



Discipleship Encounters: For the curious to the called.

Participants in the MEI discipleship program will:

- Encounter God in the day-to-day and moment-by-moment life of living for, through, and in Him
- Experience spiritual Truths through mentoring and studies that can be practically applied to life
- Gain knowledge and insight into missions by experiencing a variety of ministries and services
- Live and serve side-by-side with long-term missionaries to see how life in the field is lived

Please complete fully the following application. It is important that you fill it out as thoroughly as possible to give our staff the information necessary to make decisions. If the form is not fully completed, we will not be able to put it into consideration.

Application instructions for mailed papers:

1. Print the form and fill out all fields completely.
2. Attach a photo – electronic or paper – and a check or online payment of \$75.00 non-refundable application fee.
3. Mail the completed application to the address below:

Missions Encounters International
P O Box 13682 / Oklahoma City, OK 73113
www.gowithmei.com / info@missionencountersintl.com

Application instructions for electronic submission:

1. Do a “Save As” on this document and title it with your initials and the submission date (ie. EF 062111)
2. Type your answers into the re-titled application
3. Email the completed application, with a jpeg photo attached.
4. Your application fee is to be paid online via the “Donate” tab on our website. Fill out your information and type “Discipleship Encounter Application Fee” in the comment box.

Process:

Upon receipt of your \$75.00 payment and application, a confirmation email that your application is being reviewed will be sent to you **with a code for an online task& teaming inventory**. Please complete the inventory online and forward your results to heather@missionencountersintl.com.

Both the on-site missions team and our Staff Support Services counselor will review your application over the next three weeks. During this time, they may contact you regarding further questions or concerns. Approval for participation is needed from both entities.

You will receive an email and/or phone call from the Home Office within 3 weeks of your confirmation email (receiving of application and fee) stating either approval with information to proceed **or** denial with comments/direction on areas of focus before re-consideration can occur.

Questions?: email us or call 405.840.4833

Work history/experiences: Please list last 3 employers, starting with current occupation (or what you've been doing) or for the previous 5 years, whichever is longer:

1. Current: Name of company/employer/activity _____
 Number of years or months there _____ Type of work done _____

 Supervisor's name _____ Phone number _____
2. Previous company/employer/activity _____
 Date began to date left _____ Type of work done _____

 Reason for leaving _____
 Supervisor's name _____ Phone number _____
3. Previous company/employer/activity _____
 Date began to date left _____ Type of work done _____

 Reason for leaving _____
 Supervisor's name _____ Phone number _____

Personal References: (Pastor, teacher, employer, not family members please) we will be doing reference checks by email or phone and asking a number of questions. Please let your references know that we will be emailing or calling.

1. Name _____ Relationship _____
 Phone _____ Best time to call _____ Email _____
2. Name _____ Relationship _____
 Phone _____ Best time to call _____ Email _____
3. Name _____ Relationship _____
 Phone _____ Best time to call _____ Email _____

Have you ever been on a mission trip before? Yes No If yes, where, when, name your group leader and host:

When would you want to be on the mission field (10 weeks)?

____ March-May ____ June-August ____ Sept.-Nov.

Why do you want to be involved in missions? _____

Life Experiences and Influences:

1. Name 3 of your strengths: _____

2. Name 3 of your weaknesses: _____

3. Where do you see God has gifted you in your life? _____

4. What are you passionate about? _____

5. What ministry experience do you have? _____

6. What experiences in your life have impacted or shaped you? _____

7. Hobbies/interests: _____

8. Describe your family environment: _____

9. Please give your testimony of salvation (approx year saved, etc): _____

10. Describe your current relationship with God _____

11. Describe your daily devotional life: _____

12. List the last 3 books you've read, and the last 3 movies you've watched: _____

13. Tell about God's calling in your life: _____

14. What are you doing right now that supplies your income? _____

Behavioral History: Please answer yes or no, explaining any yes answers on a separate sheet of paper.

Have you ever?

Been expelled from school? _____

Served time in a detention center or jail? _____

Been involved with alcohol or illegal drugs? _____

Had troubles entering or exiting the U.S.? _____

Been involved in homosexual activities? _____

Been involved with gang-related activities? _____

Been sexually active? (omit if married) _____

Been involved with a cult or occult? _____

Been (or are you currently) in a dating relationship with someone on staff? _____

Had anger control issues? _____

Currently on trial for or been convicted of a crime? _____

Health History: Please answer in the same manner as in behavioral history

Are you currently on any medications? If so, what? _____

History of illnesses or surgeries: _____

Any allergies, medication/food/environmental: _____

Any history or current treatment for psychiatric issues? _____

History of seizures, fainting spells, panic attacks or breathing problems? _____

Been pregnant or fathered a child? _____

Do you have any physical impairment? _____

Been involved with tobacco products? _____

Traveled to a foreign country? _____

Knowingly giving false information will lead to dismissal from the discipleship program and result in being sent home at your own expense.

I have read and understand the above information. The information I have given is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I also give Missions Encounters International the right to use my picture, voice and/or testimony in any form of promotional or advertising materials. My signature signifies my approval of all limitations listed above.

Signed:

_____ Date ____/____/_____