

Ashoka Internship



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Present in nearly 85 countries, Ashoka is a non-profit organisation whose goal, for the last 30 years, has been to contribute to the development and efficiency of the social entrepreneurship sector. Its core work consists of supporting the development of innovative social entrepreneurs, enabling these "pioneers" to participate in the expansion of the sector and accelerate the delivery of social innovation in areas such as education, health, the fight against discrimination, sustainable development and human rights. They are selected through a rigorous process and given financial and professional support to help them increase their social impact. More than 3,300 innovative social entrepreneurs are now part of the worldwide Ashoka network.

Proposed missions

Support Ashoka Greece Development

In 2014, Ashoka launched its activities in Greece with the aim to actively harness the power of local civil society initiatives in addressing some of the biggest challenges of our times and the vision of a vibrant and enabling ecosystem for social entrepreneurs to thrive.

The intern will support the fundraising activities for Ashoka in Greece from France, through 2 missions:

- **Creating a strong Ashoka Support Network (business entrepreneurs) in Greece and outside Greece (diaspora).** The Ashoka Support Network (ASN) is a global community of successful leaders in their own fields who share Ashoka's understanding that entrepreneurs are the primary engine for economic and social development. This network is a key constituency of Ashoka globally (it has 400 members) who are providing funding each year & their professional expertise and network. The intern will support
 - **The prospection** of new ASN members coming for the Greek diaspora in France / Switzerland & UK through the organization of events and follow-up with each ASN
 - **Marketing materials** production to promote the Ashoka Support Network and Ashoka in Greece
 - **Coordination** with the local team in Greece to connect ASN from the diasporas with local actions

- **Developing Partnerships with private businesses or foundations:** Ashoka is working with private partners, companies and foundations, to support its different missions. The intern will help building partnerships to support the development of Ashoka in Greece through
 - Search for new partners and prescribers
 - Partnerships proposals
 - Follow-up and coordination with the local team

Required skills and experiences

- **Technical skills:** master's degree, knowledge of the social entrepreneurship sector, project management, fluency in English and French, writing skills, Microsoft Office tools (Word, Excel, powerpoint)
- **Required experience:** professional experience required
- **Personal skills:** high motivation, autonomy and organisational capacity for analysis, synthesis and understanding of sector issues, adaptability, flexibility, sense of responsibility and reliability and ability to fit into a dynamic and flexible structure.

Identity

Location:

- 28 place de la bourse, 75002 PARIS until July 1st
- 55 Boulevard Vincent-Auriol, 75013 Paris from July 3rd

Duration: 6 months

Contact

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