Fundacion International Service Learning Colombia
Non-Profit Organization – Founded in 2014
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What is MINGA?

“MINGA entails a collaborative work system that dates back to the Incas. It refers to the commitment, contract or work agreement between two or more people. The word minga also stands for meeting or reunion.”

Guesthouse in the Heart of Coffee Region:
Minga House - Chinchina
Carrera 8 #10-28
Chinchina, Caldas, Colombia 176020

Guesthouse in the Capital City:
Minga House – Manizales
Calle 27 #23-41
Manizales, Caldas, Colombia 170006

Our MISSION is to bring the global community closer together through the facilitation of community service projects.

Our VISION is to be an impactful change agent in igniting a passion for community service and higher education among the youth in Colombia for a brighter and more positive future. To accomplish this goal, we engage the international community in sharing community service in the areas of health, education, agriculture, and the arts in Colombia so as help form meaningful role model relationships between our guest volunteers and the local Colombian community.

Projects in Action: Service trips, internships, GAP Year, youth leader development, youth & professionals exchange, capacity-building workshop series for community leaders, English classes.

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