

FOR THE EXPERIENCE!

ART CAMP AT BUENOS AIRES MASK FESTIVAL





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Participate in the Art Camp and develop your volunteer work within the framework of the **Festival de Máscaras de Buenos Aires**.

This two-week experience offers the opportunity to learn how to work within the framework of an art festival and get to know the Argentine "porteña" culture.

The Mask Festival is one of the most vibrant and colorful events in the city. It is an annual celebration that brings together artists, craftsmen, and culture enthusiasts from different places to share their passion for the art of masks. This event aims to promote, showcase, and multiply the ancestral language of mask theater. Additionally, it not only highlights creativity and cultural diversity but also promotes the exchange of knowledge and techniques among participants.

The activity is carried out by the Community Theater Project **Los Pompapetriyasos**, which is part of the projects developed by the intercultural volunteer program of Fundación SES. **Subir al Sur**.







# LOS POMPAPETRIYASOS

Was born from the work of a group of neighbors from Parque Patricios that found in the neighborhood their own space of creation, expression and collective construction. They generate collective artistic productions in which they address specific problems of the territory they live in. In this way, Los Pompa consolidates spaces that encourage the creation in alternative forms and strengthen the bond between the neighbors. They develop art workshops, produce plays and festivals like the one we invited you to!



#### THE ART CAMP

The Pompapetriyasos organization and Fundación SES have joined forces to carry out this innovative initiative. The Art Camp is designed to provide volunteers with an experience where they can learn, create, and collaborate with local and international artists. The festival proposes: 1) Mask installation. 2) Talks with cultural and visual arts leaders. 3) Training seminars. 4) Performances





#### **ACTIVITIES AND TASKS OF THE VOLUNTEERS:**

- -Preparing spaces for mask installations
- -Contributing to the theater's setup
- -Assisting workshop instructors
- -Working on the promotion and communication of the program
- -Maintaining the organization and preservation of spaces and materials
- -Attending to the theater's café

#### **ART CAMP PROPOSE YOU**

- -A training seminar (one) consisting of 2 sessions, "Towards the Rescue of Us," which introduces the methodology for working with art in communities and identifying what we have in common.
- -Tours and activities to get to know Buenos Aires
- -Attendance at Festival activities
- -Getting to know the Pompapetriyasos project, which supports the Subir al Sur Program.

#### MAIN GOALS OF THE ART CAMP

- -Foster Creativity and Learning: Provide a space where volunteers can develop their artistic skills and learn new techniques.
- -Promote Cultural Exchange: Facilitate meetings and collaboration between people from different backgrounds and cultures.
- -Contribute to Social Development: Use art to promote social inclusion and strengthen the community fabric.
- -Support the Mask Festival: Contribute to the success and continuity of this cultural event.



#### **CONDITIONS TO PARTICIPATE**

- -Fee: us\$ 700.- (does not include domestic or international flights)
- -To be older than 18 years
- -To be able to communicate in Spanish



#### WHAT THE FEE INCLUDES

- -Airport transfer to the volunteer house
- -Accommodation in the Subir al Sur Volunteer House
- -Food for 3 meals daily during the two weeks
- -Transportation from the volunteer house to the theater during the volunteer work period
- -A training seminar (one) consisting of 2 sessions
- -Participation in some of the Festival activities
- -A mentor in charge of the group to facilitate the stay and participation in the Art Camp

#### **DURATION AND DATE**

The Art Camp lasts for 15 days (days leading up to the start of the festival and the first week of the festival). It will take place during the second half of September. **Date to be confirmed.** 





## **ACCOMMODATION**

# **SUBIR AL SUR VOLUNTEER HOUSE**

Our Casa Subireña allows young people to learn from coexistence, respect each other in diversity and deepen communication that transcends language barriers. The house has place up to 14 persons. It is located on Floresta neighborhood, between Monte Castro and Villa Santa Rita neighborhoods in the City of Buenos Aires. It allows you to easily connect with all points of the city thanks to its proximity to the Metrobús. For the comfort of its inhabitants, each shared room has its own bathroom. In addition, the house consists of a kitchen, a bathroom for common use, a large dining room and a terrace with a barbecue area. We propose that living together at home should also be part of the learning experience, which is why many of the household chores should be carried out by the volunteers. The care and tidiness of the house is a requirement of the programme. In addition, we also have a person who is in charge of the maintenance of the house in order to guarantee the home care.

#### **QUOTA AND AVAILABILITY**

The Art Camp will be conducted with a limited quota. A minimum of 10 people and a maximum of 14 are required.





## **ABOUT US**

**Fundación SES** is an Argentine NGO that, since 1999, works for the social, educational, economic, labor, and citizen inclusion of youth collectives whose rights are violated in Argentina and around Latin America and the Caribbean.

Subir al Sur is an intercultural volunteer program that fosters community participation and youth leadership through Education for Peace. We work to promote the social, political, and community organization of today's youth, from a critical and reflective

standpoint on their living conditions and development as citizens of their communities, but also of the world. We seek to expand their realities and promote new experiences through youth participation and organization from a critical perspective.

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