

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

- Job Position:** YES! Halton Program Facilitator
Duration: February – May 2018
Two hours per week (between 10:30am – 1:30pm) for 14 weeks
Flexibility to contribute more hours if desired
Orientation and training will be provided
Location: Halton Schools (Oakville, Milton, Burlington)

Indus Community Services is an accredited, not-for-profit community benefit organization that has served local communities for over 32 years. We are a registered charity, supported by our donors and by all three levels of government. Through our professional staff, we are a leader in the provision of culturally appropriate services to newcomers, families, women & seniors.

Vision: Leaders in building strong and supportive communities.

Mission: Supporting our growing communities to manage change through quality client-centered social & health services and responsive public education.

The **YOUTH FOR EQUITY, EMPOWERMENT & SOLIDARITY (YES! HALTON)** program is envisioned as an opportunity for students in grade 9-11 in Halton schools. The aim of the program is to enhance youth participants' confidence and foster critical self-reflection on all aspects of their unique identity. The program will help to build youth leadership skills to create a climate of inclusion and respect for all members of their student community and beyond.

Responsibilities and Duties: *(but not limited to)*

The program is looking for volunteer facilitators (ages 18-30) with a deep understanding of equity and anti-racism, and who have a keen interest in working with youth. Volunteers will be responsible for implementing and co-facilitating a 14 week program alongside Indus staff during school hours with youth in Halton.

Qualifications and Skills:

- Demonstrates an understanding and/or lived experience with marginalization and racism.
- Demonstrates understanding of diversity, inclusion and equity in context of youth engagement.
- Knowledge of group dynamics and ability to facilitate group processes.
- Ability to take initiative and leadership.
- Current Criminal Record Check including Vulnerable Screening will be required.
- Ability to work during school hours.

Interested candidates are invited to complete the Volunteer Placement Application and submit this application, including a complete resume of qualifications and experience, electronically to hr@induscs.ca. Please ensure your application email has the subject heading of 'Volunteer – Yes Halton Facilitator - (insert your name)'.

Detailed information on the Volunteer Program and the Volunteer Placement Application are available on our website, www.induscs.ca – Get Involved