



**EUROPEAN
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INFOPACK

Positions 2020-2021



ABOUT



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Social Youth Development K.A.N.E. is a non-profit organization situated in Kalamata, Greece. Our main target group is young people aged 15-30, youth workers, youth leaders, mentors and trainers. However we are also working with all the local community.

We do national and international youth work. We aim to offer opportunities of personal and social development to local youth through socio-educational activities and non formal education. Our main target is to create independent youth structures as well as to achieve the recognition of youth work in Greece.

This infopack provides a more detailed description of each opportunity currently available.

1. E-DESIGNER

VOLUNTEER PROFILE

- The volunteer should have knowledge of web development & being familiar with arts.
- They should have an interest in the promotion of youth volunteering information and of youth media.
- A motivation to work towards deadlines.
- An ability to take the initiative,
- A desire to develop their own projects.

ABOUT THE PROJECT

The project aims:

To create awareness through art and motivate the local youth in participating actively in the society. The role of the volunteer will be, in collaboration with rest of the projects that k.a.ne is leading or cooperating , to design the materials that are produced.





VOLUNTEER TASKS

- Create posters pictures, drawings, artwork and advertising material for K.A.NE's activities, platforms & projects in general
- Assist with the strategy for promotion and the development of promotional tools.
- Help with the management of K.A.NE.'s social media websites and e- platforms.
- Participating in the programming, development and evaluation of activities of the coordinating organization (K.A.NE.).
- Create video material for the activities of their project as well as for the Youth Centre of Kalamata & K.A.NE DIGITAL

2. K.A.NE DIGITAL

WEBSITE: KANEDIGITAL.NGOKANE.ORG

VOLUNTEER PROFILE

- Interest in technology and computer science
- Knowledge on web development (there will be given training, but at least basic level on Joomla and WordPress content management systems will be highly valued)
- Knowledge on graphics design
- Knowledge of multimedia editing (images, videos, etc)

ABOUT THE PROJECT

Digital KANE is the new project of Social Youth Development(K.A.NE) which aims to develop informative and educational digital content for the young people through which they will increase their personal, social and professional skills. The platform has been existing for a year now and it proved necessary during the last crisis, where Social Youth Development had to suspend all youth work activities due to the consequences of the pandemic of COVID19 and quarantine.





VOLUNTEER TASKS

- Develop and update the content for the platform(videos, articles, podcasts, tutorials) so young people can benefit from them
- Provide online language workshops
- Organize & facilitate a radio show
- Administrating and updating the news
- Assist in the promotion of the organization's activities and news
- Assist in the administration of the social media profiles
- Assist in the development of graphics designs
- Assist in the development of websites
- Search for partners to include in the organization's activities

3. VIDE-ACT

VOLUNTEER PROFILE

- The volunteer should have knowledge of web development ,being familiar with arts & having basic knowledge in video making and editing.
- They should have an interest in the promotion of youth volunteering information and of youth media.
- A motivation to work towards deadlines.
- An ability to take the initiative
- A desire to develop their own projects.

ABOUT THE PROJECT

The project aims:

To create awareness through art and motivate the local youth in participating actively in the society. The role of the volunteer will be, in collaboration with rest of the projects that k.a.ne is leading or cooperating , to create videos so young people can get inspired.





VOLUNTEER TASKS

- Create videos for the projects that K.A.NE & local partners are implementing.
- Create promotion material for K.A.NE & local partners
- Create designs & videos for the organization's websites
- Develop and update the content for the platform(videos, podcasts, tutorials) so young people can benefit from them

4. K.A.NE OFFICE

VOLUNTEER PROFILE

We are looking for motivated young people, with an interest in the ESC and international volunteering field who have a desire to work with a civil society organisation. Ideally, the volunteer will have a basic level of English to facilitate communication

ABOUT THE PROJECT

This project involves working directly with K.A.NE.in our office and helping with our core activities. K.A.NE. as a social youth development organisation coordinates youth mobility projects, seminars and trainings, youth exchanges, conferences, school visits and educational events.





VOLUNTEER TASKS

- Assisting with administrative tasks and the daily running of K.A.NE.'s office.
- Preparing for and helping with external activities (school visits, info-days and other cultural and educational activities in the city).
- Participation in the programming, development and evaluation of K.A.NE.'s activities.
- Researching and developing informative resources.
- Coordinating an "info point" in order to provide information about opportunities abroad for local young people.
- Developing other projects on social, environmental and cultural issues.

