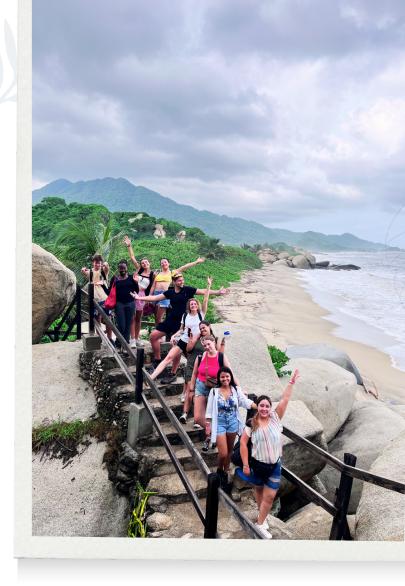
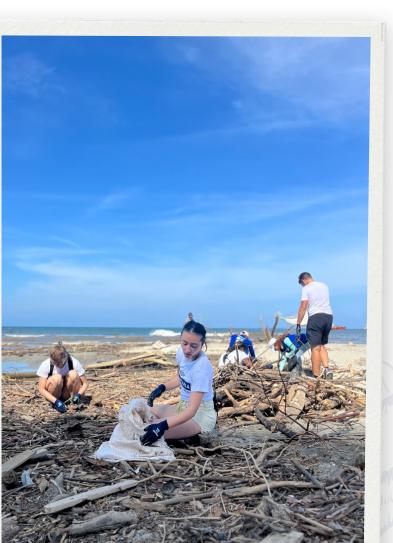




Fundación WeCollab ONG is a non-profit organization founded in 2020 and based in Colombia; which aims to develop and promote national and international opportunities for cultural exchange, through volunteer programs; seeking to strengthen international understanding and social participation, as educational tools for peace; fostering eco-friendly developments of environment, cultural heritage, vulnerable communities, people with disabilities, culture, tourism and art. Furthermore, WeCollab seeks to promote and develop initiatives aimed at learning by doing.





#### Office:

Based in Bogotá, Colombia. No physical office.

# **Working hours:**

Between 8am and 5pm (GMT-5) Monday to Friday

# **Emergency contact:**

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Activities: Workcamps / MTVs

4 Workcamps

2 MTVs

Online





# **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

# Age limit:

18 - 99 (with some exceptions)

# Language:

English, but almost every program requires a certain level of Spanish.

#### Extra fee:

All our programs have extra fee, it's mainly to cover the food and accommodation of the volunteers.

#### Insurance:

We provide a local insurance, but this does not exempt participants from obtaining international health insurance.

# PROGRAMS

# WORKCAMPS

CODE	TITLE	START DATE	END DATE	TYPE	LOCATION	NO. VOLS	EXTRA FEE
WECO2024-1	Let's build an Ecodome!	15/07/2024	02/08/2024	CONS/ENVI/MANU	Bogotá	10	360 EUR
WECO2024-2	Between sea and mountain	05/08/2024	23/08/2024	KIDS/EDU/ART	Santa Marta	8	390 EUR
WECO2024-3	Between sea and mountain	30/09/2024	19/10/2024	KIDS/EDU/ART	Santa Marta	8	390 EUR
WECO2024-5	Between sea and mountain	04/11/2024	22/11/2024	KIDS/EDU/ART	Santa Marta	8	390 EUR

# MTVs

CODE	TITLE	START DATE	END DATE	TYPE	LOCATION	NO. VOLS	EXTRA FEE
WECO2024-MTVI	Volunteer in a cloud forest	29/07/2024	12/09/2024	ENVI / CHIL / CONS	Bogotá	2	75 EUR / month
WECO2024-MTV3	Let's Speak English (2nd semester)	01/07/2024	15/11/2024	EDU / CHIL / SOCI	Medellin	4	80 EUR / month

# ONLINE

CODE	TITLE	START DATE	END DATE	TYPE	LOCATION	NO. VOLS	EXTRA FEE
WECO2024-VC01	Volunteer In-House	01/01/2024	31/12/2025	EDU / STUD / SOCI	Online	5	20 EUR / month

NAME: Let's build an EcoDome CODE: WEC02024-1 DATE: 15.07.2024 - 02.08.2024 English LANGUAGE: Bogotá LOCATION: PLACES: CONS/ENVI/MANU AGE: 10°-18°C (Foggy) TYPE: **EXTRA FEE: 360 EUR WEATHER:** 18 - 65

#### Work

Help us build an EcoDome with sustainable materials in the heart of a natural park, designed as a space to rest and share the ancestral knowledge of the Muisca culture.

#### Food and accommodation

The accomodation is a nice and cozy house only for the volunteers in the middle of the natural park. Please bring a sleeping bag. There is a laundry to wash your clothes.

