

To Whom It May Concern,

June 6, 2015

As the President of perhaps the fastest growing campus ministry, Ratio Christi, I want to endorse our newest Regional Director beginning July 1, 2015. Joe Whitchurch will begin to serve this important ministry seeking to defend truth and Christianity on university campuses, the major combat zone for our culture and one of the best places for Gospel proclamation, especially given the number of international students now attending American universities.

In just five years, Ratio Christi has 170+ campuses with expanding vision for college prep (high school apologetics curriculum overseen by pastors), professors and grad students, and international growth. We are poised for explosive growth with our many seminary partnerships designed to recruit myriads of graduate students—an army really—from those institutes who are trained to defend the faith to become lifelong university Chapter Directors for us in the battle to take back the universities for Christ.

Up until recently, I served on staff with Faculty Commons, Cru, at Purdue, in many ways partnering with Joe Whitchurch. He and I have had a great working relationship together over the last decade. Joe's extensive experience in campus ministry with InterVarsity, his training in apologetics, evangelism, and theology, his heart for the lost, and his leadership capabilities uniquely qualify him to be a leader helping us to train, guide, and motivate Chapter Directors, while launching new chapters. While a Regional Director, Joe will also continue to partially serve at Purdue University, which is to become a flagship university of Ratio Christi. He has been a long time member on the executive committee for Purdue's Symposium, the largest annual outreach in the Purdue area that unites the major evangelical churches and campus ministries, which has witnessed live and live stream audiences of up to 14,000 people. Would you please join Joe's financial and prayer support team? If you're already on that team, praise God! Would you consider increasing your investment to this vital ministry? Remember, it is not only students, but professors we're trying to reach. If we can reach the professor, then we can also reach their classroom for Christ for 30 years!

I can tell you that it isn't easy financially as someone who recently transitioned from one ministry to another. Some will determine to discontinue support for one reason or another. Others will continue, but with a month or two gap of terminating support from one ministry to starting it with the new ministry, creating a financial burden for the missionary. Please help Joe avoid this by transferring your support for him quickly and either raising your monthly investment or supplying an additional gift to offset what seems to be inevitable loss in the process of transferring. This does not even include some of his new travel needs for conferences and regional duties that he's responsible for. So please be generous with your eternal investment! May God bless all our efforts to take back the universities for Christ!

Sincerely,

Corey Miller
President/CEO Ratio Christi

