



## Internship in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Association of Citizens "Nešto više" is looking for agronomist or permaculturist, who is focused on developing and promoting environmental-friendly farming practices. The candidates should be self-motivated, detail-oriented, and analytical with good listening, communication, and problem solving skills.

## About Nešto više

Based in East Sarajevo and Mostar, Nešto više works with different marginalized population groups and seeks to improve their social status and socio-economic inclusion by advocating for the access to rights and providing persons with disabilities and others employment and income generation opportunities through a social enterprises. They run subsidiary income-generating entity EkoDizajn that engages in organic production.

Position location: Farm owned by Citizens' Association "Nešto Više" in Humilišani, Mostar

**Duration:** 3 months (90 days), starting from September 2019 the latest

**Intern's subsistence allowance:** 1200 EUR per month (travel costs, insurance and accommodation shall be covered by the intern)

## Job description:

- Daily work on the farm greenhouses, orchards and open field detailed tasks depend on season, type of crop and weather conditions; (max. 40 hours/week)
- Participating on planning and implementing landscaping projects outside of the farm.
- Interested in possible educational presentations, workshops, and trainings for different target groups agricultural producers, people with disabilities, pupils etc.
- Participate in process of plan development for planting, cultivation, and harvesting techniques in accordance with ecological and permacultural principles;
- Researching and promoting environmental-friendly farming practices or products that diminish the effects of changes in soil, climate, and weather or prevent damage from pests;
- Assisting with the plant selection process and the development of planting and irrigation schedules and timelines;
- Keeping detailed records regarding crops;
- Desk research in permaculture approaches, applying permaculture at the farm (suggest solutions to challenges noticed at the field);

## Requirements:

- Bachelor's degree in Agronomy, Agriculture, Environmental Studies or related field.
- Proficiency in English (knowledge of Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian is an advantage)
- Ability to work outside, stand, walk, kneel, and stoop for extended periods.
- Ability and willingness to work individually and in a team.





- Proficiency with MS Office and diagnostic scientific software.
- Good active listening, verbal and written communication skills.
- Good research, decision making, critical thinking, and problem solving skills.
- Awareness of trends in agriculture environmental protection, technology, and developments.
- Ability to live and work at the farm, take basic care about animals (cats, dogs, chicken), and manage everyday activities in environmental friendly manners (saving energy and water, recycling, composting, etc.).

To apply for this position, send your CV and cover letter to <a href="marcela.zarubova@care.cz">marcela.zarubova@care.cz</a> by 31 May 2019 the latest.

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