Volunteers will cook together. This is a perfect space to share recipes and have a culinary cultural exchange. Shopping is organized by the leader(s) and the park, but the volunteers might help. Vegetarian food option is also available. Please do not expect expensive/special ingredients (olive oil, nuts, etc), but the Colombian cuisine is rich in fruits, vegetables and 3x a week there will be meat in the menu.

The water heater depends on the availability of gas. On some occasions, hot showers might not be available, but in general there is hot water available.

#### Local Host

This project will be carried out in cooperation with a natural park, located near Bogotá, between 2.100m and 2.600m above sea level.

# **Meeting Point**

15th July at 9am in Bogotá, at Centro Comercial Hayuelos.

- Good health and physical condition, willing to hike the mountain on steep slopes, and understand the implications of working outdoors.
- Tetanus Vaccine (highly recommended)
- The extra fee must be paid at the latest 1 month prior to the project starting via bank transfer / Paypal.
- There is limited Wi-Fi (because there is only satellite internet in this remote area). It may only be used for basic needs, such as communication (some calls, messages, mails) and information (research, press), but not for large downloads, videos, streaming (music or movies), video calls, etc.







WEC02024-2 NAME: CODE: **PLACES:** Between sea and mountain # 1= English/Spanish 05.08.2024 - 23.08.2024 LANGUAGE: **LOCATION:** Santa Marta DATE: TYPE: KIDS/EDU/ART AGE: 18-99 **WEATHER: EXTRA FEE: 390 EUR** 24° - 32°C

#### Work

In general, volunteers will plan and run various activities for kids and the community.

The work includes:

- Plan and carry out English lessons for kids.
- Participate in beach cleaning.
- Plan and prepare a community cinema for children.
- Spend time with children, playing, chatting, and being a role model for them.
- Organize environmental workshops for kids.
- Help out at a public kindergarten with manual work (painting, planting trees, etc.). .

Our volunteers work around 4 or 5 days a week (5-6 hours daily), depending on the activities.

\*Activities may change according to the total number of participants, weather conditions and other external factors.

#### Food and accommodation

Volunteers will stay in shared rooms in a house located just a 10-minute walk from the beach, with views to the sea and the mountain. The house has a spacious kitchen and different common areas like living room, terrace, and a garden. The accommodation has good WiFi connection and provides laundry service once a week.

The workcamp includes 3 meals a day. The camp leader is in charge of the shopping (the volunteers might help) and volunteers cook together. Vegetarian food option is also available.

Please do not expect expensive/special ingredients (olive oil, nuts, etc), but the Colombian cuisine is rich in fruits, vegetables and 3x a week there will be meat in the menu.

There will be a cooking lesson during the workcamp where you can learn how to prepare a typical Colombian food.

# **Local Host**

This program will be carried out in collaboration with a non-profit foundation in Santa Marta, which engages volunteers to serve both the community and the environment itself. They undertake impactful projects primarily focused on environmental and social aspects, contributing to making the world a better place for all.

# **Meeting Point**

5th August, 2pm in Santa Marta, in Centro Comercial Arrecife, Rodadero.

- The volunteer's participation is confirmed after the extra fee is paid.
  The payment must be done at the latest 1 month prior to the project starting via bank transfer / Paypal.
- Language: Intermediate English (Spanish is a plus. If no Spanish, we recommend start learning before you come).







CODE: WEC02024-3 **PLACES:** NAME: Between sea and mountain # 2 English/Spanish 30.09.2024 - 18.10.2024 LANGUAGE: **LOCATION:** Santa Marta DATE: TYPE: KIDS/EDU/ART AGE: 18-99 **WEATHER: EXTRA FEE: 390 EUR** 24° - 32°C

# Work

In general, volunteers will plan and run various activities for kids and the community.

The work includes:

- Plan and carry out English lessons for kids.
- Participate in beach cleaning.
- Plan and prepare a community cinema for children.
- Spend time with children, playing, chatting, and being a role model for them.
- Organize environmental workshops for kids.
- Help out at a public kindergarten with manual work (painting, planting trees, etc.). .

Our volunteers work around 4 or 5 days a week (5-6 hours daily), depending on the activities.

\*Activities may change according to the total number of participants, weather conditions and other external factors.

#### Food and accommodation

Volunteers will stay in shared rooms in a house located just a 10-minute walk from the beach, with views to the sea and the mountain. The house has a spacious kitchen and different common areas like living room, terrace, and a garden. The accommodation has good WiFi connection and provides laundry service once a week.

The workcamp includes 3 meals a day. The camp leader is in charge of the shopping (the volunteers might help) and volunteers cook together. Vegetarian food option is also available.

Please do not expect expensive/special ingredients (olive oil, nuts, etc), but the Colombian cuisine is rich in fruits, vegetables and 3x a week there will be meat in the menu.

