



Call for applications to an extraordinary volunteer position

At the Vegesacker Ruderverein e.V. In cooperation with Jacobs University Bremen

Jacobs University and the Vegesacker Ruderverein are looking for an open-minded and motivated applicant to a FSJ / BFD-position to be filled by August 1st 2017.

We are offering:

- An extraordinary, diverse, independent and partly English-speaking working environment
 - At the Vegesacker Ruderverein
 - With the international rowing team of Jacobs University as well as
 - Assistance to the Campus Life Department of Jacobs University with organization of activities of the university outside of academics
- Thanks to the cooperation with Jacobs University, there is the possibility to try out different study programs or to visit or attend lectures.

Your tasks:

Depending on previous knowledge:

- Supporting the coach during training sessions, regattas and training camps (in the club and for Jacobs University)
- Supervision of children- and beginner trainings
- Assistance in organising the home event "International Lesum Regatta", the "Jacobs Ergocup" etc.
- Smaller boat repairs and boat care (with instruction)
- Motorboat care of all age categories
- Assistance at the Campus Life Department of Jacobs University

Your profile:

- You are open, involved, and interested in new challenges, especially in terms of the English/German language.
- You love sports. Experience with rowing including regatta experience is desirable, but not necessarily needed. If a candidate is genuinely interested, we can introduce him/her to the sport and terminology.
- You are willing to be on the river "Lesum" early in the morning in all weather conditions.
- Maybe you already have experience in supervision of children and youths?
- You enjoy spending your weekends with training, regattas or other events.
- Maybe you even have a driver's licence.



The details:

- This is a full-time position (38.5 hrs/week) lasting from August 1st 2017 until 31st of July 2018 (or depending on the starting point later). Half of the time is spent with/for the club, the other half with Jacobs University.
- The most hours will be used during summer and weekends, which can be evened out during the other times.
- There is the possibility for you to row.
- You are taking part in FSJ-courses, and you can get an Übungsleiterschein as well as a C-coach-licence.
- We can help you with the apartment search, if needed.

Special features:

- Split between VRC and Jacobs University.
- Working together with students from all over the world.
- Possibility to gain insights into student life.
- English-language supervision with Jacobs, German-language supervision with the VRV.
- Working together with different age- and target-groups.
- Our rowing-turf: The river Lesum has tides and originates where the rivers Wümme and Hamme meet. Near the Bremen district of Vegesack it joins the Weser. That's also where the boathouse of the VRV is located.

Written applications with a picture, copies of report cards, as well as proofs of qualifications and previous employments are to be addressed to:

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Links with further information:

- <http://www.jacobs-university.de>
- <http://www.vrv.de>
- <http://rowing.jacobs-university.de/>