

Hope Christian Center Summer Internship Application | 2020

In addition to providing the information requested on the subsequent pages, please email or mail the following to jordanroberts@hopecenterny.org or P.O. Box 12, Bronx, NY 10453:

➤ **Résumé**

➤ **Required essays:**

- (1) How do you hope to benefit from being at Hope Christian Center? (1 full page)
- (2) What do you think you have in common with the men who come to Hope? (2 full pages)

➤ **Teaching sample**

Please include with your application one of the following:

- (1) Sample sermon manuscript, or
- (2) Sample paper/class assignment which includes a significant element of application

➤ **References:**

Please have reference letters from each of the following emailed to the above address or mailed to Hope Christian Center P.O. Box 12 Bronx, NY 10453:

- (1) Church leader
- (2) Friend
- (3) Relative

➤ **Response Questions**

Please answer each of the following questions in a Word doc/pdf with short answers approx. 2 paragraphs in length.

1. Describe how you became a Christian.
2. Describe the context/circumstances of your baptism.
3. What is your current and recent experience in fighting for sexual purity? What steps have you taken to grow in this area?
4. Describe a recent opportunity you've had to teach the Word of God, serve someone struggling with homelessness or addiction, or both! If none, simply skip this question.
5. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? If so, briefly describe the situation.
6. Have you ever abused alcohol or another substance? If so, when and in what ways has God intervened? Where do things stand with your relationship to that substance/addiction?
7. Describe one or two skills/interests/hobbies/areas of expertise God has blessed you with.
8. What is your understanding of the relationship between addiction and sin?
9. What is your understanding of the relationship between addiction and grace?
10. What do you see as your primary strengths that make you a good fit for the internship?
11. What do you see as your primary weaknesses which may make the internship a good fit for you (in terms of being an opportunity to grow, etc.)?
12. Briefly describe something you're very passionate about and why.
13. Please indicate and explain any aspects of the Bronx Household of Faith's [Statement of Faith](#) that you cannot affirm.

Thank you! We know these questions require time and effort, and we value your thoughtfulness in answering them for us. ***Please be sure to provide the info on the subsequent pages as well.***

Basic Info

Full Name _____
last first middle

Current Mailing Address _____
Street number

_____ city state/country zip

Permanent Address (if different from above) _____
street number

_____ city state/country zip

Phone _____
cell home work

Email _____

Date of birth _____

Church Info

Name of church you currently attend _____

Denomination _____

Are you a member? Y/N

If yes, when did you join? _____

If not, briefly explain why: _____

Educational/Employment Info

Name of current employer/s, if any _____

Your current position, if any _____

Dates of employment _____

Name of current school/seminary, if any _____

Major/emphasis _____ Degree _____ Year of Grad _____

Name of undergraduate institution, if any _____

Major/emphasis _____ Degree _____ Year of Grad _____

Family Info

Married/Engaged? Y/N

Wedding date _____

Name of spouse _____

Name of Child _____

Name of Child _____

Name of Child _____

Statement

Please read over Hope Center's [Code of Conduct](#) and the Bronx Household of Faith's [Statement of Faith](#). If you cannot affirm an element of the statement of faith, please indicate that and explain why in your submitted reflection questions.

“If I participate in Hope Christian Center’s Summer Internship, I agree to uphold and model adherence to the Hope Christian Center Code of Conduct. I am in agreement with the Bronx Household of Faith’s Statement of Faith, except for those portions indicated in my application.”

Signature _____ Date _____