VIA PROGRAMS IN ASIA









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TRAINING IN ASIA

LATE JULY - AUGUST



COORDINATE SUMMER PROGRAMS

AUGUST - DECEMBER



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EARLY JANUARY



MID-YEAR CONFERENCE

JANUARY - JUNE



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WRAP-UP CONFERENCE & NEW FELLOW TRAINING

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GLOBAL COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP

WHERE DO FELLOWS WORK?



CHINA
INDONESIA
JAPAN
MYANMAR
THAILAND
VIETNAM

JULY 2018 - AUGUST 2019

Application Deadline: November 12, 2017

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Global Community Fellowship is a 13-15 month program for starting and established professionals. Fellows work at NGOs and schools across Asia to support community development and youth education programs.

By working directly with communities, fellows get hands-on experience learning how organizations in Asia are using creative and innovative methods to address critical social challenges.



Learn and share international perspectives on social issues



Gain in-depth experience at a school or NGO



Enhance your cross-cultural communication and teamwork skills



Develop your leadership abilities

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Join a global community of changemakers

Although I have worked on human trafficking from the US, I would not have been able to do such critical on-the-ground work without VIA and its supporters. VIA gave me the chance to go to Vietnam, my homeland, for the first time in my life and learn from and contribute to those in need in my own community. More importantly, VIA also provided me with the critical training and support network to be an effective and responsible advocate and member of the community I was entering. I will always treasure the relationships I built with my fellow volunteers, my local colleagues, and the young women in our programs."



- Sarah Tran, Vietnam Fellow at Pacific Links

IMPACT MODEL

Our approach to service and collaboration is focused on creating impact, building peer connections, and the values of humility and respect. Our impact is channeled through two professional tracks for work:

- Our NGO track prioritizes capacity-building at local institutions, allowing fellows to use their skills and previous professional experience to boost host organizations' abilities to tackle issues ranging from anti-trafficking to environmental protection.
- Our English teaching track emphasizes critical thinking, student-centric education, and preparation for higher learning opportunities across Asia and in the US.

PROGRAM LOGISTICS



HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

The program is funded by our alumni, partners, and grants. This includes accommodation during training and while at your post and a modest living stipend.

APPLY BY NOV 12, 2017 viaprograms.org/fellowships

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TRAINING



NGO WORK



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