



# Maldives

at Oaga Art Resort

**Volunteers & Interns Info Guide**





## Program Info

Join Coralive at our project location in the Maldives, in collaboration with our long standing partner from Oaga Art Resort just 50min away from Malé. Learn restoring and protecting coral reef ecosystems when combining theory with in-field coral restoration work, reef health monitoring, guest education activities as well as fun-dives in stunning locations.

We offer volunteer experiences (minimum 2 weeks) to introduce you to the marine conservation world as well as internships (minimum 3 months) to expand on your leadership potential, project management, and guest engagement.

### Duration & Start Dates:

Minimum: 2 weeks (up to 12 weeks)

Start at the beginning or in the middle of each month



## How to get involved

### Step 1



#### Create your personal Coral Profile

This helps us match you with the right program, dates and roles based on your previous experiences and level of education.

### Step 2



#### Let us know your Preference

Mention it in the profile and send an email to [volunteer@coralive.org](mailto:volunteer@coralive.org) with your preferred location, start date and duration.

### Step 3



#### Confirm your Spot

Our team will review profiles, set up interviews and email you back with confirmation details, visa information, and pre-departure guidance.

### Step 4



#### Get Ready for your Adventure

Arrange your international flights to arrive on your program start date. Pack your diving gear, clothes, personal items and a whole lot of curiosity and excitement.

### Step 5

#### Arrive and dive right-in

Meet our representatives at the airport and transfer to basecamp. Receive your orientation, settle in, and start making an impact!

## Your Roles and Duties

### Volunteers

- Create, expand and maintain reef nurseries and structures
- Harvest, handle and outplant corals from rope & table nurseries
- Learn about Mineral Accretion Technology (MAT)
- Collect and record reef health data & conduct corallivore surveys and interventions
- Initiate and expand your global conservation network

### Interns

- Supervise and guide volunteers during fieldwork
- Lead underwater tasks and data collection
- Support scientific monitoring and reporting
- Coordinate schedules, dive plans, and logistics
- Take ownership of specific restoration or monitoring projects
- Generate and lead interactive guest activities

## Location Info

Situated in the large lagoon of Madhunifaru, a 50min boat ride from Malé airport will take you to the Oaga Art Resort.

You will be staying in staff accommodation (max 4 share) and food will be served at the canteen (upgrades available).

Apart from your volunteer & internship experience, you will be embracing the Maldivian Island life, enjoy the facilities, engage in watersports activities or just plain simple soak in the tranquility of a beach bum on your off-day.



## Pricing Plan Volunteer & Internship Program Maldives

### Volunteers

	International	National
2 weeks	\$ 1.950	\$ 1.000
Additional week	\$ 926	\$ 475

**Note:** 4 Participants maximum per month

Room & Board upgrade package possible  
Dive Certifications upon request




### Interns

	International	National
3 months	\$ 2.750	\$ 1.375
Additional 3 months	\$ 2.063	\$ 1.031






**Note:** 1 Participants maximum per 3 month

Room & Board upgrade package possible  
Dive Certifications upon request






## What's Included

	Meals in staff canteen (Day upgrade to Guest Restaurant - \$75 for Breakfast / Lunch & Dinner)
	Individual meals and beverages (soft & alcoholic drinks) at Guest Restaurant - 40% Discount
	Transfers from Male' Airport and back





### Only Volunteers

	Volunteer allocated room (max. 4 share)
	Formal theoretical training 5x per week (mornings)
	Formal practical training 5x per week (afternoons)
	Fun dives 1x per week (during off days)
	Diving gear (BCD and Regulator if needed)

### Only Interns

	Oaga staff room (max. 4 share)
	Formal practical training 5x per week
	Leadership Practice & Supervisor training
	Fun dives 4x per month (during off days)
	Work split into 1/3 individual Project, 2/3 Internship

## What's Not Included

	50\$ Visa Fee
	Flights to and from Male'
	Personal & Dive Insurance
	Basic Dive Equipment (Mask, Snorkel, Fins, Wetsuit if needed)

## We'd love to welcome you!

Create a personal profile so we get to know you a little better. Tell us your interests and preferred location so we can start planting corals together soon!

**Scan the code to Register!**

