

Blessed International Fellowship Internship Application

Purpose:

To raise up and train the endtime harvesters (both in marketplace and/or in church setting) by 1) helping them recognize and identify their calling and life-mission, 2) providing a safe setting to cultivate foundational personal & spiritual disciplines, 3) giving pastoral and peer guidance, accountability, and feedback, and 4) introducing them to the basics of ministry in local church settings.

Requirements for the program: Weekly commitment of 24+ hours is composed of

- 3 hours of small group (weekly).
- 1 hour of personal meeting with an assigned pastor @ Blessed (once / 2 wks).
- 1 hour of prayer with prayer partner (once / 2 wks).
- 8 hours in the House of Presence (4 hours leading + 4 hours sitting), including cleaning (weekly).
- 2-4 hours of supervised ministry in church (weekly).
- 2-4 hours of community & outreach ministry outside of church (weekly).
- 4+ hours of homework and writing (weekly).
- Mandatory attendance in Sunday service.
- Participation in one Blessed-sponsored mission / ministry trip.

Your application package must include

- Your completed application
- 2 references (one from your friend / family; another one from a ministry leader. This reference cannot be completed by the Blessed pastors.)
- 3 personal statements (each section should be 1 page long).

The application deadline for the 2011 Internship is **January 15th, 2012**.

The internship begins on the week of January 22, '12 and ends on June. 23, 2011.

Please mail, e-mail, or fax completed application to our offices at:

Blessed International Fellowship Attn: Joseph Lee

1559 W. Commonwealth Ave. Fullerton, CA 92833

FAX: 714-446-8885 E-mail: josephlee@blessedintl.com

Prerequisites:

- Education: applicants must show the proof that they fulfill at least two years of post-high school education or equivalent work experience
- Vehicle / means of transportation: each intern is required to possess a means of transportation of his / her own.
- Computer: each intern is required to have an access to a computer.
- Commitment: Each intern will be expected to commit 5 months to the internship. 2 weeks of unexcused absence will result in termination of the program.
- Financial support: each intern will be required to provide his / her own support, including, but not limited to, housing, transportation, food, medical insurance, and other incidentals.

Blessed International Fellowship, inc. Internship Application

Please complete the following application and reference forms.

* GENERAL INFORMATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____ Email: _____

Gender: Male Female Ethnicity: _____ Birth Date: ___/___/___

Are you (Please check one): Single Engaged Married Divorced Separated

If separated or divorced, please provide an explanation for each separation or divorce.

Do you have any criminal record? If yes, please explain. _____

* EDUCATION

High School: _____ Year Graduated: _____ GPA: _____

City: _____ State: _____

College: _____ Year Graduated: _____ GPA: _____

Major: _____ Minor: _____ Degree Earned: _____

Graduate School, Seminary, or Bible Institute: _____

Year Graduated: _____ GPA: _____ Degree earned: _____

Brief List of courses taken: _____

* EMPLOYMENT HISTORY (List most recent first)

1. Company: _____ Supervisor: _____

Position: _____ Dates Held: _____

Reason for Leaving: _____

2. Company: _____ Supervisor: _____

Position: _____ Dates Held: _____

Reason for Leaving: _____

*** MINISTRY HISTORY**

Church Name: _____ Senior Pastor: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Phone: _____

List your church involvement and ministry / leadership experience:

*** HEALTH**

Do you have a physical handicap, disability, or disease that might affect your ability to fully function as an intern? Yes No

If so, please explain: _____

Do you have any chronic illnesses? Yes No

If so, please explain: _____

Are you presently under medication prescribed by a doctor? Yes No

If so, please explain: _____

Personal Reference:

Please list two references. One should be from your friend or family member. Second reference should be from a minister, ministry leader, teacher, or employer (this person cannot be a pastor from Blessed International Fellowship). Please fill out their information below and have them fill out the attached reference form.

