



# MINISTRY INTERNSHIP INFORMATION GUIDE

SO CHRIST HIMSELF GAVE THE APOSTLES, THE PROPHETS, THE EVANGELISTS, THE PASTORS AND TEACHERS, TO EQUIP HIS PEOPLE FOR WORKS OF SERVICE, SO THAT THE BODY OF CHRIST MAY BE BUILT UP

EPHESIANS 4:11-12

## WHY CHAPEL U?

CHAPEL U PARTNERS WITH YOU ACADEMICALLY, PRACTICALLY, AND SPIRITUALLY TO FULFILL YOUR GOD-GIVEN PURPOSE.

OUR MISSION IS TO PREPARE CHRISTIANS TO FULFILL THAT PURPOSE.



## WHAT WE OFFER

### CONTINUING ADULT EDUCATION



### PERSONAL GROWTH PLAN



### FIVE-FOLD MINISTRY TRAINING



### LOCAL MINISTRY TRAINING AT BELIEVERS CHAPEL



WHEREVER YOU ARE ON YOUR PATH TO MINISTRY, CHAPEL U WILL PARTNER WITH YOU TO HELP YOU PURSUE YOUR CALLING.

## OUR METHOD

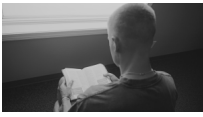


### THE CHAPEL U DIPLOMA PROGRAM INCLUDES 3 MAIN COMPONENTS

- ACADEMICS - MENTORING - MISSIONS -

Ministry interns receive comprehensive training for significant ministry. Interns are challenged in the best ways to grow into their calling. The three essential elements are college-level course work, intensive mentoring by seasoned ministers and extensive practical involvement in ministry activities.

# OUR VALUES



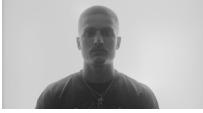
**1.EVERYTHING WE DO STARTS AND ENDS WITH GOD'S WORD.**



**2.THE HOLY SPIRIT IS OUR LEADER AND SOURCE OF POWER.**



**3.WE CELEBRATE EVERY WAY THE HOLY SPIRIT REVEALS HIMSELF TO US.**



**4.WE AFFIRM THE WHOLE PERSON-SPIRITUALLY, PHYSICALLY, INTELLECTUALLY, AND EMOTIONALLY.**



**5.WE PRIORITIZE DEEP RELATIONSHIP WITH CHRIST THAT CAUSES EFFECTIVE MINISTRY.**



**6.WE PRACTICE A SURRENDERED LIFE OF CHRIST-LIKE CHARACTER REVEALED BY THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT.**



**7. WE VALUE PARTICIPATION IN THE LOCAL CHURCH TO FULFILL THE GREAT COMMISSION**

## A BIBLICAL BASIS:

" So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up "  
**Ephesians 4:11-12**

"... And the things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to reliable people who will also be qualified to teach others. "

**II Timothy 2:2**

"Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.""

**Matthew 9:35-38**

" Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth."

**II Timothy 2:15**

**THE CHAPEL U INTERNSHIP IS  
DESIGNED TO BUILD YOU UP  
AS YOU ENTER THE MINISTRY.**





# GET STARTED TODAY!

Getting started as a ministry intern begins with submitting an application–this is the first step into the program. As you move forward, progression to the next level or year happens through conversation and evaluation of your growth and experience. The final level is invitation-based, offered to those who have shown strong commitment and development throughout their earlier involvement.

## **Your education can be completed at your own pace.**

**Chapel U internship tract is designed to be completed in three years.  
Chapel U courses can be taken at any pace that works for your life.**

Some individuals may want to gradually take courses as time is available, however a period of more intensive involvement will be needed at some point to complete the requirements.

Successful completion of this program will lead to significant involvement in ministry. Pastoring, forming a church planting team, serving as a missionary, directing a ministry team or leading a church ministry are typical opportunities.

Ministry interns will be responsible to live according to a ministry code. This means that in all areas of life, they will conduct themselves as representatives of Christ and of Believers Chapel.

## **INTERNSHIP INFORMATION**

(Approximately 20 hours weekly - includes practicum):

- Averages 6 credits per semester (complete required courses in three years)
- Ministry rotations (team assignments, exposure system, NYSUM, etc.)
- Ministry trips to local and regional missions, etc.
- Mentoring (weekly group mtgs before class and weekly one on one mtgs)
- Small Group participation
- Practical Ministry (30 hours/semester)
- Weekend service
- Physical Fitness - a minimum of 15 min/day times 4 days week.
- International Missions and NYSUM (Individual Fundraising Required - Approx. \$2,000-3,000)

# DIPLOMA PROGRAM

## REQUIRED FOR INTERNS

### PORTLAND BIBLE COLLEGE AFFILIATE COURSES

(Credits per course)

1. Basic Doctrine (5)
2. Intro to Bible Study - Online, independent study-Logos software Included (1)
3. Old Testament Survey (2)
4. New Testament Survey (2)
5. Doctrine of the Church (2)
6. Life of Christ (3)
7. Holy Spirit (2)
8. Intro to Counseling (2)
9. Intro to Preaching and Homiletics (3)
10. Bible Research - Online, independent study (2)
11. Women and Ministry (2)
12. Worldviews (2)

### MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

1. Level one
  - a. Team Member
  - b. Exposure to all areas of local church life
  - c. Local Missions
2. Level two
  - a. Team Leader/Solo Service
  - b. Revisit all areas of local church life
  - c. NYSUM weekend and NYSUM week-long trip
3. Level three
  - a. Team Leader/Solo Service
  - b. Focus on areas of calling
  - c. Prophetic Launching
  - d. International Missions (Fundraising Required)

### MENTORING:

1. Internship group - weekly
2. Individual mentoring
3. Leadership mentoring

### SMALL GROUP PARTICIPATION:

1. Weekly attendance of Small Group
2. Leading Small Groups seasonally

# FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

## GENERAL:

- There is a \$50.00 nonrefundable application fee (Includes Chapel U T-Shirt)
- Package pricing for ministry interns means you have one charge for everything
- Payment plan schedules are available for ministry interns

## FULL TIME INTERNS:

- Cost is \$900.00 per semester for three years (\$5,400 in total)
- Includes courses, books, ministry, mentoring, regional trips, etc.
- Total amount is due upon enrollment each semester or payable as \$450.00 at enrollment and \$150.00 per month for 3 months each semester

## FULL TIME INTERNS:

- Cost is \$600.00 per semester for five years (\$6,000 in total)
- Package price includes courses, books, ministry, mentoring, regional trips, etc.
- Total amount is due upon enrollment each semester or payable as \$300.00 at enrollment and \$100.00 per month for 3 months each semester

## ADD / DROP POLICY

- 100% tuition refund after 1st class
- 75% tuition refund after 2nd class
- 50% tuition refund after 3rd class
- No refund after 4th class