

Turing project at «Palm Island» ARUBA





the project

Palm Island is Aruba's All Inclusive Resort Island. Receiving tourists every day of the year, the coral reef just off De Palm Island is one of Aruba's most spectacular snorkel sites. There's no easier way to catch a glimpse of the spectacular marine life of the Caribbean, and in particular, the stunning blue parrotfish that are endemic to Aruba. The Island offers other

sports activities such as zip line, air jumpers and banana boat rides and trainees will have opportunities to work in all these activity fields as well as receiving customers on the boat crossing between the mainland and the island. There are children's sport activities, a waterpark and swimming/snorkelling area all of which trainees will work alongside staff to deliver to the general public.

Trainees will be given lifeguarding training and also training in the other fields of work. They will also be trained in CPR and emergency first aid.

accommodation and meals

You will stay in a shared house in Pos Chiquito close to Mangel Halto beach. It is possible to walk to the placement activities in 30 minutes, to cycle or to drive.

There will be a shared car that can be used by all trainees as well as two bicycles.

The house is equipped to cook and you will be able to shop at one of

the many local supermarkets, try the local food bars or restaurants.

You will have your allowance provided monthly on a top-up currency card.

If you wish to drive the car we will require your driving licence prior to the project staring so we can insure you.





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For the project, trainees need ...

- to have studied sport or outdoor education
- to be competent swimmers
- to be experienced in diving or ready to undertake a diving course in Aruba,
- to hold a valid driving license
- to be confident and ready to try new things





the hosting organisation

Name: Palm Island

ARUBA

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the project place Aruba

Aruba is a 33 km-long island of the Lesser Antilles in the southern Caribbean Sea, located 27 km north of the coast of Venezuela and 130 km (approx.) east of Colombia. Aruba is one of the four constituent countries that

form the Kingdom of the Netherlands, together with the Netherlands, Curaçao, and Sint Maarten whose citizens share a single nationality: Dutch citizen. Palm Island is located just off the coast in the quiet area of Balashi.

The country





Climate: Unlike much of the Caribbean region, Aruba has a dry climate and an arid, cactus-strewn landscape. Temperature varies little from 28 °C (82.4 °F), moderated by constant trade winds from the Atlantic Ocean.

System of Government: Constitutional

Monarchy

Capital: Oranjestad

Currency: American Dollars

Official language: Dutch, Papiamento

Time zone: -4 hours







The language

A few words in Papiamento:

Bon bini Welcome

Conbai cubo? How are you?

Bon dia Hello

Ajo Good bye

Ami no sa I don't know

Sori Sorry **Porfabor** Please

Danki Thank you

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