



# Chantiers jeunesse

## Who we are:

Chantiers jeunesse (CJ) is a non-profit organization founded in 1980. At first for volunteers from Québec on projects in Québec only, international exchanges were rapidly developed with French and Belgian organizations. In the 80's, international exchanges were realised almost exclusively with those two countries. Since 1992, Chantiers jeunesse increased gradually its international activities and diversified the number of partner organizations to increase the number of exchange countries. We co-operate with about 50 organisations spread in more than 30 different countries. Each year, we are sending about 200 volunteers abroad and welcoming about 200 volunteers from abroad and from Quebec on our projects.

## What we do:

We organize International workcamps in Québec. The groups are formed of a dozen young individuals from the Province of Quebec and from almost thirty countries of Europe, Eastern Europe, North America and Asia. Work is usually manual: environmental protection, construction, renovation, heritage, technical support for popular festivals, etc. No particular skills are required.

**Official website:** <http://www.cj.qc.ca/>

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