



EVS volunteering opportunity

Long-term volunteering in Armenia: WWF (World Wide Fund for Nature)

Voluntary Service of Armenia HUJ, Armenia

Languages of the voluntary service

English

Topics

Education and training, Sociocultural activities, Social challenges, Environment and natural protection, Health and wellbeing

Start date

Between 1 October and 1 Nov 2025

Duration of the voluntary service 6-12 months

About the organisation

HUJ (Armenian Volunteer Exchange Network) is a nonprofit organization that promotes voluntary service and non-formal education through international work camps, 12 long-term ESC projects, and youth exchanges. Founded in 1965, HUJ empowers young people to engage in community development, cultural exchange, and social inclusion both in Armenia and abroad.

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Description of the activity

The volunteer will assist in biodiversity monitoring, data coordination, and analysis from camera traps, as well as eco-trail mapping and management. The role will be carried out in rotation between WWF-Armenia and partner organizations such as Arpa Protected Landscape (Vayots Dzor region) and Khosrov Forest State Reserve.

The volunteer will spend the first 1–2 months at the WWF-Armenia office to become familiar with ongoing projects, receive training on fieldwork, and learn to use relevant equipment and software. They will then support staff in wildlife data management, field research, and environmental protection activities.

Further information

The volunteer will be provided with free accommodation in a dormitory in Yerevan, located within reasonable distance from the HUJ office. The volunteers will stay in twin rooms (2 people per room) and the dormitory will be equipped with basic furniture and kitchen facilities.

The volunteer will receive a monthly allowance for food, transport and other expenses. The volunteer will benefit from language support and mentorship throughout the project. In addition to their regular project activities, HUJ also organizes a variety of cultural and social events for volunteers. These may include visits to museums, ballet and opera performances, as well as excursions to explore areas outside the capital.

Desired volunteer profile

We are looking for a motivated and adaptable volunteer with an interest in environmental protection, biodiversity conservation, and sustainable development. The volunteer should be willing to travel within Armenia and work outdoors in various natural environments. An educational background in environmental sciences or field research experience is an asset but not required. Good physical condition is advisable due to the outdoor nature of the work. Flexibility, teamwork, and a proactive attitude are essential.

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