

LANGUAGE/CULTURAL FACILITATOR

(Code: LCF)

**TYPE OF CONTRACT: Personal Services Contract
from June 25 – September 25, 2012**

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION:

The Language/Cultural Facilitator (LCF) is directly responsible for Philippine language instruction at the barangay level and provides ongoing formal and informal instruction and advice to Peace Corps Trainees regarding cultural adaptation and life in the Philippines. In addition to teaching Filipino, the national language, the LCF will assist a group of 4-6 Peace Corps Trainees in completing technical assignments and projects in the barangay. S/he is the key link in integrating all elements of training (i.e. language, technical, cultural, health and safety) through formal and informal activities in the community. S/he assists in visiting, surveying, selecting and orienting Host Families for Trainees. LCFs are required to follow a six-day workweek, with additional preparation time and activities in the evening, on weekends and holidays. S/he works in close collaboration with other staff for the successful and effective coordination of training activities and support of Trainees.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Job-related degree with teaching experience preferred;
- Experience in or knowledge of communicative and highly interactive teaching methodologies;
- Understanding of the Adult Learning Model and Experiential Education techniques;
- Professional level proficiency in English;
- Ability to fluently speak and teach Filipino;
- Strong background in community development, education, coastal resources, environmental conservation, or social work;
- Demonstrates strong interpersonal, problem solving, decision-making and counseling skills;
- Ability to work with cultural diversity;
- Excellent computer skills (MS Word, Excel, Powerpoint);
- Experience with Peace Corps trainings – *a plus*.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Willing to live in a barangay together with Trainees and other training staff
- Willing to undergo a Training of Trainers;
- Holder of an NBI Clearance;
- Physically fit to work long hours;
- Willing to work for 3-4 months in Central Luzon.

Send your application letter and resume to pstvacancy@ph.peacecorps.gov. The closing date for applications is Monday, March 26, 2012 5:00 pm. Only selected candidates will be contacted for an interview.