



Participation Regulations

Please make a copy of this page so that you have a copy of the "Participation Regulations."

- The purpose of internships is to introduce the intern to the ministry of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and His Church and to give the Intern a good introduction to the ministry IMPACTO Latino in Mexico. Sightseeing and shopping will be included only as time permits.
- Any Intern found with illegal drugs in his/her possession, consuming alcoholic beverages, stealing, displaying open rebellion, or involved in fornication or adultery will be sent home at the intern's own expense, without any clemency granted, so as not to destroy the testimony of the missionaries and the Church where IMPACTO Latino works.
- In the event of political unrest, natural disaster, or unexpected needs with the hosting missionary team, IMPACTO Latino will decide if an internship is wise and safe.
- All Interns serve at their own risk. Though the Missionaries with IMPACTO Latino will minister to the intern in all ways possible it must be understood that IMPACTO Latino and their affiliated missionaries are not liable in the event of sickness, accident, death, terrorist acts, or for transportation or any other expense incurred by the Intern.
- IMPACTO Latino has a "No Dating Policy" for its interns and we require strict adherence to this policy while an intern is in Mexico. Because of the many cultural definitions, we will outline our expectations: interns will not develop a relationship with romantic intentions with other interns, nationals, or missionary family members; will not engage in romantic physical contact (i.e. kissing, etc.); will not develop an inappropriate relationship as defined by the nationals and/or sponsoring missionary; and when spending time with the opposite sex the intern will strive to be in the context of a group gathering.
- All Interns are responsible for their own transportation to and from Mexico and will also have expenses related to housing food and travel in country. All interns are responsible to secure their own ministry costs.
- "I have read and agree to the above Participation Regulations."

Name: _____

Signature: _____



Intern Application

Please print or type all information. Please include a recent picture. This application and picture can be sent by email.

GENERAL

Legal Name

Your full legal name is required for passports, visas, airline tickets, etc., all checked during international travel.

Name (you prefer to be called/nickname)

Home Address _____ City, State, ZIP _____

School Address _____ City, State, ZIP _____

Please place a star by the address at which you wish to receive information.

If you have a PO Box, please include street address for FEDEX or DHL delivery:

Phone: Home (_____) _____

(_____) _____ School

E-mail address: _____

Year of high school graduation _____

Year of College graduation _____

Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ Sex: Male Female Age: _____

Citizenship: US Canada Other Country _____

Driver's License No. _____ State/Province _____ Expiration: _____

EXPERIENCE

Post high school education: Institution -- Major -- Dates attended -- Date of graduation -- Degree -- GPA

1. _____

2. _____

Work Experience (most recent first): Employer -- Position -- Dates worked

1. _____

2. _____

Countries visited for one week or more: Country -- Length of visit -- Date of visit -- Purpose of visit

1. _____

2. _____

Foreign languages spoken:

1. _____ _ Beginner _ Conversant _ Fluent

2. _____ _ Beginner _ Conversant _ Fluent

PERSONAL

Marital Status: Single Married Engaged Divorced Spouse's Name: _____

Child(ren): Yes No Dependent on you for support? Yes No

Father's Name _____

Mother's Name _____

Address _____

Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____

City, State, ZIP _____

Phone (_____) _____

Phone (_____) _____

Is there any reason you cannot engage in rigorous activity? _____

Are there any medical conditions IMPACTO Latino should be aware of? Any medications you currently take?

Do you have any known allergies to foods or insects? (Please list) _____

Have you been hospitalized in the last six month? _____ If yes, please indicate the nature of the sickness.

Have you ever received professional counseling for emotional or mental illness?: _ No _ Yes
If yes, explain on the back of this page or if you are sending this by email, type your explanation at this point.

Church You Attend _____ Home Church _____

Minister's Name _____ Minister's Name _____

Church Address _____ Church Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____ City, State, ZIP _____

Phone (_____) _____ Phone (_____) _____

Date and place of your baptism (immersion):

REFERENCES

Names and addresses of four references (one must be a leader in your church). Immediate family members may not be used as references.

Name _____ **Name** _____

Title _____ Title _____

Address _____ Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____ City, State, ZIP _____

Phone (_____) _____ Phone (_____) _____

E-mail _____ E-mail _____

Name _____ **Name** _____

Title _____ Title _____

Address _____ Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____ City, State, ZIP _____

Phone (_____) _____ Phone (_____) _____

E-mail _____ E-mail _____

Essay Questionnaire

Please answer the following questions on a separate paper, preferably typed. If you send this by email, include your answer following the number of the question in this document.

