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# UPEARN VOLUNTEER

FULL-TIME POSITION

MINIMUM COMMITMENT: 5 MONTHS

# ABOUT SCALABRINI VOLUNTEERS

Scalabrini is a Cape Town based NGO that offers specialised services to Migrants, Refugees and South Africans. Scalabrini's services focus in four key areas including:

Para-legal advice office | Advocacy and Knowledge Sharing  
Socio-economic Integration | Well-being and Welfare

Scalabrini's mandate is to support integration and advocate for human rights, we achieve this through a holistic approach that considers all basic needs.

Integral to the success of Scalabrini is the work that our volunteers do in the centre. Each year, we welcome both local and international volunteers who work in all areas of our programs. Without the commitments of volunteers we would not be able to reach as many clients as we do and provide many of the services they have access to.

By choosing to volunteer with Scalabrini you will

- **Work directly with clients.**
- **Be mentored and supported by highly qualified and experienced team.**
- **Develop a deeper understanding and knowledge in the field of migrant populations in South Africa.**
- **Develop various skills in your area of interest.**
- **Be part of a small organisation making meaningful impact to those we serve.**

## VOLUNTEER YEARLY IMPACT...



**20 000 hours of service**



**impacting 6000  
Scalabrini Clients**





# UPEARN VOLUNTEER OVERVIEW

BASP is a new programme for Scalabrini, introduced in 2018. The program provides academic support for 150 students who are mostly refugees. Scalabrini acts as the facilitator to assist students in completing and online Bachelors Degree. The subjects which they take vary and degrees are offered in Business, Public Administration, Customer Experience and Health Care Management. The programme supports promising students through their personal experience as they navigate their academic journey. "

## Tasks may include but not limited to:

- Teaching
- Tutoring
- One on One mentoring and academic support
- Assist in the BASP lab
- Curriculum development
- Administration
- Data-base maintenance
- General operations

## Skills and attributes needed

- Confident in using a computer.
- Reliable
- Flexible and energetic
- Strong interpersonal skills
- Empathetic style of communication
- Patient
- Calm under pressure
- Logical and creative thinking

## Commitment

**We require a minimum commitment of five months for this position.**



## KERRY

"My favorite thing is seeing people progress from when they start and it's difficult, to when they master their first project. It's been interesting to see how the world is moving to online degrees and the pros and cons of that model. Without the assistance Scalabrini provides, this degree would be incredibly difficult."