

# Impacting communities through Volunteerism

Centre for the Advancement of Social Impact and Transformation

### Turn Passion Into Purpose — Get accredited for volunteering with this new course

### Why join?

At Stellenbosch University, we believe in reciprocal, impactful engagement between students and communities. This programme offers an experiential learning journey, equipping students with the skills to engage effectively with communities while fostering mutual growth and social change.



- Gain **practical experience** in community engagement and volunteerism.
- Develop **leadership**, **advocacy**, and **cultural competence** through **hands-on learning**.
- Enhance your **employability** and **career development** through **skill-building** in volunteer settings.
- Build **meaningful partnerships** with community organisations.



- Blend of theory and practice: Learn core principles of community engagement while actively volunteering.
- **E-Portfolio and certification:** Build a digital record of your impact for future job applications.
- Structured reflection & assessment: Pre- and postassessments track personal and professional growth.
- Accredited volunteer hours: Official recognition of your commitment through a volunteer hours log sheet and community partner evaluations.

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This initiative supports Stellenbosch University's Vision 2040, which aims to shape graduates who are engaged, responsible, and innovative—empowered to make a difference beyond campus.

Gain the skills needed for your future — Volunteer & get certified!



#### Who can apply?

Open to students from all disciplines and levels who are passionate about social impact, civic leadership, and community engagement.

Click <u>HERE</u> to register your interest or Scan this QR code:





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