

Your  
**PASSPORT**  
*to a lifetime of impact*



**BETHANY GLOBAL**  
— **UNIVERSITY** —  
**COLLEGE OF MISSIONS**

## BE GLOBAL

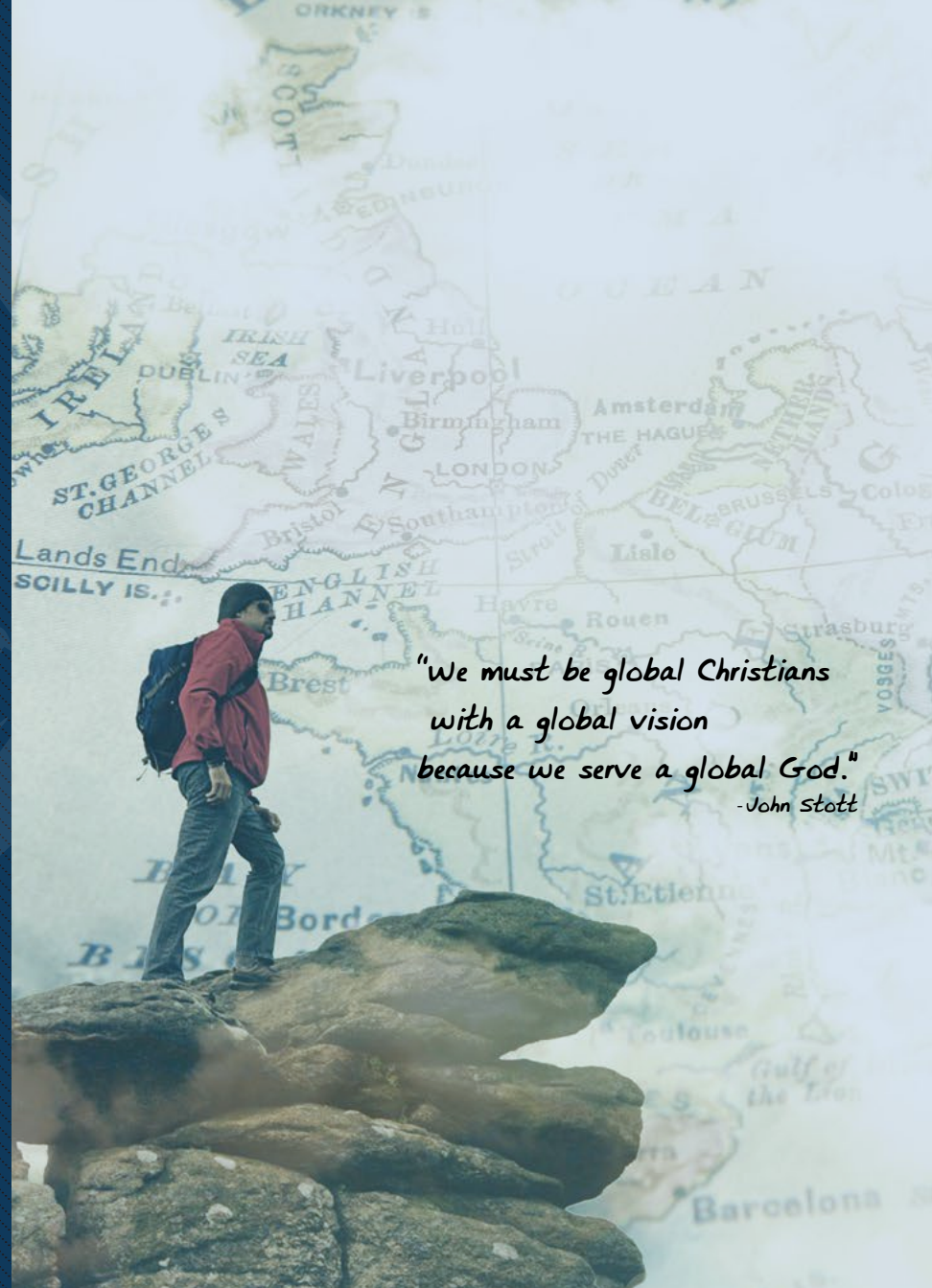
If you have a heart to change the world, to reach the lost, and to partner with God to set the captives free, keep reading.

If you believe that distant borders, cultural barriers, language gaps, and politics can't prevent God from fulfilling His mission to make disciples of all nations, then this is for you.

Bethany Global University is the training ground for those who want to take Jesus to the ends of the earth. It is more than a university; it's a community of like-minded people, who passionately pursue God and the work He has called us to do.

Throughout the world there are people who are waiting for help, who are waiting for hope, and who are waiting to meet the One who lives in you and works through you.

They are waiting for you.



*"We must be global Christians  
with a global vision  
because we serve a global God."*

*-John Stott*



# OUR PROGRAMS

Since 1945, our holy calling has been to train others to take the church to where it is not. Over the decades our methods have been carefully crafted to become our:

## **Bachelor of Arts in Intercultural Studies and Bible & Theology**

This is our most popular degree program with a double major and an optional minor. Nearly half of this 4-year program is spent overseas studying, while gaining missions experience firsthand.

**MOST POPULAR**

## **Associate of Arts in Intercultural Ministry**

This program focuses on biblical and theological studies, personal spiritual development, ministry, and missions. You would also complete an eight to twelve week intercultural practicum to introduce you to life and work on the mission field.

## **Certificate in Bible and Missions**

This is a foundational program consisting of the first year courses and requirements of our BA and AA degrees. These classes focus primarily on biblical and theological studies and personal spiritual development.

## **Certificate in Pre-field Preparation**

This certificate is designed specifically for those who need basic biblical and theological training prior to leaving on an overseas missions assignment.

