



Shooting Touch Fellowship 2023 | Manager of Basketball Operations Fellow

Role Description: Shooting Touch currently seeks a qualified and motivated individual to join our international team in Rwanda for a seven-month fellowship. The ideal candidate is willing to take advantage of a life-changing opportunity to educate and impact disadvantaged youth and women in rural villages of East Africa through the power of sport. The Manager of Basketball Operations Fellow will report directly to the Director of Programming and work alongside our bi-lingual coaching staff to oversee programming and engage with over 1,500+ youth and 700+ women.

This position will be based in Rwanda and take place from January 2023 – August 2023. Selected Fellows will receive a stipend to cover in-country expenses and travel expenses to Rwanda. Fellows must also commit to fundraising for the Shooting Touch Rwanda program.

Specific Responsibilities:

- Program Management
 - Oversee/organize daily sport and empowerment programming
 - Assist in staff management and growth
 - Assist with organizational strategy and growth projection
- Partner Relations
 - Cultivate, develop, and maintain relationships with local partners
 - Assist in running quarterly board meetings
 - Represent the organization at all Ministry of Sport and Culture district meetings
 - Assist with grant opportunities
- Practices, Curriculum, and Event Support
 - Oversee/organize/assist local coaching staff in sport clinics and educational workshops
 - Organize health awareness basketball tournaments at all courts and secure key partners
 - Assist in mentoring/guiding staff and beneficiaries on a daily basis
 - Manage all monitoring and evaluation of health curriculum
 - Potential involvement with NBA's Basketball Africa League and Basketball Without Borders Camp
- Other Responsibilities
 - Promote our organizational mission/vision on a local and global scale
 - Advocate for The United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals, specifically concerning women's rights/gender equality, health and wellbeing, and education
 - Maintain a social media presence via blog and/or other platforms

Qualifications:

- A college graduate, undergraduate or graduate level, within the last five years OR 21+ years of age with relevant/related experience
- An individual willing and able to commit to a full seven months in Rwanda - return trips will not be approved once Fellows' in-country programs begin (emergency situations excluded)
- An individual willing and able to obtain the correct documentation, immunizations and background checks required for international travel/work
- An individual with experience playing or coaching basketball is a plus, but this is not required

To submit an application, please visit: www.shootingtouch.com/fellowship-application. Applications must be submitted by Friday, June 17, 2023 at midnight. Candidates will be considered on a rolling basis until this position is filled.

Have a question? Contact Director of Operations, Ashley Walenta, at ashley@shootingtouch.com.