

Grace on Campus 2019-2020

Small Group Leader Blurbs: Men



Aaron Philip (3)
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Sup guys! I'm Aaron, a 3rd-year computer science major who enjoys chilling with friends, playing basketball, and drinking coffee. But more than that, I love studying the Bible and growing in my faith alongside a group of guys. That's why I'm super excited about small group this year!

Tentatively, I'm planning on going through the doctrine of God (yeah I know it sounds pretty broad). Specifically, I'd like to look at what it means to know God, what His attributes are, and how we relate to Him. There's a ton I don't know so I hope we can grow together!

It'd be great to get to know you so hit up my email or say hi if you see me!



Alessandro Gonzalez
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Hello! My name is Alessandro Gonzalez and I'm new on staff. I used to work as an engineer on batteries for electric vehicles but now I'm in my 3rd year at The Master's Seminary. I'm really looking forward to meeting you so please feel free to say "hi" anytime!

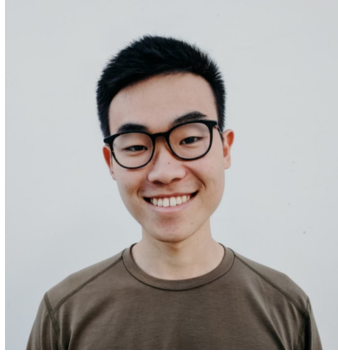
My desire is to be part of your walk with the Lord so that we might help each other grow in Christlikeness. I'm thinking to go through "Thoughts for Young Men" by J.C. Ryle or a book of the Bible. Let's talk about small group or just chat! I'm super excited to serve you!



Brandon Yee (4)
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I am a 4th year biology major and I am honored to be leading a small group this year. The purpose of small group, in my opinion, is to pursue God and personal holiness through studying scripture, praying and encouraging each other to the glory of God. I'm thinking of doing an overview of the New Testament throughout the school year to grow in our love for God and increase biblical literacy. In my spare time, you can find me playing basketball or tennis, watching anime, riding all the rides at Disneyland, cooking meat, drinking boba, or searching for good restaurants to eat at in LA. Come talk to me or send me an email if you're interested in joining my small group or just want to hang out.

Fun fact: I consider myself an expert burrito folder from working at Taco Bell for two years.



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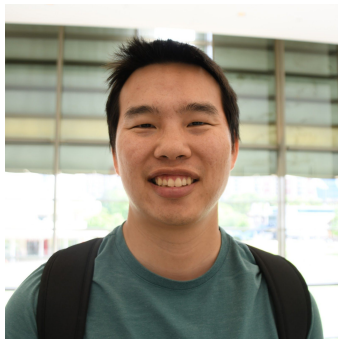
Hi! My name is George, a third year computer science major. A little about me - I'm from San Diego, I love the Dodgers, and I enjoy spending time with friends and family. Small group was the highlight of my first two years of college, so I'm very glad you're considering joining a small group and I'd strongly encourage you to as well.

As of now, I'd like to go over the preciousness of the gospel and Christ, and begin to do so through studying the book of Colossians; I think it would do us well to further treasure and adore the rightful object of praise and affection. I'd love to chat with you or grab a meal regardless of whether or not you're interested in joining my small group!



Hayden Ngan (4)
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Hi, I'm Hayden, and I'm from the nearby (ha) city of Hong Kong. I'm a 4th year Biochemistry major planning to go into medicine. Things I love include eating rice, doing music, cracking nerdy jokes, talking to people, and worshiping Jesus Christ (but not in that order). In small group, I've found brothers who helped bear my burdens, counseled me in fighting sin, and turned my eyes back to Jesus and how I might live to honor him. I love small groups because in them we do life together and learn what it looks like to live a Christ-centered life. I'd love to grab a meal and get to know you better, so come talk to me and we can hang out!



Isaac Hui (Staff)
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Hi! I'm Isaac and I'd love to get to know you!



Jeffrey Ho (4)
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Hey! My name is Jeffrey and I am a 4th year physiological science major. For small group these next few months, I want to gather a group of guys so that we can simply grow to become close brothers in Christ while having an emphasis on prayer. It would be my greatest pleasure to meet you this coming year. So if you're interested in hanging out with me and allowing me to get to know you, hit me up!



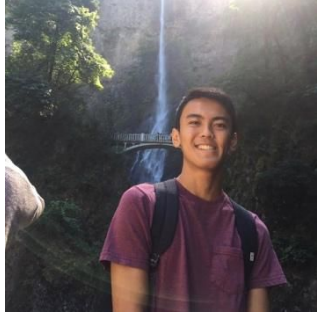
Jeremy Tran (4)
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Hey guys! I'm Jeremy, a 4th-year statistics major. Small groups are an amazing way to deepen your understanding of the Gospel and grow in fellowship with God and others, so I'm really glad that you're interested. We're tentatively going to cover spiritual disciplines and their importance as part of a lifelong pursuit of Jesus. If you have any questions or just want to chat, let me know!



