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Remarque sur le lieu d’affectation

Lieu d’Affectation

UN Youth Volunteer assignments

Conditions de vie

Solomon Islands is a nation of 992 islands, situated in the South Pacific, stretching over 1,300 square kilometres of ocean. The nearest neighbours are PNG to the West, the Fiji Islands to the East, Australia to the South West and New Zealand due South. It is one of the four Least Developed Countries or LCDs in the Pacific. Its capital is Honiara, which is situated within the main province of Guadalcanal.

The nation of the Solomon Islands is a member of the Commonwealth of Nations. The Solomon Islanders
comprise rich diverse cultures, languages, and customs. Of its 552,438 persons, 94.5% are Melanesian, 3% Polynesian, and 1.2% Micronesian. In addition, small numbers of Europeans and Chinese are registered. The rural/urban population breakdown was 14% in cities, about 2% in dense urban peripheries and the remainder, 84% rural. Its untouched nature is pristine and beautiful, presenting potential for future tourism development. Clinics and main National Referral Hospital are in Honiara City Council, also in other provinces, but as is the case in LCDs, the quality of specialized medical services is limited. There is a list of UN appointed physicians who are made available to provide first aid assistance and guidance. Malaria and Dengue fever are endemic in the Solomon Islands. Educational opportunities for older children of expatriate families are limited, and connectivity is expensive and slow. However, the ongoing undersea cable project is expected to address this challenge in the near future. The most common language spoken among the locals is Pidgin which is mixture of Melanesian and English. English is taught in schools and is the official language.

Détails sur l'Affectation

Titre de l'Affectation
Associate Youth & Climate Change Outreach

Contexte organisationnel & description du projet

The report stresses that resident coordinator offices will need to be adequately staffed to ensure sufficient substantive capacities to lead United Nations country teams. The core capacity will include expertise in coordination and strategic planning, economics, results monitoring and evaluation, and strategic partnerships, and a robust standing communications capacity within United Nations country teams.

The UN Resident Coordinator (RC) provides leadership to the Pacific Joint UN Country Team and the UN’s programming work, as outlined in the UN Pacific Strategy, in support of national priorities. The RC has a team composed of national and international staff, forming the RC Office (RCO), and is based in Suva (Fiji). The RC oversees 10 Pacific Small Island Developing States (Pacific SIDS or PSIDS), namely Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Palau, Kiribati, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Vanuatu. Twenty-six resident and non-resident UN entities are signatories to the UNPS and members of The Pacific Joint UN Country Team. The current UN Development Assistance Framework (Pacific Strategy) covers 14 countries and territories and outlines UN’s engagement in support of these countries’ national strategic priorities. The current cycle is for the years 2018-2022. The UN Pacific Strategy has six outcome areas and is monitored through 38 indicators.

The RCO fulfils ten core coordination functions, namely strategic analysis and planning; oversight of the UN country programming cycle; representation of and support of UN Secretariat and UN agencies (incl. non-resident agencies); support to national coordination systems and processes; development and management of shared operational support services; crisis management preparedness and response; external communication and advocacy; human rights and development; joint resource mobilisation and fund management; and general UNCT oversight and coordination.
This position is part of the Resident Coordinator Multi-Country Office in Fiji, with duty station in Solomon Islands. This UNV assignment is part of the 2020 UN75 initiative.

Objectifs de développement
durable

17. Partnerships For the Goals

Description de l'action

Under the direct supervision of UN Resident Coordinator in Suva, Fiji, the UN Volunteer will undertake the following tasks:

1. Collects and documents the voices of youth, women and people living with disabilities in small island developing states to document the impact of climate change.
2. Acts as a focal point for convening youth and supporting them as drivers of UN75 – encouraging dialogues on climate change and environmental sustainability.
3. Supports UN75 outreach activities in-country, especially amongst the three target groups – Women & Girls, Persons with Disabilities and Youth.
4. Assists the Communications & Advocacy Analyst in the designing, drafting and implementation of UN75 activities as part of the Pacific Listening Tour in the host country.
5. Supports the drafting of a one-page report/summary of any UN75 activities held in-country.
6. Participates in the designing, drafting and sharing of news stories, success stories, blog posts, posters, videos, infographics and other products pertaining to UN75 as well as general UN activities in-country.
7. Supports the creation and maintenance of a photo bank.
8. Participates in the weekly RCO meeting with the UN country coordination specialist to provide updates related to UN75.

