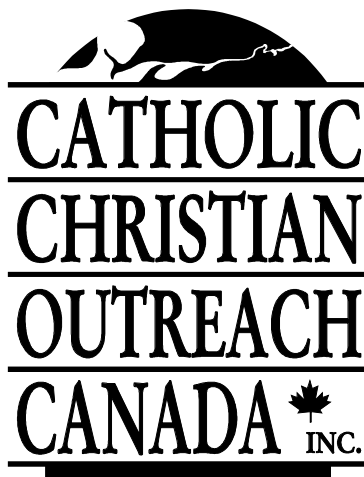


CCO National Headquarters
V.I.N.E. Program



Reaching the World,
One Person at a Time!

Here's your chance to make a decision
that will change the world!

When again will you have the time and the
flexibility to pick-up and go on an adventure?

A HQ V.I.N.E. experience is a fantastic way
to use the practical skills you've gained at
school combined with the spirituality of CCO
to revolutionize Canada.

The Opportunity of Lifetime

The National Headquarters' Volunteers In the New Evangelization Program (HQ V.I.N.E.) combines a professional business setting with a dynamic faith environment to provide you with an experience that will impact you for life.

"I never knew business could be so rewarding or so much fun. At school business seemed like a very competitive environment but when you're working for Christ, it changes everything. It's so exciting to come to work knowing my job has purpose that is beyond this world. I'm part of something that is changing souls eternally!"

Amanda Cuzzetto, HQ V.I.N.E. 2004-2005

At that National Headquarters, students have the option of using their education combined with their passion for Christ to gain valuable experience in a not-for-profit organization setting in a variety of areas including marketing, finance, project management, public relations, office faith community, etc.

This rewarding encounter will give you an opportunity to live in the city of Saskatoon, gain work & leadership skills with our rapidly growing national organization, while adding valuable work experience to your resume. It is the perfect experience for someone who is creative, hardworking, people-focused, loves learning, and ready for a challenge.

Some of the opportunities that exist are:

- Directing all national communication
- Working in a daily office faith community
- Creating & coordinating national prayer partner correspondence
- Overseeing accuracy and entry of all donations
- Managing incoming revenue using Professional Accounting Software
- Tracking expenses for our national organization
- Interacting and networking with a nation wide staff team
- Contributing to national evangelistic conference
- Experiencing a national staff family rooted on prayer and living for Christ

Items of Interest

Length of Service

The length of the HQ V.I.N.E. Program can vary between 8-12 months and typically begins from mid-August until either early April or mid-August. The time of service begins with an orientation and training session. However, it is possible for HQ V.I.N.E. Staff to start at another time of year. Exact dates will be discussed in the official application form.

Cost

HQ V.I.N.E. Participants are required to fundraise the necessary funds to cover their basic living expenses while participating in the program. CCO provides training, resources, and assistance in this task. This can be raised in one-time donations, through monthly giving options available to CCO, or a combination of both. All donations are tax-deductible. Typically, participants will need to raise between \$800-\$1200 of monthly support.

This cost will cover all training materials and monthly expenses such as rent, utilities, food, basic local transportation, and a monthly stipend. Additional funds can be raised to cover your travel expenses to and from Ottawa.

Application Process

First Step: Indicate your interest in the HQ V.I.N.E. Program by filling out the Preliminary Interest Form on the following page and mail it to our National Headquarters; or call our office at 613.736.1999.

Second Step: After we receive and review your Preliminary Interest Form, we will send you a Full application for the HQ V.I.N.E. Program. You will be asked to fill out this application and return it to our National Headquarters.

Third Step: After we receive and review your full application, we will contact you for a telephone interview.

Fourth Step: We will contact you to confirm whether you are accepted to the HQ V.I.N.E. Program and to arrange any related details.

Other Helpful Information

If you have any questions about the HQ V.I.N.E Program, please call us at 613.736.1999 or email us at hq@cco.ca. For additional information on discerning CCO Staff, please consult the CCO Staff Information and Discernment Package available online at: <http://www.cco.ca/abstaffint.htm>.

Catholic Christian Outreach Preliminary Ministry Interest Form

Note: This is not an application for employment with Catholic Christian Outreach. Rather it is information that allows us to serve you in the discernment of God's will for ministry.

I am interested in the following staff position (circle one):

HQ V.I.N.E.

HQ Full Time

Other

Personal Information

Mr. Mrs. Miss Other _____

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Date of Birth _____ No. of Children/ages _____

Address _____

City _____ Prov. _____ Postal Code _____

Home Phone _____ Work/Cell Phone _____

Fax _____ Email _____

Current Occupation _____

Degree(s) _____

School _____ Graduation Date _____

Name of church you now attend _____

What is your marital status _____ Have you ever been divorced? _____

Ministry Information

1) Who or what influenced you to inquire about ministry opportunities with Catholic Christian Outreach?

2) Are you or have your been involved with Catholic Christian Outreach? Yes No If yes, please describe:

3) Are you currently involved in ministry? Yes No If yes, please describe:

4) All our staff members are responsible to raise their own financial support. Would you be willing to raise your own support?

Yes No Maybe Please explain: _____

5) Indicate your level of interest in full-time Christian work (1=little interest, 10=very interested)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 10+

6) Would you consider relocating? Yes No Maybe Please explain: _____

7) When would you be ready to begin the transition into CCO ministry?

Immediately 6-12 months 1-2 years 2-3 years don't know Projected date: _____

8) If financial resources were not an issue, and you could do anything you wanted to do, what would you begin tomorrow?

9) Please list your professional skills, abilities, and experiences: _____

10) What type of work are you interested in doing with Catholic Christian Outreach? _____

11) Please write down any question you have or need answered at this time. _____

Signature _____ Date: _____

Please detach and return this Preliminary Ministry Interest form to:

HR Dept.
Catholic Christian Outreach
1247 Kilborn Place
Ottawa, ON K1H 6K9
Canada

