.org.

VOLUNTEER DEPUTY DIRECTOR • Nairobi, Kenya

Position available with World Concern, an international Christian relief and development organization. Duties: provides management, planning, organizational controls, and leadership; amasses financial support to cover the salary and benefits related to this position through personal contacts. Qualifications: five years' management experience, including three years' working in Africa, managing national, international staff, financial systems, and field project implementation; ability to commit to a minimum of five years; must be from North America. For more information and to apply, visit www.worldconcern.org/NETCOMMUNITYPage.aspx?&pid=922&srcid=497.

INTERN/VOLUNTEER

LOGISTICS MANAGER • Khartoum, Sudan

Temporary volunteer position available with CHF International and the Visiting International Professional (VIP) program. Duties: assists with overall analysis and upgrading of procurement systems for operations in Sudan; reviews asset registry; establishes clear guidelines on recording and update system; improves current procurement tracking systems and train staff; reviews non-procurement systems including vehicle maintenance

and warehousing. Qualifications: strong NGO experience; management-level logistics experience with NGOs; international field work and/or exposure to the challenges of field-based operations. For more information and to apply, visit www.chfinternational.org.

CONTRACT SPECIALIST •

Philadelphia and Mechanicsburg, PA

Internship available with the U.S. Department of the Navy. Internship runs for two years. Upon successful completion, program provides an opportunity for conversion to a permanent federal position. Duties: reviews procurement requests and contract terms, analyzes settlement proposals, audit reports, and subcontractor claims. Qualifications: minimum BA/BS with 24 semester hours in accounting, business, finance, law, contracts, purchasing, economics, industrial management, marketing, quantitative methods, or organization and management, or related work experience. Salary: \$29,740–\$70,882. E-mail résumé to Manager.ne@navy.mil with PC-1102 and location(s) of interest in the subject line.

FINANCIAL DATA ANALYST/

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ANALYST •

Philadelphia and Mechanicsburg, PA

Internship available with the U.S. Department of the Navy. Internship runs for two years. Upon successful completion, program provides an opportunity for conversion to a permanent federal position. Duties: participates in fiscal, accounting, and budget analyses of programs and problems, works on Process Actions Teams to improve customer service; perform a variety of assignments related to administering accounting systems. Qualifications: BA/BS or related work experience. Salary: \$29,740–\$70,882. E-mail résumé to Manager.ne@navy.mil with PC-0501 and location(s) of interest in the subject line.

LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST •

Philadelphia & Mechanicsburg, PA

Internship available with the U.S. Department of the Navy. Internship runs for two years. Upon successful completion, program provides an opportunity for conversion to a permanent federal position. Duties: provides assistance to fleet on inquiries concerning any aspect of logistics management, collecting and analyzing data for readiness reporting, determine acquisition methods to be used, develop funding for ongoing requirement needs, and new initiatives. Qualifications: BA/BS or related work experience. Salary: \$29,740–\$70,882. E-mail résumé to Manager.ne@navy.mil with PC-0346 and location(s) of interest in the subject line.

EDUCATION

MS IN PEACE OPERATIONS • DC

George Mason University and the Peace Operations Policy Program (POPP) offers an MS in peace

operations. Students learn from professionals who bring real-world experience to the classroom. They are challenged to tackle a wide range of issues such as provision of humanitarian assistance, repatriation, or resettlement of refugees and IDPs, conducting elections and building democracy, establishing the rule of law, and demobilization, disarmament, and reintegration of ex-combatants. POPP has a long history of enrolling RPCVs. For more information and to apply, phone Dr. Allison Frendak-Blume at 703.993.4983; e-mail: afrendak@gmu.edu.

PHD IN COMMUNITY AND CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY • HI

University of Hawaii and Community and Cultural Psychology offers a graduate specialization that leads to a PhD in psychology, with certificate options in urban and regional planning, disaster management and humanitarian assistance, conflict resolution, public policy, and disability studies. Research assistantships, teaching assistantships, and tuition waivers are available with special consideration for RPCVs. For more information and to apply, contact Dr. Clifford O'Donnell, Department of Psychology, University of Hawaii, 2430 Campus Road, Honolulu, HI 96822; phone: 808.956.6271; fax: 808.956.4700; e-mail: cliffo@hawaii.edu; website: www.psychology.hawaii.edu/downloads/graduate/community.pdf.

MACK GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP • Berkeley, CA

The University of California Berkeley and the School of Social Welfare offers a Mack Graduate Fellowship in the management on nonprofit human service organizations. Fellowship is \$7500/year for a two year MSW, specializing in management and planning. The program includes field-based learning opportunities in human service agencies. Applicants for the combined MSW/PhD program are also eligible. Eligible RPCVs become Mack Fellows who are affiliated with the new Mack Center for Nonprofit Management. Deadline: 12/1/2006. For more information and to apply, e-mail socwelf@berkeley.edu.

