







# Flower Campaign



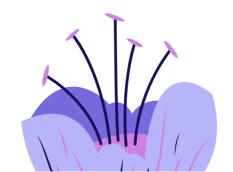
#### **Team Volunteering**

Bucharest, Romania 03.04 - 04.05.2024











## Who are we?

A.C.T.O.R. exists since 2002.

The Organisation promotes European Solidarity initiatives through voluntary work. We work mainly in the clinical animation field and deliver non-formal session and workshops to kids in Bucharest and surroundings.



As a cultural association we are using a large spectrum of tools and have developed different skills during the past years. We create materials to promote our project like origami, shadow theatre, forum theatre, clinical animation, pedagogical animation, etc.

At the same time, we are conscious that many children and youngsters are not able to have access to artistic or cultural activities of any sort, that's why we start doing workshops in disadvantaged communities outside the capital.



#### Our Flower Campaign



It is now considered a tradition of A.C.T.O.R. - "De Florii, Flori pentru copii" (Flowers for Children) will be held for its XXIst time in April 2024 and its the biggest and most impactful fundraising campaign.

Every year, one week before Easter, ESC and Romanian volunteers gather up together, create origami flowers, the baskets and donation boxes and go to different churches in Bucharest to offer the flowers in exchange of donations.

The money that will be collected will be turned into presents for children in hospitals and social centers in and outside Bucharest (Grigorie Alexandrescu, Lacul Bucura, Nicolae Robănescu, Marie Curie and the social centres of Neghiniță, Haap-Alb and Brădet).





#### Follow up of the Campaign





After attending the Flower Campaign, the volunteers will have to prepare the presents for each hospital, according to the number of children and goods (fruits, sweets, school supplies, coloring books, etc.)

During the following week, the volunteers will go to every hospital with the presents and the performance they will prepare beforehand.



#### Performance for Kids



Before staring the preparation for the Flower Campaign, the volunteers will prepare a <u>short performance</u> for the kids in hospitals and social centers (under 30 minutes)

They can choose between Puppet or Shadow Theater performances and choose your favourite stories!





#### Volunteer's profile

- age of 18-30 years old from any EU country
- interest in artistic activities (theater, origami, music, painting, etc.)
- positive energy and responsible approach to work
- good teamworking skills
- ability to deal with stress and problem solving attitude





## Benefits

You will be supported by us and the Sending Organisation in any aspect of your stage.

All the travel costs will be covered, to a max of £275,00

You will live with other volunteers in a shared flat in the same neighbourhood

You will have an Health Insurance (with Henner) that will cover your time with us plus 2 months after

A Basic Romanian Language course will be provided

You will have a pocket money (in lei - Romanian currency) monthly

Other workshops will be provided

You will be supported by a Mentor

At the end of your stage you will receive a Youth Pass Certificate to add to your CV



## Bucharest, the vibrant city



Bucharest is a wonderful capital of multiculturalism. It is the largest city in Romania and the largest commercial center in the whole nation.

The town is full of history, architecture and stunning landscapes as well! In the past, because of its elegant architecture developed in the period between the two World Wars, it used to be called "The Little Paris".

Romanian is the main language, but you'll easily find people who speak English. There are also big community of Italians, Spanish and French and you can easily find them on Facebook groups and meet-ups around the town.

The Old City is known for its large number of terraces, pubs and restaurants. Bucharest is a Green City, the biggest park is Parcul Herestrau (the official name changed recently in Parcul Mihai I, after the last king of Romania), but there is also Parcul Tineretului, Parcul Cismigiu and much more!

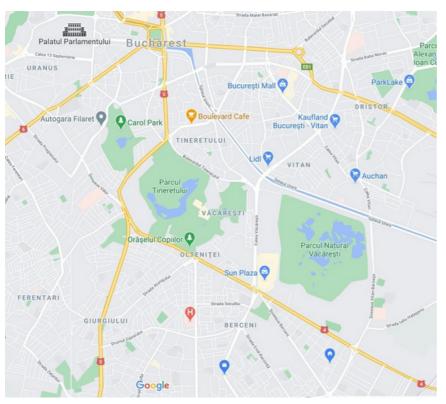




#### Where are we?







We live near the offices, in Sector 4 (we have the tram and metro 5-10 min by walking).

In less than 5 min you have the main shops (Lidl, Kaufland, Shop & Go, Mega Image) + 10 min by Tram (1 or 10) you have Sun Plaza, one of the biggest malls in Bucharest (H&M, Zara, Sarbucks, etc.)

You will be close to parks: Parcul Vacaresti, Parcul Tineretului etc.



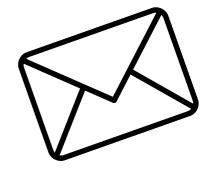


Send an e-mail to actorgointernational@gmail.com with your motivation letter and CV

You can also apply through the European Youth Portal online platform.

Volunteers, once accepted in the selection process, will be contacted via e-mail.





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