

EPIC Bible College & Graduate School (EPIC)
Academic Services Office
Analysis of Internship “Portfolio Review” and Supervisor’s Evaluation of Intern Report
Academic Year 2014 – 2015

2015 Portfolio Review Summary

The “Student Internship Evaluation Form” completed by the minister(s) supervising EPIC Ministerial Arts Internship students indicated that EPIC’s students are well prepared to serve in ministry.

Analysis of students’ “Summary of Education and Ministry Experience,” a portfolio review as part of the Capstone/Internship program at EPIC, indicate students experienced and developed in each of EPIC’s program and institutional objectives (Spiritual, Practical and Academic). A student stated, “I have a broadened insight regarding leadership and the process of selecting the best suitable for the ministry.” “...implement what I learned at Epic and build my own curriculum...” ...use much of my reading and learning at Epic followed by being a ‘doer of the Word’ and showing them how to go out and fulfill the Great Commission.”

EPIC also evaluated the statements from students responding to: “the influence in your life from the courses, the faculty, other students, and your experience in Field Ministry and Internship to date.” One student commented, “I began to see the person of Christ, His attributes, His superiority over time as my mind began to expand with His Word.” “Every quarter my understanding would be ‘broken down’ and remade. My advisor, Professor Colburn helped me to set goals, encourage me, and pray with me through the process.” Another student commented, “The aspect of viewing the secular careers of science, liberal arts, humanities, social dynamics etc....and studying these courses from a biblical world view opened my mind and broadened my understanding of an intelligent creator (God).”

Other statements indicate EPIC is fulfilling its mission:

“The dynamic leadership and spiritual excellence of Dr. Ron Harden and Dr. Greg Hartley provoked an insatiable hunger for a greater spiritual maturation in my life. Over all, I am certainly a better person, servant and student of God’s word as a result of attending Epic Bible College.”

“They (faculty) have taught me God’s Word....taught me that I am free to be in Him....facilitated my ability to live out the life that Jesus died to give me.”

“My current goals are to continue to study God’s Word, lead others to Him, and give God all that I have.”

The Evaluations from the statements from the graduating students indicate EPIC is fulfilling its mission and objectives. While these data are a relatively minor collection of information, it is an indication of outcomes.