Career Development Center and Placement Information

The Moody Bible Institute Career Development Center is an ongoing ministry to Students and Alumni, no matter how many years they have been away from Moody. The Career Center sponsors a variety of events designed to assist students in their transition into ministry, including job fairs, graduate school fair, etiquette dinner and job search seminars. Questions regarding career advice and counseling can be directed to the Associate Dean of Career Development at careerdev@moody.edu . The services provided by the Career Center may be accessed online at: http://www.moody.edu/careerdevelopment.

The Career Center surveys graduates concerning their future intentions just prior to their graduation. This survey points toward what our students will do after graduation.

In 2011:

- 27% were intending to attend graduate school.
- 12% were looking forward to a post-graduation internship.
- 44% were intending to go into vocational ministry right after graduation.
- 9% were intending to go into a marketplace job.
- 8% were going to do other things.

Some of the Graduate Schools that Moody’s students hoped to attend:

Asbury Theological Seminary  
Ashland Seminary  
Associated Mennonite Biblical Seminary  
Baptist Bible Seminary  
Beeson Divinity School  
Belfast Bible College  
Bethel Seminary  
Biola  
Calvary Baptist Seminary  
Calvary Theological Seminary  
Calvin Theological Seminary  
Cedarville University  
Columbia International University  
Covenant Theological Seminary  
Dallas Theological Seminary  
Denver Seminary  
Fuller Theological Seminary  
Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary  
Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary  
Grace Theological Seminary  
Grace University  
Grad. Rapids Theological Seminary  
Institute for Worship Studies  
Lancaster Bible College I lead Program  
Loyola University Chicago  
McMaster Divinity College  
Mid-America Reformed Seminary  
Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary  
Moody Theological Seminary  
Multnomah University  
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
Phoenix Seminary  
Reformed Theological Seminary  
Regent College  
Regent University  
Seattle Pacific University  
Shepherd's Theological Seminary  
Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary  
Southern Baptist Theological Seminary  
Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary  
The Master's Seminary  
The Seattle School of Theology and Psychology  
Trinity Evangelical Divinity School  
Tyndale Seminary  
US Army Chaplain Recruiting  
Westminster Seminary California  
Westminster Theological Seminary  
Wheaton College Graduate School
**Vocations**
The education at Moody Bible Institute is designed to train students for vocational ministry opportunities. Though some majors and emphasis areas are directed to a specific type of ministry, all of our majors prepare students to step into ministry positions either in the church or in a Christian organization.

The list of career options arranged by major is not exhaustive, but is prepared to assist you in getting an idea of what graduates may do with their education. Some of the careers listed assume the pursuit of a Master’s degree in that field.

**Department of Bible**
Pastor, Associate Pastor, Christian Education Director, Youth Pastor, Women’s Ministry Director, Bible Teacher, Bible Researcher, Missionary, Church Planter, Christian Service Organization Employee, Christian School Administrator, Bible Translator, Chaplain, Relief Worker, Pastoral Counselor and Licensed Counselor

**Department of Communications**
Christian Marketing and Public Relations, Christian Print Media Editor, Christian Print Media Production, Christian Writer, Christian Radio Air Personality, Christian Radio Producer/Engineer, Christian DVD/Film Writer, Christian TV Air Personality, Christian TV/DVD/Film Director, Missionary, Christian Service Organization Employee, Relief Worker and Church Worker or Pastoral Staff.

**Department of Educational Ministries**
Christian School, Teacher Pastor, Associate Pastor, Christian Education Director, Youth Pastor, Women’s Ministry Director, Bible Teacher, Christian School Administrator, Bible Researcher, Missionary, Church Planter, Christian Service Organization Employee, Bible Translator, Chaplain, Relief Worker, Pastoral Counselor and Licensed Counselor.

**Department of Missionary Aviation Technology**
Christian Missionary Pilot/Mechanic, Christian Missionary Aviation Technician, Church Staff, Missions Worker, Relief Worker and Christian Organization Employee

**Department of Pastoral Studies**
Pastor, Associate Pastor, Christian Education Director, Youth Pastor, Women’s Ministry Director, Bible Teacher, Chaplain, Church Planter, Pastoral Counselor, Missionary, Christian Service Organization Employee and Christian School Administrator.

**Department of Sacred Music**
Worship Pastor, Christian Music Teacher, Christian Musical Artist, Christian Organization Employee, Missionary and Church Staff
Department of Sports Ministry and Lifetime Fitness

- **Sports ministry director or staff for the local church** – Numerous churches are developing sports ministry programs and desire to hire qualified individuals to oversee and facilitate such programs.
- **Sports ministry parachurch staff** – There exists several parachurch sports ministry organizations such as Athletes in Action, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Infinity Sports. Many graduates find themselves serving with these organizations in the U.S. and overseas.
- **Christian camp staff** – The influential ministry of Christian camping is an area where many of our graduates connect. Whether their role is a director, programming specialist or counselor, many of our graduates find themselves drawn to this setting.
- **Sports ministry missionary** – A number of missions agencies are seeing the need and value in developing sports ministries. Many of our students find this avenue the best option for fulfilling the call God has placed on their lives for a specific people group.

Department of Theology
Theology Teacher, Bible Teacher, Pastor, Associate Pastor, Christian Education Director, Youth Pastor, Women’s Ministry Director, Bible Researcher, Missionary, Church Planter, Christian Service Organization Employee, Christian School Administrator, Bible Translator, Chaplain, Relief Worker, Pastoral Counselor and Licensed Counselor

Department of World Missions and Evangelism
Foreign Missionary, Home Missionary, TESOL Instructor, Linguist/Bible Translator, Relief Worker, Christian Organization Employee, Chaplain, Church Staff, Church Planter and International Christian School Staff.
**Employers**

Some of the Ministry employers who actively recruit Moody's graduates for employment are:

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