

# GRADUATE ADMISSION PROFILE

## UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Missional University
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### ADMISSION CENTER

Admissions Welcome Center @

StudentCenter.Missional.University

Live Video Conference (login guest access)

## Hours (US Eastern Time Zone)

By Appointment

9:00 am to 5 pm, Tue-Thurs, Sat

## **ADMISSION EVENTS**

Online Events with Video Conference

- Missional Graduate Discovery Days
- Missional Graduate Transfer Days
- Non-USA Graduate Admission Days
- Missional Preview Days
- Missional Open House



### **Our Mission and Culture**

Missional University provides affordable, online, Christian missional training for grassroots leaders in diverse cultural contexts across the globe. We prepare Christian believers to make a greater impact in their neighborhoods and communities through education that is rooted in the mission of God in this world.

# **Our Missional Values**

Biblically-based

Missionally-drive

Interculturally-focused

Contextually-informed

Practically-minded

Experientially-transformed

## **Our Academic Excellence**

Unique Competency-based Curriculum

95%+ Faculty with Terminal Degrees

Faculty Degrees from Recognized Schools

Faculty are Academic Practitioners

Culturally Diverse Global Faculty

Faculty from 35+ Countries Worldwide

Faculty Live & Teach from 6 Continents

Faculty Ascribe to Faith Statement

Faculty Ascribe to Ethos Statement

Multi-denominational Evangelical Christian

Online Courses Professionally Designed

Online Courses Exceed Standards

Unique Degree Programs /Specializations

Missional Values in Every Course

Experiential Learning in Every Program

Global Internship Opportunities

Global Research Opportunities

## MISSIONAL DISTINCTIVES

### Your Mission, Our Passion

Your life is about more than a career. It is all about merging faith, life, and mission with your career. At Missional, you learn that God has sent you to join in the mission of God in the world. Graduates see God at work around them & know how to join in with Him professionally, vocationally and in their personal life.

# **Core Missional Courses**

The Livingstone Signature Series is the missional centerpiece of the degree programs at Missional University. Each degree program has a set of three courses that every student takes. These courses provide a foundational missional understanding. The course provide answers to these questions:

- What is the Mission of God in Our World and What is My Role in It?
- How do I Share My Faith in a Dialogical, Non-Confrontational Way?
- How do I Grow Spiritually, Help Other Christians to Grow Spiritually, and Join Other Believers in Engaging My Community?

### What is Your Mission?

Navigating Cultural Differences

Living Your Life as Mission

Transforming Communites

**Communicating Creatively** 

Caring for Creation

Joining God's Mission

# WHERE CAN YOU SERVE?

Faith-based Organizations (inc. Churches)

Mission Sending Agencies

**Humanitarian Aid Organizations** 

Non-Profit Ministries & Organizations

Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)

Community Service Agencies

**Economic Development Organizations** 

Public Safety & Security Organizations

# GRADUATE ADMISSION PROFILE

# **TUITION & COSTS**

Tuition & Fees (30 hrs): \$12,600

Room & Board: \$0

Books & Misc: \$800 - \$1400

## **ADMISSION**

Factors considered for admission:

- Bachelor's degree
- Bachelor GPA
- Writing Skills Essay & Faith Statement
- Inquisitive & Articulate
- "Good Fit" / Missionally Aligned Goals
- Application fee: \$35
- Rolling Admission: start 5 times a year

# **FINANCIAL AID**

- Payment by Academic Term
- Online Payments by Credit Card
- Employer Reimbursement Options
- Third Party Payment Options
- Private School Loans
- Deferred Payment Plans
- Scholarship Program
- Regional Tuition for Non-USA Students

