**CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS**

**University of Guyana’s RASSR Camp: July 14th - July 28th, 2024.**

**About UG RASSR:** For the 3rd year, the University of Guyana (UG) is hosting its multi-year UG-RASSR (Regional Accelerator for STEM Students Readiness) camp. UG-RASSR is a cutting edge multi-disciplinary programme aimed at discovering, mentoring and developing young STEM students from across Guyana to accelerate and prepare them for entry into higher education programmes and careers that are likely to emerge in Guyana and across the globe in the near future.

100 high school students and 20 teacher/chaperones from across the 10 administrative regions will participate in the RASSR 2024 camp which will be held on Turkeyen Campus for the two-week period. UG-RASSR is a residential programme and is currently inviting qualified individuals to volunteer in this life enhancing programme for the RASSR campers.

**Volunteer Job Description**

**Title:** Camp Volunteer (2-Week Employment, Remuneration Offered)

# Minimum Age: 19

**Reports to:** Volunteer Coordinator

# Minimum Qualifications:

* High school graduate or equivalent diploma
* Desire and ability to work with minors in a camp setting
* Endurance required to maintain consistent supervision of campers for a 2-week camping experience
* Ability to be a positive member of a team and to accept supervision and guidance
* Good character, integrity and adaptability
* Visual and auditory ability to identify and respond to environmental or other hazards related to camp activities

# Requirements:

* Interview with Camp Volunteer Selection Panel
* Must read and sign the ‘Volunteer Code of Conduct’
* Pass annual background check
* Provide two references
* Attend mandatory Camp Orientation in June 2024
* Must be a University of Guyana Student current student or Alumni

# Duties:

* Commit to **two** entire weeks of volunteering at the Camp and able to work between the hours of 6 a.m. - 2 p.m. or 2 p.m. - 10 p.m. daily for the duration of the camp
* Assist in chaperoning campers to help create an educational, safe and fun environment
* Work with faculty, programme staff and volunteers to meet the needs of the campers
* Encouraging respect for personal property, camp equipment and facilities
* Committing to and upholding all camp rules and acting lawfully at all times
* Set a good example for your campers
* Observe camper behavior, assess its appropriateness
* Enforce appropriate safety regulations and emergency procedures
* Assist Staff by being involved in programs, meal times and other assignments
* Work to develop a group/team feeling within camp as a whole
* Know the whereabouts of your campers at all times
* Monitor the daily health and safety of each camper in your assigned group
* Assist Staff by actively participating and supervising campers at program activities
* Be present and on time for each activity period
* Work in harmony with teachers, campers, staff and other volunteers
* Establish and enforce safety precautions, regulations and emergency procedures relating to the equipment, materials and area of your assigned activity.
* Follow UG-RASSR standard operating procedures and reporting protocols.

Note: A stipend of $25,000 per week (for a total of $50,000 for the two weeks) will be paid to each volunteer who is present for the full 14 days. This stipend is to assist with traveling expenses; volunteers will also receive daily meals and branded t-shirts that you are required to wear while on duty.

**Email your CV and Cover Letter to:** [**ugrassr@uog.edu.gy**](mailto:ugrassr@uog.edu.gy) **by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, July 5, 2024.**

For More Information, Contact:

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***Only successful applicants will be contacted.***