

## UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA – PERTH, AUSTRALIA

(\* denotes recommended by AustraLearn alumni)

### RECOMMENDED VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Organization/Group	Description	Website/Contact Details
Greening Australia	A solutions-driven organization committed to doing something practical about Australia's environmental problems.	<a href="http://www.greeningaustralia.org.au">www.greeningaustralia.org.au</a>
Fit for Study	Aims to reinforce the link between good health and academic performance and to encourage greater understanding of health promotion.	<a href="http://www.fitforstudy.uwa.edu.au/volunteer_opportunities">http://www.fitforstudy.uwa.edu.au/volunteer_opportunities</a>
Volunteering WA	Central source for hundreds of volunteering opportunities in the community.	<a href="http://www.volunteeringwa.org.au/">http://www.volunteeringwa.org.au/</a>
Surf Lifesaving Australia	Lots of different volunteer opportunities from being a surf lifesaver to patrol observation and communication activities	<a href="http://www.slsa.asn.au/">http://www.slsa.asn.au/</a>
TAP – Tertiary Alcohol Project	A harm reduction project, with interactive strategies designed to reduce risk-taking behavior associated with excessive alcohol consumption by uni students.	<a href="http://www.tap.uwa.edu.au/what_is_tap">http://www.tap.uwa.edu.au/what_is_tap</a>

### RECOMMENDED OPTIONS FOR GETTING CONNECTED LOCALLY

Organization/Group/Activity	Description	Website/Contact Details
Catch an AFL match!	Nothing more Aussie than a footy game at The Oval.	<a href="http://www.afl.com.au/">http://www.afl.com.au/</a>
Fremantle Street Arts Festival	A quintessential event for this region - check out the world's best buskers!! Takes place every Easter.	<a href="http://www.fremantlefestivals.com/main/html/info_sa.cfm">http://www.fremantlefestivals.com/main/html/info_sa.cfm</a>
Spring in the Valley	This annual event provides an opportunity to mix with the locals while sampling the region's superb wines, beers, gourmet foods and produce.	<a href="http://www.swanvalley.com.au/en/Festivals+and+Events/Spring+in+the+Valley/default.htm">http://www.swanvalley.com.au/en/Festivals+and+Events/Spring+in+the+Valley/default.htm</a>
The Blue Room Program	Provides support to performing arts practitioners generating and producing their own work. Students can attend a production or as an artist, apply to have their production selected for performance.	<a href="http://www.blueroom.org.au">www.blueroom.org.au</a>
PRIDE	Various events for throughout the year in support for the rights & freedoms of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex, queer people living in Perth.	<a href="http://www.pridewa.asn.au">http://www.pridewa.asn.au</a>

**GENERAL RESOURCE FOR FINDING MORE INFORMATION ABOUT VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS:**

<b>General Resource</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Website/Contact Details</b>
UWA Student Guild	Anything and everything about being a STUDENT at UWA – clubs, societies, events, getting involved!	<a href="http://www.guild.uwa.edu.au/">http://www.guild.uwa.edu.au/</a>
City of Perth – Local Council	Great first resource for what’s happening, locating organizations in the city, and ways to get connected!	<a href="http://www.cityofperth.wa.gov.au/web/Visiting/">http://www.cityofperth.wa.gov.au/web/Visiting/</a>