# **COLLEGES & SCHOOLS**

The Missional College

School of Missional Practice

**School of Community Ministry** 

School of Creative Expression

School of Ecological Mission

School of Theological Studies

School of Experiential Learning

## **GLOBAL FACULTY**

100+ Faculty from 35+ Countries

95%+ Faculty with Accredited Doctorates

86% with University Teaching Experience

75% with International Experience

63 Faculty with Seminary Degrees

31 Faculty w/ Church Planting Experience

13 Faculty with Health Related Degrees

9 Faculty Who Served as Chaplains

6 Faculty With Social Work Degrees

3 Faculty Who are Attorneys

3 Faculty Who are Medical Doctors

# Thesis

**GLOBAL LEARNING** 

**EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING** 

Observership

Field Instruction

Practicum

Portfolio

Internship

Mentorship

Project

Research

Every degree program incorporates handson learning experiences, such as:

Since the mission of God in the world is global, Missional University recognizes that students need the skills and knowledge to enter into the global workforce. At Missional you will encounter new cultures and international backgrounds; and have

the option to become immersed in new languages and cultures.

TRULY TRANSNATIONAL PROGRAMS

From studying with faculty from around the world to studying with students from different countries, the educational experience at Missional is truly transnational.

### **GLOBAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES**

Through a network of faith-based mission entities, nonprofits & NGOs, churches and church groups across 43+ countries, you can choose to learn practical skills in another country from a couple of weeks to a year or more. This opens up placement and internship opportunities beyond your typical online program.

### A TASTE OF CULTURE ONLINE

Jetting off isn't for everyone, which is why Missional offers alternatives for people who want to become more globally aware, while still learning online. Take advantage of world-class learning by connecting with students from different backgrounds through online student organizations, or join a faculty-sponsored online center and learn from many of our faculty who work with students conducting research and collaborate with professionals worldwide.

# **GRADUATE QUICK FACTS**

7 Colleges & Schools

36 Academic Departments

58 Master's Degrees

45 Master's Degrees in Global Cultures

Dual Master / MDiv Degree Combinations

6 MDiv Chaplaincy Specializations

6 Master of Theology Specializations

# **FIVE ACADEMIC TERMS**

Fall 1: 8/27/2018 - 10/21/2018

Fall 2: 10/29/2018 - 12/23/2018

Spring 1: 1/7/2019 - 3/3/2019

Spring 2: 3/11/2019 - 5/6/2019

Summer: 5/13/2019 - 7/7/2019

### **ONLINE eCAMPUS SITES**

**Academic Center** 

**Administration Center** 

**Student Center** 

Conference Center



# PROGRAMS OF STUDY

### MASTER DEGREE PROGRAMS

Anthropology of Religion

**Biblical Studies** 

**Buddhist Studies** 

**Church Planting Consultation** 

Church Planting Leadership

Community Health Leadership

**Community Transformation** 

Contextual Theology

Correctional Leadership

Creative Arts Therapy

Criminal Investigation & Profiling

Cybersecurity Management

Demography & Geospatial Studies

Early Christian Mission

**Ecology & Biodiversity** 

Ecotheology & Mission

**Epidemiology** 

Faith Community Nursing

Faith Community Services

Financial Fraud Investigation

Geospatial & GeoMission Intelligence

Global Health Mission

Global Worship Arts

Hindu Studies

**Immigration Legal Services** 

Infectious Disease

Information Technology Management

International Business Mission

International Development

International Marketplace Leadership

International Sports Management

Islamic Studies

Judaic Studies

Migration Studies

Military Advocacy Leadership

Millennial Leadership

Mission Studies

Missional Communities

Missional Congregational Leadership

Missional Evangelism

Missional Theology

Moral Formation

Multihousing Leadership

**New Religious Movements** 

Non-Profit Leadership

Pastoral Care & Chaplaincy

Public Safety & Security

**Public Theology** 

Rehabilitation Counseling

Social Work

Spiritual Direction

Sustainable Communities

Sustainable Environments

TESOL/TEFL & Linguistics

Transformational Discipleship

**Urban Development** 

Urban Mission Leadership

Urban Youth Leadership

### MASTER OF DIVINITY / CHAPLAINCY

Chaplaincy Specializations

Correctional

Crisis & Disaster Relief

Healthcare

Marketplace

Military

Pastoral Care

### MDIV DUAL DEGREE PROGRAMS

All of our master's degree programs can be seamlessly combined with a Master of Divinity degree by taking additional coursework. Concentrations and Tracks in master programs become specializations.

