

Pastoral Intern Position

Chinese Gospel Church, Toronto English Congregation

<https://chinesegospelchurch.net/cgcte/>

The downtown English congregation of Chinese Gospel Church Toronto is looking for a qualified man who senses God's call to pastoral ministry and is eager to serve in the context of a thriving downtown ministry. This person will serve alongside an experienced pastoral staff to provide support in the areas of teaching and mentoring in our young adult ministries (CGYG & LIFE Fellowships), and Adult Christian Education, with a small component of preaching. The candidate should be passionate about teaching God's Word and building relationships with the intent of discipling and mentoring. The commitment would be 16-20 hours per week.

Duties:

- LIFE Fellowship
 - Teaching (mostly study & prep time): ~ **8-10 hours**/week
 - Discipling/mentoring ~ **3-5 hours**/week
 - weekly attendance at LIFE Fellowship
 - meeting 2-3 men for discipleship per week
- Preaching ~ **4 hours** preparation/week on average to prepare to preach approximately once every 2 months
- Mentoring ~ **1 hour** every week with the lead pastor for accountability, growth, and mentoring.

Specific ministry duties:

- Develop and teach lessons for LIFE Fellowship on Friday nights, and Youth Sunday School and adult Christian Education classes on Sundays
- Work with LIFE Fellowship leadership to help organize and lead a team of volunteers
- Meet with young adults outside of fellowship for more direct discipleship
- Coordinate teaching topics with the Adult Christian Education and Youth Sunday School leadership teams

Spiritual qualifications:

- Minimum of 1 year Bible school or seminary
- Fulfill the spiritual qualifications of an elder as defined by our Constitution

Additional Requirements:

- Police background check
- Substantial agreement with the AGC statement of faith
<https://agcofcanada.com/faith?locale=en>
- Substantial agreement with our Church's constitution, specifically in the area of elders
- Must be teachable and eager to learn

Experience: Some ministry experience is essential, but paid ministry experience and experience in Chinese or cross-cultural ministry are assets.

Start Date: Summer or Fall 2026

Pay: Will be based on previous experience and education

Submission date: Submissions will not be considered earlier than July 1, 2026.

Questions and applications can be submitted to Rev. Kevin Houser at pastorkevinhouser@gmail.com and David Hwang at dhwang_ca@yahoo.com.