

MISSIONARY CANDIDATE APPLICATION

Churches of God, General Conference
Cross-Cultural Ministries
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Personal Information

Name _____ Email Address _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _(____) _____ Age _____ Date of birth _____ Gender _____

Family Status

Marital Status: Single Engaged Married Separated Divorced Widowed

Spouse's Name _____ # Children _____

Name(s) and age(s) of children _____

Other dependents? _____ To what extent? _____

Personal debt? _____ How do you expect to pay your debt _____

In case of emergency, contact _____ Relationship _____

Home Phone_(____) _____ Work phone_(____) _____

Health Status

Height _____ Weight _____ Health condition _____

Do you have any medical problems or physical limitations? Yes No If YES, please explain:

Any hospitalization in the last 5 years? Yes No Reason? _____

Do you have health insurance? Yes No If YES, coverage with _____
_____ Policy # _____

Do you use: Tobacco? Alcohol? Illegal or habit-forming drugs?

Education

High School _____ Year Graduated _____

College(s) _____ Major _____
_____ Degree/Year _____

Graduate School _____ Major _____
_____ Degree/Year _____

Other vocational or specialized training _____

Extracurricular activities _____

Foreign languages: Speak? _____ Write? _____

Employment

List companies or organizations starting with the most recent employer.

Employer _____ Position _____ Dates _____
Address _____ Supervisor _____

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Christian Experience

*On a separate sheet of paper, explain **when** and **how** you became a Christian.*

Church membership _____ Baptized Yes No

How long have you been a member? _____ Pastor _____

Previous church membership _____ How long? _____

Describe your devotional life _____

What gifts/abilities do you have? _____

Have you ever taken a spiritual gifts inventory? Yes No

Christian leadership positions and responsibilities you have held _____

On a separate sheet of paper, briefly describe your doctrinal beliefs concerning God, man, sin, Jesus Christ, salvation, sanctification, Holy Spirit, the church, second coming, the Bible, etc.

Missions Experience & Plans

Describe your previous cross-cultural experiences (**where** and **when**) _____

Have you ever applied to a missions organization before? Yes No If YES, when? _____
If YES, name of missions organization _____

Where do you prefer to serve? _____

Why there? _____

Why do you want a missions career? _____

What skills do you offer? _____

Will you accept any assignment? Yes No Are you willing to take additional training? Yes No

How do your immediate family members (parents, spouse, children) feel about your career goals?

Are you willing to raise your own financial support? Yes No

How soon would you be available for missionary service? _____

Miscellaneous

Describe and explain your personal strengths _____

Your personal weaknesses _____

Have you ever been convicted by a judge or court of law (including military court-martial) for other than a minor traffic infraction? Yes No (if YES, please explain)

Were you a victim of abuse or molestation while a minor? Yes No

If you prefer, you may refuse to answer this question, or you may discuss your answer in confidence with a CGGC staff member rather than answering it on this form. Answering YES or leaving the question unanswered will not automatically disqualify an applicant for a missions assignment.

References

1) Name _____ Relationship to Applicant _____
Address _____
Phone _____ Length of Acquaintance _____

2) Name _____ Relationship to Applicant _____
Address _____
Phone _____ Length of Acquaintance _____

3) Name _____ Relationship to Applicant _____
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APPLICANT’S STATEMENT

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references or churches listed in this application to give you any information (including opinions) that they may have regarding my character and fitness for a missions assignment. In consideration of the receipt and evaluation of this application by Cross-Cultural Ministries of the Churches of God, General Conference, I hereby release any individual, church, youth organization, charity, employer, reference, or any other person or organization, including record custodians, both collectively and individually, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind or nature which may at any time result to me, my heirs, or family on account of compliance or any attempts to comply, with this authorization. I waive any right that I may have to inspect any information provided about me by any person or organization identified by me in this application.

Should my application be accepted, I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and policies of the Churches of God, General Conference and refrain from unscriptural conduct in the performance of my services on behalf of Cross-Cultural Ministries.

Signature of Applicant _____ **Date** _____

Three reference forms are included with this application.
Please ask your pastor and two other persons to complete these forms and return them to our office.

PASTOR'S REFERENCE

Applicant's Name _____ Phone _____

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General Information

Pastor's Name _____ Church Name _____

Church Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Office Phone _____ Home Phone _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____ Years _____ Months

How well do you know the applicant? Very well Acquaintance See only occasionally

Has the applicant's interest in going on a missions trip been influenced by a desire to escape a difficult situation?

Yes No If YES, please explain: _____

Character Reference

Industry	<input type="checkbox"/> Conscientious	<input type="checkbox"/> Starts but does not finish	<input type="checkbox"/> Lazy
Socially	<input type="checkbox"/> Well-liked	<input type="checkbox"/> Tolerated	<input type="checkbox"/> Obnoxious
Responsibility	<input type="checkbox"/> Assumes responsibility	<input type="checkbox"/> Dependable	<input type="checkbox"/> Unreliable
Team work	<input type="checkbox"/> Works well with others	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent	<input type="checkbox"/> Causes friction
Spiritual status	<input type="checkbox"/> Deep commitment	<input type="checkbox"/> Shows growth	<input type="checkbox"/> Little interest
Moral/honesty	<input type="checkbox"/> High Christian principles	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Questionable
Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/> Good leadership	<input type="checkbox"/> Leads at times	<input type="checkbox"/> Always a follower
Reaction to authority	<input type="checkbox"/> Obedient	<input type="checkbox"/> Questions authority	<input type="checkbox"/> Rebellious
Willingness to serve	<input type="checkbox"/> Eager	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Reluctant
Emotional stability	<input type="checkbox"/> Good control	<input type="checkbox"/> Fluctuates at times	<input type="checkbox"/> Unstable

Please note anything further about the applicant or their home life that you feel we should know _____

This applicant is: Highly recommended for the mission field A good missionary candidate
 An average prospect with slight reservation Not presently recommendable

Signature _____ Date _____

Please **mail** this form to: Cross-Cultural Ministries, CGGC, P.O. Box 926, Findlay, OH 45839 or **fax** 419-424-343

CHRISTIAN WORKER'S REFERENCE

Applicant's Name _____ Phone _____

Place of service for short term missions assignment _____

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General Information

Christian Worker's Name _____

Church _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Office Phone _____ Home Phone _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____ Years _____ Months
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