

SERVICE-LEARNING at POLYU: Staff Activities

Service-Learning Programme in Rwanda for PolyU Staff

2024

★ Highlights:

- Understand PolyU's service-learning programme

- Nurture a sense of civic responsibility and engagement

- Learn about the history and current development in one of East Africa's fastest-developing countries: **Rwanda**

- Get an overview of one of PolyU's flagship non-local service-learning programmes: **Habitat Green in East Africa**

- Acquire technical knowledge and skills to address energy poverty needs in the target community through installing solar power systems



About the Programme

In Hong Kong

- Overview of PolyU Service-Learning
- Technical training
- Team building
- Historical and cultural learning

In Rwanda

- Service Project – installation of solar power systems for village households in **Rwanda**
- Enrichment activities for historical and contextual learning
- Self-financed sightseeing activities

\$ Programme Fee

HK\$20,000

A limited amount of funding (up to HK\$ 10,000 per person) is available. Colleagues currently involved in teaching/supporting PolyU service-learning subjects will have priority.

🎯 Target

Full-time staff members:

- Academic Staff
- Teaching / Clinical Staff
- Non-academic Staff at Band 5 or above

A good team player with a heart to serve and a positive learning attitude

Preference will be given to staff members involved in some aspect of PolyU SL

📄 Application

Application form



🎧 Enquiries

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Tentative Service Trip Schedule

Arrival at Kigali, Rwanda	19 July 2024 (Fri)
Preparation for Service and cultural/historical learning activities	20 July (Sat)
Sightseeing activities (self-financed)	21 July (Sun)
Service Project	22 July (Mon)- 26 July (Fri)
Packing & departure from Kigali, Rwanda	27 July (Sat)
Arrival at Hong Kong	28 July (Sun)



Key dates (HKT)

Application Deadline:	19 April 2024 (Fri) 11:59 pm
Admission Results:	26 April 2024 (Fri)
Briefing Session:	3 May 2024 (Fri) 5:30 – 6:30 pm



Previous Service-Learning Programmes for PolyU Staff in Cambodia



Created a library from a shipping container for Cambodian kids



A group photo with Cambodian kids outside of the library



Final touches for the outdoor library



Training class for Cambodian students