

EVS call

Mladi zmaji & TiPovej! ASSISTANT

Date and venue: Ljubljana, March 2019 - March 2020

Volunteers: 1

How to apply?

Fill in the google form

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1f6ncpPM7ztAamzgEo_sSSqfcuf9tIN2wCL_NvW9IEos/edit

Deadline for applying: 3rd December 2018

Assistance in coordinating and implementing activities of the strategic EVS in the local environment. The volunteer will cooperate with the organisations Mladi zmaji and TiPovej!, typically 4 days per week at Mladi zmaji and 1 day per week at TiPovej!. These two organisations carry out several youth projects together, but also have separate activities. Most of the volunteer's work will be completed at Mladi zmaji youth centers in Ljubljana and the rest in the TiPovej! office. The volunteer will be in charge of contacts with young people, finding and supporting local youth initiatives, helping young people in the process "from idea to reality", and working on the project "Green Ljubljana" - creating an incubator of quality of urban life, education, support and implementation of local initiatives and help in transferring the acquired knowledge into partially privileged areas.



Mladi Zmaji

[JAVNI ZAVOD MLADI ZMAJI](#) is a network of innovative district youth centres and playgrounds that the city of Ljubljana is using to activate young people and give them a chance to change their lives.

Youth centres offer all sorts of activities for youth. Programmes include opportunities for non-formal and informal learning and everyday socialising, where visitors can gain new knowledge and skills, meet interesting people, broaden their horizons, get motivation and overcome their own limitations. Youth centres are like a public living room where young people can get information, make friends, gain self-confidence and learn social skills. They are safe places where young people meet supportive adults and also a place where they have the opportunity to take part in organised workshops and events with the support of mentors. Youth workers employed there focus on maintaining a safe, respectful and creative environment. JAVNI ZAVOD MLADI ZMAJI cooperates with the local community, district schools, centres for social services, youth organisations and NGOs in Ljubljana and Slovenia, universities, volunteers. We have 4 youth centres and a mobile/street unit of youth workers; each one different from the other.



TiPovej!

[TiPovej!](#) is an embassy of a creative society. We believe that people who can present their ideas clearly have a greater chance of success. And the greater the number of people who can realize their ideas, the more developed and successful the society. That is why we devise, organize and implement different workshops at schools, NGOs and youth centres for supporting the process of idea development. We bring successful individuals/entrepreneurs and young people together to help youngsters find their own creativity, teach them creative thinking and search for new solutions.

TiPovej! is also a member of a newly established Youth network for career development, where we work with other NGOs in Ljubljana to support young people in finding their passions and building the path to achieving their ideal careers.



What are we looking for in a volunteer?

- Motivation to work with young people.
- Educational and social skills, to be able to work with different target groups.
- Good knowledge of English language.
- Good communication skills.
- Proactive attitude to be able to approach and motivate young people, and create activities and projects of your own.
- Teamwork abilities.
- Open-mindedness and empathy.
- Enthusiasm about learning new skills in different fields of NGO work.
- Adaptability both to a wide range of tasks and to occasionally more or less busy working days.

What activities will the volunteer carry out?

- Help organise and carry out workshops.
- Organise cultural events in Basement (concert hall and studio.)
- Plan and implement weekend programme in youth centres.
- Help with organizing some of the traditional Mladi zmaji events: Plata - soccer against discrimination, ŠiškaOpen, Festival Biti mlad je zakon,...
- Talk, socialise and discuss with youngsters (the goal is practicing speaking English language and broadening horizons).
- Contribute to different project management tasks, including organising study visits and meetings, developing promo material and administrative work.
- Help manage social media by providing good quality content.