



## INTERNSHIP IN PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC



Get experience in the environment of a major non-profit organization with international overlap and work on topics that are important for society - migration, LGBT+, women's rights, censorship, death penalty.

Amnesty International Czech Republic is a branch of a global non-governmental and non-profit organization representing a movement of more than seven million people who take the injustice personally. We strive to promote HUMAN RIGHTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. We run campaigns, organize public events and strive for visible changes to the system at national and international level.

### WHY AMNESTY

You will learn how the work of significant non-profit organization looks like from the inside

You will improve your organizational and communication skills

You will acquire skills in coordinating project and campaigns because you will be part of the process from the beginning to the end

As a full-fledged member of the team, you will be involved in all working meetings and will be jointly responsible for organizing meetings, workshops and coordinating volunteers



## TASKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Assisting with organisation and coordination of projects, events and campaigns of Amnesty International, especially:
  - Campaign “**Write for Rights**”
  - Campaign “**Individuals at Risk**”
  - Campaign “**Prague Pride**”
  - Campaign “**International Tibetan Day**”
  - Campaign “**Let's talk about YES**”
- Preparation, planning and realisation of new projects, while practicing your innovative and creative approach while fulfilling various tasks
- Production of informational and graphical materials for campaigns
- Writing of articles and web publications
- Cooperation and communication with partner organisations and volunteers

## WE OFFER YOU THREE POSSIBILITIES

### **SUMMER + WINTER INTERNSHIP (PREFERABLY)**

- Duration: 26 June 2023 – 31 March 2024

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- Duration: 26 June 2023 – 30 September 2023
- Assist in the projects: Prague Pride, Write for Rights and Individuals at Risk

### **WINTER INTERNSHIP**

- Duration: 18 September 2023 – 31 March 2024
- Assist in the projects: International Tibetan Day, Write for Rights and Individuals at Risk

## **REQUIREMENTS AND DEADLINES**

- Deadline for the application: **April 30, 2023**
- Fluent in Czech or Slovak + fluent in English
- Work schedule 5 days a week, total of 35-40 hours
- Funding possible via Erasmus+ grant
- Duration can be arranged upon the agreement



## PROJECTS YOU WILL WORK ON

### Support of human rights defenders – the Write for Rights 2023

The largest worldwide Amnesty campaign that is held around 10<sup>th</sup> December every year (International Human Rights Day) is an opportunity to be part of a project team from the very beginning of the campaign planning, through its implementation to evaluation. You will learn about the wide range of human rights issues that Amnesty is working on, participate in campaign material, promote social media campaigns, plan an opening ceremony, including organizing a volunteer team or communicating with artists and other non-profit organizations with full support of the AI office.

### Prague Pride

Developing and realizing Amnesty's presentation on one of the most important events targeted and the rights of sexual and gender minorities. Each year Amnesty International is a part of the Prague Pride festival. They support the LGBT+ community in its rights on several events as Human Library, Pride itself and with Amnesty tent.

### Individuals at Risk (IAR)

The key role of the Amnesty International is to protect human rights for everybody. You will be part of the fundamental AI project focusing on support IAR via petition actions, solidarity letters, e-mail bombing, media pressure and so on. We are focusing on people whose rights are denied or abused. Some of their stories are not loudly heard. The power of Amnesty International is to bring people together- individuals seeking justice due to violation of rights and people who compel to speak about inequalities. unfairness and iniustice.

### International Tibetan Day

Annually (On the 10<sup>th</sup> March for International Tibetan Day) we co-organize demonstration in front of Chinese embassy, where we commemorate the anniversary of the Tibetan uprising against the Chinese occupation of Tibet and the oppression of national and ethnic minorities in China. The authorities subjected not just the Tibetans, but Uyghurs, Kazakhs and other predominantly Muslim ethnic groups as well. You will assist during the whole realization process of the event including the participation on the event.

### Let's talk about YES

Our long-term goal is to reduce the number of rapes and dispel the myths associated with rape. We want to live in a rape-free society where everyone fully understands consent. One important step is to change the legal definition of rape - so that it is based on consent. The second goal of the campaign is to help youth and adults, in addition to obtaining information, to improve their understanding of the topic and to know how they can help or how to behave in situations when they learn about sexual violence or inappropriate behavior or are involved in it they meet directly.



## FORMER INTERNS HAVE SAID

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“Internship at Amnesty International was a great life experience. I have met many inspirational and amazing people. I think, that it’s not only about what you give to the internship but especially what you can get out of it.”

**Dana Nalevanková**

Graduate of Social Work Studies at the University of Prešov  
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“Being a trainee and work with Amnesty team was a very rewarding and inspirational experience. The internship in the worldwide movement of people who try to speak out about violations and denied human rights in the world, showed me how important is to take an action and mobilize public pressure for a better place to live. Assisting in projects has broadened my knowledge, capabilities and personally pushed me forward.”

**Miriam Čakurdová**

Student of the Security studies at the Matej Bel University  
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“The best thing about my graduate internship in Amnesty International was that I got a lot of hands-on experience and I gained deeper insights into the human rights issues. I have met many interesting people and it also opened doors for the me that otherwise may have been closed.”

**Laura Sajdaková**

Graduate of European Public Administration at the Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice  
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**If you want to become a member of the Amnesty team, send me your CV and a brief motivation letter!**



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