There will be a cooking lesson during the workcamp where you can learn how to prepare a typical Colombian food.

# **Local Host**

This program will be carried out in collaboration with a non-profit foundation in Santa Marta, which engages volunteers to serve both the community and the environment itself. They undertake impactful projects primarily focused on environmental and social aspects, contributing to making the world a better place for all.

# **Meeting Point**

30th September, 2pm in Santa Marta, in Centro Comercial Arrecife, Rodadero.

- The volunteer's participation is confirmed after the extra fee is paid.
  The payment must be done at the latest 1 month prior to the project starting via bank transfer / Paypal.
- Language: Intermediate English (Spanish is a plus. If no Spanish, we recommend start learning before you come).







NAME: CODE: WEC02024-5 **PLACES:** Between sea and mountain # 3 English/Spanish 04.11.2024 - 22.11.2024 LANGUAGE: **LOCATION:** Santa Marta DATE: TYPE: KIDS/EDU/ART AGE: 18-99 **WEATHER: EXTRA FEE: 390 EUR** 24° - 32°C

# Work

In general, volunteers will plan and run various activities for kids and the community.

The work includes:

- Plan and carry out English lessons for kids.
- Participate in beach cleaning.
- Plan and prepare a community cinema for children.
- Spend time with children, playing, chatting, and being a role model for them.
- Organize environmental workshops for kids.
- Help out at a public kindergarten with manual work (painting, planting trees, etc.). .

Our volunteers work around 4 or 5 days a week (5-6 hours daily), depending on the activities.

\*Activities may change according to the total number of participants, weather conditions and other external factors.

#### Food and accommodation

Volunteers will stay in shared rooms in a house located just a 10-minute walk from the beach, with views to the sea and the mountain. The house has a spacious kitchen and different common areas like living room, terrace, and a garden. The accommodation has good WiFi connection and provides laundry service once a week.

The workcamp includes 3 meals a day. The camp leader is in charge of the shopping (the volunteers might help) and volunteers cook together. Vegetarian food option is also available.

Please do not expect expensive/special ingredients (olive oil, nuts, etc), but the Colombian cuisine is rich in fruits, vegetables and 3x a week there will be meat in the menu.

There will be a cooking lesson during the workcamp where you can learn how to prepare a typical Colombian food.

# **Local Host**

This program will be carried out in collaboration with a non-profit foundation in Santa Marta, which engages volunteers to serve both the community and the environment itself. They undertake impactful projects primarily focused on environmental and social aspects, contributing to making the world a better place for all.

# **Meeting Point**

4th November, 2pm in Santa Marta, in Centro Comercial Arrecife, Rodadero.

- The volunteer's participation is confirmed after the extra fee is paid.
  The payment must be done at the latest 1 month prior to the project starting via bank transfer / Paypal.
- Language: Intermediate English (Spanish is a plus. If no Spanish, we recommend start learning before you come).







NAME: Let's Speak English (2nd semester) CODE: WECO2024-MTV3 01.07.2024 - 15.11.2024 LANGUAGE: Medellín English/Spanish **LOCATION:** DATE: **PLACES:** TYPE: 80 EUR AGE: 18 - 99 SOCI/EDU/KIDS **EXTRA FEE:** 

#### Work

As a volunteer, you will teach English for about 20-25 hours each week. Most of your teaching will be in a local primary school, working alongside a local teacher. You'll also get help from different professionals to plan your lessons.

There is a total of 4 schools, with 2 in Medellin and 2 in El Carmen de Viboral. Volunteers will be placed in one of these schools to teach.

With your support in teaching English you can contribute to the foundation's purpose of reducing inequality in Colombia. Help us achieve the national goal of being a bilingual country and train children to be global citizens!

#### Food and accommodation

The volunteer receives monthly \$1.600 000 COP (approx. 360 EUR) for accommodation, transportation and food. The local foundation will help you finding an accommodation.

# **Local Host**

This project will be carried out in cooperation with a non-profit organization whose volunteer program is an opportunity to support public institutions and rural educational institutions in Medellín and El Carmen de Viboral.

# **Meeting Point**

In Medellin. The exact place and time will be in the infosheet

#### Remarks

- The extra fee includes WeCollab admin fee, a walking tour in Medellin, and a local insurance during your program. The free time activities are not included in the extra fee.
- The extra fee must be paid at the latest 1 month prior to the project starting via bank transfer / Paypal.

#### **REQUIREMENTS**

- Interview with our local partner via zoom in Spanish.
- A fun, sociable, reliable profile with some teaching/leading groups experience.
- Preferably teaching experience in any area and/or volunteering.
- Language: intermediate Spanish and advance English
- The volunteer is needed to stay the whole duration of the program (4.5 months).







