Name of organization & website URL: Empowering Women of Nepal (EWN)
http://empoweringwomenofnepal.wordpress.com/

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Location of Organization:
- Country: Nepal
- Region: Kaski
- Street Address: Pokhara

Description of organization (history, mission, focus):
EWN was established in 1999. It is a grassroots organization based in Pokhara, which aims to improve the lives of Nepali women and girls through adventure tourism and sports. EWN’s mission is to help foster the growth of independent, self-sufficient, decision making women by encouraging self empowerment.

How many interns can you accommodate?
Maximum two interns.

Please Answer the Following Questions for EACH Available Job:

1. Job Description: What will the student intern be doing?
   Please view EWN volunteering information sheet.

2. Is there any compensation associated with the internship? If so, how much?
   No.

3. What helpful talents and/or skills should the student intern possess, if any, including major (business, engineering, etc.)?
   Teaching, business, marketing, IT, fundraising, grant and proposal writing, sports skills.

4. What would a typical day be like?
   10am to 4pm with a lunch break for half an hour.

5. Any other special requirements?
   Should have some experience of volunteering before, teaching English essential, independent to work on projects, creative, flexible, responsible, some level of cross-cultural experience, open and willing to work in a team.
What is your preference for dates?
(Fellows are expected to spend 5 to 7 weeks working with an organization.)
7 weeks minimum.

What is appropriate attire for internship (office) and within your region?
Jeans and t-shirt, skirt and t-shirt. No shorts and tank tops.

Do you regularly have interns working with you?
On average we have 10 volunteers and interns from all over the world.

If there is a mandatory language requirement, what language and how fluent must the fellow be?
Both written and spoken English should be fluent.
LOGISTICS

What is the nearest airport (with airport code)?
Tribhuwan Airport (TIA). We have a small local airport in Pokhara.

What are housing options and costs?
EWN has a guest house for clients and volunteers. Our volunteer/intern room rate per month is US$ 250. For two students sharing a room with an attached bath is US$ 450 per month. It also includes their breakfast and pick up from bus stop and drop.

Interns can also stay outside of EWN housing. There are many guest houses close by EWN center.

Please provide an estimate of other costs/week that the interns will need to pay for themselves
US$ 500 to US$ 600 will be sufficient to pay for interns food, accommodation, local transportation per month.

What is the weather like between late June and early September?
Hot and humid. Temperature will be up to 30 to 35 degree. June to September, is also monsoon time in Nepal so please expect rain too.

What are some possible weekend excursions/activities for young people?
There are lots of nice hiking trails around the Pokhara valley. Outdoor activities such as rock climbing, rafting, stand up paddling, bike riding, boating, canoeing, kayaking all is possible in Nepal. One can also do cultural visits to nearly temple and monasteries.

Any other helpful descriptions and comments:
Attached are three documents that we requests interns and volunteers to complete and send to EWN prior to their departure from their home countries.
All staff at EWN work for 6 days a week. Saturdays are off. Volunteers work from Mondays to Fridays from 10am to 4pm.