

All-Ukrainian Association for Youth Co-operation “Alternative-V”



All-Ukrainian Association for Youth Co-operation “Alternative-V” - is a non-political, non-profit non-governmental youth organisation, founded in 1992. Alternative-V was created to facilitate co-operation between youth organisations, to involve Ukrainian young people into programmes on the national and international level in the fields of education, culture, ecology, historical heredity protection and helping disadvantaged people.

The **main activities** of the organisation include short-term voluntary projects (workcamps, EVS), long-term voluntary projects, seminars, conferences and trainings on both national and international level, youth exchanges and educational programmes; local, regional and national projects aimed at promotion of voluntary movement.

The organisation is a member of the Alliance of European Voluntary Service Organisations, CCIVS /UNESCO (Co-ordinating Committee for International Voluntary Service). The organisation is an official partner of SCI (Service Civil International).

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Age limit: 18+, 21+ for language projects

Language: In UAALT-1, UAALT-4 working language is English.

In UAALT-2 working language is French.

In UAALT-3, UAALT-5 working language is German.

Workcamps of Alternative-V in Ukraine – 2020



Code	Name	Type	Location	Dates	Fee	Vols	Age
UAALT-1	English for Students	EDU	Lviv and Lviv region	26.06-16.07.2020	-	10	21+
UAALT-2	French for Students	EDU	Lviv and Lviv region	22.06-05.07.2020	-	4	21+
UAALT-3	German for Students	EDU	Lviv and Lviv region	18.07-02.08.2020	-	8	21+
UAALT-4	Rokyni Open-Air Museum	Reno/Cult	Volyn region	26.07-08.08.2020	30 euro	15	18+
UAALT-5	Travelling Camp	Study/Reno/Soci	Kyiv and Mukacheve	13.08-20.08.2020	-	5 (20)	18+

The type of work of the projects is shown by abbreviations as follows:

Renovation/construction **RENO**
 Cultural **CULT**
 Educational **EDU**
 Theme project **STUDY**
 Social **SOCI**



**Requirements: proficient level of English / Native speaker only, Motivation letter.
Special application form available upon request.**

Project partner: Ukrainian Catholic University (UCU), based in Lviv, in one of the best Humanities & Science Universities in Ukraine. The university was founded by Ukrainian Greek-catholic priests who came back to Ukraine after collapse of Soviet Union and years of repressions and exiles. University gives secular education following best western standards with some religious elements. University authorities pay a big attention to international cooperation and intercultural learning.

Project: the annual English Summer School (ESS) is an intensive English course which provides opportunities for spiritual growth, challenging work and fun. Its primary objectives are founded to enable students to immerse themselves in an English-speaking community to become fluent English speakers and to create a prayerful, retreat-like environment in keeping with Eastern Christian traditions. As a rule School hosts up to 200 students and around 40 volunteers and teachers.

Work: teaching English. Special Orientation program (2 days) will be provided in Lviv, the teachers will be lodged at UCU Residential College. We encourage the volunteer teachers to stay for a day after the camp to say a proper "good-bye" to the students and do some more sightseeing in the city. During the orientation program the teachers get to know each other, there's team-building and basic instruction in the methods of teaching English.

The Academic Program is centered on five daily classes, three in the morning and two in the afternoon. Since two teachers are always assigned to each class, they can help each other or do some in-class-tutoring.

Besides regular classes we also have evening tutoring and evening activities. So, this is not just teaching, but also creating an English-speaking environment and a community of people who enjoy studying and spending time together. Detailed schedule can be send upon request.

Accommodation/Food: since all the program participants live in one building, the interaction between the teachers and students is quite intensive. Summer school will be organized in village Briuchovychi near Lviv. Volunteers will be accommodated in rooms (2 persons per room). Three meals per day will be provided.

Location: Lviv (orientation meeting) and Lviv region (summer school).

Terminal: Lviv.

Nearest Airport: Lviv Airport.

Leisure time: Lviv region has a lot of places of interests that is why you will not feel lack of historical places to visit: castles, monasteries, churches. Lviv is a beautiful city of authentic architecture, which is non-formal capital of Western Ukraine. There will be an opportunity to visit many museums and other interesting places in Lviv.

During the orientation program in Lviv, the volunteer teachers will have a guided tour of the central part of Lviv and a visit to a museums.

What to bring: good mood and wish to share and learn! You also can bring methodologies, exercises etc.

Language: proficient level of English / Native speaker only

Remarks: a motivation letter is required for registration. Alcohol is strictly forbidden on the project site. The religious component is an *integral* part of the whole program. For some teachers, this may be the first time following a regular, daily prayer schedule and/or the first time experiencing the Byzantine Divine Liturgy. Ukraine had a rich and deep religious history and we hope you will be excited to become part of it.