1. How long have you been a Christian? Please write a half-page testimony. Include how you became a Christian, the major influences on your spiritual growth, and how you have grown spiritually in the past year.
2. Have you ever been involved with drugs or alcohol? If so, please give a brief history and note the last incident of usage.
3. Why do you want to participate in an internship with IMPACTO Latino? (1 paragraph)
4. What do you believe are your personal strengths in interpersonal relationships? Weaknesses? (1 paragraph each)
6. What experiences, training, or responsibilities have you had which would further qualify you for cross-cultural ministry? (i.e., counseling, evangelism, discipleship, leadership, teaching) (1-2 paragraphs)
7. After further preparation, are you open to mission service in the future?
8. Have you ever been involved in any Eastern religions or occult activities (i.e., demonism, tarot cards, ouija boards, yoga, Transcendental Meditation, etc.)? If so, please give a brief history.

Ministry Involvement

In what areas of ministry are you interested?

1. Describe ways in which you have been involved in ministry, identifying those in which you are currently involved:
2. In what areas of ministry would you like to be involved on the field (during your internship)? Describe the experience you have had in these ministries:
3. Have you had training in personal evangelism and/or discipleship? Yes No Give details:
4. Do you share the Gospel? Frequently Regularly Seldom Never have
5. When was the last time someone received Christ due to your witness? _____
6. Are you discipling anyone presently? Yes No Have you recently? Yes No
7. Have you discussed your mission internship interest with your parents? Yes No Please indicate your parents' response:
 Enthusiastic Favorable Lukewarm Unsure Opposed
8. Have you discussed your mission internship interest with your church leaders? Yes No Please indicate your church leaders' response:
 Enthusiastic Favorable Lukewarm Unsure Opposed

Financial Information

What do I do with the money I raise for my internship?

In fund-raising for your internship with IMPACTO Latino you may choose to have all money come directly to you. However, you should understand that this will be considered as personal income by the IRS and could be taxed.

If however, your donors want a Tax Receipt from a non-Profit organization, those donations will have to be sent directly to IMPACTO Latino and IMPACTO Latino and the missionary with whom you are working with will be responsible to see that it is used for the stated purpose.

What if there are excess funds after the internship is completed?

We are limited by the IRS in how we can use those funds. When donors originally give their gifts, they receive a receipt acknowledging the tax deductibility of that gift. By issuing that receipt, we are endorsing to the donor and to the IRS that the gift will be used only for purposes for which IMPACTO Latino was established as a tax exempt organization.

The use of excess funds for college expenses or other expenses by your would be considered by the IRS as personal use of funds for the benefit of the intern and not for the benefit of the ministries of IMPACTO Latino. That would nullify the tax deductibility of the gift and would also create taxable income to the intern.

Therefore, excess funds will go to the work of the Pachuca Project in Mexico.

Personal spending money:

These funds are personal and are not included in your budget. If you have supporters who would like to contribute to your personal spending money, they should give the money directly to you and not to IMPACTO Latino. These funds are not tax deductible. (Reminder: the IRS will consider these funds taxable income.)

Other financial issues:

Money exchange through an ATM is safe, usually one of the best exchange rates and convenient. Please consider having an ATM card for your time in Mexico.

Charge Cards are used throughout Mexico and we encourage you to have one in case of emergencies. If you do not have one in your own name, please consider a card attached to the account of a parent or guardian. Charge Cards are especially useful if there is a medical emergency.

We request that you also have a Medical and Emergency Evacuation insurance policy. These can be bought for the time you will be in Mexico. These are also known as Emergency Medical Travel policies.

Travel Documents:

1. You will need a passport. Though there are other documents that Mexican government will accept for entrance of a U.S. citizen to Mexico, the passport is the most universal and can be used for other identification purposes while in Mexico. Please make arrangements for the securing of a Passport!
2. You will enter Mexico and receive a Tourist Card or Visa at the port of entry (usually the Mexico City Airport).

Signature of Commitment

"I, the undersigned, have read and understand the information contained in the Participation Regulations and in the Financial Information. I also understand that my reference information will be shared with the responsible members of IMPACTO Latino who will be making the decision about my participation with the internship in Mexico."

"To the best of my knowledge, the information I have provided is true and accurate."

Date _____ Signature _____
Electronic Signature is acceptable

Please send copies of this application to:

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