

Colombo -- Professional Internship program for Azores for Young Azorean Emigrants and of Azorean Descent living in the United States of America.

<http://www.colombo.azores.gov.pt/>

(Objective of the program is to introduce young Azorean descents, studying at American universities, the present Azorean reality)

Project:

Communications for Transformative Biodiversity Education

Location: Terceira island (possible travel to other islands)

6 months

RCE Açores, University of the Azores

Area: Tecnologias de informação

The intern will help create and evaluate communications, including an online presence, for RCE Açores (Regional Centre of Expertise for Education for Sustainable Development, United Nations University). The intern will communicate with partners on all 9 islands as well as help develop the webpage possibly including building activities and training for partners. The intern will also be involved in evaluating the effectiveness of the communications and education efforts of the RCE Açores network. The intern can engage in similar research that fits into their graduate studies according to mutual agreement between the orientador and the intern.

Qualifications: Masters degree in education, communications or community development, or equivalent work experience, would prefer someone currently working on an advanced degree (Masters or Phd)

Computer qualifications: strong knowledge of computer programs (photoshop, web design, html editing), knowledge of “online social networking” (Ning etc)

Someone with experience in community development and participatory methods is desired. RCE Açores is a network of schools, universities and informal education for education for sustainable development <http://rceazores.ning.com> We are engaged in transformative education in which we seek and value the perspectives of all Azoreans. We would also welcome someone who is involved in similar environmental work in the US and who could create connections between the US and the Açores around environmental education.