

# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS (SUMMER 2018) RURAL YOUTH VOLUNTEERS IN INDIA



Applications are invited from HSU students to apply for a **10 weeks long program in Northern rural India in summer 2018**. It will be a meaningful learning experience as selected students immerse in Indian rural communities with a faculty supervisor from HSU accompanying them.

## Eligibility Criteria

- ✓ Age 21 years and above
- ✓ Juniors, Seniors, and graduate students
- ✓ Preference will be given to Child Development, Environmental Resources Engineering, and ESM Environmental Education & Interpretation students. However, other majors are encouraged to apply.
- ✓ Should have a valid U.S. passport that is good for at least a year from the date of application. If not, the applicant should be willing to obtain one by March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018.
- ✓ Should be committed to participate in all aspects of the program: 20-25 hours of planning phase (HSU, spring 2018), 10 weeks of implementation phase (India, summer 2018), and 25-30 hours of reflection and advocacy phase (HSU, fall 2018).
- ✓ Should be proficient in English. Some background in one of the Indian languages would be preferred.
- ✓ Should be able to procure recommendations from two referees at the time of application is due.

The applications are due **January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018 (by midnight)**. If you are interested, please contact **Dr. Meenal Rana**, Assistant Professor, Child Development department at [meenal.rana@humboldt.edu](mailto:meenal.rana@humboldt.edu) for more information on the program, reference form, and the application link.

## In your email, please use

- The subject line—"Inquiry about Rural Youth Volunteers in India"
- Your name and major at HSU