Justin Lau (3)
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Hi! My name is Justin and I'm a third year MIMG major planning on medicine. Some of my interests include music, gaming, monkeys, and definitely worshipping Christ. Small groups have been such a blessing for me these past two years, and I would love for you guys to join one! I want small group to be a place of learning from God's Word, accountability among the brothers, and a time to encourage each other towards Christlikeness. These ideas will be carried out through teaching, sharing, and prayer. Feel free to hit me up whether you want to talk about joining my group or other things (or Enfield)! I'd love to get to know you more!



Kent Hirano (4)
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Sup guys! My name is Kent, and I'm a senior Business Econ major. My time at GOC has been so formative for me, and much of that is due to small group. I haven't decided what we'll be going over for my small group yet, but whatever it is, it will be a time to dive into God's Word, pray for one another, and passionately pursue Jesus Christ together. Please say hi and introduce yourself anytime you see me, or reach out to me through email or Facebook. I'd love to meet you!



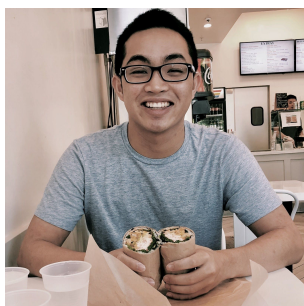
Kyle Deguzman (Staff)
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Hey! I'm so thankful that you are considering joining small groups this year! Joining one is one of the best ways to have fellowship with other people and study the Bible and discuss it together. For my small group, I'm planning on going through the Old Testament. If you want to get to know me more or have any questions regarding small groups, GOC, UCLA, or whatever, feel free to hit me up either by email or on Facebook! I'd love to get to know you more and hang. I'm looking forward to meeting you!



Leo Sum (4)
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Hello, I'm a fourth year studying civil engineering! I enjoy a variety of hobbies such as cooking (making steaks and soups are my favorite), practicing the guitar or piano, and exercising (hit me up if you'd want to run the UCLA Perimeter)! My hope in small group is that we may learn to actively study the Bible together, grow in maturity and humility, develop a heart for evangelism, and encourage each other towards the image of Christ - beholding the glory of the Lord and being transformed into His image from one degree of glory to another (2 Corinthians 3:18). If you're interested and want to know more about me and my small group, feel free to email or message me!



Matthew Lin (3)
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Hey! I'm Matthew, a 3rd year psychobiology major who likes to watch/play sports, as well as eat (but not cook) food! In small group, I hope to love, encourage, and challenge each other in our pursuit of Christlikeness. This will include studying the Word, praying for and with one another, and just living life together. If any of this sounds interesting, or you just want to hang out, please find/email me as I would love to get to know you!



Michael Cheng (3)
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Hi, my name is Michael Cheng, and I'm a 3rd year Molecular, Cell, and Developmental Biology major! Some of the activities that I enjoy are singing, playing guitar, and just hanging with friends. In my two years at GOC, God has sanctified me immensely through the discipleship and fellowship in small group. This year, I am very grateful for the opportunity to lead a small group where we can strengthen our understanding of and trust in God's Word while walking together in faith, hope, and, most importantly, love. So if you have any interest in joining or not, let's hang out and get to know each other!



Nathan Chau (4)
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Hi! I'm a 4th year in mechanical engineering, and I enjoy volleyball, tennis, sashimi, melee, ultimate, ginger ale, and mechanical engineering, in that order. :) Please consider all the different men listed here if you're interested in small groups! I intend to focus on our highest calling as Christians: to love God with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength (Mark 12:30). God has initiated this by loving believers in eternity past and eternity future. Our greatest responsibility is to love God back with our whole being. I'm convinced from Scripture that God really wants one simple thing from us: our hearts. But it's not so simple getting there. Together, let's pursue a passionate and affectionate love for the God who loves much. And while we're at it... eat some good food and do some fun hobbies!



Riley Seid (4)
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Hello, I'm Riley and I'm excited for my 4th year! I love being with my friends and would be honored to be one of yours. If you see me around, please don't hesitate to introduce yourself so we could get to know each other! I've got some ideas for small group, but want to hear yours as well. No matter what, we will dedicate ourselves to knowing God more intimately, proclaiming Him more passionately, and loving one another as He has loved us. Our goal will be to resemble and worship God, and to do it better every single day!

Whether or not you'd like to join, I'd love to hang out!



Steven Huang (3)
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Hey y'all! My name is Steven, and I'm a third year studying mechanical engineering. I love playing volleyball, learning to cook (already got the eating part down), and I love that you are interested in joining a small group! I hope that we can grow in knowing and loving God and loving others by studying his Word, praying for each other, and pointing each back to the gospel. We'll tentatively be going through the Sermon on the Mount. Let me know if you have any questions and feel free to hit me up if you wanna chat, eat, or play volleyball!



Shihong Zu (Staff)
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Hi bros!
I'm a third year student at the Master's Seminary. I would love to get to know you, talk about discipleship, theology, church, board games, video games, sports, whatever. :)
Not exactly sure what I'll be going through in small group this year, but most likely a good Christian book that'll help focus our love for Christ.
If you want to chat over coffee or tacos hit me up!