5. DOG RESCUE CENTER

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VOLUNTEER PROFILE

The project requires a high level of commitment from the side of the volunteer, a sense of solidarity, tolerance and a willingness to work within a team..

ABOUT THE PROJECT

In the Dog Rescue Centre abandoned and stray dogs are taken off the streets, cared for and given the chance to find a new home.e the local youth in participating actively in the society. The role of the volunteer will be, in collaboration with rest of the projects that k.a.ne is leading or cooperating , to spread information, create new content & inspire young people



VOLUNTEER TASKS

- Assisting with the daily running of the animal shelter.
- Cleaning the shelter and looking after the facilities.
- Feeding the dogs and taking responsibility for their hygiene.
- Taking the dogs for a walk.
- Preparing the dogs for adoption.
- Participating in the programming, development and evaluation of activities of the coordinating organisation (K.A.NE.).



6. YOUTH CENTRE

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VOLUNTEER PROFILE

We are looking for motivated young people, with an interest in the ESC and international volunteering field who have a desire to work with a civil society organisation. Ideally, the volunteer will have a basic level of English to facilitate communication.

ABOUT THE PROJECT

Youth Centre of Kalamata: A space created by young people for young people. A space for creation, culture, art and intercultural dialogue. The activities of the Youth Centre are based on voluntary work, skills exchange, peer education, learning by doing and non-formal learning. Youth are part of a place that offers opportunities in social life, professional and educational level and language support for those who cannot afford paying in private language institutions. From its beginning it was, and still is, an initiative of young people aiming to create an open space for helping youth to understand and use their creativity in order to discover new tools for expression and participation in social life.



KENTPO NEON

ΚΑΛΑΜΑΤΑΣ

VOLUNTEER TASKS



- Taking care of the Youth Centre and its activities.
- Participation in the programming, development and evaluation of the activities.
- Preparation of the material; searching, finding and developing the informational resources.
- Preparation and running the “info point” for local youth.
- Developing your own personal project.
- Implementing other activities of the organization, like workshops, info-days, special events etc.
- Following the environmental schedule of the Youth Centre (cleaning of urban spaces, environmental actions etc.)
- Creation of other educational activities.
- Taking initiatives and proposing to the organization and the local youth new projects, fresh ideas etc.
- Developing of other projects on social, environmental and cultural issues.
- Participating in the language exchange workshops.

COMMON TASKS

APART FROM THE ACTIVITIES/TASKS THAT ARE SPECIFIC FOR EACH PROJECT, ALL VOLUNTEERS HOSTED IN KALAMATA ARE HAVING THE COMMON TASKS, DONE INDIVIDUALLY OR IN TEAMS. THESE TASKS ARE:

- Make a video about the ESC experience before the end of the project for the YouTube channel as well as K.A.NE DIGITAL
- Writing the articles for the bi-monthly volunteers' newsletter LiNK and ESC Kalamata blog
- Development of a personal project within the already existing activities
- Providing a language workshop at the Youth Centre of Kalamata as well as online lessons for K.A.NE DIGITAL
- Develop and update the content for the K.A.NE DIGITAL platform(videos, podcasts, tutorials) so young people can benefit from them
- Taking care of the Youth centre and its activities
- Taking care of the Youth Centre's and KANE's maintenance (cleaning, keeping the timetable etc.)
- Preparing and assisting in external activities (school visits, info-days, other cultural and educational activities in the city)
- Assisting other civil society organizations in some of their activities (events, workshops, meetings, etc.)
- Support in K.A.NE;s activities
- Support in the needs of R&D departement of K.A.NE

MORE INFO...

ACCOMONDATION/TRAVEL COST/FOOD & POCKET MONEY



accomodation

Volunteers are hosted in the youth hostel and guest house, two volunteers in each room. The hostel and the guest house are fully equipped with refrigerator, washing machine, vacuum cleaner, heating system, oven, plates, glasses, sheets, blankets, pillows.



travel cost

Travel costs are covered by program, based on the travel distance calculator

https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator_en



food & pocket money

The volunteer will receive:

food allowance - every 1st of the month-->the volunteer will receive coupons for the supermarket by the Hosting Organisation

pocket money allowance - every 15th of the month, the volunteer will be paid in cash by the Hosting Organisation

The volunteer will receive the first money 2 weeks after her/his arrival and the last money on the last day of her/his ESC.

