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Scope of work:
8 hours per week

Compensation:
A single room + 175 euros per month tax-free compensation.



Call for new AUC Resident Assistants (x2)

starting in August 2026

AUC and DUWO are looking for AUC students graduating in July 2026 who are interested in joining the AUC Resident Assistants (RA) team for the upcoming academic year 2026–2027.

The position runs from 1 August 2026 until 31 July 2027.

About the role
As a Resident Assistant, for about 8 hours per week in total, you play a key role in maintaining a safe, supportive and positive living environment in the AUC residences. You help foster community, promote well-being and ensure that residents feel heard and supported.

You will receive training in active listening, questioning and responding skills, basic First Aid, and emergency procedures. This role offers valuable hands-on experience in leadership, conflict resolution, responsibility, and community building. In exchange for acting as an RA, you are entitled to a room in the AUC residences (which could be your current room) and receive financial compensation for your work. You will sign an agreement with AUC outlining your responsibilities and the conditions of the role.

Please note: this is not an employment contract! You will get compensation of 175 euros for your responsibilities as an RA, and you will get an (RA) room. For the duration of your time as RA, you will continue to qualify for rent benefit (huurtoeslag).

Responsibilities

As a Resident Assistant, you play an active role in supporting the well-being, safety and community within the AUC residences.

Your responsibilities include:

- Being on shift 2-3x a week from 21:00 to 08:00 (active duty until 00:00 and on-call from 00:00 to 08:00)
- Maintaining regular contact with SLOs, DUWO and the students living in the residences, ensuring you are visible, approachable, and available during your shifts. You offer a listening ear and informal support, contributing to the overall welfare and well-being of residents and the wider campus community.
- Fulfilling an important signaling role. If you notice emerging social issues or concerning situations, you discuss these with the Student Life Officers, the Housing Officer, and DUWO.
- Contributing to a positive living environment. This includes addressing and helping reduce disturbances (for example noise in the evenings or at night), ensuring emergency escape routes are clear, fire doors are closed, and general safety guidelines are respected.
- Identifying technical problems, safety risks, or other hazards within the residences and reporting them to the appropriate contact person in a timely manner.
- Educating and informing the AUC student community about welfare, safety, respectful conduct and harmonious shared living in student residences.
- Supporting and stimulating social cohesion within the campus community by encouraging connection and positive interaction among residents.
- Taking on smaller projects and additional tasks as assigned.

Who this role is for

- You have good communicative and social skills, and show a commitment to the welfare and support of AUC students;
- You have a capacity for self-awareness and a desire to understand others;
- You have a practical, hands-on mentality and can address stressful situations with ease and without panic;
- You are pro-active, and able to take responsibility and resolve situations independently;
- You are flexible and able to work well in a team;
- You have the ability and willingness to work on average 8 hours a week as an RA, in flexible hours and with changing responsibilities;
- You are available to start being an RA in August 2026, and you can be available during the workdays from 27-31 July for RA training. You must also be available during Introduction Week (24 – 30 August 2026);
- You are available and willing to “shadow” two current RAs during their shifts in June or July 2026;
- You are available and willing to complete a BHV first-responder training during the summer 2026;
- It is an advantage if you speak Dutch, but not a strict requirement.

To apply

Please send a curriculum vitae outlining your relevant experiences and a



motivation letter by **1 April 2026 12:00 (noon)**, to Roos Burmanje and Lisa van Berkel, the SLOs, at studentlifeofficer@auc.nl (subject: Resident Assistant Application). Interviews will be held in April.

Questions?

Talk to a current RA! Any further questions can be addressed to the Student Life Officers via studentlifeofficer@auc.nl.