

Dear Partners and Friends of the Ukrainian Catholic University,

When our country is undergoing war trials, the role of volunteers becomes increasingly vital. Volunteering is not just assistance but also a contribution to social development. It unites people and adds strength.

At UCU, we foster a culture of volunteering that enriches our students' lives and contributes to their overall growth and development. By volunteering, our students gain valuable skills, broaden their perspectives, and positively impact society.

The Volunteering Laboratory is thrilled to introduce the 'Service Program,' a significant initiative tailored for our first-year UCU students this year. This program is a transformative opportunity for them to embody UCU's motto: 'Witnessing. Serving. Communicating.'

Upon completion of the course, some participants (anticipated up to 60 students) plan to engage in service activities within local communities in the summer. Our students would greatly value your expertise, knowledge, and support in these summer projects.

Join us as a volunteer alongside our students for enriching English language camps held at parishes for Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs), local children, teenagers, and the Youth organization, "Plast – National Scout Organization of Ukraine".

Dates and Provisions:

- Arrival date: May 31st
- Departure date: June 17th
- Main Program: June 3rd to June 14th
- Volunteers are expected to cover their travel costs
- Meals and accommodation are provided ([Campus Residence](#))

More information about campus facilities -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JhZT_l8eOEA&ab_channel=Schoolofukrainianlanguageandculture

Engagement Details:

During the daytime, volunteers will actively participate in language-centric activities such as engaging games, vibrant English clubs, and stimulating conversations with groups of students and camp participants.

Personal Time:

In the evenings, volunteers are welcome to unwind and enjoy their private time, should the need arise.

To provide the necessary information, we will offer additional online meetings prior to your arrival in Ukraine. Additionally, an orientation session will be conducted on campus.

Therefore, we warmly invite you to participate in the Service Program, a rewarding experience from **June 3 to 15, 2024.**

Here you can find the application form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1U77JnhGrRMtNTWCJE1LnNH5bXla0clwnKS9Npu8RWCK/viewform?edit_requested=true

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