

Ministry Intern Project — STUDENT APPLICATION

Kansas Wesleyan University

Name: _____

KWU Email: _____

Cell Phone: _____ **Major / Minor:** _____

Year (FR / SO / JR / SR): _____

1. Personal & Spiritual Background

- Briefly describe your interest in the Ministry Intern Project.
- Describe any previous ministry, leadership, or service experiences (no experience required).
- What faith tradition or church background, if any, has shaped you?
- Strengths & Calling

- What gifts or strengths do you hope to explore or develop?

2. Are there particular ministry areas you're interested in? (Check all that apply)

- ☐ Youth Ministry
- ☐ Worship / Music
- ☐ Teaching / Adult Discipleship
- ☐ Outreach / Missions
- ☐ Social Justice / Community Engagement
- ☐ Nonprofit Leadership
- ☐ Pastoral Ministry
- ☐ Media/Audio
- ☐ Social Media/Marketing/Website
- ☐ Other:

3. Availability

1. Sunday availability: ☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Weekday availability: _____

Some of the Church positions will require you to attend Sunday morning services to do your internship.

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or drop off in the **Campus Ministry office**

MINISTRY INTERN PROJECT

REFERENCE EVALUATION FORM

Kansas Wesleyan University

Applicant Name: _____

Reference Name: _____

Reference Title / Role: _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

Organization / Church: _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In what capacity? _____

SECTION 1: PERSONAL CHARACTER & SPIRITUAL MATURITY

Please rate the applicant in the following areas: *(4 being the highest, and 1 being the lowest)*

Quality	4	3	2	1	Unable to Evaluate
Integrity / Honesty	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Emotional Maturity	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Spiritual Maturity	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Teachability	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Accountability	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Compassion for Others	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Respectfulness	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Comments:

SECTION 2: LEADERSHIP & MINISTRY POTENTIAL

Skill / Trait	4	3	2	1	Unable to Evaluate
Initiative / Self-motivation	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Communication Skills	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Responsibility & Follow-Through	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Collaboration / Teamwork	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Leadership Ability / Potential	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Conflict Resolution / Maturity	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Ability to Serve in a Ministry or Community Context	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Comments on potential suitability for ministry or service roles:

SECTION 3: WORK HABITS & PROFESSIONALISM

Item	4	3	2	1	Unable to Evaluate
Reliability & Punctuality	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Time Management	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Ability to Accept Feedback	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Problem-Solving Ability	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Professional Demeanor	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Comments:

SECTION 4: OVERALL RECOMMENDATION

Please select one:

- ☐ **Strongly Recommend**
- ☐ **Recommend**
- ☐ **Recommend with Reservations**
- ☐ **Do Not Recommend**
- ☐ **Unable to Assess**

Explain your selection:

SECTION 5: FINAL REMARKS

Please share any additional insights about the applicant's character, spiritual life, leadership potential, or readiness for the Ministry Intern Project:

Reference Signature: _____

Date: _____

Thank you for completing this evaluation.

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MINISTRY INTERN PROJECT

Discover Your Calling. Develop Your Leadership. Make a Difference.

The Ministry Intern Project at Kansas Wesleyan University is a year-long opportunity for students to grow spiritually, academically, and professionally through mentorship, ministry experience, and leadership development.

WHY JOIN?

★ Hands-On Experience

Serve in a local faith community doing meaningful ministry work.

★ Grow Your Faith

Engage in discipleship, spiritual formation, and theological reflection.

★ Build Leadership Skills

Take part in a new course blending biblical study with real-world leadership development.

★ Community & Mentorship

Work closely with pastors, mentors, faculty, and fellow interns.

★ Explore Your Calling

Discover your gifts through a Spiritual Gifts Assessment and guided reflection.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- **Placement in a Local Faith Community** (based on your strengths & interests)
- **Spiritual Gifts Assessment**
- **Biblical Survey & Discipleship Meetings (twice weekly)**
- **Book Studies & Leadership Development**
- **Intern Retreat**
- **Commissioning Service & Year-End Celebration**

WHO CAN APPLY?

- ✓ Students of *all majors*
- ✓ Students exploring ministry, leadership, nonprofit work, teaching, or service
- ✓ No previous ministry experience required

HOW TO APPLY

Complete the short application and submit.

QUESTIONS?

Contact:

Scott Jagodzinske

Project Administrative Coordinator

Campus Ministry