

Youth Leadership Programme

GlobalGiving UK, an award winning London based charity, is now recruiting for its Youth Leadership Programme. The Youth Leadership Programme is a practical, immersive, 6 month learning experience for university students interested in grassroots development. The programme provides a supportive but challenging environment that encourages participants to test new skills, learn from failure, develop honest communication, constructive feedback, and be creative and imaginative.

The Youth Leadership Programme works with selected London University students to help you develop your skills and knowledge in international development. This is a great way to increase your employability, gain experience working in the development sector, and add something unique to your CV.

GlobalGiving is a charity that supports small and medium non profits with fundraising and skills building. As a participant in the Youth Leadership Programme you will have a direct impact on the work being done.

The Programme is six months from 21st October to 15th April, during which you will participate in three development and training days. GlobalGiving UK will provide you with the skills, insights and support to achieve the programme tasks. In teams your tasks will include:

- Fundraising for international charity projects
- Evaluating and working directly with a London based charity
- Awareness raising for a specific cause
- Facilitating a workshop for school children

So, if you want to gain skills that will help you improve your **employability** in this sector while **making a difference**, have a passion for **community-led development**, and want to discover more about it in practice - Then we are looking for university students **just like you**

Who are you?

You don't need to have prior volunteering experience, but you should be able to demonstrate that you:

- Are attending a London University (you can be an international, exchange or UK student)
- Can commit to the given time period (4-5 hours a week for 6 months)
- Are a positive, open minded individual
- Can work independently and solve problems.
- Are able to organise your time effectively
- Have excellent verbal and written communication
- Are a good team player and can work closely with others

What will you gain?

- Personal and professional development
- Increased knowledge of how a great array of smaller non-profits work and what their needs are
- Experience in time management, communication, public speaking, team work, fundraising and other skills
- Practical experience that will strengthen your CV
- Contacts in the development sector, and references from GlobalGiving UK once you have completed the programme
- The chance to meet and work with other like-minded people, and become part of the GlobalGiving family!

To Apply and find out more:



Check out the <u>Youth Leadership Programme page</u> on GlobalGiving.co.uk and you can also find us on <u>Facebook</u>

Applications are only accepted online. Click <u>here</u> to start the process. Deadline for applications: **11th October**, **5pm GMT.** Interviews will take place on 15th & 17th October.

For questions please don't hesitate to contact: **Gemma Obeng 02072428079 or email** <u>gobeng@globalgiving.org</u>