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**RSVP**  
**Partner Sites and Volunteer Opportunities**

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**Central Seattle**

**Antioch University** - Office Assistant in Continuing Education Office or Program Coordinator for Antioch University's Center for Continuing Ed. Positions available. We would like 10 hours/week, flexible between 9 to 5, Monday through Friday. Good customer service skills on the phone, email, and ability to work with information databases and word processing required. Use of university library, computer labs and 1 free Continuing Ed. class/quarter included! Antioch is located on 6th Ave., between Battery & Bell in Seattle.

**Asian Counseling and Referral Service** – ACRS is a nationally recognized non-profit provides a wide array of social and mental health services to Asian Pacific Americans in a bicultural, bilingual setting. Agency staff represents the spectrum of Asian and Pacific ethnic groups, and speak 30 languages and dialects. Fluency in an Asian language is a plus, but is not required for most volunteer positions.

**Atlantic Street Center** - (ASC) is a non-profit child and family service agency whose mission is to help families and communities raise healthy, successful children. Volunteers are needed to work directly with children, youth, and/or adults as tutors, teacher's aides, project leaders, field trip chaperones, field trip drivers or behind the scenes with special events or office work. No matter your interests, there is likely to be a volunteer position just right for you. Volunteer opportunities are located in the Rainier Valley, Central District, Beacon Hill and New Holly.

**Broadview Emergency Shelter** – a program of Solid Ground. Broadview is seeking an Office Support Volunteer. We ask for a six month commitment of one hour per week, but can use more assistance if you can spare the time.

**Center for Wooden Boats** – What a great place to share and hone your boating skills. Volunteers are needed for all kinds of fun jobs: Front Desk information, Livery Assistant (checking people and boats in and out), Library, the Boat shop (hands on sanding and brightwork), Puffin Steam Team (learn to operate a 1906 steam launch and help with public rides), Sailing Instructor (you should have significant experience and love to teach), and much more.

**Central Area Senior Center** - seeks willing and friendly volunteers to help with lunch program! Also needed: on-call volunteer van drivers- a valid driver's license, insurance and Background check required, Instructors for weekly Spanish and Guitar class, and help set-up and work senior center events.

**Citywide Concierge and Visitors' Center** – What fun we have providing information and assistance to visitors to our fair city. Please join us!

**Communities in Schools of Seattle** – Helping kids stay in school and prepare for life is what volunteers do through CIS. Volunteer opportunities include, reading buddies, math tutors, middle

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school math coaches, and coordinating or helping out at events. You can also help coordinate or sort items for our "Stuff the Bus" school supply drive during the summer.

**ElderHealth Northwest** - Help frail elders and other adults with disabilities remain independent. Volunteers lead or assist staff with a variety of fun activities, serve lunch, greet and visit with clients, chaperone outings and provide entertainment. We have four Adult Day Health Centers in King County: Ravenna, First Hill, Columbia City (South Seattle), and Renton.

**Executive Service Corps** – We can help you find an executive volunteer opportunity with a non-profit agency that can use temporary help. Please call RSVP to see if we are right for you.

**Experience Music Project/Science Fiction Museum and Hall of Fame** - needs Gallery Facilitators - do you enjoy photography, rock music and interacting with people? If so, EMP needs you as a gallery facilitator within the *Taking Aim: Unforgettable Rock 'n' Roll Photographs* exhibition. Volunteers will welcome museum guests and explain how to use the photography oriented exhibition interactives.

**Fare Start** – This wonderful organization helps train low-income people to be capable chefs and wait staff. Volunteers are needed for classroom assistants, one-on-one computer help, and help with administrative tasks. Fare Start also runs a great restaurant – try it!

**First Place School** - is a private, non-profit school and social services agency devoted to helping children and families who are vulnerable due to being in transition, in crisis or homeless. We have a variety of opportunities available. We have classroom aides, who work with the teacher in the room for 2 to 3 hours per day once a week, and we have tutors who work one on one with a child for 1 hour per week and we have mentors who meet with a child for 1 hour per week.

