

DIVERSITY OF CULTURES INSPIRES US

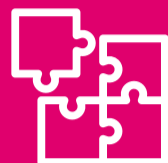
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IN OUR DATABASE WE HAVE STUDENTS
FROM ALMOST ALL CONTINENTS!
THE ONLY MISSING ONES ARE AUSTRALIA
AND ANTARCTICA.



261 volunteers, 19% of all those registered in the database, are foreigners. The international volunteers come mostly from Ukraine, Belarus and China.

THE VOLUNTEER CENTRE OF UW NOT ONLY WORKS WITH THE FOREIGN STUDENTS, BUT ALSO VISITS OTHER COUNTRIES IN SEARCH FOR INSPIRATION.



WE INTEGRATE POLISH AND INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS



Speak Dating: educational and integration meetings for Polish and foreign students, during which students can practise English and Polish conversations.



Ochota Project: activating workshops for Polish and foreign students living in dorms, which resulted in the projects integrating the local community in the Student Houses. Students involved in this project are still activating the lives of the residents of the Student House N° 2 „Żwirek”.



Gathering & Gardening: a walk around the University of Warsaw Botanic Garden with an English-speaking guide, combined with helping in preparation for the upcoming winter.



Multicultural Volunteering:

- Educational and integration meetings for Polish students and foreigners who learn the Polish language at Polonicum; the opportunity to learn Polish in practice;
- Integration workshops, containing elements of intercultural communication training;
- Cultural meetings (museums, concerts...) to show the foreigners interesting places in the city.

100

ABOUT 100 PEOPLE PARTICIPATED IN THE „MULTICULTURAL VOLUNTEERING” PROJECT.



THANKS TO THE COOPERATION WITH THE CENTRE FOR FRENCH CULTURE AND FRANCOPHONE STUDIES AND A PARTNERSHIP ORGANISATION FROM FRANCE | – L'AFEV, WE CAN VISIT PARIS WITH OUR VOLUNTEERS.



WE HAVE PARTICIPATED IN:

2015

Study visit at Paris X University Nanterre Université de Paris Ouest – we exchanged experiences with volunteers from French universities and NGOs.

2016

2017

VC UW volunteers at the Young Europeans' Forum in Paris (FOREJE) – participation in a series of debates and workshops on social involvement, social economy, ecology and others. Volunteers also met with the representatives of the French NGOs and Start-Ups.

2017

Study visit in Paris organized in cooperation with The Centre for French Culture and Francophone Studies – a meeting of students of the University of Warsaw with French student organisations who help migrants and refugees in Paris.