MIS / MDiv: Intercultural Studies

MRel / MDiv: Religion

MMin / MDiv: Missional Ministry

MIBM / MDiv: Intl. Business Mission

MISM / MDiv: Intl. Sports Mission

MCM / MDiv: Community Ministry

MGC / MDiv: Global Commuication

MEM / MDiv: Ecological Mission

MGH / MDiv: Global Health

MTS / MDiv: Theological Studies

### MASTER OF THEOLOGY PROGRAMS

Courses in Master of Theology programs are taught at the doctoral level with opportunities to engage closely with professors in a written thesis that enhances ministry or prepares for a doctoral program.

Old Testament Mission

**New Testament Mission** 

Missional Theology

Early Christian Mission

Moral & Public Theology

Cultural Theology

Contextual Theology

Ecotheology



# GLOBAL CULTURE PROGRAMS

### MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMS IN GLOBAL CULTURES

Missional University offers master's degrees that combine a vocational focus with a culturally or geographically contextual one. By incorporating cultural studies, religious studies, cultural anthropology, anthropology of art and music, cultural geography, ethnomusicology, folk studies, and international visual communications, students learn not only the "what, why and how" of their academic discipline, but they also learn about the "with whom" and "where" in which their missional practice is implemented.

### CHOOSE A DEGREE PLAN

African Studies in Global Cultures Biblical Studies in Global Cultures Church Planting in Global Cultures Community Health in Global Cultures Community Services in Global Cultures Contextual Theology in Global Cultures Creative Arts Therapy in Global Cultures Cultural Theology in Global Cultures Demography in Global Cultures Development in Global Cultures Digital Journalism in Global Cultures Discipleship in Global Cultures Ecomissiology in Global Cultures Ecotheology in Global Cultures Epidemiology in Global Cultures Ethnoart in Global Cultures Ethnocinema in Gobal Cultures Ethnocommunication in Global Cultures Ethnodoxology in Global Cultures Ethnomedia in Global Cultures Ethnomusic in Global Cultures Ethnotheatre in Global Cultures Faith Community Nursing in Global Cultures Faith Medical Mission in Global Cultures Family Studies in Global Cultures Folk Studies in Global Cultures Geospatial Studies in Global Cultures International Business in Global Cultures International Development in Global Cultures International Justice in Global Cultures International Sports in Global Cultures Migration Studies in Global Cultures Mission Studies in Global Cultures Missional Communities in Global Cultures Missional Theology in Global Cultures Non-Profit Leadership in Global Cultures Pastoral Care in Global Cultures Reconciliation Studies in Global Cultures Rehabilitation Counseling in Global Cultures Social Justice in Global Cultures Social Work in Global Cultures Social Theology in Global Cultures **TESOL** in Global Cultures Urban Mission in Global Cultures

World Religion in Global Cultures

#### WHY GLOBAL STUDIES?

In today's world, people are interconnected around the world – socially, politically, economically. Connections increase exponentially because of the growth of transnational organizations, global trade, and communication technology. In this environment, the people of God are called to be global citizens – to serve in the mission of God in ways that impact the world physically, socially, culturally, and spiritually. By joining where God is already at work, Christians become global missionizers.

### CHOOSE A CULTURAL CONTEXT

Buddhist Cultures
Folk Cultures
Hindu Cultures
Islamic Cultures
Judaic Cultures
New Religion Cultures
Postmodern Cultures

# CHOOSE A GEOGRAPHICAL CONTEXT

Africa and African Diaspora
Asia and Pacific
Latin America and the Caribbean
North America and Europe

