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January Student Seminars on World Mission
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**Missionaries in the Movies.**

Dr. Dwight P. Baker, Overseas Ministries Study Center, utilizes both video clips and full-length feature films to examine the way missionaries have been represented in the movies over the past century. Cosponsored by Evangelical Covenant Church (Lafayette, Indiana).

January 14–18

**The Drama of God’s Mission.**

Dr. Gregory R. Perry, Covenant Theological Seminary, St. Louis, Missouri, considers two primary questions to identify coordinates by which God’s people can evaluate their roles in God’s mission: (1) Are our improvisations faithful to the story of Scripture? (2) Are our improvisations fitting to the stage on which they are played out?

January 21–25

**Held at Mercy Center, Madison, Connecticut**

**Culture, Values, and Worldview: Anthropology for Mission Practice.**


January 28–February 1

**The City in Mission.**

Dr. Dale T. Irvin, New York Theological Seminary, considers the city in the mission of God. The seminar includes a day trip in New York City.

February 26–28

**Common Missionary Challenges: Stress, Conflict, and Counseling.**

Ms. Barbara Hüfner-Kemper, psychotherapist and United Methodist missionary, White Plains, New York, utilizes her expertise and personal experience in walking with participants through the common experiences of stress, interpersonal conflict, and counseling ministry during this three-day seminar. Cosponsored by Latin America Mission and The Mission Society. $140.

March 4–8

**Music and Mission.**

Dr. James Krabill, Mennonite Mission Network, builds upon insights from musicology and two decades of missionary experience in West Africa to unfold the dynamic role of music in mission. Cosponsored by Mennonite Mission Network and United Methodist General Board of Global Ministries.

March 11–15

**Christianity in America.**

Dr. Edith L. Blumhofer, Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois, introduces participants to the formative role Christianity has played throughout U.S. history. Cosponsored by Black Rock Congregational Church (Fairfield, Connecticut).

March 18–22

**Spirituality for Pastoral Life: Imitation of the Character of Christ.**

Dr. Won Sang Lee, SEED International and Korean Central Presbyterian Church, Centreville, Virginia, points participants toward spiritually fervent, Christlike service of God and others. Cosponsored by Western Connecticut Baptist Association.

April 1–5

**Servant Mission in a Troubled World.**

Dr. Jonathan J. Bonk, OMSC’s executive director, examines theological, ethical, and missiological implications of political violence, human dislocation, economic inequity, and religious ideology as contexts for Christian life and witness. Cosponsored by First Presbyterian Church (New Haven, Connecticut) and Franciscan Missionaries of Mary.

April 8–12

**Ethnicity as Gift and Barrier: Human Identity and Christian Mission.**

Dr. Tite Tiénou, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, Deerfield, Illinois, and the OMSC senior mission scholar, works from first-hand experience in Africa to identify the “tribal” issues faced by the global church in mission. Cosponsored by Bay Area Community Church (Annapolis, Maryland) and SIM USA.

April 22–26

**Transformational Leadership: An Entrepreneurial Approach.**

Rev. George Kovoor, Trinity College, Bristol, United Kingdom, brings wide ecclesiastical and international experience to evaluation of differing models of leadership for mission.

April 29–May 3

**Gospel, Culture, and the Environment.**

Dr. Allison M. Howell, Akrofi-Christaller Institute for Theology, Mission, and Culture, Akropong-Akuapem, Ghana, engages—thematically, historically, culturally, and environmentally—with the increasing problems in the environment, helping Christians to understand their implications for the conduct of Christian mission.

May 6–10

**Spiritual Renewal in the Missionary Community.**

Rev. Stanley W. Green, Mennonite Mission Network, and Dr. Christine Sine, Mustard Seed Associates, blend classroom instruction and one-on-one sessions to offer counsel and spiritual direction for Christian workers. Cosponsored by Mennonite Mission Network and Moravian Board of World Mission.

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