



## Host an International Fellow / Rent a Room in Your House

Enrich your life by exchanging your culture and learning from another in your home. Rent a room to an International Fellow for 6 months. Fellows are responsible for their own meals and cooking. Housing located close to public transportation is preferred, with a commute no longer than 60 mins to the World Forestry Center.

### Learn about another culture from the comfort of your home!

#### Who We Are

The World Forestry Center's World Forest Institute (WFI) accepts individuals working in resource management from around the world to participate in a six month professional development fellowship. Most of these Fellows have a Masters degree or PhD and several years of work experience. Over the past two decades 148 Fellows from 47 countries have participated in the program.

#### What We Are Looking For

Every year, people in the community host our Fellows in their home during the entire six months of their fellowship. Fellows pay a reasonable rent which must include utilities.

#### WFI Fellows

- Arrive mid March and leave mid October
- Are responsible for their own meals and cooking
- Work Monday - Friday, 9 am - 5 pm, with occasional travel. Weekends are usually free.

#### The Host (YOU!) Provide

- A private bedroom
- Access to shared restroom, kitchen, laundry, and internet access
- Storage space in the fridge and kitchen
- Safe and friendly atmosphere

Housing must be easily accessible by TriMet and less than 60 min commute to World Forestry Center by the Oregon Zoo.

#### Rewards

Host families provide an exceptional opportunity for fellows to experience life in Oregon, while at the same time sharing their culture with you. These cultural exchanges often build long lasting friendships.

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