

**Arigatou Foundation in Geneva
Interfaith Council on Ethics Education for Children**

Internships at the Arigatou Foundation in Geneva

The Arigatou Foundation is a faith based NGO promoting and facilitating cooperation among religious people working for children and between religious people and non-religious individuals and organizations, including government agencies, international organizations and NGOs.

[The Interfaith Council on Ethics Education for Children](#) is an initiative of the [Global Network of Religions for Children](#) (GNRC), created with the support of the [Arigatou Foundation](#). The Geneva office of the Arigatou Foundation serves as the Secretariat of the Interfaith Council, which promotes value based and quality education for children and young people within the framework of the child's right to education as stated in the Convention of the Rights of the Child.

The Arigatou Office in Geneva is working to:

- Develop a resource material on interfaith ethics education that will be launched in May 2008. For more information click [here](#)
- Research on Media, Ethics Education and Children
- Support the activities related to ethics education of the GNRC regional offices, i.e. workshops, trainings and meetings, if needed.
- Represent the Arigatou Foundation at the UN bodies
- promote collaboration and cooperation with other international organizations and internationally active NGO's for the rights of children

We are looking for motivated interns who can assist and help improving the activities of the Arigatou Foundation office in Geneva.

Details of the internships are listed below. If you would like to apply for an internship please send a CV and a covering letter stating how you see you can contribute to the activities of the Arigatou Foundation and in which areas you can contribute the most. Please write down your preferred starting and ending dates as well as your availability of time.

Applications can be sent to
Interfaith Council on Ethics Education for Children
E-mail: mail@ethicseducationforchildren.org

Candidates will be invited for an interview. Please note that for candidates who are based abroad, interviews can also be held via telephone.

For more information you can also contact Ms. Maria Lucia Uribe at the Geneva Office at +41 22 734 94 10

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Terms and Conditions

The Arigatou Foundation in Geneva offers all interns:

- Clear guidance and supervision throughout the internship
- Exposure to other NGOs working for Human Rights and specifically for children's rights and the implementation of the Rights of the Child
- The opportunity to work in an international environment and get connected to people and organizations working for the rights of the child
- Accreditation badges for access to relevant UN bodies for meetings and conferences
- Letters of reference or accreditation for students when necessary

Please note that Arigatou Foundation's internship positions are non-remunerated. Costs for local transportation to the office will be reimbursed upon receipts.

The Arigatou Foundation in Geneva will enrol and pay the premiums for accident insurance and third party liability insurance for the period of the internship

Qualifications

- First degree or Masters in Child Rights, International Relations, Information Systems, Journalism, Education or a related field.
- Fast learner, self driven, open to new ideas and hardworking
- Team work skills and ability to work independently
- Good communication skills, both written and verbal
- Fluency in English is required. French or Spanish is also desirable
- Sensitive to other cultures and religions

Duration

Internships length of minimum two months and maximum four months