Preaching Ministry Intern Application
2027

Internship Description: The Northwest School of Discipleship (Tigard, Oregon) seeks multiple Preaching interns for the summer of 2027. The internship is designed for a young man who feels called to the ministry and is currently undergoing training at a college, university, or other formal program of study.

Basic Requirements: applicants must 1) be a baptized male believer 19-25 years old 2) be committed to the fellowship of the churches of Christ 3) be in agreement with the NWSD statement of faith and 4) be currently undergoing (or contemplating) a formal program of ministry preparation.

1. Applicant information

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Phone number (Cell): _____ Email: _____

Age: _____ Which (if any) social media platform do you use? _____

Home Congregation: _____ How long? _____

- Do you meet the basic requirements listed above? Yes No
- Have you read the full description of the ministry internship position? Yes No
- Have you read the NWSD statement of Faith? Yes No
- Are you in **full** agreement with the statement of faith? Yes No. (if no, please identify areas of concern in the Statement of Faith in the essay portion of the application)

The full description of the internship and the statement of faith can be found in the internship section on the NWSD website: www.nwschoolofdiscipleship.com

2. Education and Ministry Interest

College/University: _____ Graduation date: _____

Major & Minor: _____ Status (circle): FR, Sophomore, Jr, Senior

Cumulative GPA: _____ Top two favorite classes:

List your top three areas of ministry interest (i.e. youth, missions, preaching, scholarship, etc)?

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3. Work History

- Are you legally able to work in the United States? Yes. No.
- Do you have a valid US passport? Yes. No.
- Do you have a valid driver's license? Yes. No.
- If selected, are you willing to undergo a criminal background check? Yes. No.

List of jobs you have held in high school and college:

Company/Organization Position Contact name and phone number

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4. Character References

List the name, title, and contact information for **three references**. By signing below, you give us permission to talk to this individual about your character, giftedness, church involvement, potential for ministry, and other things relevant to your work with our congregation.

Reference #1: Personal Friend, Teacher, or Mentor

Name: _____ Title: _____

Contact Phone number: _____ Email: _____

Reference #2: The Minister at your home congregation

Name: _____ Title: _____

Contact Phone number: _____ Email: _____

Reference #3: An Elder in your home congregation (if no elders, indicate another leader)

Name: _____ Title: _____

Contact Phone number: _____ Email: _____

Applicant Signature: _____

5. **Personal Essay.** Write a short essay answering the following questions (500 words or less, typed).

- What ministry experience do you have (teaching, camp counseling, preaching, etc)?
- What are your ministry goals and how will this internship help you achieve them?
- What is your understanding of the gospel of Jesus Christ and how should a person respond to it to be cleansed of sin and counted among the saved?

Scan and email your completed application to Darren Williamson (darren@nwschoolofdiscipleship.com).

