



**World Food
Programme**

**Programa
Mundial de
Alimentos**

Web Developer Voluntary Assistant

Are you passionate about web development? Are you interested in international organizations and humanitarian work? Do you think that volunteer services are an important aspect of the personal and professional life?

If yes, this opportunity is for you.

At WFP Centre of Excellence, we are looking for talented students or recent graduates to support us as a Web Developer Voluntary Assistant in Brasilia, Brazil. You will be involved in designing and launching conventional and mobile websites and in optimizing onsite features. You will have the chance to test your own knowledge and ability to solve challenges and will have an official United Nations website on your portfolio.

The opportunity will be for part-time voluntary work at the Brasília office, with possibility of flexible hours to be agreed between the volunteer and the Communication Unit.

About us

The WFP Centre of Excellence against Hunger is a global forum for policy dialogue and South-South learning in school feeding, nutrition and food security programmes. The Centre of Excellence is a result of a partnership between WFP and the Brazilian government and was created in 2011 to support governments in Africa, Asia and Latin American in developing sustainable solutions against hunger. We provide policy and programme advice, technical assistance, learning opportunities and brings southern nations together to help them develop their own solutions to achieve the Sustainable Development Goal 2 – Zero Hunger. For more information, visit <http://www.centrodeexcelencia.org.br>.

WFP is the largest humanitarian agency fighting hunger worldwide. Our mission is to help the world achieve Zero Hunger in our lifetimes. Every single day, we work worldwide to ensure that no child goes to bed hungry and that the poorest and most vulnerable, particularly women and children, can access the nutritious food they need. For more information please go to <http://www1.wfp.org/>.

Responsibilities and tasks

As a Web Developer Voluntary Assistant, you will be working with the Communication Unit team, under the supervision of the the Communication Officer and in close collaboration



with ICT Operations Associate. You will be expected to get knowledge and experience working with the activities related to web development, and will be responsible for:

Main activities:

- Act as a web developer by analyzing and recommending to your supervisor high-level design options and technical standards, including software coding standards, tools and platforms. Specifically, you will be required to provide solutions for an existing website, developed with Wordpress.

Other duties:

- Design and launch conventional and mobile websites
- Optimize onsite features such as checkout, information pages, promotional pages, lead forms to improve conversion rates, engagement, and revenue
- Own web design from start to finish. Create mockups, wireframes, and prototypes with use of current UI trends, then design beautiful, intuitive web pages, and execute all front-end code
- Research, test, and integrate applications for site improvements
- Propose solutions to simplify and enhance web management processes
- Create user flows, sitemaps with an understanding of information architecture
- Provide training sessions of Communication staff involved on website management
- Assist on configuration of web application platforms and servers
- Perform other tasks as required.

Standard minimum qualifications

Our ideal candidate is someone who is proficient in HTML, CSS, Javascript, J-Query, Wordpress and can work with a FULL STACK (Linux, Apache, MySQL and PHP).

Education: You must be enrolled in the final semesters of a graduate or post-graduate programme from a recognized university in Information Technology, Computer Sciences, Systems Analysis, Software Engineering or related areas. Fresh graduates are also encouraged to apply.

Skills:

- Wordpress
- HTML
- PHP



- JSON
- JQUERY
- Node JS
- SEO
- CSS
- API Rest

Languages: Fluency in spoken and written Brazilian Portuguese. Knowledge of English will be an asset.

Desired experience

Advanced knowledge and proven experience of at least 2 years with Wordpress, HTML, PHP, JSON, JQUERY, Node JS, SEO, CSS and XML. Experience with SQL commands on PL/SQL and MS/SQL. Experience with web services and web APIs. Solid knowledge of object-oriented programming and data modeling. Desirable experience with agile methodologies and continuous integration.

Definition and principles

WFP volunteers are individuals who donate their services to the Programme. They have no relationship to the United Nations Volunteers Programme (UNV), nor to the WFP Intern Programme. The objective of this opportunity is the exchange of experiences between the volunteer and the Center during a short time work that will contribute to the design of an online knowledge platform on school feeding and food security.

There is no compensation for such volunteer services, however the Programme provides:

- Insurance under the MCS scheme for service-incurred accident/illness/death;
- Coverage under the WFP war risks/malicious acts policy;
- Certificate of completion of work, including workload and performed activities.

How to apply?

Step 1 - Go to: <http://www1.wfp.org/careers/job-openings> - Register and create your CV.

Step 2 – Click on [-Web Developer Voluntary Assistant](#) - Apply to submit your application.

NOTE: You must complete Step 1 and 2 for your application to be considered.



In the application form, ensure filling the mandatory sections, attaching your CV, answering the pre-screening questions and agreeing on the legal statement before submitting your application.

Selection of volunteers is made on a competitive basis on account of potential and performance. All applicants will undergo a process which includes screening against job requirements, a technical test, and a panel interview.

Candidates must be Brazilian nationals or must have permission to work in the country.

Talented women are encouraged to apply

We look for applicants with the highest integrity and professionalism who share our humanitarian values. We commit to promote diversity, gender parity and equality between men and women.

WFP strives to build a work environment that is safe and respectful, and free of sexual harassment and abuse of authority. We believe in open communication, and every individual at WFP is treated with respect regardless of gender, age, ethnicity, religious and political beliefs, etc.

Application deadline: 19 May, 2019

Desirable starting date: 3 June, 2019

Duration of the contract: Three months

WFP Volunteers are not considered as being a staff member of WFP.

The volunteers programme carries no expectation of renewal or of conversion to any type of contract or appointment in any activity of WFP.