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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. <u>Guaranteed Growth</u>, (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. <u>However, the book exercises—and all other assignments—will</u> <u>continue to be due on the dates identified in the course schedule.</u>

|        | Date | Lecture Topic  | Assigned                  | <b>Compton Church</b>                      | Homework   |
|--------|------|--|---------------------------|--|--|
|        |      |  | Reading                   |  | Assignment   |
| Week 1 | 4/24 | Getting Vision and answer<br>the call to launch a church | GG<br>Preview<br>& Chp. 2 | Pray For a Heart for<br>Compton            |  |
| Week 2 | 5/1  | TWWO DNA<br>(Building on the foundation<br>of Love)      | GG<br>Chp. 1              | Pray For a Heart for<br>Compton            | Research Paper on<br>needs, hot spots, etc.<br>in area.  |
| Week 3 | 5/8  | NO SCHOOL DUE TO<br>HOLIDAY                              | GG<br>Chp. 3              | AAB team #1<br>Goes out to Compton         | Vision Paper:<br>after praying for<br>Compton & doing<br>research how does<br>God want you to<br>help this city? |
| Week 4 | 5/15 | 4 Levels to a healthy<br>church plant                    | GG<br>Chp. 4              | AAB team #2<br>Goes out to Compton         | Take Home<br>Midterm   |
| Week 5 | 5/22 | Building a Church by<br>Building Leaders                 | GG<br>Chp. 8              | AAB team #1<br>Goes out to Compton         | Personality profile<br>& create org chart<br>for "team".   |
| Week 6 | 5/29 | Importance of developing children & youth ministry       | GG<br>Chp. 5              | AAB team #2<br>Goes out to Compton         | Chp. questions: TBA  |
| Week 7 | 6/05 | Church Launch<br>Administration                          | GG<br>Chp. 7              | Connect 1 person to<br>Compton Bible Study | Chp. questions: TBA  |
| Week 8 | 6/12 | In class final   |                           |  | FINALS   |

#### **Course Schedule**