

### **CALL FOR EVS PROJECT IN VIGO (SPAIN)**

**DATES:** 15/01/2017 – 15/09-2017 (8 months)

**VENUE:** Vigo (Spain)

**ACTIVITIES:** Abertal has been developing for decades' projects for children and youth, with special emphasis on those at risk of social exclusion. The organization has several employees full-time as partial and temporary, organizational strength lies in youth volunteering, most of the work thanks to their contributions. The impact that these projects generate both beneficiaries and volunteers is very remarkable, opening new paths, opportunities and skills development for participants.

Among the most important activities carried out by the organization is the XinXin project, funded by the city of Vigo, and offers educational support to young people and children who for various reasons are at risk of social exclusion. European volunteers have spent several years contributing to this activity, and are now an essential part for their contribution, by the impact generated on beneficiaries and for their dedication and learning they acquire both volunteers and users.

Abertal implements various camps in school holiday periods for families to reconcile these periods through a playful, healthy and cultural offer, which allow children to enjoy the company of other children and develop their recreational, social and cultural skills through of the proposed activities. European volunteers contribute to these activities, which also allows them to escape the routine, and develop new skills in a fun environment where they can take a more leading role. To be part of this activity they receive adequate training along with other local volunteers.

We also develop youth activities related to the events scheduled in the city or have interest to our youth (Single Function festival of solidarity, solidarity campaign to collect food, Christmas, Carnival, Easter. participants in these activities we have also proposed other actions such as youth exchanges Erasmus +.

**PRACTICAL DETAILS:** The volunteer will live in a shared flat with other 3 volunteers.

She/he will have her/his own room and shared common spaces like kitchen, living room, bathroom... the flat is in the city center and you can walk to Abertal (15 minutes). You

You will receive 200 € for food and local transport (that you don't need) and 105 € of pocket money.

**VOLUNTEER PROFILE:** We are looking for a volunteer very motivated about the project and the activities. We appreciate experience in volunteering and working with children. With new ideas and a lot of motivation to do new things! We appreciate a basic Spanish level but is not a requirement.

**DEADLINE:** 29/12/2016

**HOW TO APPLY:** Please send us a motivation letter and fill in the form we attach.