

Pastoral Internship

As part of our ministry here at Berean Baptist Church (BBC), we offer three pastoral internships per year. It is the desire of the Pastors of BBC to provide these interns with mentorship, practical experience, and wisdom. This partnership serves two main purposes. For the intern it offers an opportunity to learn and practice ministry in a safe and supportive environment. For BBC the program brings fresh perspective, skills, passion, and energy to the ministry.

Anyone interested in an internship please see below what is involved.

Responsibilities

Major Ministry Responsibilities

- Assists the pastors in any and all functions and events associated with BBC.
- Actively participates in the area of ministry to which you are assigned at BBC.
- Actively participate in the life of BBC.
- Develop and nurture relationships with BBC.
- Work effectively with BBC ministerial and support staff.
- Ask questions, seek leadership, take risks, and learn.

Additional Responsibilities

During each term, interns will be expected to read the following books and write a three to five page paper on each one.

- *Shepherding a Childs Heart* by Tedd Tripp
- *Biblical Eldership* by Alexander Strauch
- *Worldliness* compiled by C.J. Mahaney

Accountability

While ultimate accountability will be to the Senior Pastor, each intern will be assigned to a particular pastor while at BBC and will report to and take direction from him.

Compensation:

- Housing arrangements and/or expenses will be provided
- If allowed, a stipend will be provided on a semi-monthly basis

Qualifications

- A Christian, committed to Christ and the church as the Body of Christ.
- A respect and appreciation for the Baptist expression of faith.
- A lifestyle that reflects an authentic commitment to Christ and one that can be modeled for other believers.
- A desire to work with and learn from members of the congregation.
- An ability to work and serve well with others.
- An ability to manage time, complete assignments, and initiate new ideas and tasks.
- Open to creativity and diversity in Christian life, witness, ministry and understanding of faith.

Application

The purpose of this application is twofold. For us, as a pastoral staff, it allows us to get to know you, determine if you are a good fit for our program, and begin praying for you. For you, the applicant, it is to help you understand BBC as a church and become aware of the expectations that will be placed upon those chosen to be a part of this program.

Personal Information

1. First Name _____ Last Name _____ Sex (M/F)
Address _____ City _____ State ____
Postal Code _____ Phone Number (____) ____ - _____
Email Address _____
2. We provide opportunities in three different terms throughout the year. Please indicate your first and second choice of terms.
 - a. A (January 3 – April 30) _____
 - b. B (May 15 – August 30) _____
 - c. C (September 1- December 19) _____
3. Marital Status:
 - a. ___ Married (At this time we are unable to accept married couples with children)
 - b. ___ Engaged
 - c. ___ Single
4. Education:
 - a. School Attended/Attending _____
 - b. Major _____
 - c. Graduation Date _____
 - d. GPA _____
5. In what area of pastoral ministry do you wish to serve in?
 - a. ___ Music/Worship
 - b. ___ Student
 - c. ___ Lead
 - d. ___ Outreach/Evangelism
 - e. ___ Undecided

6. Please describe your salvation experience:

7. For what purpose do you desire to participate in this internship?

8. Please describe your current relationship to Christ.

9. List the last five books that you have read. (Do not include school assigned reading)

- a.

- b.

- c.

- d.

- e.

Please send completed application to jdrullard.bbc@gmail.com or mail to:

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