Looking for our online graduate degree programs?  
Find them at [bethanygu.edu/graduate](http://bethanygu.edu/graduate)

# BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE WITH A DOUBLE MAJOR



## FOUR MINORS TO CHOOSE FROM



# HANDS-ON TRAINING

## Global Internship

As a Global Intern you will learn to move comfortably between cultures as you live, study, and minister for 16 months at one of 6 potential overseas sites. Each Global Internship site focuses on unique ministry and learning opportunities to give you exposure and experience in areas of personal interest. Formal language training and intercultural studies coursework takes place in the context of being on the mission field. Recent sites have included Thailand, Kenya, France, and locations in East Asia.



## Practical Training

You will work an average of 15-18 hours a week within a Bethany International department giving you great opportunities to develop a strong work ethic and valuable professional skills. While you contribute to what God is doing through Bethany, you will earn a tuition waiver of \$6,000 per academic year for successful participation in Practical Training.

## BOLD Local Outreach

Bethany Outreach and Leadership Development (BOLD) will develop your leadership skills as you engage in a local weekly ministry team. You will choose from a variety of outreach opportunities that strengthen your skills and help you identify your giftings as you grow in dependence on the Lord.



*"After BGU, I could be dropped anywhere in the world and know how to be an effective missionary."*

—BGU Alumnus



## IMAGINE THIS ...

You can get an excellent education at many Christian universities and you can even get a bachelors degree in intercultural studies at some of them. However, Bethany Global University is the only accredited missionary training program that combines 16 months of hands-on training overseas with academic training to equip you with both the knowledge and the experience you need to make an life long impact.

Why is this important? Imagine this ...

You come to BGU and discover that you have a passion for teaching. You select to study Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL) for your minor. You teach local Somali immigrants English, during your freshman and sophomore years, as you prepare for your Global Internship.

You are then sent on your Global Internship to Kenya. For 16 months you learn how to reach through cultural barriers with the help of your site leaders and national teachers. You enjoy ministry and outreach while learning Swahili and getting to know the local people. During your second semester abroad, you begin to teach English to Kenyans and Somalis there too!

For your final semester, you arrive back at our Minneapolis campus for a semester of re-entry to debrief, process all you have learned on your Global Internship, and prepare for the next step in your journey.



### Imagine graduating with:

- a double major in Intercultural Studies and Bible & Theology
- a minor in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)
- experience teaching english domestically and internationally
- 16 months of cross-culture ministry experience
- knowing how to speak a second language
- knowing how to learn any language rapidly

### All with little to no student debt ...

... learn more about our tuition-paid model on the next page.



# BGU IS TUITION-PAID!

Your tuition is paid through a combination of grants and tuition waivers:

## Federal Pell Grants

All students who wish to receive the tuition-paid benefit are required to apply annually for U.S. Department of Education Title IV funds by completing the FAFSA online. Federal Pell Grants may cover all or part of your tuition costs.

## Practical Training Tuition Waiver

All students take part in a Practical Training assignment in a department on campus. Students who successfully meet the requirements of Practical Training receive a tuition waiver. This waiver covers \$6,000 of the student's annual tuition costs.

## Bethany Global University Tuition Waiver

If a student's tuition costs are not fully covered by the Federal Pell Grants and Practical Training Tuition Waiver, BGU waives the remaining tuition balance, no matter how much it is.

## Room, Board, and Required Annual Fees

If you or your parents qualify for student loans through Title IV funds, they may cover all or part of these costs.

- Annual Room & Board: \$7,200
- Annual Fees\*: \$1,000

Learn more about the tuition-paid model and additional institutional discounts at [bethanygu.edu/tuition](http://bethanygu.edu/tuition).

\*Additional costs may include cost for books, medical coverage, personal expenses or travel costs

# HOW TUITION-PAID WORKS



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FEDERAL PELL GRANTS

PRACTICAL TRAINING  
TUITION WAIVER

BGU TUITION  
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**\$0 Tuition for Undergraduate Students**

# COLLEGE COST COMPARISON

Annual Average Net Costs



Averages from CollegeBoard.org



# LEARN MORE ABOUT BGU

## Fee Discounts

- Attend a Preview Weekend and receive a \$300 discount\*!
- Come for an official campus visit and receive a \$200 discount\* (Cannot be combined with the Campus Preview Event discount)
- Pay in advance for the year and receive a \$500 discount

## Accreditation

Bethany Global University is nationally accredited by the Association of Biblical Higher Education (ABHE), the oldest Bible college accreditation agency, specializing in biblical ministry formation and professional leadership education. It is officially recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) and the U.S. Department of Education.

## Connect With BGU On Social Media

- Facebook.com/BEGlobalU
- Twitter.com/BEGlobalU
- YouTube.com/BCOMnetwork

**Talk to an admissions representative at 952-222-0092 or find us online at [BethanyGU.edu](http://BethanyGU.edu)**

Bethany Global University admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.

\*Discounts are subject to change. Please visit [bethanygu.edu/admissions/tuition](http://bethanygu.edu/admissions/tuition) for the most up-to-date discounts.

# ENGAGE IN GOD'S PLAN

## BGU CAMPUS PREVIEW EVENT

Discover God's plan to save humanity and how your life fits into His grand scheme. What if you knew and embraced His plan? Imagine what kind of impact you can make in this life.

### Campus Preview Weekend Includes:

- Life-impacting messages, sessions, and worship
- Workshops on how to engage in God's plan
- Fun activities including: staff vs. student basketball game, audio olympics, amazing race, and an international dinner
- A tour of Bethany Global University's Campus
- Time in class with BGU students

Plus, all prospective students who attend receive a \$300 discount toward their first semester at BGU!

**\$300  
DISCOUNT\***  
*towards first  
semester*



*Where would you go?*

*What would you learn?*

*Who would you reach?*



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