

## Group project proposal

**Code:** SJV-G3

**Type:** ENVI/FORE

**Project location:** Uong Bi Forestry Farm

**Duration:** 1-3 weeks

Contents	Details	Remark
<b>Project description</b>	<p>As environment plays an important role in our life nowadays, in collaboration with Uong Bi forestry farm, SJ Vietnam would like to run a project about environmental issues in Uong Bi, Quang Ninh province. Uong Bi forestry farm was established in 1992 in Uong Bi, Quang Ninh which is 120km far from Hanoi and 40km far from Halong city. One of the most important project of Vietnamese government about environment is to cover the bare hills, mountains by trees, that's why they call the forestry farms for planting new trees.</p> <p>Volunteers are expected to help to plant new trees, to take care of young trees, to cut grass, to clear the foot path (if there is any).</p>	
<b>Hosting organization</b>	Being established in 1992, the forestry farm aims to plant, protect and develop the forest in Uong Bi. Hundreds hectores of forest are	It's local organization to host the project.(ex

	protected and developed since then. On the other hand, they have given jobs to thousand of people living in Uong Bi and in other provinces.	orphanage)
<b>Location</b>	Uong Bi, Quang Ninh (120 km far from Hanoi)	
<b>Food</b>	Food will be cooked by volunteers during the workcamp. Volunteers will be split up into teams and the cooking team will go to the local market to buy food and cook for the rest of the group. The volunteers will eat local ingredients, some special food from your country could be difficult to find here or could be expensive.	If you need special ingredients like spices and sauces, it is better that you bring them with you. It could be difficult, expensive or even impossible to find them here.
<b>Accommodation</b>	Volunteers will live in the tents made by volunteers and staff in the forest. It's very simple, basic, and similar to the life of the farmers in Vietnam. Sleeping bags, sleeping mats, mosquito nets, pillows, blankets are needed. There are not real showers, real toilets here.	
<b>Study part</b>	We encourage volunteers to bring lots of information about their country to share with us and the local people. Besides, volunteers can organize workshops about different topics such as HIV or differences between Vietnamese	

	culture and their cultural to have deeper understanding about cultural differences.	
<b>Leisure activities and cultural visit</b>	This is the mountainous area so the landscape is very beautiful with waterfalls, valleys, streams, etc. Volunteers will have opportunities to deeply visit Uong Bi and other places in Quang Ninh such as Halong bay, Yen Tu pagoda, etc and other beautiful places together with Vietnamese volunteers. At weekend, volunteers can organize a trip to Hanoi – the capital of Vietnam for that volunteers will deeply understand about how’s Vietnamese live since 1000 years now.	
<b>Duration</b>	<b>1-3 weeks</b> <b>(SJ Vietnam and the partner can discuss and find the best time for both sides to organize this)</b>	
<b>Participation fee</b>	<b>180EUR for 2 weeks</b> (Airport pick-up, meals, cost of local transportation, one-day excursion to a beauty spot) <b>If your duration is not 2 weeks, please contact us to discuss more.</b>	

**The program will be included:**

+ One-day orientation (Introduction about hosting organization including SJ Vietnam and

its local partner, about the work, project visits, welcome party, etc.)

+ Work: Plant and take care of trees, clear the foot paths, protect the forest from fire, cutting grass, etc.

+ Trip to Hanoi for one day.

+ Farewell party

(Evenings will be spent for leisure activities, workshops, reflection, evaluations and preparations for the work the next days).

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