



SMU | PERKINS
SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

APPLICATION for 2018-19 INTERNSHIP

MASTER OF ARTS IN MINISTRY

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: September 25, 2017

IMPORTANT: The Intern Program helps to provide the setting, supervision and resources for interns to learn and grow during internship. Ultimately, however, learning on internship is the student's own responsibility, beginning when the student enters the placement process by applying for internship.

The Intern faculty places numerous students in internships each year and works with many persons outside the school to make that possible. Therefore prospective interns need to respond promptly when contacted by the Intern faculty throughout the placement process. If an Intern faculty supervisor makes three attempts to contact a student using the information on this application and does not receive a timely response, that student's application will automatically be deferred until the following year.

Name _____ E-mail _____

Cell Phone _____ Home Phone (if different) _____

Student ID # _____ Gender _____ Race/Ethnicity _____

Full Mailing Address _____

Denomination _____ Home Conference _____

Conference/Denomination in which you hope to do internship: _____

Are you licensed and/or ordained in your denomination? _____

Geographical preference for internship (*within driving distance of campus*) _____

Current Degree Track: ☐ Christian Education ☐ Christian Spirituality ☐ Evangelism & Mission
☐ Theology and Social Justice ☐ Urban Ministry

Type Of Internship: *Note: All M.A.M. interns do the **Part-Time internship** model.*

☐ Part-Time Church Staff ☐ Part-Time Agency or Other Ministry ☐ Undecided

Are you currently on a church or agency staff? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "Yes," where?

_____ Is this a paid position? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Hours/week? _____ Do you plan to do internship in that setting? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Maybe



M.A.M. candidates should meet with their academic advisor or the Perkins registrar and plan out the entire course schedule and projected graduation date for their degree program before coming to the placement interview.

Date of most recent course planning conversation with advisor or registrar: _____

If on ordination track, date of most recent conversation with judicatory official: _____

Marital Status _____ If applicable, Name of Spouse _____

STATUS AT PERKINS:

Term/Year of Entry (*i.e.* "Fall/16") _____ Projected graduation term/year _____

If your Perkins enrollment has been interrupted, term/year of current re-entry _____

Credit hours completed at Perkins _____ Hours transferred in to Perkins _____

Total hours expected by **end of the Spring 2018 term** (end of this academic year) _____

Current GPA _____ Perkins faculty advisor _____

Faculty member who knows you best or whom you know best (*if applicable*):

Certificate programs for which you are registered, if any:

☐ Anglican Studies

☐ African American Church Studies

☐ Hispanic Studies

☐ Pastoral Care

☐ Urban Ministry

☐ Women's and Gender Studies

Is there additional information you would like to share with us in this application?

The [courses recommended in preparation for internship](#) are listed in the Intern Program pages on the web site. We would like to know which of the following courses you will have completed before internship and which you plan to take during your internship. Please fill out the chart below with the appropriate term and year for each course (i.e. "Fall/16").

Course Name & Number		When Completed	When Planned
	OT 6301 Old Testament I		
	or OT 6302 Old Testament II		
	NT 6301 New Testament I		
	or NT 6302 New Testament II		
	ST 6301 Introduction of the Christian Message I		
	XS 6310 The Church in Its Social Context		
	XX 6003, 6104 Spiritual Formation I & II		
<i>Christian Ed track foundational course:</i>			
	CE 7304 The Church's Educational Ministry		
<i>Christian Spirituality track foundational course:</i>			
	MN 7323 Survey of Christian Spirituality		
	or MN 7311 Prayer & Spirituality		
	or MN 7310 Spirituality & Christian Ministry		
<i>Evangelism and Mission track foundational courses:</i>			
	WX 7310 World Christianity: Its Mission & Unity		
	EV 7307 Theory & Practice of Evangelism		
	WX 8332 Mission Studies or		
	HR 6302 World Religions & Christianity		
<i>Theology and Social Justice track foundational courses:</i>			
	HR 6302 World Religions & Christianity		
	MT 6303 Moral Theology		
	HX/TC 7380 Prophetic Social Justice		
	XS 8326 Broad Based Community Organizing		
<i>Urban Ministry track foundational course:</i>			
	XS 7302 Issues in Urban Ministry		
	or XS 8332 Contemporary Issues in Urban Ministry		
Have you taken or do you plan to take a Perkins Immersion Course? If yes, give title or location and date:			

PLACEMENT DISCERNMENT PROCESS
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After you submit your application, you will be assigned to work with one of the Intern faculty members during the internship placement process. Your assigned Intern Faculty supervisor will contact you to set a time for the initial placement discernment conversation and will give you the topics you should come prepared to discuss.

When you come to the first appointment, it would be helpful for you to bring with you the appropriate Course Planning Guide for your degree program and projected graduation date (see www.smu.edu/Perkins/FacultyAcademics/AcademicServices) with notes on your plan for your remaining classes after your most recent conversation with your academic advisor or the registrar.

Later in the placement process, you will receive information about taking the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI), a personality assessment. The results will be interpreted for you during a workshop at Intern Orientation in August.

Return completed applications by email to perkinsintern@smu.edu; or in hardcopy to the Intern Office in 300 Kirby Hall; or mail to The Intern Office / Perkins School of Theology, SMU / PO Box 750133/ Dallas, TX 75275-0133.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2018-19 INTERNS

Please note these important dates. Attendance at the August 14-15 Intern Orientation is mandatory for those who plan to do a 2018-19 internship.

First Day of Internship	August 13, 2018
Intern Orientation (in Prothro Hall)	August 14-15, 2018
Lay Teaching Committee Orientation (Dallas-area internships)	August 16, 2018 7-9 p.m. Location TBD
Lay Teaching Committee Orientation (Houston-area internships)	August 21, 2018 7-9 p.m. Location TBD
Lay Teaching Committee Orientation (internships outside the Dallas & Houston areas)	Individually Scheduled
Final Day of Internship	May 12, 2019