

Volunteer opportunity: Reception and welcome of visitors / hikers

The Courmettes estate (www.courmettes.com) is managed by A Rocha France and receives a good number of hikers. We are looking for volunteers from April onwards to improve our welcome to them, as well as finding ways to increase their awareness of A Rocha's work and their understanding of the environment.

Within this context, you will participate in:

- The reception of hikers and visitors:
 - Walking the estate to meet hikers in order to tell them about A Rocha's work, the biodiversity of the site, remind them of the rules, etc.
 - Carrying out small educational activities in front of the centre
 - Running our small café, a friendly place to welcome many visitors (but in accordance with the current sanitary measures)
- If you wish, you can also potentially participate in:
 - Improving our signage and maintenance of the marked paths
 - Managing our programme of nature walks (welcoming participants, managing registrations, communications)
 - Creating "biodiversity" content for the Courmettes website
- We will also ask you to participate in the life of the centre (welcoming groups, etc.).

If you share [A Rocha's mission](#) and are passionate about nature and welcoming people, come and join us!

Some important information:

- Fluent French required to be able to discuss with hikers / visitors (although in 'normal' years Courmettes receives many non-French visitors in summer months)
- Duration: minimum 2-3 weeks and up to several months!
- The job mostly takes place on Saturdays and Sundays, since this is when Courmettes has most visitors, so is a crucial time for raising awareness of the maximum number of people
- Possibility of accommodation on site (depending on availability: room or tent)
- Cost of accommodation and food (full board): 15€ / day (room); 10€ / day (tent)

To apply, please fill out our [volunteer application form](#). This form also applies to other international opportunities, so please note 'Les Courmettes' and which opportunity most interests you in response to the question 'Where do you want to volunteer?'