

## The sending abroad

During the year, CBF works with people with fewer opportunities on housing renovation Workcamp (school dropout, unemployed young people...). They volunteer to help us with solidarity projects.

For them, participating in your projects and workcamps abroad would be a real opportunity to help you and to live a strong and rich experience that would reinforce their professional and social path.

**Duration** : 2 to 8 weeks projects (activities dates from June 2019 till May 2020)

**Living conditions** : local transports, food and accommodation will be provided by the hosting organization

## Practical and financial conditions

| Profile          |   |
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| <b>Partner</b>   | Organization able to send and to host young people with social and economical disabilities (generally no English speaking) and to guarantee a reinforced mentorship.                      |
| <b>Youngster</b> | We send people with social and economical disabilities, no good english speaking. We host every young people with disabilities (except physical disability due to the working condition). |

| Hosting organization   | Sending organization   |
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| <b>Project cost</b> : 60 %                                       | <b>Project cost</b> : 10 %   |
| <b>Exceptional cost</b> : 40%                                    | <b>Exceptional cost</b> 60 %   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> : 100% provided by the hosting organization | <b>Travel cost</b> : fixed European amount (paid by the sending organization and reimbursed by the coordination) |
|  | <b>Volunteer allowance</b> (paid by the hosting organization and reimbursed)                                     |



CBF is an NGO founded in 1957. From the very beginning up until today, CBF has been putting the principle of solidarity into practice in the form of workcamps, as well as promoting peace and better understanding between people from all over the world.

  
**compagnons**  
**BÂTISSEURS**  
 ASSOCIATION NATIONALE

*To build solidarity*

## Our general project : solidarity and mobility !

Compagnons Bâisseurs works with **families and people in needs** who are facing **social and economical difficulties** to improve their own living conditions.

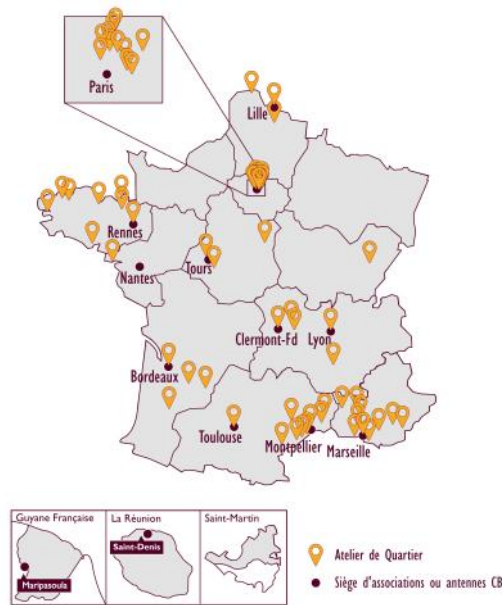
The main objective is to give them the means to **reinvest their home** and be involved in a new and positive dynamic. We are working along with the owner or the tenant of the house or flat, and sometimes with neighbours, friends or relatives. We are providing a concrete technical support (painting, plumber, electricity, carpentry...).

Volunteers work in one of the 12 local organizations in France, and can share a collective life.

- The organisation is encouraging the **participation of everybody** to develop specific actions and workshops, linked with **non formal education methods**.

- The organisation is encouraging **mobility** among the network and abroad through many projects, trainings and meetings.

- Some local teams are organising international workcamps (for 2 or 3 weeks) to construct or to renovate buildings such as social centers, community buildings or heritage buildings (old fountains, washhouses, wells, old stone bread ovens...). The volunteers can be involved as participant or as pedagogical leaders.



## CBF centralized ST EVS project : One step beyond, a way to inclusion !



### Project description

From 2012 til now, CBF centralized 7 ST EVS project in which 160 volunteers participated. Our aim is to use diversity and mobility to promote open-mindedness and solidarity. In 2019, CBF will go on !

### The hosting in France

CBF's network will host youngsters with fewer opportunities on 2 mains activities :

#### - 1 - Housing renovation workcamps (about 1000 realized in 2018)

Working with the supportive staff (*mentors*), volunteers will assure the technical aspect (*paintwork, wallpaper...*) on the building site. Although the main purpose is the carrying out of the work, the activity has therefore an important social and human aspect that makes the intervention different from a professional one.

**Duration** : 4 to 8 weeks (activities dates from June 2019 till May 2020)

**Living conditions** : the volunteers will be part of a LTV team, sharing their flat in one of the places where we host volunteers in France. Accommodation is therefore provided by CBF. Their food will also be covered (285 € per month per volunteer).

#### - 2 / International summer workcamps

CBF focuses its workcamps activity on **building activities to support projects of general interest** : heritage renovation, social housing, building and ecological constructions in France are the support of the pedagogical approach.

**Building work is a tool** to encourage people to learn from each other, to learn how to live together and share common values about voluntary, tolerance, peace, solidarity, sustainable society...

**Duration** : 2-3 weeks (june, july or august 2019)

**Living conditions** : local transports, food and accommodation will be provided by the hosting organization