GRADUATE ASSISTANT, TROPICAL WETLANDS • Pullman, WA

Washington State University graduate assistantship available to investigate the spatial dynamics of methane emissions from seasonal wetlands in Uganda as part of a multi-institution, multi-investigator, NSF-funded project. Duty: extensive field work in a rural or pastoral region of central Uganda. Required: BS and/or MS in soil science, ecology, earth science, hydrology, or related field; strong quantitative skills; demonstrated writing ability; prior developing world experience preferred; PhD candidate preferred; significant experience with multivariate statistical techniques preferred. For more information and to apply, phone Dr. David Brown, Montana State University, at 406.994.3724 or djbrown@montana.edu.

AMERICORPS/VISTA

CREW LEADER • MT; WY; ID; ND

Position available with the Montana Conservation Corps (MCC). Duties: manages a team of five to seven members on high priority conservation projects throughout Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, and North Dakota. For more information and to apply, visit www.mtcorps.org; e-mail: nia@mtcorps.org; phone: 406.587.4475.

Upcoming 2006 RPCV Career Event

Careers in Public Administration

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Attend a career fair focused on public administration and participate in hands-on activities designed to help you prepare for industry-related work

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How Crisis Corps Can Help Me Refocus My Career

The average age of a Crisis Corps Volunteer is 38, which means that a majority bring years of professional experience to their assignments. Some of the mid-career professionals who become CCVs take advantage of employee leave programs while others enter or return to overseas service after retirement.

Crisis Corps assignments are set up similarly to professional consultancy positions. Each volunteer begins by reviewing a Position Description, which provides specific information about the project, the partner organization, the job duties and requirements, housing, and safety and security information. In contrast to the Peace Corps placement process, where a volunteer is agreeing to serve anywhere the agency may need them, each position in the Crisis Corps is uniquely recruited—like one may find in the private sector.

While the average Crisis Corps Volunteer is older and more experienced than the average PCV, CCVs serve at all ages and stages of life with their Crisis Corps experience serving them in a variety of ways.

Some Volunteers, like Alice Henry (Peace Corps Cote d'Ivoire '97-'01, Crisis Corps Guinea '03), begin their overseas service after retirement and bring a wealth of experience to their Crisis Corps assignments. After a career as a demographer working for many years in research, monitoring, and evaluation, Alice was able to apply those skills directly to her six month Crisis Corps assignment as a Food Aid Monitor with the World Food Program in Guinea. "I was nicely placed with WFP to use my (previous) professional experience redoing their monitoring and surveying materials and evaluating their school feeding program. My counterparts were really motivated, organized, and energetic...[The CCVs in Guinea] performed a valuable service and were really appreciated by our counterparts."

Other CCVs return to their original countries of service to give back again while capitalizing on the professional experience they have gained since Peace Corps. "[My assignment] required many of the skills and abilities that I gained from jobs that I have held since being a PCV in Thailand 16 years ago...I did not expect or realize that the Crisis Corps assign-

ment would demonstrate to me how much I had learned and grown professionally after my original assignment. The Crisis Corps provided an opportunity for me to give back to my former country with more maturity, skills, wisdom, perception, and professionalism" - Mark Henley, Thailand Tsunami CCV.

Volunteers like Shimon Prohow, PCV Togo, Zambia CCV, are using Crisis Corps service to transition back to development work in the field while adding to their professional experience. "Crisis Corps allowed me to get attached in a real way again and on a ground level to a program that I could imagine and enact." While the reality of using a Crisis Corps assignment to transition back into overseas development work will vary with the situation, many CCVs have used their volunteer assignment to demonstrate to NGOs in the field just what they're capable of doing.

Crisis Corps Frequently Asked Questions

Am I eligible for the Crisis Corps?

In general, applicants are required to have successfully completed their two years of Peace Corps Volunteer service. However, candidates who were not able to complete their PC service due to reasons beyond their control, (i.e. evacuation), but who have completed at least one year of PCV service (not including training), may be considered as well.

How is the Crisis Corps experience different from Peace Corps?

Returned Crisis Corps Volunteers (CCVs) have reported that assignments are intense, challenging, and rewarding. Many volunteers have commented that their Crisis Corps assignment provided an avenue to obtain career-focused experience while accomplishing tangible results in a condensed period of time. Crisis Corps Volunteers are considered Peace Corps Volunteers, however the key difference is that your Crisis Corps assignment is short term. The rules and regulations that apply to Peace Corps Volunteers generally apply to Crisis Corps Volunteers, as well.

How does the Crisis Corps recruit and place Volunteers?

The Crisis Corps maintains a database of COSing Volunteers and Returned Peace Corps Volunteers interested in Crisis Corps work. When requests come in for Crisis Corps Volunteers,

we search the database for candidates with the appropriate technical, language, and cross-cultural skills. Candidates with the appropriate skills sets will receive an email from a recruiter with a detailed position description. If the candidate is interested in the assignment then a telephone interview is conducted and professional references are checked, including references from Peace Corps staff (when available). It is particularly important that a candidate be able to work independently, with minimal support from Peace Corps staff. Finally, a candidate is invited and enters into the clearance process. Our goal is to have a CCV in country within 8-10 weeks of opening a project.

