

Ministry Residency Program at Denver Seminary

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY: Student Ministry Apprentice

LOCATION: Calvary Bible Church: Erie Campus

ABOUT: *Calvary Bible Church is one church in two locations: Boulder and Erie, Colorado. Our Boulder campus was founded in 1889 and we launched our Erie Campus in 2006. If you'd like to learn more about our history, you can check out our history page. Currently we are averaging roughly 950 people in attendance at the Erie Campus on Sunday mornings. Our student ministries average 210 (120 MSM & 90 HSM) unique students every month. Our church is growing and we hope to find someone who can help take our ministry to the next level.*

POSITION SUMMARY: To learn the role of a Community Life pastor/director and develop as a minister of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, by serving the church in Community Life ministries at the Erie Campus.

TUITION CONSIDERATION: \$3,000 Per Semester
10% tuition discount
Taxable Living Stipend: **YES, \$14k per year**

ESTIMATED TIME COMMITMENT: 20 hours per week

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Qualifications: Faithful Follower of Christ, Hunger for God's Word, Proven Leader, Desire to Make Disciples.

1. Born again with clear evidence of a godly lifestyle
2. In agreement with Calvary Bible Church Constitution
3. In agreement with Community Life philosophy of ministry
4. A call and desire towards adults in ministry

Objectives: By the end of the apprenticeship (2 years reviewed annually), the apprentice will have achieved or made significant progress in the following areas.

1. Develop as a spiritual leader in all areas of life (Family, Vocation, Church)
2. Develop his/her strengths and a call to ministry
3. Develop a personal philosophy of ministry
4. Learn how to work within the entire ministry team (Students, Worship, Outreach, Children, Education, etc.)
5. Gain insight into a full-time adult ministry role at a church
6. Grow in your personal relationship with Jesus by loving God and loving others

Responsibilities:

1. Communicate the vision, values and goals of the Community Life department.
2. Lead and continue to implement Starting Point 7 times a year in coordination with the Community Life leadership.
3. Lead and guide the adults at Calvary to a deeper life in Jesus Christ and push them towards a disciple-making lifestyle of service with in the local body.

4. Lead the Connections Team with the development of schedules, training volunteers, and events for the Community Life leader and volunteers who move towards a disciple-making lifestyle.
5. Coordinate the connection and assimilation process of all incoming new adult attendees.
6. Form, with an international emphasis, new lead teams for the Connection ministries.
7. Communicate with leaders and overall direction of the ministry and the tools we are using to help adults grow.
8. Recruit, develop, and train a team of volunteers to minister to adults
9. Other duties as assigned by the Pastor of Community Life.

Expectations:

1. Apprentices need to have a love for the Lord first and foremost
2. Apprentices need to have a servant heart
3. Apprentices need to have a teachable Spirit
4. Apprentices need to be willing to go the extra mile to develop as a minister

Accountability:

1. The Community Life Apprentice is directly accountable to the Pastor of Community Life Ministries in Erie for daily supervision
2. The Community Life Apprentice is under the leadership of the apprentice program
3. The Community Life Apprentice is responsible to the body, and ultimately accountable to God.

Start Date:

Preferred start September 1, 2018
 Can be flexible for starting between September 1, 2018 & August 1, 2019



To apply, please send cover letter and resume to:

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DEFINITION OF THE MINISTRY RESIDENCY PROGRAM:

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

1. *Similar ministry training as that available in and through schooling for future clergy;*
 2. *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.*