



PereMission Internship Program

Bridging cultures and empowering people are key concepts in this exciting opportunity to experience 21st Century Missions.

PereMission is a program in which you will be trained, coached, developed as a leader, and then placed into one of several cutting edge ministries in Asia to make a global impact with the Gospel, or actively learn an Asian language while serving local ministries. You will leave PereMission empowered, with a greater worldview and a clearer picture of your critical role in serving Jesus as a part of His Kingdom.

>>>> What, Where, When <<<<<

The program begins in September 2012 with six weeks of teaching focusing on international missions, working cross-culturally, and exploring Biblical worldview. The first week you will trek into the wilds of Tibet for a mountain adventure to discover more of your wiring and design.

From here there are two tracks you can choose from:

Track 1 – After the first six weeks of training you will be sent to work with one of our partner organizations in Asia (China, Mongolia, or Tibet) to intern in their organization/business/ministry. We have a range of exciting and challenging opportunities working in business, tourism, anti-trafficking, social enterprise, community development, operations administration, youth work, IT, and as a personal assistant to the director of a Missions organization.

Track 2 – After the initial training you will remain on site with our core team in a multi-cultural, developing city located in the countryside of central China to finish out a language study based internship. You will live among and experience the local culture and people. During the remainder of the internship you will enter a Chinese language program at a local university. In addition, you will gain insightful and edifying experiences through engaging with our community and learning directly about intercultural communication.

In February you will travel to Thailand for the Asia Connect annual conference – a wonderful week of input, teaching, worship, and exploring the wider dynamics of serving Jesus across Asia with all of Asia Connect's members. From here you will return to your track option and finish out your year in June 2013.

>>>> The USP <<<<<

You get coached – simple as that. You will receive coaching spiritually in your personal developing, professionally in your leadership development, and practically through your experiences and learning through your chosen track. This is not an “open to all” program – we have to be selective with the spaces we have. If you are accepted into the program, it is

going to be something that will re-define the course of your life. No other program will develop you this way – both empowering you in realizing your potential and equipping you to passionately pursue Jesus.

The Internships

- **Executive Assistant to the General Director of [Asia Connect](#)**

A unique and rare opportunity exists for an adventurous young person to spend a year living and travelling in Asia, as an intern to the General Director of AC, an international missions organization that works with cutting edge projects involved with street kids, trafficked women, university students, minority people groups, and much more. The intern will be given the opportunity to gain a unique perspective of the organization of AC and gain deep understanding and insight into Asia and its people. The intern will shadow the General Director and receive focused mentoring and life-coaching, provide administrative and personal assistance, and may also be called upon to assist the Senior Leadership Team. The role also comes with the opportunity to travel with the General Director to a variety of locations across Asia, both urban and remote, where Asia Connect staff are undertaking ground breaking and unique projects. The intern will live in a culturally-diverse city in China and will undertake language study part-time, alongside their work role.

- **Executive Assistant to the Director of [China Bridge Gap](#)**

China Bridge Gap, a consulting, marketing, and sales firm, is looking for an intern to shadow the Director of the company as an executive assistant. This is a valuable opportunity to gain experience and knowledge in international business as well as gain meaningful insight into strategic planning and project development. The intern will assist the Director in all aspects of his day to day duties. This includes, but is not limited to, project development and management, clerical and administrative management, corporate culture and policy development, Human Resources training, etc. This opportunity provides a chance to travel throughout China and experience a culturally-diverse work environment. This is the perfect position for a motivated, willing, and energetic individual who is looking for an incredible opportunity to learn and work in the global community of professionals.

- **Information Technology Intern at the [Starfish Project](#)**

Starfish is breaking new ground in Asia giving genuine opportunities to trafficked women to leave their pasts and start afresh. The Starfish Project is a social enterprise jewelry company that provides alternative employment to previously exploited women. It's a dynamic team and vibrant work culture that is making a real difference. With rapid expansion in the Beijing office a full time IT position is now required to keep the office functioning, business growing, and staff free from IT obstacles. Starfish is seeking an individual with IT experience who will assist in managing the information systems at their headquarters in Beijing, China.

- **Communications Intern at the [Starfish Project](#)**

Can you make Twitter sing and Facebook fans follow? Interested in organizing large events that raise funds and awareness to advocate for trafficked women? This post requires an outgoing and motivated individual whose focus is to work with the team

to get the communication out so that the resources come in. There will be bottom-lines and expected fundraising targets for an individual who can rise to the challenge.

- **Youth Leader Internship in Western China**

This opportunity is located on the edge of the Tibetan hinterlands – the wilds of the west, and perfect for an adventurous, creative, and enthusiastic individual who loves teenagers and has experience in communicating and teaching about Jesus to the next generation. The focus of this internship would be working with expat teenagers and missionary kids who are growing up on the field and need someone who is passionate about seeing them grow and thrive. This position requires an energetic individual who adores expat kids and youth and is excited to see them released into their full potential.

- **Web Designer for [Clear Concepts Design](#)**

CCD builds websites for the Beijing community to raise support for its sister non-profit which serves the least of these, the disabled, AIDS patients, elderly, blind and deaf in a village compound in South Beijing. This internship requires a good knowledge of code, creative flair, and a savvy nose for making money through delivering high quality products.

*Language study focused internships are also available.

The Costs

Each intern is responsible for their travel to and from Asia at the beginning and end of the program.

Each intern is responsible to build their community and home team to support him or her through the program in prayer and with finances.

We recommend for a single a minimum of £800/month to cover all living and program costs – housing, food, travel, fees, visas, insurance, and other miscellaneous expenses.

Asia Connect will provide onsite pastoral care and life coaching to each intern while the PereMission team will provide vocational support throughout the year.

>>>> **More Details???** <<<<<

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to email us at:

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