

Ministry Residency Program at Denver Seminary

Internship Opportunity: Worship Ministry Pastoral Resident

Location: Forefront Church at Harvey Park

Summary of the Position: Forefront Church at Harvey Park is a young and exciting non-denominational church in Southwest Denver. Our church's heart is to "Help People Find Their Way Back to God." Our goal every week is to point people to Jesus through worship, preaching, and community. The Worship Ministry Resident will work alongside the Lead Pastor to provide leadership in all aspects of the worship ministry. The primary goal of the Worship Ministry Resident is to lead people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ using music, media, and the arts. This position will aim to cultivate environments where life change and lasting impact can take place.

Tuition Consideration: \$3,000 per semester
10% tuition discount
Taxable Living Stipend: No

Estimated Time Commitment: 10-15 hours per week

Personal Characteristics:

- Has a strong and growing faith in Jesus Christ
- Is someone who genuinely loves people and has their best interests at heart
- Has a steadfast character
- Is a team player
- Has an extensive musical ability including the ability to lead worship bands and bring the congregation to a heart of worship
- Has the ability to coordinate the creative process of worship in all of its forms
- Is able to gain and hold respect of the people of the church
- Possesses the ability to communicate, coordinate, and participate with pastoral staff and church members in a positive and productive way
- Has a creative eye, and can develop and strategize new creative initiatives
- Possesses an understanding and competence in audio/visual technology
- Competent with basic computer software (Excel, Word, G Suite), and the capacity to learn new software if necessary (Planning Center, Loop Community, Photoshop, etc.)
- Has strong and effective communication skills (written, verbal and interpersonal)
- Will affirm and adhere to Forefront's Statement of Beliefs

The Worship Ministry Pastoral Resident will:

- Be responsible for leading the worship ministry at Forefront to an ever-increasing level of worship engagement and excellence
- Lead worship on a regular basis
- Organize weekly practices/rehearsals for the worship team
- Work with the Lead Pastor to enhance and support the messages through song selection, stage decoration, and other elements of the worship experience
- Exhibit pastoral presence on the platform as well as in daily life, with an ability to engage the heart of the people through worship
- Identify, recruit, and develop other worship leaders, musicians, and ministry volunteers
- Shepherd and develop the worship team to excel in worship
- Grow and develop as a worship pastor
- Faithfully attend and participate in the life of the church
- Oversee and maintain the worship center including the stage, production booth, and backstage
- Provide leadership, direction and training to AV/Tech ministry members

TO APPLY: Please send 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.*