En plus de ce qui précède, les Volontaires des Nations Unies sont censés :

- Renforcer leurs connaissances et compréhension du concept du volontariat en lisant la documentation mise à disposition par le programme VNU, les publications externes et prendre activement part aux activités du programme VNU, par exemple s‘impliquer dans les activités commémoratives de la Journée internationale des Volontaires (JIV), le 5 décembre.
- Se familiariser et développer toute forme de volontariat traditionnel et/ou local au niveau du pays d’accueil.
- Refléter le type et la nature des actions volontaires qu’ils entreprennent, y compris leur participation dans les réflexions substantielles.
- Contribuer à la rédaction des articles sur les expériences de terrain à soumettre pour la publication du programme VNU/ site web, bulletin et notes de presse, etc.
- Contribuer au Programme d’accueil des Volontaires des Nations Unies nouvellement arrivés dans le pays d’affectionation.
- Promouvoir ou conseiller les groupes locaux dans l’utilisation des volontaires en ligne ou en-courager les individus et les organisations à utiliser les services de volontaires en ligne quand cela est techniquement possible.

Résultats / résultats attendus

As an active RC Multi-Country Office team member, efficient, timely, responsive, client-friendly and high-quality support rendered to RC Multi-Country Office and its beneficiaries in the accomplishment of her/his functions, including:
1. Documented and shareable evidence of the impacts of climate change on people living in small island developing states – especially youth, women & girls & people living with disabilities.

2. Documented evidence of any other UN75 dialogues/activities conducted in-country

3. A collection of videos, images, success stories, human interest stories, blog posts and social media material pertaining to dialogues; evidence gathered and UN75 activities.

4. A contact list of partners working with the three target groups - Women & Girls, Persons with Disabilities and Youth [e.g. local youth associations, NGO’s. etc.]

5. An established Photo Bank.

- The development of capacity through coaching, mentoring and formal on-the-job training, when working with (including supervising) national staff or (non-) governmental counter-parts, including Implementing Partners (IPs);
- Age, Gender and Diversity (AGD) perspective is systematically applied, integrated and documented in all activities throughout the assignment
- A final statement of achievements towards volunteerism for peace and development during the assignment, such as reporting on the number of volunteers mobilized, activities participated in and capacities developed

### Qualifications / Exigences

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<td>Environmental Sciences, Climate Change, Communications, Journalism, Public Relations, International Relations, Social Sciences or other related field</td>
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<td>Demonstrate interest and/or experience (up to 2 years) in community outreach, advocacy communications or public relations</td>
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<td>Previous experience as a volunteer and/or experience of another culture, (i.e. studies, volunteer work, internship) would be highly regarded;</td>
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### Linguistiques

- English (Mandatory) , Niveau - Fluent

### Domaine d'expertise

- Other development programme/project experience Obligatoire

### Domaine d'expertise requis

### Learning Expectations

Learning and development are a central part of the UN Youth Volunteer’s assignment and take place before, during and after his or her assignment in the field. Ideally, offering diverse opportunities for
learning and development aim to strengthen the volunteer’s skills and competences, improve the quality of the assignment and keep the volunteer’s motivation high.

Learning elements for the UN Youth Volunteer include the development of:

- Professional skills: including specific competencies and reflection on assignment-related abilities; and on-the-job skills such as time management, problem solving, team building; and career preparedness such as interview skills, CV preparation, job searching.
- Inter-personal skills: including communication and listening skills; multi-cultural awareness and cultural competency; and conflict and stress management.
- Volunteering-related skills: including leadership; civic responsibility; and engagement and active participation.

Beyond the learning opportunities provided by UNV, the host agency will support knowledge and capacity development in the technical areas that are relevant to the UN Youth Volunteer’s assignment. The host agency will provide, at its expense, UN Youth Volunteers with equal opportunity to participate in training courses and workshops offered to its personnel.

