Bronx Household of Faith

Pastoral Internship Application | 2022

In addition to filling in and submitting the subsequent pages, email or mail the items below to jordanroberts@bhof.org or 2206 Andrews Ave. N., Bronx, NY 10453. Please submit pages 2–4 of this application + the items listed blow + references by **June 1st**.

Résumé

Required essays:

- (1) Why are you applying for this internship? (1 full page)
- (2) Why do you care about church? (1 full page)

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 biblical application

References:

Please have reference letters from each of the following emailed to <u>jordanroberts@bhof.org</u> or mailed to Bronx Household of Faith, 2206 Andrews Ave. N., 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. 1-2 paragraphs in length.

- 1. Describe how you became a Christian.
- 2. Describe the context/circumstances of your baptism.
- 3. Explain your understanding of the gospel.
- 4. If you were to die tonight and stand before God, what would you say if he were to ask you why he should let you into heaven instead of sending you to hell?
- 5. Describe a recent opportunity you've had to teach the Word of God.
- 6. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? If so, briefly describe the situation.
- 7. 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?
- 8. What is your current and recent experience in fighting for sexual purity? What is your relationship to pornography? What steps have you taken to fight in these areas?
- 9. Describe one or two skills/interests/hobbies/areas of expertise God has blessed you with.
- 10. What is your most severe character flaw, how do you know that, and what are you doing about it?
- 11. What do you see as your primary strengths that make you a good fit for this internship?
- 12. 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.)?
- 13. Briefly describe something you're very passionate about and why.
- 14. Please indicate and explain any aspects of the Bronx Household of Faith's <u>Statement of Faith</u> 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 Addre	ess	
	Street number	
city	state/country	zip
Permanent Address (if	different from above)	
(street numb	er
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		
f 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	

Any comments on or additions to above:

Statement

Please read over the Bronx Household of Faith's <u>Statement of Faith</u>. 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 the Bronx Household of Faith's Pastoral Internship, I agree to conduct myself in a Christ-like manner—working diligently, relating lovingly and in all purity and respect, and striving after the edification of my brothers and sisters and the unity of the church. I am in agreement with the Bronx Household of Faith's Statement of Faith, except for those portions indicated in my application."

Signature_____

Date____