



PORTLAND BIBLE COLLEGE

Introduction to Strategic Missions (Is100) Course Syllabus 2022 Intensive

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Course Description:

Join the Mannahouse Global Family for the Introduction to Strategic Missions Intensive. This 2-day experience, held on the Mannahouse Rocky Butte campus, will assist leaders to develop a biblical understanding, assemble a strategic plan, and get on a clear pathway for involvement in missions. This intensive is designed for lead pastors who want to send missionaries and mission teams, current and future missionaries, as well as those wanting to be involved in supporting missions in the most effective way.

Course Objectives:

1. To gain an understanding of the place and importance of missions.
2. To explore various strategies and methods of missions.
3. To gain an understanding of the process and challenges of being a missionary.
4. To obtain a pathway for taking next steps in missions

Course Text: “When Helping Hurts” by [Steve Corbett with Brian Fikkert](#)

Course Requirements:

1. **Class Reflection:** Write a three-page essay on how the content and experience of the class sessions will affect your life. (e.g., Changes in perspective, new awareness, different choices to make, or specific application to your future, etc). **Due April 4th.**



2. **Reading and Report:** Read the textbook in its entirety. Write a two-page report that summarizes the key concepts taught in the book and then include a paragraph on your thoughts/opinion on the book. **Due April 25th.**

Course Grading

Essay	50%
Reading	50%
TOTAL	100%

A	100% - 94%
B	93% - 86%
C	85% - 78%
D	77% - 70%
F	Below 70%
I	Incomplete

Intensive Policies

Students must choose to add or drop the course for credit prior to the start of the two-day intensives. Credit cannot be selected after the fact. Students that are a 'no-show' to the classes and/or do not submit assignments will receive a Withdraw Fail on their Portland Bible College transcript and will still be responsible for all costs associated with the course.

Assignment Submissions

All coursework is to be uploaded into Populi under the Course Assignment Tab. Documents must be submitted as Word (.doc) format or PDF format. Each assignment should be single spaced with 12-point font. Assignments turned in past due dates will be docked points. No assignment will be received after the end of the term.

Students that attend all the Intensive Sessions, submit both assignments and receive satisfactory marks on them, will receive one credit from Portland Bible College.