Discipleship Intern Role Description / Objectives

Fellowship Bible Church

Purpose

The Fellowship Bible Church internship program exists to provide opportunities for young adults who are at least a year out of high school to explore a call to local church ministry. It will provide experience and training for learning, leading, and maintaining long-term ministry in the local church. The internship program is a 12-week, 40-hour-per-week, paid opportunity.

General Objectives

- Receive training and equipping for full-time, long-term church ministry.
- Receive training for a general understanding of theology and critical issues in ministry.
- Gain experience in full-time ministry in the local church.
- Have opportunities to plan and lead ministry initiatives and programming.
- Develop one's character and spiritual life in order to sustain long-term ministry in the local church.
- Receive coaching in feedback to grow as a leader and minister.
- Have the opportunity to assess one's calling to local church ministry.
- Have various opportunities and exposure to ministries beyond one's assigned area to understand church-wide ministry, team vs. silo ministry dynamics, unique needs of cross-cultural ministry, etc.

General Components

- Biblical & Ministerial Training Sunday nights, 6–8 PM
- Life-on-Life Community Groups Tuesday mornings, 7:45–8:45 AM
- All-Staff Meetings Tuesday mornings, 9–10:45 AM

Ministry-Specific Objectives

- Receive training and equipping for specific skills for Adult Discipleship in the local church.
- Examine and discuss key theological issues pertaining to Adult Discipleship in the local church.
- Gain experience in encouraging and supporting group leaders of various age groups and teams.
- Gain experience in planning and implementing Adult Discipleship events such as Bible studies, leader trainings, and connection events.
- Develop competence as a Discipleship ministry leader in the local church.

Ministry-Specific Projects/Initiatives to be led by Intern

- Various Group Leader gatherings throughout summer
- Father/Daughter Dance
- Cross-Connected (Women's Event).
- Momentum (Men's Event)
- Leader Encouragement Project