

# WANTED: BADASS

## Scholars and Dream Officer

You will be based in: *Capiz* or *Iloilo*, Western Visayas

We want someone who dares to think differently, who hustles and wants to *get rural kids to achieve something they think is impossible: go to college*. This person will *travel abroad*, get *competitive pay*, and be part of a *changemaking* social innovator.

You will fuel amazing rural kids who will lead their families and communities out of struggle and into success.

*The work will also enable you to*

- champion the dreams of ARK scholars; get to know curious, caring, hopeful, hardworking, and tenacious young people from rural areas who dare to dream
- take charge of the ARK's scholars program; lead application process, develop progress reports and calendars, design community service initiatives, partner with mentors, create fun workshops and end-of-year get togethers with the scholars
- develop strong bonds with the scholars; mentor and guide them across high school and college
- track the results, account for every peso and disbursement; build transparency and trust
- coordinate with ARK partners with great ideas that will further a scholar's dream for himself/herself and his/her community
- work with and learn from a highly motivated and experienced global team (Manila, NYC); be a master at using Excel and Google suite apps to keep the team organized
- **GROW** and further **YOUR DREAMS**

You will love the work if you

- are **A DOER** and **LOVE TO GET SH\*T DONE**. Period.
- are **POSITIVE, RESOURCEFUL, CREATIVE** and believe there is a solution to any problem

- are **CURIOUS**, and ask questions and LISTEN
- Truly (no bullshit here) find joy and inspiration from seeing dreams come to life
- are **ORGANIZED, FOLLOWS-UP**
- Get excited **COLLABORATING** with a global team
- love to **TRAVEL**; at home with riding *singgols* in the countryside

## Want in?

Email us at [scholar@ruralkids.org](mailto:scholar@ruralkids.org) before 8/31/18; subject: "*I want to join the badass team*"

## Tell us about yourself.

On your email please include your:

1. resume
2. letter – that sheds light on:
  - a. What aspect of ARK or the programs do you really like?
  - b. What of your talent and experience do you want to contribute?
  - c. What do you want to learn, gain or achieve in your tenure with us?
  - d. How will working with ARK bring you closer to your dream or help you in your next venture say in 2 years or 5 years time?
  - e. What are 3 things that your friends love about you? What do they all wish you would grow into?
  - f. the blanks (please fill in):
    - i. My heart skips and sings when "\_\_\_\_\_".
    - ii. When the going gets tough, I "\_\_\_\_\_".
    - iii. I need \_\_\_\_\_ first thing in the morning, no matter what.
  - g. Your earliest availability for an interview and a start date
3. Portfolio of work or narrative of the impact that you have made, cannot forget, and want to share

*Advancement for Rural Kids (ARK) partners with rural communities to get kids back to school and create income and new industry. ARK is rrridiculously serious about creating solutions WITH the community. It only invests in communities that invest in themselves, and only in solutions that communities develop from within, and can afford to sustain on their own. ARK tracks impact and cash flows, and creates a better future for all involved in the journey. ARK's innovative approach and focus on sustainability and its groundbreaking ARK Lunch have garnered recognition and awards by the Asian Development Bank and partnership from Microsoft, BNP Paribas, JP Morgan, and other corporate and individual leaders across many industries and disciplines. Founded in 2009, it is a 501(c)(3) organization in the US and a foundation in the Philippines. It collaborates with talent and welcomes support from all over the world. // [www.ruralkids.org](http://www.ruralkids.org) | [fb.com/AdvancementForRuralKids](https://fb.com/AdvancementForRuralKids) | [instagram.com/ruralkids](https://instagram.com/ruralkids)*