What should I do if I see a position that I am interested in, but have not been contacted by Crisis Corps?

If you see an assignment that you are qualified and available for, it is entirely appropriate to contact us first as no database search is ever exhaustive. We have over 3000 applicants in our database and assignments can be quite competitive, so we recommend being proactive about watching for positions that interest you. If you already have your application materials on file, simply send us an email at crisiscorps@peacecorps.gov or cover letter with the Position Title in the subject line so that the appropriate recruiter may evaluate your skills and follow up directly with you. Otherwise, when you apply, note the position you are interested in.

Will I only be considered for an assignment in my region of service?

The Crisis Corps seeks to make the strongest match possible between the request for assistance and the language, technical, and cross cultural skills of the Volunteer. Much depends on the nature of the request and the backgrounds of available candidates. In certain instances, language skills and country knowledge are less relevant than strong technical skills.

What type of training is provided for a Crisis Corps assignment?

Volunteers receive a short Peace Corps orientation upon arrival to country, generally three days. The partnering organization also provides an orientation. No additional training is provided as Crisis Corps selects Volunteers who already have the relevant skills.

Does Crisis Corps operate only in countries where there is an existing Peace Corps program?

No. The Crisis Corps can send Volunteers to a country that does not have a Peace Corps program as long as the safety and security of the Volunteers is reasonably assured and medical care is available. We have placed Crisis Corps Volunteers in Bosnia, a country that has not had a Peace Corps presence before, as well as in

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Venezuela, Czech Republic, and Sri Lanka – all countries in which Peace Corps had programs in the past.

Do Crisis Corps Volunteers receive the same benefits that Peace Corps Volunteers receive?

Crisis Corps Volunteers receive round trip airline tickets to and from their countries of assignment, settling-in, living, leave, and readjustment allowances, and medical care. CCVs are also eligible for Workmen's Compensation for service-related injuries as well as for CorpsCare. Crisis Corps Volunteers receive the same amount of readjustment allowance as do Peace Corps Volunteers. The full amount of this allowance is sent to their home of record upon completion of their assignment.

How do I apply?

The application process consists of sending Crisis Corps an application, resume, and a copy of your Description of Service (if available) via email, fax or mail. For more information please explore our website, send us an email or call us.

How do I contact Crisis Corps?

Please email us at crisiscorps@peacecorps.gov or call our office at 800.424.8580 ext. 2250 or 202.692.2250. Our mailing address is:
Peace Corps / Crisis Corps
1111 20th Street NW
Washington, D.C. 20526

Apply Now for Upcoming Opportunities: Registering in the Crisis Corps System

Crisis Corps is searching for the right candidates to join its team of dedicated and highly skilled volunteers. Listed below are typical positions you will find available. If you would like to be considered for future opportunities, please submit your application immediately using our [online application form](#). If you've applied previously and wish to update your résumé, please send all materials to crisiscorps@peacecorps.gov. Because time is of the essence in filling Crisis Corps Volunteer positions, recruitment and placement specialists immediately search the database of current applicants as positions become available. Crisis Corps positions generally require a commitment of three to six months and offer a living allowance, health care coverage and relocation allowance similar to that of a PCV.

HIV/AIDS Specialist

The Crisis Corps is searching for HIV/AIDS specialists with expertise in Orphans and Vulnerable Care, Behavior Change Communication, Voluntary Testing and Counseling, Project Management, and NGO/Government Management. Successful previous service in the Peace Corps, plus significant professional experience and/or a degree appropriate to the HIV/AIDS sector is required. French and/or Spanish desired. Applicants must have successfully served a minimum of one year as a PCV.

Applicants to the HIV/AIDS sector will be considered for future programming in primarily western and southern Africa and the Inter-Americas.

Disaster Planning and Mitigation

The Crisis Corps is requesting applications from RPCVs with experience in Disaster Planning and Mitigation, significant professional experience in municipality management, or a bachelor's degree or higher in urban planning, municipal management, disaster planning or a related degree. The applicant must have successfully served a minimum of one year as a PCV.

Disaster Planning and Mitigation applicants can expect to see variety of assignments throughout the world. Recent project locations include Sri Lanka, Thailand, Guatemala, El Salvador, and Jamaica.

Humanitarian Assistance

The Crisis Corps is also requesting applications from RPCVs with minimum 3 years experience in NGO or project management. MBA, MPA, MPH and MSW graduates are especially encouraged to apply. Applicants must have successfully served a minimum of one year as a PCV.

Candidates interested in applying to the Humanitarian Assistance sector will serve in a variety in assignment locations and often work in project capacity building. Current and past projects include, Guatemala, Guinea, El Salvador and Jamaica.

For information on Crisis Corps and to apply, visit the Web or call...

www.peacecorps.gov/crisiscorps or 800.424.8580, ext. 2250





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Share your personal Peace Corps stories about your country of service with your community—and help Americans nationwide increase their understanding of the world and its people.

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For more information, e-mail pcweek@peacecorps.gov or call 800.424.8580, ext. 1961.

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