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The LifePoint Sending internship is an opportunity for college aged students to serve alongside LifePoint International Campuses, partner missionaries and/or ministries around the world for six weeks up to three months. The LP Sending intern will use his or her unique personality and gifts to help a LifePoint campus or partnership in its mission to multiply disciples among the nations. This experience will help prepare you to follow Jesus on His mission no matter what career path you may choose.

LIFEPOINT SENDING INTERN REQUIREMENTS

The LifePoint Sending intern must be a baptized member of LifePoint and a high school graduate. An individual can start the internship process during his or her freshman year of college but cannot participate in the internship until they have completed their first year of college or the equivalent. The LP Sending intern candidate must already be actively serving in one of the ministry areas of the church, actively discipling others, actively involved in a college ministry/bible study/small group through LP or a local church, and participate monthly in local community service. The intern candidate must also participate in a sending experience trip through LifePoint before he or she can serve as an intern. The LifePoint Sending intern will complete the following process.

APPLICATION PERIODS

| Location | Application Periods | Equipping Period | Go Period |
|-----------------|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Bangkok Spring | May & June | July - January | February-April |
| Bangkok Fall | October & November | January - August | Sept - November |
| Brussels Spring | May & June | July - January | February-April |
| Brussels Fall | October & November | January - August | Sept - November |
| Brazil Summer | October & November | December - June | July - August |

PROCESS FOR LIFEPOINT SENDING INTERNSHIPS

First Phase (Six months out)

- _____ Complete LifePoint Sending Internship Application online
- _____ Complete assessment process with LifePoint Sending staff
- _____ Receive approval from Sending staff to start the internship process
- _____ Secure written recommendation letters from a LP Ministry Leader in the ministry you currently serve in and a LifePoint Sending Team Leader of a trip you have been on in the past
- _____ Start turning in funds for internship (\$1,000 is due three months out from date of internship)

Second Phase (Five to Four months out)

- _____ Obtain or update passport if needed - passport must be valid for 6 months past the return date.
- _____ Start Monthly/Weekly Meetings with Sending Mentors
- _____ If not already, serving weekly in the church and twice a month in the community (Wherry Housing, Journey Home, First Friends, Chalet Apartment Ministry, etc.)
- _____ Start attending Leadership Initiative Class at LP if offered
- _____ Send out prayer support/financial support letters
- _____ Turn in VISA items - get list from Erica
- _____ **Sending Office confirm dates for departure and return*

Third Phase
(Three to two months out)

- _____ Continue raising support (prayer and financial) (\$1,000 is due three months out from date of internship)
- _____ Complete assigned training modules from Sending Mentor
- _____ Get immunizations if necessary
- _____ Receive medical checkup from doctor & clearance for travel
- send reference to Sending Staff
- _____ Acquire packing list from field partner and LP Sending office
- _____ Establish method for receiving funds while on the field (if necessary)
- _____ Set up blog or website for communications.
- _____ Start Language Class - 3-6 weeks out
- _____ **Sending Office apply for visas*

Fourth Phase
(One Month out)

- _____ *Arrange for a Sunday or Wednesday service send-off with the church*
- _____ *Arrange for transportation and send-off with family and friends at airport*
- _____ Start reading *First 30 Days* Book

Final Phase
(On the field & return)

_____ Blog regularly, Facebook/Twitter, send E updates and prayer requests while on the field

_____ Meet with Director of LifePoint Sending upon return for debriefing and to share future plans

Cost of Internships

| Brussels Internship | 4 week | 6 week | 8 Week | 12 week |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Airfare | \$ 1,500.00 | \$ 1,500.00 | \$ 1,500.00 | \$ 1,500.00 |
| On the Ground (Food, Lodging, Transportation, Phone, Insurance and Misc) | \$ 2,023.00 | \$ 3,034.50 | \$ 4,046.00 | \$ 6,069.00 |
| Total Cost | \$ 3,523.00 | \$ 4,534.50 | \$ 5,546.00 | \$ 7,569.00 |
| Interns Cost | \$ 1,761.50 | \$ 2,267.25 | \$ 2,773.00 | \$ 3,784.50 |
| Sending Cost | \$ 1,761.50 | \$ 2,267.25 | \$ 2,773.00 | \$ 3,784.50 |

| BKK Internship | 6 week | 8 Week | 12 week |
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| Airfare | \$1,550.00 | \$1,550.00 | \$1,550.00 |
| On the Ground (Food, Lodging, Transportation, Phone, Insurance and Visa, Misc) | \$1,638.00 | \$2,306.80 | \$3,490.20 |
| Total Cost | \$3,401.80 | \$4,002.40 | \$5,258.60 |
| Interns Cost | \$1,700.90 | \$2,001.20 | \$2,629.30 |
| Sending Cost | \$1,700.90 | \$2,001.20 | \$2,629.30 |

| Brazil Internship | 6 week | 8 Week | 12 week |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Airfare | \$ 1,550.00 | \$ 1,550.00 | \$ 1,550.00 |
| On the Ground (Food, Lodging, Transportation, Phone, Insurance, Visa and Misc) | \$ 1,467.00 | \$ 1,941.00 | \$ 2,889.00 |
| Total Cost | \$ 3,017.00 | \$ 3,491.00 | \$ 4,439.00 |
| Interns Cost | \$ 1,508.50 | \$ 1,745.50 | \$ 2,219.50 |
| Sending Cost | \$ 1,508.50 | \$ 1,745.50 | \$ 2,219.50 |

LifePoint Sending Values

As a follower of Christ serving through the Sending Internship Program I commit to a pursuit of the following values:

God-Centered "So whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God." (1 Corinthians 10:31)

Humble "Do nothing from rivalry or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others." (Phil. 2:3-4)

Trusting "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him and he will make your paths straight." (Proverbs 3:5-6)

Loyal "Obey your leaders and submit to them, for they are keeping watch over your souls, as those who will have to give an account. Let them do this with joy and not with groaning, for that would be of no advantage to you." (Heb. 13:17)

Flexible "Come now, you who say, 'Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit - yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes. Instead you ought to say, 'If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that.'" (James 4:13-15)

Servant-Hearted "...even as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many." (Matthew 20:28)

Above Reproach "Keep your conduct among the Gentiles honorable, so that when they speak against you as evildoers, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day of visitation." (1 Peter 2:12)

Diligent/Takes Initiative "Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men..." (Colossians 3:23)

Team Player "Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their toil. For if they fall, one will lift up his fellow. But woe to him who is alone when he falls and has not another to lift him up! Again, if two lie together, they keep warm, but how can one keep warm alone? And though a man might prevail against one who is alone, two will withstand him—a threefold cord is not quickly broken." (Ecclesiastes 4:9-12)

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Date