

# Study Abroad, Volunteer & Internships

"Building a better future, together!"

SVA offers unique opportunities to international students aimed at channelling their energies into a positive fulfilling experiences to gain self-awareness and appreciation for the world in which we live.









**INTERNSHIPS** 

### **STUDY ABROAD**

and make friends for a lifetime.

## **VOLUNTOURISM**

Imagine learning in one of the world's largest, diverse and unique outdoor classrooms; having the opportunity to make friends from a range of nationalities; expanding your skills in the international arena; the satisfaction felt when you help those less fortunate or you make a positive difference for the future of our planet. Combine the rewarding benefits of travel abroad with unforgettable opportunities. Immerse yourself in the Aussie lifestyle, improve your English, enhance your professional skills

SVA programs are divided into Studying, Volunteering and Internships. We also have some fantastic Ed-venture and Edu-tourism programs that can be incorporated with any of our packages.

### **TESTIMONIAL**

"Thank you for all of your help with getting me an internship at Hilton Cairns last year. I grew day by day because of the great, practical, precious working experiences. I loved my job and working mates as well as Cairns! Now I am working at Hilton in Nagoya and I can see the wonderful picture of my life."

Hiroshi Hibino, Intern from JAPAN





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# **VOLUNTOURISM**

SVA Voluntourism packages are created to enable today's traveller, whether part of a group or as an individual, to gain a fulfilling experience by giving back to the local community. Students and travellers are rewarded with the added bonus of learning another country's culture and making lifelong friends.

Programs can be coordinated from a half day through to 3 months and may include: Wildlife, Conservation, Environmental Care, Agriculture, Community or Aged Care.



### **EXAMPLE GROUP PROJECT**

Riverbank Regeneration (3 hrs with afternoon tea)

Half day Barron Riverbank catchment regeneration project. This project is ongoing and weather dependent for safety reasons. Volunteers will be given a brief environment lecture and then participate in digging holes, planting trees, general cleaning and maintenance to ensure success of regeneration. Volunteers are provided with afternoon tea, all necessary equipment, refreshments and a certificate of attainment.

### **INTERNSHIPS**

An internship enables the individual to develop or improve their skills in a specific subject or industry, all while experiencing an unforgettable cultural holiday at their home away from home. The opportunities are endless but our strength is within tourism, hospitality, business and agriculture.

Imagine learning a variety of skills on a boat on the Great Barrier Reef, learning stockbreeding directly from the farmer in outback Australia or gaining professional hospitality skills in a 5 star international hotel such as the Hilton.

Our internship programs are often unpaid and costs do apply. Prices are upon application and vary in length to meet individual needs.













### STUDY ABROAD

Many schools/universities these days allow students to travel abroad for 4 weeks to 1 year during their senior years.

The aim of the study abroad program is to strengthen your language skills, learn another culture and grow as an individual from this once in a lifetime opportunity. There are many schools within Australia that are happy to accept students on these programs. Not all have agreements in place to provide credits but we can assist with this process.

### We are 100% advocates of Gap Year!!

The last years of high school are stressful enough for students trying to achieve the best scores for their choice of university and dealing with the trials and tribulations of being a teenager.

Studying abroad on a Gap Year allows students to travel, volunteer, work and /or study. The best way for a person to learn self-awareness is to immerse into experiences that enable them to grow as a person and empower them to make positive decisions about their future. Today's employer is looking for employees that have taken the initiative to learn and gain valuable, international experiences outside of their high school and university studies. Study Abroad and never look back....

Study Volunteer Australia's programs are varied and flexible. We look forward to helping you build a better future for yourself and our world.

## **NEED TO KNOW**

### REQUIREMENTS

Some programs have visa, language and skill competency requirements. Our office can provide this information for you or please contact one of our affiliated agents in your local country.

### **LOCATIONS**

Our head office is in Cairns and our strength is in Queensland but we plan to expand through our national network in the future.

#### COSTS

Costs vary depending on length of stay, inclusions etc. Please contact our office for further information.



