

Internship Program, First Baptist Church, Davis CA

August 2018 to July 2019 (start/end date is flexible)

Purpose of Internship

We want to invest in you, train you, and give you an awesome (and challenging) experience as you serve and lead in our church.

The Internship Program at FBC is designed to develop women and men who are interested in pursuing vocational youth or college ministry. You will:

1. Gain significant ministry experience
2. Receive guided education and training in youth or college ministry
3. Bring your gifts, creativity, and service to the youth or college ministry
4. Clarify your vocational goals and prepare for how God will lead you next
5. Work in an atmosphere of personal and professional guidance and support

Specific Ministry Training

The internship can be part-time or full-time. Training will take place in these ways:

1. Weekly meetings with the youth or college pastor to plan, discuss, and evaluate
2. Three guided book studies
3. One meeting with each of the FBC staff during the year, and mentorship with someone from FBC
4. Hands on training and ministry experience in the following areas:
 - Teaching
 - Pastoral care and spiritual formation
 - Planning and running programs
 - Relational ministry
 - Outreach
 - Leading volunteers
 - Ministry administration
 - Personal spiritual growth

Financial Support

- Interns raise their own support. FBC will help with support raising strategies and FBC members can contribute to intern support. We will help you!
- Interns can work a part-time job if they would like
- FBC will offer interns free accommodation in the home of a church member

Want to join us?!

Complete the application form and e-mail it to Neil – neilredenbaugh@gmail.com

Peace to you, in Jesus Christ.

Peter (college pastor) and Neil (youth pastor)

Application for the Intern Position at FBC

First Baptist Church
38141 Russell Blvd.
Davis, CA. 95616

I. Are you primarily interested in the college or youth internship?

II. General Information

Name:

Address:

Permanent address, if different from above:

Phone:

Email:

Birth Date:

III. Life with God

Briefly explain when and how you started following Jesus

Describe your walk with God now, areas in which you've grown, and what has helped you in this growth

What accountability or Christian community do you currently have in your life?

Are there any special issues or concerns taking place in your life right now that would impact your commitment and involvement in FBC's youth or college ministry (e.g. relationships, other commitments, etc.)?

IV. Church Service

Home Church:

Denomination:

Address:

Are you a member of a denomination? If so, which one?

Why are you interested in the internship at FBC?

What are your strengths and passions?

What are your weaknesses?

What have been some of your ministry responsibilities/areas of service in the past?

V. Work Experience

What experience have you had in secular employment?

Describe one of the big achievements of your life, and why it is significant to you

Describe a time when you failed at something important to you, and how that affected you

VI. Education

List all schools attended after high school

School Name and location:

Years Attended:

Degree Obtained:

VII. Health

Indicating something below does not necessarily exclude you from serving with our students. But these things are important to talk about with our leadership team.

Thank you for your honesty in the name of Christ.

Do you have any physical disability? If so, explain:

Do you experience frequent depression? Moodiness? Negativity?

If yes, explain:

Have you ever been treated for a nervous, mental, or emotional disorder?

Describe your general health:

VIII. Parents

Parents' name(s):

Address:

Parents marital Status:

 Together Separated Divorced Widowed
Remarried Other

Are your parents in sympathy with your desire to serve in this internship? Explain:

IX. Goals

What career, educational, marital, etc. goals do you have?

X. Financial Obligations

List your total debt (specific dollar amount):

When do you expect to be free from debt?

If accepted into the Internship Program, are you aware that you are responsible for your own financial income?

What sources of raising monthly financial support do you have/anticipate?

XI. Agreement with FBC

Are you in agreement with the First Baptist Church Purpose and Beliefs (see website)

Yes No If "no" or not sure, explain:

Do you understand the FBC Internship Description?

Yes No If "no" or not sure, explain:

XII. References

Provide references that can attest to your character, spiritual life, and church ministry

Name	E-mail	Phone
1.		
2.		
3.		

Please be sure that all references are expecting to be contacted

XIII. Background Check

Please go to this link and complete a background check, free of charge. The check is done through Protect My Ministry, a company that specializes in background screenings for churches and other ministries. They will process your information through the federal, county, and DMV systems.

<https://www.ministryopportunities.org/FBCDavis>