# **Tamer Institute for Community Education**

# **Volunteering with Tamer Institute for Community Education.**

Volunteer with Tamer Institute and become a part of their work to promote and support the Palestinian civil society through children's literature, education and community work.

Exchange your knowledge and expertise within the field of education and literature. Take part in developing tools and training programs that support the psychosocial wellbeing and development of Palestinian children and youth.

Expand your network to the Palestinian educational and literary community scene and be part of a dynamic and inspiring team.

Volunteer and share your experience within a meaningful setting and take part in the educational exchange between Denmark and Palestine.

### The Organization

Tamer Institute works primarily with and for children and youth, providing safe and friendly learning environments and materials. Tamer Institute runs a publishing unit, holds intellectual events for teachers and librarians, arranges workshops, leads youth teams, facilitates community initiatives, donate books to local libraries and arranges an annual reading campaign. The Institute identifies the most critical need as to acquire means to help people learn and become engaged in their communities. Tamer Institute focuses principally on the rights to education, identity, freedom of expression, access to information and promotes all forms of expression on national and international levels. Eventually Tamer Institute is working to realize social change by contributing to a Palestinian environment that is supportive to learning processes and supporting the literary and scholarly production on child culture in Palestine.

Located in Ramallah – Palestine.

#### **Current volunteer positions available:**

#### Illustrator of children's literature

- Being an author of children's literature or illustrator
- Conducting activities with children and librarians centered around the previous work of the volunteer
- Inspire librarians to use new and different learning tools when doing activities with the children

#### Children's facilitator

Preferably able to volunteer for two weeks to three months

- No age-limit
- Previous experience with working as a librarian is a strong asset
- Designing and implementing a training program for librarians that is centered around utilizing music and other forms of expressive arts such as creative writing, drama, drawing, animation in the facilitation of activities with children
- Having the ability to adapt the psychosocial support activities to serve the Palestinian context and communities
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- No age-limit

# Design and administrative assistant

- Demonstrate experience in data entry
- Be familiar with Adobe photoshop, Indesign, Illustrator etc.
- Proficient in Microsoft Office and other office related software
- Strong organizational skills, and ability to multitask
- Good written and verbal communication skills
- Positive attitude, professional demeanor, and strong interpersonal skills
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