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Leadership University Evangelism 105: Church Planting & Growth

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course will give students insight to the foundational strategies and logistical planning of a new church site/campus/mission. Instructors will cover specifics from, scouting to empowering leaders and the people attending, so that the new launch is successful.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course:

1. Students will understand pre- launch and post launch logistics for church planting.
2. Students will learn importance of receiving vision for a plant/ mission and properly executing.
3. Students will learn how to be sensitive to the Holy Spirit when developing a launch plan that will meet the needs of the people & community.
4. Students will overcome hindrances to team and ministry building so that healthy growth can be established.

REQUIRED TEXTS

Marco Garcia. **Guaranteed Growth**, (2019)

(Textbooks, workbooks, etc. are a normal part of the cost of your education.)

Photocopies of the pages will not be accepted for credit. This constitutes a breach of copyright law and drives up the cost of textbooks.

REQUIREMENTS

Attendance

You are expected to attend each class. Class attendance ensures your learning the material in its entirety. Only one excused absence will be allowed, with a prior approval by the professor. Unexcused absences are not acceptable and will result in the loss of points for that class period.

Late Work

Late work will only be accepted under special circumstances and only with prior approval from the professor. If late work is allowed, a late penalty of 5pts will be applied starting the second class week and increase weekly.

Plagiarism and Student Integrity

Leadership University upholds the highest of standards when it comes to development of classwork or an assignment. All work should be your own. Plagiarism is unacceptable and will result in an immediate failure of the course.

1. If you did not write the words, they do not belong in your paper. You cannot COPY AND PASTE anything from a book, the internet or any other source and put it in your paper.
2. Do NOT include direct quotes unless the quote is cited properly and gives the author credit. Describe the material in your own words. Do not use words you do not understand.
3. You are free to consult with classmates about assignments, but please ensure that your work is your own. If your work looks too much like your classmates, plagiarism rules may be enforced.

ASSIGNMENTS

Students are required to complete reading assignments on time and be prepared for class discussions and activities.

An Overview of the Course Assignments:

1. Class Attendance and Participation
2. Homework/Profile Tests
3. Midterm
4. Final Exam

Points Possible

Weekly Lesson Quiz (6 @ 20 pts ea.)	120 points
Outreach Days (2 @50 pts each)	100 points
Homework (5 @ 25 pts. ea.)	125 points
Midterm	150 points
Final Exam	200 points

Total points possible = 695

Grading Scale

A. = 695 - 627

B. = 626 - 557

C. = 556 - 488

D. = 487 - 418

F. = 417 - 0

- The course **lecture schedule will be adjusted** and developed as the course unfolds. However, the book exercises—and all other assignments—will continue to be due on the dates identified in the course schedule.

Course Schedule

	Date	Lecture Topic	Assigned Reading	Compton Church	Homework Assignment
Week 1	5/3	<i>Getting Vision and answer the call to launch a church</i> <i>(add overeer part 1 & 2)</i>	GG Preview & Ch. 2	Pray For a Heart for Compton	
Week 2	5/10	<i>TWWO DNA</i> <i>(Building on the foundation of Love)</i>	GG Ch. 1	Pray For a Heart for Compton	Research Paper on needs, hot spots, etc. in area.
Week 3	5/17	<i>Launching a church and building teams</i> <i>4 Levels to a healthy church plant</i>	GG Ch. 3 & 4	AAB team #2 Goes out to Compton	Vision Paper: after praying for Compton & doing research how does God want you to help this city? Take Home Midterm
Week 4	5/23	<i>Pre-launch training & Development</i> <i>Building a Church by Building Leaders</i>	GG Ch. 8	AAB team #1 Goes out to Compton	Personality profile & create org chart for “team”.
Week 5	5/31	<i>Importance of developing children & youth ministry</i>	GG Ch. 5	AAB team #2 Goes out to Compton	Ch. questions: TBA
Week 6	6/07	<i>Church Launch Administration</i>	GG Ch. 7	Connect 1 person to Compton Bible Study	Ch. questions: TBA
Week 7	6/14	<i>In class final</i>			FINALS