

# Missions Media Scholarship

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# **Funding**

\$300 toward your total trip costs, covered by the Chilhowee Baptist Association

## **Qualifications**

- Must be a current student (part or full time) in high school or higher education
- Must be an active member of an evangelical church
- Must be participating in a CBA mission trip
- A letter of recommendation from one of your pastors
- Familiarize yourself with the terms and definitions listed on the back of this form
- Affirm the Baptist Faith & Message (bfm.sbc.net/bfm2000/)

# Your Role on the Missionary Team

Do you love to share a good story? Do you enjoy capturing visual content to tell those stories? Your skills can further God's kingdom work around the world.

# The requirements for this scholarship are as follows:

- Write clear, concise, and compelling stories, recounting each day's work & experiences
- Take photos and short videos for posting on the CBA's social media channels
- Check in once daily via email (media@cbalive.org) with stories & content from the work & experiences of the day. (*No more than once a day is required.*)

**Remember:** your primary role on the missionary team is to prayerfully engage in missionary tasks through sharing the Gospel, encouraging long-term missionaries, building relationships, making disciples, and supporting the long-term gospel work. Your media tasks should not keep you from the gospel work; simply take a few strategic pictures/videos throughout the day and spend a moment at the end of the day describing the work and experiences of the day.

## **Media Details**

As you send your photos, videos, and descriptions to us, we will share your content with our CBA churches via email and social media.

### Media Should:

- Primarily consists of candid shots, scenic shots, and shots of gospel ministry (though group photos, posed photos, and selfies are encouraged)
- Be short in length (videos typically no longer than a minute)
- A mixture of portrait and landscape shots (<u>www.fotor.com/blog/portrait-vs-landscape/</u>)

### Media Should Not:

- Include provocative material (swimsuits, pajamas, sexual in nature, substance abuse)
- Be recorded in private spaces like bathrooms and hotel rooms
- Be blurry, crooked, or have filters applied

# **Examples**

Get an idea of the content we are requesting: <a href="https://www.imb.org/photos/">www.imb.org/photos/</a> | <a href="https://www.imb.org/">www.imb.org/</a> | <a href="https://www.i

# <u>CBA Trip – Paris, France</u>









"Day 3: God has richly blessed our work today! We had the morning free, so we visited Notre Dame & the Eiffel Tower. Later in the day, we spent the afternoon and early evening passing out pins & sharing the gospel in the area around Notre Dame. Even in such a spiritually dark place, people are still looking for light! We connected with a few individuals online to follow up with. Pray for receptive hearts."

### Contact

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# **KEY TERMS**

These biblically faithful and denominationally loyal definitions and concepts profoundly affect who we are, where we go, what we do, and how we train. Wisely applying God's Word in all our work together necessitates the clear articulation and consistent understanding of these terms.

## The Gospel

The gospel is the good news that the only true God, the just and gracious Creator of the universe, has looked upon hopelessly sinful men and women and has sent his Son, God in the flesh, to bear his wrath against sin through his substitutionary death on the cross and to show his power over sin and death through his resurrection from the grave so that everyone who turns from their sin and themselves and trusts in Jesus alone as Savior and Lord will be reconciled to God forever.

### Church

A New Testament church of the Lord Jesus Christ is an autonomous local congregation of baptized believers, associated by covenant in the faith and fellowship of the gospel; observing the two ordinances of Christ, governed by his laws, exercising the gifts, rights, and privileges invested in them by his Word, and seeking to extend the gospel to the ends of the earth.

### <u>Evangelism</u>

Evangelism is the proclamation of the gospel in the power of the Holy Spirit with the aim of persuading people to repent and believe in Christ.

#### Conversion

Conversion is the divinely enabled personal response of individuals to the gospel in which they turn from their sin and themselves (repent) and trust in Jesus as Savior and Lord (believe).

## Disciple / Disciple-Making

Disciples are followers of Jesus, those who turn from their sin and trust in Jesus as their Savior. They have died to themselves and surrendered their lives to him as Lord. Christ now lives in them, transforming their heart at conversion, and their mind, affections, will, relationships, and purpose in increasing measure as a disciple grows through faith in Jesus as a member of his body, the church.

Disciple making is the Christ-commanded, Spirit-empowered duty of every disciple of Jesus to evangelize unbelievers, baptize believers, teach them the Word of Christ, and train them to obey Christ as members of his church who make disciples on mission to all nations.

## **Missionary**

A missionary is a disciple of Jesus set apart by the Holy Spirit, sent out from the church to cross geographic, cultural, and/or linguistic barriers as part of a missionary team focused on making disciples and multiplying churches among all peoples and places, especially those unreached with the gospel.

## Missionary Team

A missionary team is an identifiable group of disciples who meet together regularly, care for each other selflessly, and partner with one another intentionally to make disciples and multiply churches among particular unreached peoples and/or places.

## **Calling**

Every follower of Christ is called to salvation, whereby God graciously draws people to discipleship & church membership. Christ calls disciples to stations to exalt him on mission (family roles, singleness, membership, citizenship). Every Christian is sent by Jesus to make disciples, yet not every Christian is a missionary. All vocations are significant before the Lord, yet God calls some to specific service (pastor, missionary, etc.), discerned & affirmed individually and externally by the church.

# <u>Unreached Peoples/Places</u>

Unreached peoples and places are those among whom Christ is largely unknown and the church is relatively insufficient to make Christ known in its broader population without outside help.

