

VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS

It is time to Stand Up and Be Counted!

Have you volunteered this year?

Done extra volunteer hours for your class?

Had an unpaid internship?

We want to hear about it!

Fill out the volunteer hours form and report the number of hours that you, your class, or student organization volunteered throughout the year (July 2009-June 2010).

The University would like to thank you for giving back to those who need it.

[VOLUNTEER HOURS FORM- CLICK HERE](#)

Be on the lookout for National Volunteer Week events coming April 18th-24th.

Introducing a brand new volunteer opportunity from the Office of Volunteer Programs!!

ACE is a brand new volunteer experience at VU. The program is designed to have students- called ACE's- as well as faculty and staff members to volunteer agencies/experiences in the greater Valparaiso area. ACE's can assist with large scale volunteer opportunities as well- such as the VU Day of Caring, the MLK Service Day, and can also assist student organization or professors in finding large group projects around the city.

There are ten ACE's total:

ACE Coordinator- this student is in charge of the ACE program and all of it's large scale events. Youth- focused on childhood enrichment outside of the school Social Justice- focused on social needs of the greater community. Elderly- focused on hospice care and retirement homes. Educational- focused on school initiatives. Environmental- focused on conservation and education about our earth. Medical- focused on hospital programs such as the Red Cross/American Cancer Society. Religious- focused on working with local religious organizations. VU Opportunities- focused on campus programs such as campus clean ups and the VU Day of Caring. International Connection- focused on international students finding volunteer opportunities for enrichment.

If you are interested in becoming an ACE- please contact the ACE Coordinator for the 2009-2010 year. The ACE office is located in the Harre Union Student Organization Suite located on the second floor. We will get you an application and get you started in the program.

If you are interested in volunteering and need help locating a volunteer opportunity- then please email ACE_Coordinator@valpo.edu. Our ACE's will be able to help you find a volunteer opportunity that fits your schedule and level of time commitment.

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