



BETHANY COLLEGE OF MISSIONS

Established 1948

Bethany Center for Graduate Studies

Program Outcomes: Master of Arts in Intercultural Leadership

The M.A.I.L. degree is designed to equip leaders in today's missions movement, whether serving on the frontlines as missionaries, working to develop national leaders, or serving as strategic senders. Program outcomes include:

- Understanding and building upon the biblical foundations of leadership.
- Internalizing and practicing the spiritual disciplines that form the godly character so necessary for transformational leadership.
- Understanding current issues and trends in global leadership.
- Awareness of how differences in worldview and culture shape perspectives and practice in leadership.
- Enhancing one's ability to communicate effectively in a cross-cultural setting.
- Effective use of the tools and methods available to leaders for understanding, shaping and influencing the culture of the organization they lead.
- Understanding the value and methods of collaborative relationships in intercultural settings.
- Casting vision and creating a strategic plan in an intercultural leadership context.
- Understanding the role of worldview in the formation of culture and how to bring about change and innovation to areas of culture which do not conform to the Biblical worldview.
- Understanding how to develop leaders in an intercultural setting.
- Adopting the skills and tools necessary to become a lifelong leader.