



# THE HOUSE OF EUROPE IS LOOKING FOR A NEW EUROPEAN AMBASSADOR!

*The House of Europe Le Mans-Sarthe aims at promoting an active European citizenship and bringing European citizens together to a better understanding. Our work is divided in 4 categories: information, mobility, European education and specific European projects. We are a resource center about European union in our territory and we work alongside many partners to help bringing the EU closer to its citizens. We're looking for a young European motivated, full of ideas to share about Europe with local inhabitants during a year, and be part of our team!*



**07.09.2021**  
END OF JULY 2022



**390 EUROS**  
PER MONTH



**TRAVEL TICKETS**  
COVERED



**CITY: LE MANS**  
(ONE HOUR FAR FROM PARIS)

**MISSION** The volunteer will be involved in the various activities of the association. We expect you to:

- ✓ Go to primary schools to promote Europe and talk about your country, culture. You can create your own educational tools to present your country or EU in a fun and interactive way.
- ✓ Lead workshops about your country and culture with local kids and youth during holidays in our partner towns.
- ✓ Create specific communication tools (videos, exhibitions etc.) to make young people aware of European citizenship and educational tools of communication to present the EU and its policies, or one of the countries, or mobility etc, on our website.
- ✓ Help us to be active on social media (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube).
- ✓ Manage the specific Instagram account of European volunteers in Sarthe.
- ✓ Inform locally on mobility opportunities for youngsters.
- ✓ Take part and help to organize some European events (Europe Day, Conference on the Future of Europe, Green Deal activities, gathering of students...).
- ✓ Establish a link between our organisation and your home country.
- ✓ *In addition, the volunteer will work on some common projects with the 8 other European volunteers staying in Sarthe with the Maison de l'Europe which is the coordinator of these European Solidarity Corps projects.*

**CONTEXT** The volunteer will be hosted daily in the House of Europe which is also coordinating 8 other volunteering projects in Sarthe:

- 6 volunteers are hosted in local boarding schools,
- 1 volunteer is hosted in a high school,
- and 1 volunteer is hosted in the city of Rouillon.

These 9 volunteers will have the possibility to carry out common projects, especially during the Europe Day in May.

The volunteer will be fully integrated into the team of the House of Europe and will be considered as a full member of the association. He/she will participate in all the annual highlights of the association.

The activities that will implement the volunteer are really perceived as an added value to traditional activities of the structure as they are carried by a young person from another European country. Depending on his/her skills and their willing to learn, the volunteer will be trained by members of our team in workshop-leading, games, presentations on Europe.

**PRACTICALS** *Your food, accomodation, insurance, pocket money and your travel costs will be covered by the European Solidarity Corps program.*

DEPARTURE:

- travel tickets are covered (up to 275€ or 360€ depending on the country you live);
- accommodation is with an inhabitant of the city of Le Mans (near the city center and the working place);
- the volunteer will be insured. «CIGNA» covers health and medical costs;

MONTHLY EXPENSES:

- every month the volunteer will receive 390€ as food allowance and pocket money according to the daily rate determined by the CES agency;

LANGUAGE COURSES:

- according to the EU program, online courses will be offered to the volunteer during the mission on the « OLS language platform »;
- the volunteer will have the opportunity to participate in evening French classes, organized at the University;

GOOD TO KNOW:

- the volunteer will work a maximum of 35 hours per week (French lessons, language lessons on OLS and meetings included), 5 days per week (weekends off);
- a total of 22 additional days off (holidays) will be granted;
- the volunteer will have a local transport card, which includes buses and trams;
- debriefing times also called “ESC breakfast” are planned every two months with other 8 volunteers hosted in Sarthe;
- and the French national agency for ESC projects will run 2 seminars in which the volunteer will be invited to take part.

***We can't wait to receive your application!***

# OTHER INFORMATION

**THE OLD TOWN** Le Mans has a well-preserved old town (Cité Plantagenêt, also called Vieux Mans). Many movies were shot in the old streets of the town. The Gallo-Roman enclosure of Le Mans was built at the end of the 3rd century. It is very well preserved over about 500 meters and has very beautiful geometric ornaments. It has been classified as a historic monument since 1862.



**24 HOURS RACE** Since 1923, the city hosts the internationally famous 24 Hours of Le Mans endurance sports car race.

**AROUND** Rennes, Nantes, Tours and Paris are very beautiful cities that you can visit for a weekend because by train it only takes an hour to get there.



**HOW TO APPLY?** This project is coordinated by the House of Europe in Le Mans. You will mainly be in touch with us during the application process, and at the beginning of your ESC to settle there. All administrative and financial aspects of the projects are managed by the House of Europe.

More information about us: <http://europe-en-sarthe.eu/a-propos/about-us/>

*To consider your application complete, we would like to receive from you :*



*a CV*



*a nice video*



Click on the picture to download the application form

*the application form*

Please send us your application to [evs@europe-en-sarthe.eu](mailto:evs@europe-en-sarthe.eu)

If you already have some knowledge of French, please don't be afraid to apply in French! No matter if there are mistakes, you are here to learn!

***Deadline to apply***  
***april 23rd 2021***