



Ikando - Specialists in Volunteer Placements

"Ikando's ethics and goals are exemplary. It shows that there are some organizations out there that are ethical and run by wonderful, caring, switched on people."

Ralph Stone -
November 2006



How to Apply

Please fill in the application form you have been sent and email it together with an up-to-date resume (CV) to:
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Web designer with Ikando

Ikando helps organisations across Africa to access free development solutions enabling them to progress and achieve their ultimate aims. Ikando provides consultancy services, skilled volunteers and a contact network to its partner organisations. These combined allow the nonprofit partner organisations to manage their affairs better, access different skill sets through the placement of volunteers and link up with other organisations of benefit to them. We hope our volunteers will become responsible global citizens as a result of their experience with Ikando, promoting the need for social change and raising awareness in their home communities on the issues they encountered. Africa has a lot to offer but also needs support, the support it rightfully deserves.

Ghana is a fascinating country historically, culturally and because of its astoundingly beautiful environment. It has some great beaches, wild savannah and dense tropical rain forests. It was the first country in Africa to secure its independence and has a recent history of political stability with a rapidly growing economy.

While the Ghanaians have few material possessions, they possess a strong sense of family and community responsibility. They are hospitable and friendly to foreigners, which is not surprising given that the basis of Ghanaian life is an appreciation for taking time to visit with others. This English-speaking country is a great introduction to Africa - stable, democratic, safe and rewarding to visit.

The volunteer

Ikando is looking to recruit a web developer to take charge of our current project websites and some of our partner organisations websites. We are looking for someone with an extensive background in web design & development. Websites that need to be developed are:

- Partnerschool.org: a website specifically designed to link schools in Ghana with schools in the west. We hope to raise funds and foster cross cultural learning.
- Africaintern.org is specifically designed to offer internships to international students.
- ArtsinAfrica.org aims to help art organisations in Ghana recruit volunteers and to develop cross cultural understanding.
- Volunteerbuild.org is a current Ikando project which builds facilities with the help of international volunteers for organisations in need and completely free of charge.
- Ikando.org needs to be developed and upgraded.

Requirements

- The volunteer must have a solid background in web design.
- The volunteer must be able to work with Dreamweaver MX 2004
- The volunteer must have script experience.
- Some of the sites may include integration of an online payment system, the ideal candidate will have experience in this.

Ikando will cover all placement costs and accommodation costs associated with this placement, including support and an in-country introduction to life in Ghana.

Accommodation Details

You will be staying at the Ikando accommodation in the center of Accra with other Ikando volunteers. The accommodation is clean, safe and well maintained. There will be a cleaner available to you to do your washing and ironing and market shopping if required.

Airport pick-up

Please arrive on a weekday to ensure an Ikando member of staff will be available to pick you up from the airport and take you to the Ikando accommodation.

What's not included?

- Flights & Visa
- Vaccinations (please speak to your local GP)
- Insurance (required)