



## Current Volunteer Needs Second Quarter 2016

We have a number of current volunteer needs, some of which may be right up your alley! Most of these opportunities can be done from wherever you live. These are tagged "Local." Some offer opportunities to travel to visit our microfinance partners. These are tagged "Global." A few need to be done by those who live in the Boston area. These are tagged "Boston." If you are interested in any of these or have questions, email us at [volunteer@peerservants.org](mailto:volunteer@peerservants.org). Thank you!

### Accounting/Audit

- Local/Global – Join a team providing guidance on internal controls and internal audit to MFI network.

### Business Writing/Journalism

- Local – Prepare grant submissions to prospective institutional donors.
- Local – Prepare PEER Servants Quarterly Newsletter.
- Local – Prepare PEER Servants and/or other microfinance partners' 2015 Annual Reports.

### Children

- Boston – Assist with and potentially lead PEER Kids program.

### Communications

- Local – Join and possibly lead a team of volunteers helping PEER Servants communicate its story through web, video, print, and more.

### Development

- Boston – Develop our Church Partnership Program.
- Boston – Develop our Corporate Sponsorship Program.
- Local – Prepare grant submissions to prospective institutional donors.
- Boston – Manage an online auction using eBay.
- Local – Manage communications with our major donors.

### Education

- Local/Philippines – Liaise with educators and teachers in the Philippines to support them as they educate at-risk children and youth in academic and vocational programs.

## **Event Planning**

- Boston – Join a team hosting our 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration in October 2016.

## **General Support**

- Local/Global – Join a team focused on providing general support (prayer, projects, fundraising, etc.) to one of our microfinance partners, with the following in greatest need: Guatemala, Haiti, India, Sri Lanka, and South Sudan.

## **Governance**

- Local – Assist the President in working with the Board of Directors, scheduling and documenting meetings, recruiting new board members, and providing general support.
- Local/Global – Prepare and deliver training material to build the capacity of local boards overseeing indigenous Christian microfinance organizations.

## **Graphic Design**

- Local – Create logos, posters, T-Shirts, brochures, etc. to help promote PEER Servants and our global microfinance partners.

## **Hospitality**

- Boston – Join PEER Servants Hospitality Team.
- Philippines – Complete a minimum 9-month term with our Filipino partner providing guidance in the area of hotel/hospitality management.

## **Human Resources**

- Boston – Oversee PEER Servants' Staffunteer and volunteer recruiting efforts.
- Local/Global – Provide guidance to growing indigenous microfinance institutions in how to develop, retain, and incent their employees.
- Local/India – Coach current senior management as they develop their future senior management team.

## **IT/MIS/Web**

- Local – Oversee team of volunteers developing PEER Servants' new website.
- Local/Global – Provide guidance to our microfinance partners to build effective websites.
- Zambia – Implement new loan tracking MIS.

## **Management**

- Local/India – Coach current senior management as they develop their future senior management team.
- Boston – Manage one of PEER Servants' awareness- and/or fund-raising events.

### **Management Consulting**

- Local/Global – Assist our Guatemalan, Haitian, Moldovan, Sri Lankan, or Ugandan microfinance partners in the completion of their current strategic plan.

### **Market Research**

- Local/Global – Help PEER Servants and/or one of our microfinance partners complete market research surveys among their clients, volunteers, partners, donors, etc.

### **Mentoring**

- Local/Global – Provide coaching and mentoring to a promising staff member of one of our microfinance partners through Skype calls and possible in-person visits.

### **Procurement**

- Local – Identify and gather used but good computers and other office equipment to be used by our microfinance partners and/or the people they serve.

### **Product Development**

- Local – Complete research and provide coaching to identify and introduce new financial products for the poor.

### **Research**

- Local – Complete research and document findings to identify new financial products and services for the poor.

### **Risk Management**

- Local/Global – Prepare training materials for microfinance practitioners in relevant areas of risk management, including credit, fraud, liquidity, and many other risks.

### **Social Networking**

- Local – Manage PEER Servants' Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Instagram and other programs.

### **Spiritual Encouragement**

- Local/Global – Identify effective, contextualized means and curriculum for microfinance partners to disciple their staff members and clients.

### **Strategic Planning**

- Local/Global – Assist our Guatemalan, Haitian, Moldovan, Sri Lankan, or Ugandan microfinance partners in the completion of their current strategic plan.

## **Technical Support**

- Boston – Provide technical support for use of video and audio during PEER Servants meetings.
- Boston – Provide technical support in use of hardware and software at the PEER Servants office.
- Local – Identify and gather used but good computers and other office equipment to be used by our microfinance partners and/or the people they serve.

## **Training**

- Local – Create a distance learning program for volunteers and partner stakeholders.
- Local – Create short cross-cultural training modules to enable our volunteers to work effectively across cultures.

## **Video**

- Local – Create a series of short promotional videos to tell the PEER Servants story.
- Local/Global – Provide guidance to our microfinance partners in what makes an effective promotional video in a global context.

## **Youth**

- Boston – Support and disciple the PEER Teens Boston chapter.
- Local – Coordinate and network the global affiliates within PEER Teens.

Interested in any of these projects? Please email us at [volunteer@peerservants.org](mailto:volunteer@peerservants.org).

Thank you!