\*We also have need for a receptionist Monday thru Friday, 9:00 to 4:30. Volunteers can work in 4 hour shifts for as much time as they are able.

**Frye Art Museum** - Seattle's free art museum on Capitol Hill has opportunities in the following positions: Concierge/Information desk, Event volunteers, Greeters, Clicker/counters. These are great opportunities in a beautiful setting.

**Group Health Central Hospital** - seeks friendly, energetic volunteers for the information/escort desk, gift shop, surgical waiting area, Physical/Occupational Therapy, and Family Beginnings Unit. Shifts are usually four hours, with lunch and parking provided.

**Knit-It-Alls** – If you love to knit, please join this group, sponsored by RSVP, so your precious hand knitted items will go to those in need. Each year distribute knitted items to requesting non-profit agencies. Last year we donated nearly 3,000 items to needy people!

**Lifelong AIDS Alliance** - LLAA offers a variety of volunteer opportunities such as Food Pick-up Center, Jars and Bars fundraising, front desk volunteers, office assistance, kitchen assistance, and food delivery. These are all great jobs with excellent training and support.

**Museum of History & Industry** – currently located in the Montlake area (but soon to move to South Lake Union), MOHI is the repository for all things related to Seattle history. Each department has volunteer opportunities. Please call for information.

**Nikkei Concerns** – Nikkei Concerns is established to provide health and related services in a traditional atmosphere to primarily Japanese American families in the Pacific Northwest.

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**Pacific Science Center** – Volunteers are needed to interact with visitors I the Butterfly House, explain the mysteries of the Salt Water Tide Pool and show kids how to play virtual soccer as an Exhibit Assistant. Or, take a more behind the scenes role as an office assistant of horticulture assistant.

**Providence Hospice of Seattle** – Hospice volunteers support patients and their families by providing companionship, respite care and light household tasks. Comprehensive training prepares you for this rewarding and meaningful work.

**Puget Sound Maritime Historical Society**- New Partner Site! PSMHS needs on-call special event/outreach volunteers. We are looking for folks who enjoy talking to the public, working with kids and would enjoy a fast-paced environment.

**RSVP** – (near the International District) We are expanding our program and need your help! We will provide a congenial office setting for volunteers who would like to help us plan events for our volunteers and help with our ongoing work with the RSVP Advisory Council and Ambassador program. Hours are very flexible and we honor the wisdom and experience you can bring.

**Seattle Goodwill** – Whatever the length of time, volunteers know that their contribution is time well spent, and we at Seattle Goodwill consider the gift to be priceless. Volunteers are needed in every area of our organization, including tutoring, office assistants, museum display designer and much more!

**Seattle Keiro Nursing Home** – (International District) Volunteers wanted: licensed beauticians to give haircuts, styling, and perms. We also need volunteer entertainers to share their talents and bring joy to the residents.

**Seattle's Union Gospel Mission** – Help low-income seniors and have fun by volunteering at luncheons, events, road trips or summer camp! Other regular volunteer positions include hair stylists, office helpers, food box delivery drivers and more.

**Senior Services**-Volunteer drivers needed to transport seniors to medical appointments during the weekdays. The transportation program is flexible. Drive your own car and choose the times and areas you'd like to drive!

**Statewide Health Insurance Benefits Advisors (SHIBA)**: needs administrative support for their SHIBA location at Senior Services in downtown Seattle. Order publications, assemble packets, data entry and other administrative functions. Mileage and parking reimbursed. Make a difference and meet a great group of people!

**Taproot Foundation** – Work on a team of professionals who volunteer on 5 to 6 month projects for non-profit organizations, better equipping these organizations to help our communities effectively. Projects may include creating websites, branding strategies, key messaging, naming services, visual identities, printed brochures, annual reports, donor databases, human resource programs and strategy management services.

**VA Puget Sound Health Care System**-The VA has a variety of opportunities assisting Veterans at the Seattle medical center and the Tahoma National cemetery in Kent. Important needs include volunteer drivers to take veterans to appointments and friendly, proactive volunteer guides to help veterans and their family members navigate the medical center.

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