UAALT-2 French for Students Lviv and Lviv region 22.06 - 05.07.2020 EDU 4 vols (21+)



Requirements: project for native French-speakers or people with fluent French.
Motivation letter. Special application form available upon request.

Project partner: Ukrainian Catholic University (UCU), based in Lviv in one of the best humanitarian universities in Ukraine. The university was founded by Ukrainian Greek-catholic priests who came back to Ukraine after collapse of Soviet Union and years of repressions and exiles. University gives secular education following best western standards with some religious elements. University authorities pay a big attention to international cooperation and intercultural learning.

Project: the annual French Summer School is an intensive French course which provides opportunities for spiritual growth, challenging work and fun. The objectives of this formation are: - to improve French language skills - to investigate teaching methods of French as a foreign language as practiced in universities and other educational establishments - to set up an exchange about French and Ukrainian cultures, as well as on the Francophone and the European construction.

Work: teaching French. Special Orientation program will be provided in Lviv one day before the school starts, the volunteers will be lodged at UCU Residential College. We encourage the volunteers to stay for one or two days after the camp (we take care of the lodging if it's up to 2 day) to say a proper "good-bye" to the students and do some more sightseeing in city. During the orientation program the teachers get to know each other, there's team-building and basic instruction in the methods of teaching. The Academic Program is centered on three daily classes, two before lunch and one after. French courses will be conducted in small groups consisting of ten persons maximum. Besides regular classes we also have evening tutoring and evening activities. So, this is not just teaching, but also creating a French-speaking environment and a community of people who enjoy studying and spending time together. Detailed schedule can be send upon request.

Accommodation/Food: During an orientation meeting volunteers will be accommodated in UCU Residential College. Food will be provided. Summer school will be organized at the Parish House "Horytsvit" in the Precarpathian Region (130 km from Lviv). Since all the program participants live in one building, the interaction between the teachers and students is quite intensive. Volunteers will be accommodated in rooms (2 persons per room). Three meals per day will be provided.

Location: Lviv (orientation meeting) and Lviv region (summer school).

Terminal: Lviv.

Nearest Airport: Lviv Airport.

Leisure time: Lviv region has a lot of places of interests that is why you will not feel lack of historical places to visit: castles, monasteries, churches. Lviv is a beautiful city of authentic architecture, which is non-formal capital of Western Ukraine. There will an opportunity to visit many museums and other interesting places in this city.

What to bring: good mood and wish to share and learn! You also can bring methodologies, exercises etc.

Language: good level of French

Remarks: a motivation letter is required for registration. Alcohol is strictly forbidden on the project site. The religious component is an integral part of the program. For some teachers, this may be the first time following a regular, daily prayer schedule and/or the first time experiencing the Byzantine Divine Liturgy. Ukraine had a rich and deep religious history and we hope you will be excited to become part of it.



Requirements: project for native German-speakers or people with fluent German.
Motivation letter. Special application form available upon request.

Project partner: Ukrainian Catholic University (UCU), based in Lviv in one of the best humanitarian universities in Ukraine. The university was founded by Ukrainian Greek-catholic priests who back to Ukraine after collapse of Soviet Union and years of repressions and exiles. University gives secular education following best western standards with some religious elements. University authorities pay a big attention to international cooperation and intercultural learning.

Project: the annual German Summer School is an intensive German course which provides opportunities for spiritual growth, challenging work and fun. Its primary objectives are to enable students to immerse themselves in a German speaking community to become fluent German speakers.

Work: teaching German. Special Orientation program (17.07.20) will be provided in Lviv, the teachers will be lodged at UCU Residential College. We encourage the volunteers to stay for a day after the camp (we take care of the lodging if it's up to one day) to say a proper "good-bye" to the students and do some more sightseeing in city. During the orientation program the teachers get to know each other, there's team-building and basic instruction in the methods of teaching. The Academic Program is centered on three daily classes, two before lunch and one after. Besides regular classes we also have evening tutoring and evening activities. So, this is not just teaching, but also creating a German-speaking environment and a community of people who enjoy studying and spending time together. Detailed schedule can be send upon request.

Accommodation/Food: during an orientation meeting volunteers will be accommodated in UCU Residential College. Food will be provided. Summer school will be organized in village

Briuchovychi near Lviv. The volunteers can arrive 3 days before the beginning of the project and leave 3 days afterwards. Since all of the program participants live in one building, the interaction between the teachers and students is quite intensive. Volunteers will be accommodated in rooms (2 persons per room). Three meals per day will be provided.

