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2014 Water & Sanitation Project Coming!



Following the success of several Water & Sanitation Projects worldwide, Projects Abroad and partners, BridgIT Water are returning to Tanzania in January 2014 to continue with their life changing work. One of the Directors of BridgIT Water, Wendy Tisdell visited Jamaica as a volunteer with Projects Abroad in April 2008. After spending only a few days at her placement, her own background as a Director of a water and sewerage infrastructure company brought her to the realisation that she had a lot more to offer than simply a pair of hands and her time. Wendy's company undertook to sponsor and fund the first Water & Sanitation Project in Jamaica in conjunction with Projects Abroad volunteers. Following the success of this first project Wendy and her team have now completed projects in Bolivia, Tanzania and Jamaica. The Ngorongoro Eseeere Water project will run for three weeks from Monday 20th January 2014 to Friday 7th February 2014. The Merelani Tanzanite Water project will then run for four weeks from Monday 10th February 2014 to Friday 7th March 2014. *Click here to learn more and apply!*

New Journalism Project in Tanzania

Print Journalism - As a volunteer on the print journalism you will conduct research, interview people, write news and feature articles on your chosen topic. If you have a passion for photography or video, you will have the option of sharing your media material with social media sites.

Film Production - Volunteers who select the film placement will work with a local youth training institute in Tanzania. The organisation focuses on empowering and training young people in all aspects of filming, including editing, sound, design for audio-visual products, creative storytelling, film and television production.



Click here to learn more and apply!

ALUMNI CORNER!

We invite all volunteers to participate in part-time paid work as an Alumni Representative after leaving our destination. Alumni Representatives attend promotional events and fairs in their home country and share their experience living and volunteering with Projects Abroad. If you are interested in becoming an Alumni Representative, email alumni@projects-abroad.co.uk.

Support Your Project

We often get requests from previous volunteers who would like to financially support their former project. If you would like to make a general donation to support our international work or if you want to donate to your previous placement please visit the Reconstruction Project website and earmark your donation for a specific charitable purpose. It will always reach your intended target!

<http://www.justgiving.com/reconstructionproject>.

You may also send a cheque to The Reconstruction Project, c/o Projects Abroad, Aldsworth Parade, Goring, Sussex, Great Britain, BN124TX

Watch the latest video testimonials on YouTube!



Allison Beaufort (USA), volunteered with the Microfinance project for 5 months at the beginning of this year. Prior to arriving in Tanzania, Allison spent 4 months in Zanzibar studying Kiswahili at a local university. Her language skills proved to be extremely valuable when she arrived to her placement as she was able to speak fluently with women being supported by the project.

Kiara Elliot (Canada) spent two months with the Human Rights project.



The project gave her the unique experience of interacting with the Maasai community. The volunteers had an overnight trip to a village outside of Arusha where they learned how to chop and carry firewood, participate in traditional Maasai dancing and singing, and get a true picture of the daily life of the women and children.

[Click here to watch videos from Projects Abroad!](#)

What advice do you have for future volunteers?

- “Take it easy, because here there is much *hakuna matata* which means don't worry about anything. The pace is very slow. I would advise them to have great patience because things are coming even though it doesn't seem that it is.” ~ Peder Kjeldsen/Denmark/Medical Project
- “Be open and be yourself. Go for things and take the opportunity to show the most you can instead of staying in the back.”
~ Kodikara Saliya/Australia/Microfinance Project
- “My advice to potential volunteers is to come with a really open mind and come ready to learn. If you come thinking that you are going to teach, you are coming with the wrong perspective. I think it's more that you are coming to learn and experience something very different.”
~ Genna Verbeek/Australia/Medical Project
- “Make sure you stay here longer than one month because it takes at least one month to adapt to the country and get to know the culture. If you really want to help and really want to make a difference, you need to be here longer. Time flies once you get here.”
~ Gustav Lange/Denmark/Microfinance Project