Name: _____ Relationship _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Name: _____ Relationship _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

PERSONAL & BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability on a separate, typed page. Each answer should be a minimum of 10-12 sentences and a maximum of one page.

1. Give an overview of your personal history. Include where you grew up, family situations (Childhood to present) and how you feel these experiences affect you as a person.
2. Tell us how and when you became a Christian and about your personal growth in Christ, including your encounter with the Holy Spirit. Please include details such as your current walk with the Lord, how your faith is growing, the spiritual influences in your life, your devotional times, current church involvement and outreach activities that you have participated in.
3. Describe your sense of calling to Christian ministry and/or marketplace ministry. What are God's promises to / vision for your life? Please tell us how you believe 1) Blessed can help you reach your goals and 2) how you can help fulfill the mission of Blessed.

AUTHORIZATION

I hereby sign that I have answered the following questions truthfully and to the best of my ability.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Blessed International Fellowship, Inc. Application for Internship – Reference Form

1559 W. Commonwealth Ave. Fullerton, CA 92833 Phone: 714-446-8884 Fax: 714-446-8885 blessedintl.com

Personal/Friends Reference Submitted By: _____ (your name).

You are providing a reference for _____ (applicant's name) as an intern at BIF.

We appreciate your candid and prompt response to the following questions and we assure you that all information we receive will be treated confidentially. References are very important in determining the qualifications and character of an applicant. Please complete this form and write additional comments if necessary. You must have known the applicant for at least one year.

1. Describe the nature and length of your relationship with the applicant _____

2. Check which best describes the applicant's ministry: Pastor__ Evangelist__ Missionary__

Teacher__ Counselor__ Marketplace Minister__ Other (please describe) _____

3. Is the applicant effective in ministry? _____ How can he/she become more effective?

4. Does the applicant work well with others? _____

5. How does the applicant deal with conflict? _____

6. Is the applicant living an exemplary Christian Life? _____

7. What are the strengths of the applicant? _____

8. What are the weaknesses of the applicant? _____

9. What are the applicant's spiritual gifts? _____

10. Please list any habits or lifestyles that the applicant or his/her spouse may have which would adversely affect their ministry. _____

Additional Comments: _____

Signature _____ Occupation _____ Date _____

Church Affiliation _____ Phone Number _____ E-Mail _____

After completion, please mail it to BIF, attn: Joseph Lee or e-mail to (josephlee@blessedintl.com)

Blessed International Fellowship, Inc. Application for Internship – Reference Form
1559 W. Commonwealth Ave. Fullerton, CA 92833 Phone: 714-446-8884 Fax: 714-446-8885 blessedintl.com

Ministerial/Professional Reference Submitted By: _____ (your name).

You are providing a reference for _____ (applicant's name) as an intern at BIF.

We appreciate your candid and prompt response to the following questions and we assure you that all information we receive will be treated confidentially. References are very important in determining the qualifications and character of an applicant. Please complete this form and write additional comments if necessary. You must have known the applicant for at least one year.

1. Describe the nature and length of your relationship with the applicant _____

2. Check which best describes the applicant's ministry: Pastor__ Evangelist__ Missionary__

Teacher__ Counselor__ Marketplace Minister__ Other (please describe) _____

3. Is the applicant effective in ministry? _____ How can he/she become more effective?

4. Does the applicant work well with others? _____

5. How does the applicant deal with conflict? _____

6. Is the applicant living an exemplary Christian Life? _____

7. What are the strengths of the applicant? _____

8. What are the weaknesses of the applicant? _____

9. What are the applicant's spiritual gifts? _____

10. Please list any habits or lifestyles that the applicant or his/her spouse may have which would adversely affect their ministry. _____

Additional Comments: _____

Signature _____ Occupation _____ Date _____

Church Affiliation _____ Phone Number _____ E-Mail _____

After completion, please mail it to BIF, attn: Joseph Lee or e-mail to (josephlee@blessedintl.com)