

Campus Minister
The Point - UH / Cougars for Christ
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Date Position Open: August 1, 2024

The Church of Christ Student Foundation Board is seeking candidates interested in assuming direction of the campus ministry at the University of Houston. Our current minister, Clint Boyd, has accepted a local preaching position but will be available to assist the new minister in the transition.

The student ministry at the University of Houston is a growing ministry in a unique setting. Our on-campus office in the A.D. Bruce Religion Center differs from traditional Christian student centers – and it attracts a diverse student group which has included students from Churches of Christ, other Christian groups, no-faith backgrounds, self-declared atheists, and a variety of world religion backgrounds. The UH campus is one of the most diverse ethnically in the country.

Campus Minister Candidates:

- Our leader must be a person of the highest integrity with a strong Bible knowledge, spiritual maturity and deep faith – able to communicate that faith to university students of all backgrounds.
- Bachelor’s degree as well as training in Bible required. A degree in ministry and/or experience in university or youth ministry considered a plus.
- An ecumenical, non-sectarian spirit is essential. Our location on campus attracts students from diverse spiritual backgrounds, inviting conversations that often lead to studies with non-Christians and students from other Christian groups. A non-sectarian approach to students is emphasized, centering on the love and grace of God, His calling every person to a lasting, close relationship with Him through the cross, resurrection, and reception of Jesus as our Lord and Savior. The minister will also be part of the Campus Ministries Association made up of several other Christian and non-Christian groups on campus.
- Willingness to be on campus 2 or 3 nights a week to meet with students in groups or singularly for their spiritual development.
- Must be a self-starter and able to be self-directed to meet the goals of the program. A typical work-week will be 45-50 hours of ministry activity (including preparation times).
- Some familiarity with world religions. The University of Houston is the second-most diverse major research university in America. Students from other countries desire a knowledge of American culture, which includes Christianity. Some of these students have not heard of our God, Jesus, or the Bible. Muslim students have a very different understanding of the Biblical story.
- An ability to represent our ministry well to churches and supporters in written and speaking venues. Our newsletter is distributed twice each semester, once electronically and once in print by mail.
- Organizational abilities for planning and follow-through on efforts alongside the CCSF Board.
- Our budget includes a student intern to assist with various tasks.

Our Mission:

Introducing UH students to Jesus.

Equipping UH students through academic instruction and practical training in Christian thought and living.

Equipping students to advance God's Kingdom on the UH campus . . . and beyond.

Preparing UH students to develop a Christian world view for life on campus and after college.

Salary Range: Negotiable

Contact:

Using the provided Candidate Information Form, a resume' should be submitted, along with a written summary of the candidate's own spiritual journey to this point, including your spiritual gifts believed to have been received from God, your passions for ministry, and your hopes for future service.

If you have additional questions, please contact:

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Our current Campus Minister will be happy to discuss and answer questions as well:

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