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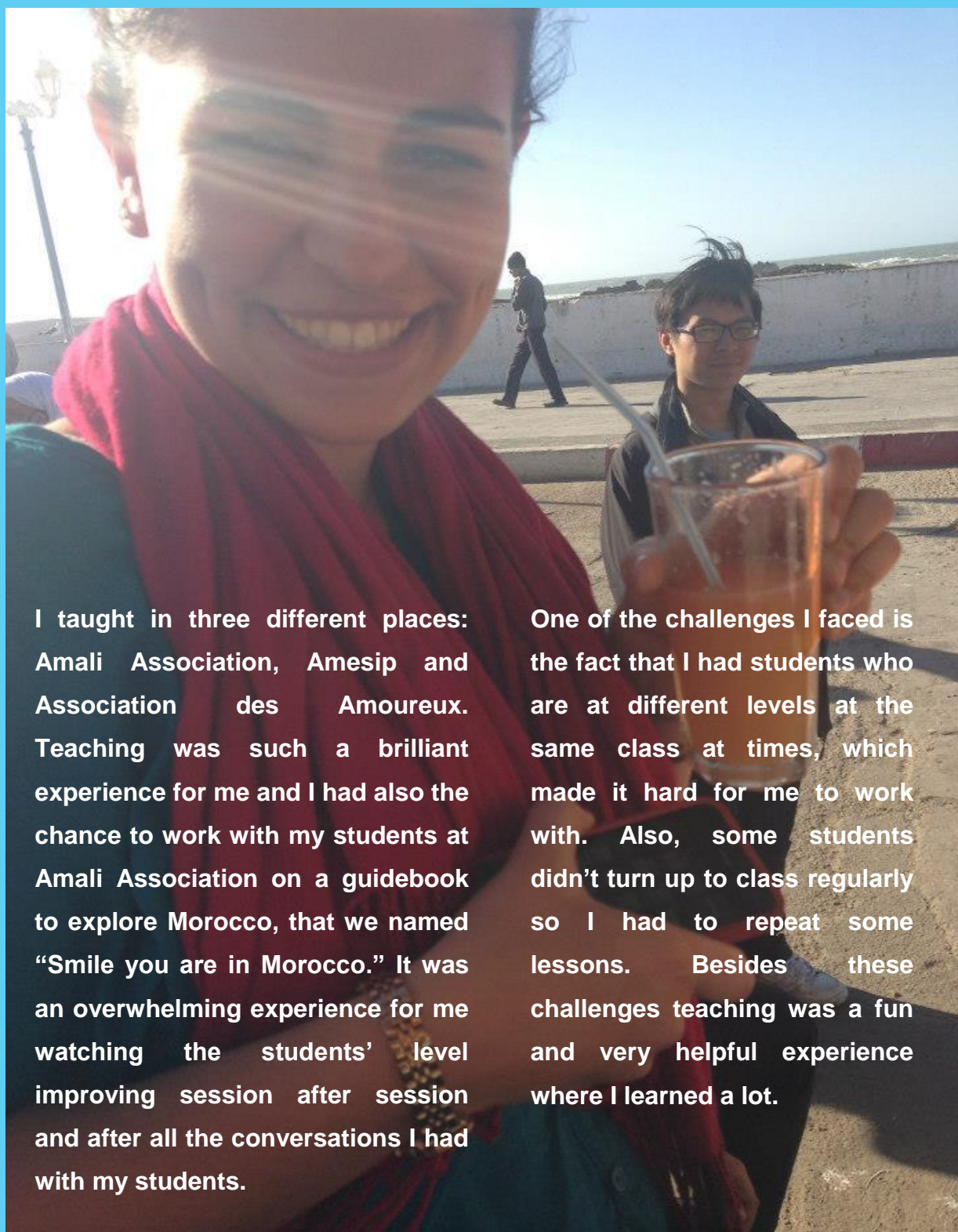
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1. Volunteers' Story

Daniel Leung

My name is Daniel Leung and I am from the UK. I did a teaching project with Projects Abroad Morocco for three months. Through my stay in Morocco I had a chance to experience the Moroccan culture first hand and I have been enrolled in a day to day lifestyle with a Moroccan host family who considered me as part of the family. As a whole the experience was a success.



I taught in three different places: Amali Association, Amesip and Association des Amoureux. Teaching was such a brilliant experience for me and I had also the chance to work with my students at Amali Association on a guidebook to explore Morocco, that we named "Smile you are in Morocco." It was an overwhelming experience for me watching the students' level improving session after session and after all the conversations I had with my students.

One of the challenges I faced is the fact that I had students who are at different levels at the same class at times, which made it hard for me to work with. Also, some students didn't turn up to class regularly so I had to repeat some lessons. Besides these challenges teaching was a fun and very helpful experience where I learned a lot.

The project helped me develop my teaching skills. For example I had to adapt my teaching style according to the type of students I had every time and observe how they respond to the class activities. I had weekends free which gave me the opportunity to travel around most of the big cities and small villages. All my traveling was enjoyable and one that I would never forget was when I went to Ouarzazat, Merzouga, and Sahara desert. I slept outside under the stars. The projects I undertook were equally memorable in a different way.



Writing and completing the guidebook with my English students was extremely enjoyable and seeing them improve was a memorable experience. Amesip was also an interesting placement where I experienced seeing the joy of children enjoying music and playing. Finally, I recommend Projects Abroad Morocco to people who want to bring a change and help others. Projects Abroad Morocco provides a variety of projects that suits one's interests in a structured and safe way. It also provides the opportunity to learn, work and travel with the help and guidance of the staff when needed.

2. Upcoming events

Mawazine Festival

Since its inception in 2001, Morocco Cultures association has provided the Region of Rabat of a prestigious thematic festival with a universal concept and carrying values MAWAZINE-RHYTHMSOF THE WORLD. The choice of this theme is an obvious one, rhythms constituting a window on the world, the identity of the country, bringing the concepts of land, origins and authenticity. The Mawazine Festival is therefore part of an opening of the world's cultures approach, offering the public a musical journey around the world.

Variety of sounds and rhythms are the watch words of this event, in some editions become one of the biggest festivals in the world.



It is held from May 18th to 26th this year. Held annually in May, Mawazine enables the public to meet artists and multicultural forms of expression.

With more than 2million people, 20 million viewers, a 9 day festival, 10 stages (International Theme, Eastern, Moroccan, young music ...) spread across the city, more than 100 shows, 50 countries represented, Mawazine is an opening to the world bringing artists, exhibitions and exceptionalperformances(original creations, master classes, circus ...) for freemajority. Among the international musical figures that performed in the festival are: BB King, Elton John, Sting, Shakira, Santana, Julio Iglesias and others. This year does not lack figures. This year's edition includes Rihanna, Mika, Deep Purple, George Benson and PSY. Remember it's from the 24th May until the 1st of June. Rabat welcomes you to enjoy music and other artistic patterns.



3. Photo update

