

Ministry Residency Program at Denver Seminary

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY: Pastoral Care Intern

LOCATION: Fellowship Denver

ABOUT: fellowshipdenver.org

Fellowship Denver internships are designed to train and equip individuals who are pursuing local church ministry in order to multiply kingdom impact. We desire to carry on the same work exemplified in Paul's training of Timothy by helping interns, "to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands, for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control" (2 Timothy 1:6-7). All internships are one year long, beginning in August 2021 and concluding in July 2022.

An internship integrates knowledge and theory with practical application and skills development. Fellowship Denver offers internships to provide experiential ministry learning via a clear training track, personal supervision, discipleship, mentoring, and real-time church work hours and leadership opportunities. We are seeking internship applicants who have a personal relationship with God, a love for local church ministry, and a desire to gain practical ministry experience within Pastoral Ministry.

TUITION CONSIDERATION: \$3,000 per semester 10% tuition discount Taxable Living Stipend: YES

ESTIMATED TIME COMMITMENT: 15-20 hours per week

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Fulfill the requirements for a Deacon listed in Scripture (1 Tim 3:8-13)
- Attend Fellowship Denver Church
- Commitment to personal spiritual growth
- Actively participate in a small group at FDC
- Desire for full-time vocational local church ministry
- Minimum of high school diploma or GED
- Enthusiastic about FDC's vision and approach to ministry
- Proficient with current computer and internet technology; able to keep-up with changes
- Sense of humor and enjoy working with others in a ministry setting
- Enjoy serious reading and research

- Emotionally mature
- Ready to learn and open to new or different ways of doing things

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Attend required weekly Intern Core Track training (Wednesdays 8:00-10:00 am)
- Meet weekly with Ministry Supervisor, Director of Pastoral Care Ministries at Fellowship Denver Church
- Attend weekly Staff Meeting (Tuesdays 8:30-10:30 am)
- Work with the Director of Pastoral Care Ministries to learn and assist as needed by training/leading pastoral care teams, engaging with pastoral counseling cases (both individual and group), and researching best practices within pastoral care.

TO APPLY: Fill out the application <u>here</u>.



DEFINITION OF THE MINISTRY RESIDENCY PROGRAM:

By Definition the Residency Program is an Internship and contains the following:

- Similar ministry training as that available in and through schooling for future clergy;
 This training is for the benefit of the trainee;
- 3. Resident is not a replacement for a regular employee, but works under close observation;
 - 4. This program is considered to be of greater value to the trainee than to the employer;
 5. Trainees are not necessarily entitled to a job at the completion of the program;
- 6. Employer and trainee understand that trainees are not entitled to wages for the time spent in training.