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<b>Number of desired places for long-term volunteers in this project per year (max. 2 at the same workplace):</b>	2
<b>Comments of the volunteer situation in this project</b> (e.g. number of places for volunteers from other organisations, short-term volunteers, experiences with volunteers)	SES Foundation has hosted many volunteers within the program of Subir al Sur and in different other programmes and initiatives since the foundation of the organization. They are really well prepared to host volunteers for a short or long term period.

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**Description of the host project (aims of the project, regular activities, size, target group, e.g. number of children, geographical location, etc.):**

Fundación SES is an NGO in Argentina which, since 1999, has deployed initiatives and practices that seek to improve the quality of life of teenagers and youth in most regions in Latin America by focusing on developing their rights.

SES actions are founded on two strategic pillars, developing networks and stablishing partnerships, thus building collaborative teams and strengthening different organizations that are part of the civil society.

SES also creates mechanisms that support the development of public policies with the government, the main driving force that upholds and guarantees citizens' rights.

Fundación SES supports the strengthening of the government and of different organizations and institutions, so that their projects and programs lead to successful outcomes.

The sectors currently found within Fundación SES are:

- The Sector of Monitoring, Evaluation and Systematization, which supports the management process of several programs and actions developed at Fundación SES.
- The Sector of Communication, which supervises the communication content, implements media strategies and is in charge of web site maintenance, the publication of different documents written by Fundación SES and the organization of institutional events and meetings.
- The Institutional Administration

Fundación SES sees its actions as Programs or Initiatives. Programs are more developed, are generally two or three years long and have specific funding. Initiatives are shorter, and may or may not have external funding.

### **Fundación SES' Primary Areas of Intervention of our programmes**

#### **Education**

SES promotes the access to and completion of formal education studies for both, youth and teenagers, by strengthening socio-educational initiatives as a strategy to achieve their incorporation and permanence.

#### **Employment**

SES promotes significant employment opportunities for the youth by developing a link between education and employment. It implements different strategies for youth employment training which aim to maximize their "working capital" for successful entry into the job market.

#### **Youth and Participation**

SES develops training initiatives that promote youth participation in both, social and political areas. It promotes dialogue on fundamental questions about their life, such as substance abuse, health, diversity, education and employment, always with a focus on developing their rights.

Fundación SES works with young people with the aim to help them focus on promoting their rights. By way of its practices, the organization has developed a sound body of lessons learned since its formation. Based on that, it has "modeled" these lessons to transfer, replicate, adapt, and scale them up, to develop proposals that seek to design and implement youth public policies.

#### **The main actions are:**

The training and formal education of teenagers and youth  
Socioemotional Skills  
Socio-educational Initiatives  
Solidarity-Based Economy and Entrepreneurship  
Habitat and Housing  
Youth Employment Mediation  
Youth Participation and Leading Role  
Gender and Youth  
Youth Public Policies  
Strengthening of Social and Public Organizations  
Public/ Private and International Cooperation Networks and Alliances  
Corporate Volunteering and Youth Intercultural Volunteering

#### **With whom we are working with?**

Every programme that is developed by our organization is based on a partnership with other organizations.

#### **How many people are involved in our activities?**

Between 700 and 1000 young people participate every year in "La Semana por los Derechos de la Juventud"  
More than 3000 young people participate every year in youth employment programmes ran by our organization and our local partners.

#### **How many employees do we have?**

We are 30 people working in the Foundation.

Main fields of work of the host project	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Health
<input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture / Food Security	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Administration
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Culture and Sport	<input type="checkbox"/> Private Enterprise / Technology / Trade
<input type="checkbox"/> Disability	<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Relief
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Children and Youth	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Human Rights / Peace / Democracy
<input type="checkbox"/> Refugees / Homeless People	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Protection
<input type="checkbox"/> Women	<input type="checkbox"/> Others in Social Field
<input type="checkbox"/> Elderly People	

**Please describe briefly the local community of the project:**

The headquarter of SES Foundation is located in the centre of Buenos Aires

**Please describe the role of each volunteer as well as the planned tasks for the volunteer (work schedule):**

Volunteer will participate in the development of our programs, he/she will be part of the team and will be working side by side with the responsible of each area and a technical, who are, among others, different professionals for e.g. psychologists and sociologists.

The volunteer will start working in our Foundation participating in Subir al Sur. He/She will assist in the incoming area and communications (Facebook, Twitter, and Website) in terms of promoting volunteer service in Argentina. The main tasks here are designing flyers, taking and posting pictures in combination with texting about the daily life of the volunteers to share their experiences.

This will be only at the beginning to be introduced to the organization. As soon as the language skills are improving, he/she will start participating in other projects.

The volunteer will help to develop the area of *Solidarity-Based Economy and Entrepreneurship and in the communication area*. In addition to that he/she will support the team to develop workshops and to produce some communicational materials, like videos and photos of our activities. Besides, he/she will participate in some institutional activities and in trainings to assist some colleagues.

He/She will be a helping hand in preparing some operative activities that are important to run our programmes and to make the social inclusion of youngsters possible.

We have different conferences, trainings and workshops and we need assistance and support in their organization and development.

The volunteer will mostly be participating in our office, but also in some cases she will go to different places to participate in our activities in territory or to make visits to our local partner with the team of the Foundation.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
12:00 Daily start				
13.00: Lunch time				

13:45: activities of the day					
18:00 End of the day					

**Please characterize the profile of the expected volunteer (e.g. specific language skills, gender, age):**

- Interest in non formal education and cooking as a way of promoting a healthy life
- Initiative to propose independent activities
- Interest in learning about NGOs and social programs in Argentina
- Sensitivity to social and economic problems
- Flexibility to adapt to the NGO structure and way of working in South America
- Teamwork
- Creative character and motivation
- Interest in children development
- An interest in learning Spanish

**Please describe the accommodation arrangements for the volunteer (board and lodgings during the voluntary service):**

Volunteers will be living with a host family, in case we can't find a suitable family they will be hosted in the intercultural volunteer house with a capacity of up to 14 volunteers, kitchen, shared bathrooms, wi fi, shared rooms. It is located in Buenos Aires or in a host family.  
One meal is provided for the project. They will have ingredients for cooking for themselves for breakfast and dinner.