Permis de Conduire exigé
Oui

Compétences et Valeurs

- Accountability
- Adaptability and Flexibility
- Client Orientation
- Commitment and Motivation
- Communication
- Creativity
- Knowledge Sharing
- Planning and Organizing
- Respect for Diversity
- Technological Awareness

Conditions de service et autres informations

Conditions de service: Click here to view Conditions of Service

The contract lasts for the period indicated above with possibility of extensions subject to availability of funding, operational necessity and satisfactory performance. However, there is no expectation of renewal of the assignment.
A UN Volunteer receives a Volunteer Living Allowance (VLA) per month and is paid at the end of each month to cover housing, utilities, transportation, communications and other basic needs. The VLA can be computed by applying the Post-Adjustment Multiplier (PAM) to the VLA base rate of (choose from the drop down menu the appropriate rate here): US$1,305. The VLA base rate is a global rate, while the PAM is country-specific and fluctuates on a monthly basis according to the cost of living. This method ensures that international UN Volunteers have comparable purchasing power at all duty stations irrespective of varying costs of living. The PAM is established by the International Civil Service Commission (ICSC) and is published at the beginning of every month on the ICSC website http://icsc.un.org.

For UN Volunteer entitlements, kindly refer to the link https://vmam.unv.org/calculator/entitlements

In non-family duty stations that belong to hardship categories D or E, as classified by the ICSC, international UN Volunteers receive a Well-Being Differential (WBD) on a monthly basis.

Furthermore, UN Volunteers are provided a settling-in-grant (SIG) at the start of the assignment (if the volunteer did not reside in the duty station for at least 6 months prior to taking up the assignment) and also in the event of a permanent reassignment to another duty station.

UNV provides life, health, permanent disability insurances as well as assignment travel, annual leave, full integration in the UN security framework (including residential security reimbursements).

UN Volunteers are paid Daily Subsistence Allowance at the UN rate for official travels, flight tickets for the final repatriation travel (if applicable). A resettlement allowance is paid for satisfactory service at the end of the assignment.

UNV will provide, together with the offer of assignment, a copy of the Conditions of Service, including Code of conduct, to the successful candidate.

Supervision, induction and duty of care of UN Volunteers

UN Volunteers should be provided equal duty of care as extended to all host entity personnel. Host entity support to the UN Volunteer includes, but is not limited to:

- Introductory briefings about the organisation and office-related context including security, emergency procedures, good cultural practice and orientation to the local environment;

- Support with arrival administration including setting-up of bank accounts, residence permit applications
and completion of other official processes as required by the host government or host entity;

- Structured guidance, mentoring and coaching by a supervisor including a clear workplan and performance appraisal;

- Access to office space, equipment, IT support and any other systems and tools required to complete the objectives of the assignment including a host entity email address;

- Access to shared host entity corporate knowledge, training and learning;

- Inclusion of the volunteer in emergency procedures such as evacuations;

- Leave management;

- DSA for official travel, when applicable;

- All changes in the Description of Assignment occurring between recruitment and arrival or during the assignment need to be formalized with the United Nations Volunteer Programme.

**Code d'application**

SLBR000027-6306

**Application procedure**

**Prerequisites**

This assignment is funded by the Government of Korea, therefore only Korean nationals are eligible. Candidates who have served as UN Youth Volunteer funded by Korea before are not eligible to apply. Former UN University Volunteers are eligible.

Candidates must be between 22 and 29 years of age throughout the duration of their service, i.e. born between 1 July 1991 and 1 July 1998.

Selected candidates will be invited to attend an Assignment Preparation Training in Bonn, Germany from 15 – 18 June 2020.

**Selection process**

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. The selection will be done by the UN Host Entity at the level of the country of assignment. Interviews will be conducted by the UN Host Entity between 30 March and 24 April. Usually these interviews are competency-based.

**How to apply**

Please apply via the link below. You can then either log in if you already have an account or register via
‘Candidate Signup’.

You may apply to a maximum of three assignments per advertisement and indicate your order of preference in the ‘Additional Remarks’ section of your profile.

**Application deadline: 8 March 2020**

doa.apply_url

https://vmam.unv.org//candidate/show-doa/U0xCUjAwMDAyNw==

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