



## MICAH PENNINGTON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### Description:

The University of Valley Forge is honored to present the Micah Pennington Scholarship in memory of Micah Pennington, son of Dr. Steve and Trina Pennington, who are AGWM missionaries for LIVE DEAD Africa. Micah was a senior at North Central University and passed away quietly in his sleep, but Micah's warm spirit, constant smile, and love for Jesus live on in those who knew him best. The Intercultural Studies Department at the University of Valley Forge has created an ongoing memorial to Micah's legacy in the form a scholarship for students preparing for missions.

The Micah Pennington Scholarship is awarded to an incoming or current Intercultural Studies (ICS) student who has demonstrated excellent commitment to and understanding of the missio Dei, or the mission of God. The purpose of this scholarship is to help those who are called to missions reduce their college debt and get to the mission field quickly.

### Criteria:

- One-time, essay-based scholarship of \$2000 for students majoring in Intercultural Studies
- Essay to be evaluated by the ICS department chair
- Due by April 15th

### How To Apply:

- Applicants must submit an original essay addressing the question, "What is Christian Missions?" The essay should be 5-6 pages in length and demonstrate excellence in writing ability, grammar, and especially the biblical basis for cross-cultural missions. Applicants are encouraged to expound on one passage of Scripture that relates to the topic of missions, though are not prohibited from taking a different approach.
- Please submit this form along with the application essay to ICS department chair, Dr. JoAnn Smith at [JLSmith@valleyforge.edu](mailto:JLSmith@valleyforge.edu)
- Recipients will be notified during the spring semester for fall awards of that same calendar year.

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### To Be Completed By The Student:

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Enrollment:    Fall    Spring