

# Call for ESC Volunteer in Communications 2023

**Erasmus Student Network (ESN)** is the biggest student network in Europe, with over 500 local organisations (“sections”) active in Higher Education Institutions in more than 40 countries. ESN has been supporting student mobility since 1989 and has its international headquarters in Brussels.

The international headquarters in Brussels is looking for a **European Solidarity Corps volunteer, starting on the 1st of June 2023** (ideally) **and staying for 7 months**. The candidate must be **between 17 and 30 years old and a resident of an EU/EEA country**. The volunteer will work with the rest of ESN on the organisation’s communication, but also on various other ESN projects.

## *Main tasks and responsibilities*

- Assisting in all communication-related tasks, such as the implementation of social media communication & strategic planning to promote mobility opportunities to people across Europe.
- Management and content production for ESN’s social media channels (mainly [Instagram](#), [TikTok](#) and [Twitter](#))
- Copywriting, designing the newsletter, producing news articles for [ESN.org](#);
- Working with photography, video, and graphic design for digital and print promotion in the field of mobility promotion;
- Contributing to ESN publications on the topic of mobility promotion, including our [Annual Report](#);
- Working with mobility participants in order to collect testimonials connected to ESN’s activities.

*Note:* The Solidarity Corps programme is a learning experience for the volunteers, and they should feel free to suggest their own tasks and projects, in addition to those mentioned above.

## *Terms and conditions*

- European Solidarity Corps volunteer contract for a duration of **7 months (until January 2024)**;
- The successful applicant should **start in June 2023, ideally on the 1st**;
- **Accommodation** in Brussels is provided, either in the “ESN House” or on the private market with assistance from ESN and with the rent up to 450 EUR per month paid by ESN;
- **Transport costs** in Brussels are covered;
- **Health Insurance** is covered through the ESC programme;
- **Pocket money** of 450 EUR per month is provided;
- **Travel costs** to Brussels from the volunteer’s home country and back are covered.

## *Qualifications & Requirements*

- Fluent in written and spoken English;

- Background in communication, media, graphic design or similar;
- Familiar with the concepts of Social Media and online marketing;
- Good knowledge of Canva and Adobe software (Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator);
- Proficient user of Microsoft Office and Google Workspace;
- Structured and reliable way of working;
- Highly proactive attitude. Not afraid of proposing changes and taking ownership of delegated tasks;
- Capacity of working in a team as well as independently;
- Comfortable working in a multicultural environment;
- Experience with carrying out EU-funded projects and grants is a plus;
- Knowledge of the Erasmus Student Network is a plus.

## ***European Solidarity Corps***

**European Solidarity Corps** is an EU-funded programme in which volunteers from one country can go and volunteer in another. More information [here](#). You can see [Carlos](#), one of our previous volunteers sharing his story with JINT, the Belgian-Flemish Youth National Agency.

In order to apply, please follow the following steps:

1. Create an account on the European Youth Portal as a young person:  
[https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity\\_en](https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity_en)
2. Clicking apply on the page of the [call](#).
3. Submit your application by including a CV and Motivation statement.
4. Share with us your CV, Motivation Letter and Portfolio with examples of your previous work on this [Form](#). **ATTENTION:** if you do not fill in this form, and don't submit all the documents required, we will not consider your application as complete and we will therefore not assess it.
5. Good luck, we will get back to you asap.

In order to apply, please do so no later than **the 16th of April, at 23:59 CEST**. Interviews will be held online shortly after that.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact [communication@esn.org](mailto:communication@esn.org).