

Ministry Residency Program at Denver Seminary

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY: Pastoral Resident

LOCATION: Greenwood Community Church

ABOUT: greenwoodcc.com

Greenwood's Mission Statement: Forming disciples who love Jesus and follow His way.

Position Summary: Greenwood is seeking several pastoral interns who will each engage in four distinct pastoral ministry rotations: Leadership and Worship, Missions and Small Groups, Emerging Generations, and Formation and Prayer. We hope that through broad exposure to pastoral ministries, opportunities to engage and learn, and relational investment by pastoral leaders, interns will deepen their personal sense of call, grow in discipleship to Jesus, and broaden their practical understanding of pastoral ministry and church leadership.

TUITION CONSIDERATION: \$3,000 per semester for 12 months
10% tuition discount

ESTIMATED TIME COMMITMENT: 10-15 hours per week
Vacation: Thanksgiving Break, Christmas Break, Spring Break, One Additional Week TBD

CHARACTER PROFILE & QUALIFICATIONS:

- An MDiv student pursuing a vocation in pastoral ministry
- Maintains full agreement with Greenwood's Mission and Values, Policy on Marriage and Sexuality, and the EPC Essentials of the Faith
- A vibrant and loving faith in Jesus and an eagerness to grow in discipleship to Him
- A teachable spirit and a desire to be equipped for ministry
- A love for people and a passion to help others grow in Christ
- A commitment to engaging in the life of Greenwood as a whole
- Relational, enthusiastic, positive, hard-working
- Willing to take initiative and try new things

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Monthly Commitments: (~ 6 hours per week)

- Attend or serve at all worship services
- Meet bi-monthly as an internship cohort
- Meet bi-monthly with rotation supervisor
- Attend twice a month all-staff meetings of Greenwood (tactical and formation)
- Attend one staff prayer meeting per week
- Attend staff Days with Jesus twice a year
- Invited to attend Fall Staff-Elder Retreat (with spouse if married)

Rotation Specific Commitments (~ 3 to 10 hours per week):

- Developmental elements—reading about and discussing pastoral and leadership issues related to that pastoral area with that rotation’s supervisor.
- Practicum elements---engaging in that area’s ministries, including preaching, leading prayer services, serving with youth and children’s ministries, shadowing pastors, attending session or presbytery meetings, serving at funerals, planning worship, serving at church-wide events, etc.

TO APPLY: Send a resume to [both](#):

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DEFINITION OF THE MINISTRY RESIDENCY PROGRAM:

By Definition the Residency Program is an Internship and contains the following:

1. *Similar ministry training as that available in and through schooling for future clergy;*
 2. *This training is for the benefit of the trainee;*
3. *Resident is not a replacement for a regular employee, but works under close observation;*
4. *This program is considered to be of greater value to the trainee than to the employer;*
 5. *Trainees are not necessarily entitled to a job at the completion of the program;*
6. *Employer and trainee understand that trainees are not entitled to wages for the time spent in training.*