

World Renew Educators Tour

Guatemala July 2018

Application

Tour Date: _____

Tour Name: _____

Please print in *ink* FULL LEGAL NAME as it appears on Passport

First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Prov _____ Postal code/Zip _____

Telephone: Home (____) _____ Work (____) _____

Other (____) _____ Email _____

Birthdate (US Citizens) _____ CITIZENSHIP _____

Passport # () _____ Expiration Date _____

Occupation _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

First _____ Last _____

Relationship to Participant _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Prov _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone: Home (____) _____ Work (____) _____

Other (____) _____ Email _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Do you have any health problems that we should be aware of that may limit full participation? (Diabetes, Heart problems, Allergies, Medication, etc.) _____

Primary Physician _____ Telephone: (____) _____

Medical Insurance Contact Information _____

Medial Insurance Policy # _____

- ☐ I verify that my medical insurance covers international travel including medical evacuation. (Please provide a photocopy with application)
- ☐ I do not have international medical insurance coverage that includes medical evacuation and ask that World Renew purchase on my behalf.

Request for Scholarship

- ☐ I would like to apply for a scholarship grant towards my trip

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OTHER (Use another sheet of paper if necessary.)

School Name _____

Local church involvement _____

Please provide a few significant experiences that contributed to your interest in global issues?

What do you hope to learn from this opportunity? _____

How do you plan to share your experiences with others? _____

In what ways do you think your knowledge of global issues impact your work and life style? _____

By signing below, I am committing that I have read and understand the terms and conditions of participating in a Discovery Tour. (see attached guidelines)

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

BEGINNING PREPARATIONS

- ☐ Complete your application and return it to the appropriate office.
- ☐ Check your passport to make sure that it will be current for 6 months after your tour is scheduled to leave.
- ☐ Call your doctor or local health department about immunizations that will be needed for your trip.
- ☐ Tour costs are due upon acceptance of your application or 45 days prior to the date your tour is scheduled to leave.

Return this application to World Renew

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Dear Participant,

We are excited to have you join us in this learning trip for school administrators and educators to learn firsthand about global poverty and hope, and gain knowledge that you can both share with your students and use to develop and strengthen lesson plans. Topics covered will include food security, small-scale agriculture, techniques for teaching global issues, preventative health programs, different models of development, livelihoods training, Village Savings and Loans (VSL), transformational community planning and development, sustainable development goals (SDG's) and global citizenship.

As tour participants you will visit a variety of World Renew development projects, engage with small-scale farmers and health practitioners, expand your knowledge and understanding of sustainable development and resilience, and gain awareness of the livelihoods in rural communities in Guatemala.

Activities during this 7-10 day learning tour include: visits in local communities, meeting partner representatives, and other actors in the area of poverty and development, visits to Antigua and local marketplaces, immersion in both rural and urban places, daily group debriefing sessions. In short: understanding the challenges and opportunities in Guatemala and the beauty and strength of the Guatemalan people.

Trip Date: July 2018

Application Deadline: May 2018

Approximate Cost: \$2800 CND; \$2300 USD (adjustment to reflect airfare)

We look forward to having you join our team as we journey together in this learning tour that enable you to see the joy and dedication of communities who are "Changing their Story".

On behalf of your World Renew Educators Tour Team



Peter, Iona and Sadoc

*To be confirmed. Funding may be available. Please indicate on your application form if you require a scholarship. The above fee includes international travel and in-country costs (housing, food, transportation and entry visa)

* Though we will be well cared for, the team will sometimes be in isolated areas with rustic accommodations and basic transportation. The team will be often be outdoors and subject to varying weather conditions.