

Crucial biblical teaching is now integrated with practical cross-cultural ministry under the guidance of an experienced mentor!

Introducing a financially feasible way to acquire valuable on-site skills while earning a master's degree. Available in one innovative program this training initiative equips students to become cross-cultural Christian workers competent to serve across the street and around the world .

C.L.T.P.

Cross-Cultural Leadership Training Program

Prepared to serve...Across Cultures

Experience Based Mentored Training for Cross-cultural Ministry

in partnership with **FEBInternational** and
culminating in a

Master of Arts in Christian Studies (MACS)
degree with

Northwest Baptist Seminary/ACTS Seminaries

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Educational Philosophy

Developing effective cross-cultural ministry leaders requires the integration of resources available in the local church, the denominational mission agency, and the seminary. The process embraces an experiential learning paradigm that integrates mentored, cross-cultural ministry experiences, specific biblical and theological studies, and deliberate relational and leadership development. These learning experiences will occur in Canada and other regions of the world so that the individual is introduced to the world of cross-cultural ministry leadership and prepared through this process to move deliberately and intentionally into a ministry placement at the conclusion of the process.

The student will

- understand and apply cross-cultural ministry theory through an integrated learning process
- develop proactive learning skills (listen, observe, analyze and reflect)
- embrace appropriate attitudes (humility and servanthood)
- model essential leadership postures (participatory learning and teamwork).
- be equipped to serve as a member of a church staff or as an international missionary.

Partners

The partners are involved in this integrative learning process bring specific resources to help the entire network succeed in its mission. Coordination is provided through the Coordinator for International Leadership Development, a position jointly sponsored by Northwest Baptist Seminary and FEBInternational.

- **Northwest Baptist Seminary** (Langley, British Columbia) provides the academic support structure which includes program development, oversight and implementation.
- **FEBInternational** (Guelph, Ontario) recommends the candidates to Northwest Baptist Seminary for admission and places the student in an appropriate international setting for mentoring.
- **The local church** partners with NBS and FEBI through the C.L.T.P. program to develop their candidate as a means of fulfilling their missional vision.
- **Regional Ethnic Church Commissions** provide the mentors and cross-cultural ministry settings that allow the candidate to develop their cross-cultural ministry skills as they integrate academics with practical service.
- **Gateway Training Center** (Langley, British Columbia) provides one semester of cross-cultural training in a cohort setting.
- **Other Local cross-cultural ministries** may also be utilized to provide mentors and environments that will allow the candidate opportunity to develop cross-cultural ministry skills and passion.

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Preparing Cross-cultural Servant Leaders

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Cross-cultural Leadership Training Program

for Fellowship Baptist Churches

Where can I...

- develop ministry skills in a variety of cross-cultural settings?
- have the on-site support & guidance of an experienced mentor?
- have opportunity to sequence into a biblical & theological masters level education?
- receive practical training in cross-cultural living?
- pursue training that is financially feasible?

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First Year

Prerequisite

- Two years of college level education

DIPLOMA

Semester One - September to December

Practical Ministry: *Mentored Cross-Cultural Setting*
Academic Studies: *People of God and the Practice of Ministry; World Religions; Biblical Theology of World Missions*
Location: *Canada*

Semester Two - January to April

Practical Ministry: *Mentored Cross-Cultural Setting*
Academic Studies: *(Cohort learning experience through Gateway) Discipleship and Disciple Making; Contemporary Issues in Missions; Worldview, Culture and Ethnography; Team Work and Partnership in World Mission*
Location: *Canada*

Semester Three - May to August

Practical Ministry: *International Service opportunity*
Academic Studies: *Missions Experience Research Project; Developing a Personal Missiology; Research Strategies*
Location: *Outside of Canada*

- **Diploma in Cross Cultural Ministries completed through Northwest Baptist Seminary.**
- **Potential admission to MACS program at NBS@ACTS based on meeting ACTS admission requirements including a 3.0 GPA in the diploma level.**

Second Year

Enters the Northwest / ACTS Seminaries Master of Arts in Christian Studies degree with a track in Cross Cultural Ministries.

Semester One - September to December

Practical Ministry: *Mentored Cross-Cultural Setting*
Academic Studies: *Hermeneutics; Believers' Church Theology.*
Location: *Canada*

Semester Two - January to April

Practical Ministry: *Mentored Cross-Cultural Setting*
Academic Studies: *Christian Leadership (Weekend with continuing affinity group); Cross Cultural Elective.*
Location: *Canada*

Semester Three - May to August

Practical Ministry: *Mentored Cross-Cultural Setting*
Academic Studies: *Cross Cultural Encounter in Leadership; Baptist Thought and Vision; Christianity and Culture; Cross Cultural Elective.*
Location: *Canada*

Third Year

Semester One - September to December

Practical Ministry: *Mentored Cross-Cultural Setting*
Academic Studies: *Christian Leadership (Weekend with continuing affinity group); New Testament Elective; Graduating Essay; Cross Cultural Elective.*
Location: *Canada*

Semester Two - January to April

Practical Ministry: *Mentored Cross-Cultural Setting*
Academic Studies: *Christian Leadership (Weekend with continuing affinity group); Cross Cultural Elective; Old Testament Elective; Theology Elective.*
Location: *Canada*

Participation in MACS Graduation

Semester Three - May to August

Practical Ministry: *Mentored Cross-Cultural Setting*
Academic Studies: *Elective course.*
Location: *Canada*

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The C.L.T.P. Mission Statement

To develop servant leaders within a mentored cross-cultural ministry setting so they can significantly participate in the planting and development of missional churches in a variety of cultural settings. In this way the vision of the Fellowship of Evangelical Baptist Churches in Canada and the mission of Northwest Baptist Seminary will be advanced.