

International women workcamp (Only for women volunteers) in Bangladesh

Programme duration: October 21 to Nov 02 - 2010

The IWWC programme will consist of Twelve days including of facilitated physical work, workshops, lectures, group work and presentations for 15 to 20 participants who are women volunteers, women activists and SCI members from the **AP&M (Asia pacific and Mauritius region) and Internationals.**

Place of the programme: Mymensingh Orphanage, Mymensingh, Bangladesh.

Aim of the programme: Empowerment of the women in the globe and especially in AP& M.

Objectives:

- To promote and ensure women rights
- To recognize women's contribution in development
- To eradicate discrimination on women
- To ensure women's participation in all level in a greater context

It is anticipated that this programme will benefit the volunteers in their work, as knowledge and skills; exchange will occur and will assist in promoting an understanding and respect of cultural diversity in respect to women issues.

SCI has always seen its work camp as form of action and education. People learn about and educate on work camps, because they are living and working in an international group, they meet up with people who are willing to do voluntary work and meet people from different culture, they get acquainted with local situations. Work camps are an ideal context to discuss the issues regarding women rights, the process of identifying their real needs, their aspirations and obstacles

Main Activities

- Facilitate experiential learning opportunities on Women Issues.
- Offer experienced trainers with knowledge and experience on relevant topics.
- Physical work would be white washing and cleaning the orphanage building. Some repairing work of orphanage kitchen and dining.
- Opportunities for participants to network and share best practice from their respective areas.
- Provide a forum for developing a vision for working collaboratively for the regional development in women issues.
- Participants will get the opportunity to meet and dialogue with women activist of different women organisation.

Resource schedule

- Accommodation: simple (SCI Style) accommodation in the Orphanage building. Please bring your sleeping bag.
- Food: freshly cooked local food (rice, lentil, vegetable, fish or meat curries)
- Insurance: all volunteers will be provided SCI Insurance.
- Washing facilities will be available at the site of accommodation
- volunteers may use internet facilities while at internet cafe for the purposes .
- No instruments/working tools will be required by the volunteers

Participation Fees: 100 euro for international volunteer.


No Registration fees required for volunteers from AP&M countries

Deadline: last date for application October 10, 2010.

For more info, please contact and send application:

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1 APPLICATION FORM

Surname			
First name			
Birth date		Female <input type="checkbox"/>	
Name of sending organisation			
Contact person			
Permanent Address			
Email			
 Phone			
Home			
Mobile			
Work			
Fax			
Special needs? (dietary, allergies)			
Do you need a visa to visit ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
<u>If YES, please fill in:</u>			
Nationality (citizen of):			
Passport number:			
Place & date of issue:			

Date of expiry:

Your passport has to be valid at least for next 6 months .

[Please answer the following questions:](#)

What is your current profession? If student state subject!

How are you involved in SCI? If you are involved in any other organisation, Please indicate what is your role or responsibilities?

Do you have any experience with Women empowerment , Women rights, Leadership Development, New Communication Tools, Democratic Participation, Conflict management and Fund Raising, etc.? Please share your experience.

What are your motivations to take part in this special Work Camp ?

What are your expectations for the WorkCamp?

How will you continue your involvement in this field in the future? Any concrete ideas?

Languages: Describe your ability to communicate in the language (e.g. I am able to speak basic English and understand a lecture or presentation if the terminology used is not too complex...)

	Speak			Write			Read		
	good	fair	slight	good	fair	slight	good	fair	slight
1. English	1.1						1.2		
3. Nepali									
4. Hindi									
5. Urdu									
6. Others									

Skills you would like to mention (such as practical, artistic, domestic, intellectual, etc.)

How will you come to Bangladesh (bus, train, and plane)?

Is there anything special you can contribute to the WorkCamp?

Please feel free to add your own comments!

Please send your application to SCI- Bangladesh to: scibangladesh@gmail.com