

Oxford CYM

Youth Work Internship Programme

October 2016 to July 2017

- Is helping with a group or club the highlight of your week?
- Want to see young people grow as disciples?
- Ever wondered if you should be taking your love of youth work more seriously?



If you have answered yes to any of the questions above then why not give a year to exploring God's calling with the Oxford CYM internship programme? Spend a year volunteering for your church or Christian organisation whilst...

- Studying the Bible and Mission
- Broadening your experience and developing your skills in youthwork
- Exploring your calling with like-minded others and gaining recognised and useful qualifications



All supported by expert tutors and practitioners



The internship programme includes:

- NOCN Level 3 Certificate in Youth Work Practice (A level equivalent)
- A professionally recognised qualification in Youth Work (JNC Youth Support Worker)
- An Oxford CYM Diploma in Mission Discipleship with recorded volunteer hours
- Interactive, engaging lectures.
- Distance learning materials and supported study time
- Regular mentoring sessions
- Visits to youth ministry and mission



Your Commitment:

- Attend the weekly study day (including worship, teaching and private study time) every Monday during term time
- Regular volunteer experience with a church or Christian organisation
- Payment of £1,650 or ten monthly instalments of £180



Teaching will include:

Bible & Mission
Understanding the Old Testament
Understanding the New Testament
Bible as Big Story
What is Mission?
Proclaiming the Good News
Making Disciples
Responding to Human need by Loving Service
Challenging Injustice and oppression
Caring for Creation

Youth Work
Theory of Youth Work
Safeguarding in a Youth Work setting
Engaging and Communicating with Young People
Young People's Development
Reflective Practice
Work Based Practice
Working with Challenging Behaviour
Group Work
Mentoring



'The programme has completely changed my life. It's made me think about what I do, challenged the way I look at the world and the impact I have on those around me. I've learnt so much in such a short time and I want to learn more!'

Bobbie, 2012/13 Intern

Finding the Funding!

We appreciate that £1,650 can feel like a lot of money to raise, but you don't have to do it on your own...

- Ask your church. They will be getting your time!
- Ask your friends and family: if 6 people can offer £30 per month, you've done it!
- Get a part-time job
- Pray hard: God moves in mysterious ways

Remember... this is an investment in you

For more information or to arrange an interview please contact:

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"It has been a real pleasure working in partnership with CYM to invest in our interns. Over the past ten months I have seen them learn and develop in so many ways and look forward to seeing all they will do for God in the future"

Olly Shaw—Youthworker, St. Leonards Church, Eynsham 2014