Location: Lviv (orientation meeting) and Lviv region (summer school).

Terminal: Lviv.

Nearest Airport: Lviv Airport.

Leisure time: Lviv region has a lot of places of interests that is why you will not feel lack of historical places to visit: castles, monasteries, churches. Lviv itself is a beautiful city of authentic architecture, which is non-formal capital of Western Ukraine. There will an opportunity to visit many museums and other interesting places in Lviv.

During the orientation program in Lviv, the volunteer teachers will have a guided tour of the central part of Lviv and a visit to a museum. During the school, on the second Sunday of the program, the teachers will be taken on a tour to castles of Lviv region. Also volunteers will have opportunity to stay after the project few days more for proper city discovering.

What to bring: good mood and wish to share and learn! You also can bring methodologies, exercises etc.

Language: good level of German

Remarks: a motivation letter is required for registration. Alcohol is strictly forbidden on the project site. The religious component is an *integral* part of the whole program. For some teachers, this may be the first time following a regular, daily prayer schedule and/or the first time experiencing the Byzantine Divine Liturgy. Ukraine had a rich and deep religious history and we hope you will be excited to become part of it.

UAALT-4 Rokyni Open-Air Museum, Volyn region 26.07 - 08.08.2020 Reno/Cult 15 vols (18+)



Project partner: International Non-Governmental Union “Volynske Bratstvo”.

Project: Rokyni Open-Air museum was established around 37 years ago in a beautiful village with lake and picturesque surroundings. Today Rokyni Open-Air museum looks like a street of a small village of Volyn region in the XIX century. The outdoor exhibitions are some common Volyn mansions around which were created homesteading with barn, stables, wells and fences. There are windmill, bath and smithy dates from 1875 year. Volyn Skansen in Rokyni is a cultural-educational centre, that shows to visitors Ukrainian culture, exhibits of national heritage, protects architecture objects of the past times, keep folk Ukrainian traditions, customs and rituals. In 2017- 2018 there were successful international voluntary camps. You can watch a short videos about previous years camps on these links: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=loUd7v_g3Y0&t=54s (2017)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3GRpzyC-Pvo> (2018)
<https://bit.ly/32ZH0XC> (2019)

Work: Volunteers will provide help to museum staff doing different activities: to renew (painting, maintenance) outdoor look of Museum (mansions, informational signs, stands), to perform landscaping work, to braid fences of willow and another activities for improvement of Museum territory.

As one of the main objectives of the project is to raise awareness of the local community on the issues related to the Ukrainian Heritage, so all volunteers will be invited to take part in planned workshops.

Accommodation/Food: will be organized in a former summer children camp. Breakfast will be prepared by volunteers. Lunch and dinner will be provided.

Location: Rokyni (12 km from Lutsk).

Terminal: Lutsk.

Nearest Airport: Lviv.

Leisure time: Lutsk has a lot of places of interests that is why you will not feel lack of historical places to visit: castle, monasteries, church. Bus trips to Lutsk can be organized. There are special squares for sport activities, so volunteers are welcomed to enjoy playing volleyball and football. You can do swimming and sunbathing near lake.

What to bring: working gloves, working clothes, musical instruments, detailed information about your country, national games, good mood and motivation.

Language: English.

Extra fee: 30 Euro

UAALT-5 Travelling Camp 13.08 - 20.08.2020 Study/Reno/Soci 20 (15 ukr. + 5 int.) vols (18+)



Project partner: Centre of German Culture “Widerstrahl”

Project: The project was initiated by CGC “Widerstrahl” with expectations to acquaint Ukrainian youth with German roots and international volunteers about places of living of ethnic Germans in Kyiv and Transcarpathian regions and doing activities for improving of territories connected with a history of their living. The project will start and finish in Kyiv.

Work: Volunteers will help to renovate territories where ethnic Germans used to live and work. It includes improvement of cemeteries, parks and etc.

During this project coordinators will organize meetings and visits for volunteers with representatives of different German minority institutions from Kyiv and Transcarpathian regions: museums, churches etc.

Accommodation/Food: Volunteers will be accommodated in hostels/student dormitories and two nights in night trains. Three meals per day will be provided.

Location: Kyiv, Mukacheve.

Terminals: Kyiv. Mukacheve.

Nearest Airports: Kyiv, Lviv

Leisure time: During this camp volunteers will have possibility to see different historical places.

What to bring: working gloves, working clothes, musical instruments, detailed information about your country, national games, good mood and motivation.

Language: German