CODE: WECO2024-MTV1 NAME: **Volunteer in a Cloud Forest** LANGUAGE: 08.12.2024 - 31.12.2025 LOCATION: Bogotá DATE: Spanish **PLACES:** ENVI/CONS/KIDS TYPE: **EXTRA FEE:** 75 EUR/month AGE: **WEATHER:** 18 - 65 10°-18°C (Foggy)

#### Work

The Natural Park is a natural reserve that has two lines of volunteering, the first is focused on conservation and its activities are aimed at caring for and protecting the environment, and the second aims at education with children, an alternative school and learning community in the heart of the reserve. As a volunteer you can work in the line that you like the most, having the possibility of working in both lines if you wish. The activities carried out in volunteering are the following:

- 1. Accompany and assist investigations carried out in the reserve
- 2. Maintenance of different spots, such as the small lake "laguna", forest nursery, organic gardens, trails and infrastructure
- 3. Environmental education
- 4. Waste and compost management
- 5. Support in reforestation-restoration work (planting days)
- 6. Accompany the local, learning community's activities (accompany walks with the children, starting new projects, accompany learning processes, play...)
- 7. Language classes with the children (according to the language(s) the volunteer knows)
- 8. Suggest, develop and carry out new initiatives and projects
- 9. Other activities according to the skills and abilities of the volunteer and according to the needs of the natural park and community living there

#### Food and accommodation

The volunteer house is located in the heart of a nature park. It has 2 shared rooms with beds available for 4 people individually and one double bed for a couple. There is also a bathroom, an equipped kitchen, a small living room, terrace and washing machine. The house is not always fully occupied. It may happen that you are the only volunteer, depending on the time of year.

Each volunteer who stays for at least two months is assigned a monthly budget to buy food according to his/her diet; the amount is enough to buy basic food in the local market. The volunteers are responsible for cooking their own meals, this is a perfect space to share recipes and carry out a culinary cultural exchange. Vegetarian food is available.

### **Local Host**

This project will be carried out in cooperation with a natural park, located near Bogotá, between 2.100m and 2.600m above sea level.

# **Meeting Point**

In Bogotá. The exact meeting point will be given in the infosheet.

- Good health and physical condition, willing to hike the mountain on steep slopes, and understand the implications of working outdoors.
- Minimum intermediate Spanish (English is a plus)
- Tetanus Vaccine (highly recommended)
- Minimum 2 months, maximum 6 months
- The extra fee must be paid at the latest 1 month prior to the project starting via bank transfer / Paypal.
- Interview with our local partner via zoom in Spanish.







CODE: WEC02024-VC01 NAME: Volunteer In-House LANGUAGE: Online 01.01.2024 - 31.12.2025 LOCATION: DATE: Spanish **PLACES:** TYPE: EDU/STUD/SOCI **EXTRA FEE:** 20 EUR/month AGE: **WEATHER:** 25 -99 N/A

#### Work

IN HOUSE volunteering refers to inviting individuals to carry out mentoring sessions in their knowledge (management, marketing, projects, technology, etc.) by video call to hundreds of Latin American foundations that work fighting for human rights, gender equality, food security, the environment, among other causes.

#### **Benefits:**

- Collaborators with senior management positions who usually have limitations on travel to vulnerable populations for security reasons can participate.
- It is flexible and adjusts to the individual schedules of each collaborator.
- It is a sustained volunteering over time, unlike the activities that are carried out in outdoor volunteering that are only once a year.
- Promotes a permanent culture of cooperation and social responsibility. Benefits:
- We have an alliance with the prestigious CESA University that certifies our programs and you will receive a certificate as a guest mentor from CESA for your resume when you request it.
- You can receive free coaching sessions and mentoring sessions with colleagues from other professions.
- You can attend all our courses on finance, accounting, marketing, etc.
- You will have support, training and permanent accompaniment from our team.

# Food and accommodation

Home sweet home

# **Local Host**

This online volunteering is carried out in cooperation with a Colombian non-profit organization which aims to support the Social Leaders and Foundation Directors of Latin America so that they can create and strengthen their own non-profit organizations.

If these Foundations achieve their objectives, the whole society wins.

They also connect foundations all around Latin-America and to support them in every possible way.

# **Meeting Point**

This virtual camp will take place in Zoom / Google Meet / Whatsapp (any software that works for both parties, usually foundations at rural areas can do only video calls via Whatsapp). All you need is a good internet connection, webcam, microphone. ¡You can start anytime!

# Remarks

- Language: intermediate Spanish
- Studies and experience are required in the field you want to volunteer in.
- Interview with WeCollab and the local partner.
- The participation fee (monthly).
- Preferred areas where we look for volunteers: Marketing, Technology, Social media, Sales, Finance, Human resources, Social work, Law and Strategy planning.

IMPORTANT: Write in the application your availability and the area you want to volunteer/mentor in.





