UNV Online Volunteering Offer for the UN response to the floods in Libya

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The Online Volunteering solution of the United Nations Volunteers (UNV) programme provides you with flexible and speedy Online Volunteer capacity from around the world to support your rapid crisis and emergency response; from mapping of needs and damage assessment to collecting data and preparing situation analyses. Requesting and engaging with motivated Online Volunteers with diverse skills and experiences is facilitated through the AI-powered and cloud-based Unified Volunteering Platform (UVP).

How can Online Volunteers support you?

Online Volunteers can support your delivery in areas including but not limited to:

- Collecting data and preparing situation analyses.
- Evaluating buildings damages and preparing reconstruction plans.
- GIS mapping of flood-affected communities.
- Resource mobilization, partnership and donor coordination.
- Monitoring, evaluation, and reporting.
- Designing communication materials.
- Mental health and counseling.
- Translation and interpretation between Arabic-French-English.
Examples of Online Volunteers delivery

Hurricane Irma in the Caribbean – deliver lifesaving information to the effected communities

After Hurricane Irma hit the Caribbean, UNICEF recruited a team of Online Volunteers and trained them to respond to messages on the situation and advice on how to stay safe. These volunteers have responded to 8,000 messages in 21 days and more than 25,000 people accessed this information using Facebook and Viber Messengers. To read more, click here

Syria and Turkey earthquake – Counseling support for UN staff

Following a destructive earthquake in Syria and Turkey, a dedicated group of online volunteers offered counseling support to UN personnel and their families. They also monitored media for rumors while translating essential psychological support materials and life-saving information from English into Arabic and Turkish, ensuring these resources are accessible to those in distress. To read more, click here

Further information:

General information on OV:
- Online Volunteer assignment criteria Step-by-step guidance:
- Create online Description of Assignment
- Review applications and select candidates
- Provide feedback to your Online Volunteers

Who to contact?

For volunteer recruitment (Onsite-Online)
- Mrs Olfa Ben Hamida, Country Coordinator for Libya at olfa.ben-hamida@unv.org

For technical questions related to OV
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