LIFE IN KALAMATA

Kalamata is a medium size, beautiful city (around 60,000 habitants) on the Peloponnese. You will have the opportunity to travel around the town, drink coffee in cosy cafes, visit archaeological monuments, hike in the mountains with the local Hiking Club and relax on the beaches. The town is situated between the mountains of Taygetos and the Messinian bay.

At the links below you will find some information about the town:

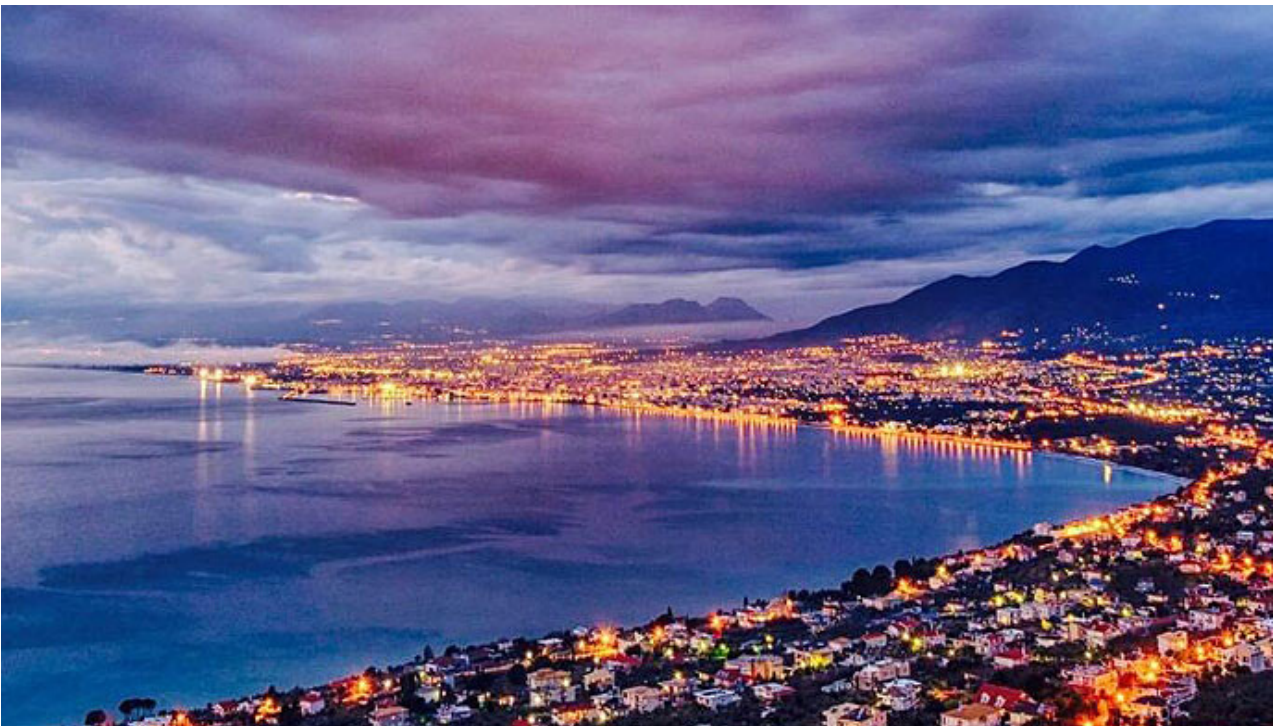
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kalamata>

http://www.visitgreece.gr/en/main_cities/kalamata



PEOPLE IN KALAMATA

Kalamata is a town which offers a safe environment. It is not facing serious criminality and even the robberies are not so often. Actually it is a peaceful environment and you will not face any serious danger if you take the basic safety measurements. People are generally very helpful and have the feeling of hospitality. Older people don't speak English and this will be a challenge for you in the beginning. They will appreciate it if you try to speak with them in Greek though! Most young people, on the other hand, speak English pretty well.



WEATHER

During summer (from May/June to the end of September/October) you will be able to swim (the sea is clean with variety of rocky or sandy beaches), but in Greece summer is very hot (during July and August the temperatures are between 30 to 40 degrees!), you will have to take care while staying under the sun.

During winter the town gets more “moody” as everywhere during winter the temperatures are between 0 to 20 degrees. It might get windy near the sea. The climate is mild during winter and hot during summer; wearing the right clothes and being careful with the sun exposure will protect you all year. It's good to bring with you all kind of clothes: summer clothes, swimming suit, winter clothes and light winter clothes.



HOW TO APPLY

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED TO WORK WITH OUR TEAM, PLEASE
CONTACT US AT:

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