

World Religions World Missions

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CLASS SCHEDULE		
WELCOME + INTRODUCTION TO CLASS	5 MIN	7:00PM - 7:05PM
SESSION 1 - WHY SHOULD YOU GO?	50 MIN	7:05PM – 7:55PM
BREAK	10 MIN	7:55PM – 8:05PM
SESSION 2 - THE NEW MISSION FIELD	45 MIN	8:05PM – 8:50PM
CONCLUSION + DISMISAL	10 MIN	8:50PM – 9:00PM

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Misconceptions & Truths:

Misconception: “Missions is about Third-World countries”

Truth: Disciple-making involves and incorporates on-the-ground servitude on every soil

Misconception: “Missions means moving”

Truth: Disciple-making in other nations can happen in and through one’s own nation

Misconceptions: “Missions means committing to financial vulnerability”

Truth: God places disciple-makers in every sphere of life

Misconceptions: Getting involved means entering harm’s way

Truth: Some will be called to give their lives, most will only have to be willing

Misconceptions: “Missions means learning a new language”

Truth: “Now, more than ever, the Gospel is translatable”

Misconceptions: “Missions means fundraising”

Truth: The world is set up for

Misconception: “Missions is for serious Christians”

Truth: All Christians are, by definition, ‘serious’

Statistics:

Headwinds //

- Every year, 60,000 people are being added to the Unreached.
- There are only 13,000 cross-cultural workers amongst the 3 billion Unreached people.
- 80% of the world’s population live in countries hostile to missionary activity
- There are 17,433 people groups on the planet, 7,403 remain unreached.
- Out of the 3.23 billion that remain unreached 2.2 billion remain unengaged.

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Statistics Cont:

- With 3 billion unreached, close to half the world has no access to the gospel
- Most likely, these 3 billion people will live and die without hearing the gospel.

“If things are shifting faster outside than in, you are heading for irrelevance.” - Andrew Scott

Tailwinds //

- Today, close to 80% of the Church will reside in the global South
- 90% of Muslim, Hindus and Buddhists do not know a Jesus-follower
- 70% of millennials say they “want to live their life for a cause.”
- 54% of employers worldwide cannot find the right people for the job. We are living in the midst of a talent-criss.
- 55% of US millennials and 89% of international millennials say they are very willing to work in another country (PWC).

Examples of Overseas Job Offers (OM):

English Teacher for High School (Turkey) // Requirements:

- Native English speaker
- Degree in English Literature or Language
- 2 years experience
- Teaching qualifications that will be recognized by Turkish Ministry of Education
- Background in using technology for administrative and academic purposes

Staff Nurse Labor and Delivery (United Arab Emirates) // Qualifications:

- Education: Bachelor degree in Nursing; Associate degree in Nursing with minimum two years course duration and successful completion of the National exam
- Experience: minimum 2 years of work experience post qualification

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Fire Equipment Operator/Driver Engineer (Kuwait) // Qualifications:

- Minimum experience: 5 years as FEO / Driver Engineer
- Oil & Gas experience is preferable
- Meet minimum physical fitness abilities as per NFPA 1582
- Driving license required
- IFSAC/Pro-Boards Certification (or Equivalent JOIFF certification) require

Technologist (India) // Qualifications:

- Salary: \$30,000-\$49,000
- Background in computer science
- Programming web or mobile application
- Agile software development

Director, Oncology Department (Saudi Arabia) // Qualifications:

- Doctor of medicine degree from a recognized medical school.
- Twelve (12) years of experience in sub-speciality plus post-training experience required.
- Software Engineer (PLC Programming) (Bahrain) // Qualifications:
- Education: Associate's degree in Computer Science or programming related degree or an equivalent combination of education and/or experience.
- Experience: Eleven years of directly related development experience. Mining experience a plus.