

IMPACT

INDONESIA

INFO

PACKET

WELCOME!

If you are looking for a unique, challenging, and perspective-shifting opportunity to serve God across the world and across cultures, this is it! Impact Indonesia offers a short-term missions experience for young adults (18-26) in the church. This is an intense, but exciting, way to see how the body of Christ functions around the world and how God can use you to uniquely make a difference in the lives of others this summer. Not only do we hope that you grow spiritually this summer, but we genuinely hope that what you learn and experience on this team will impact you for the rest of your life.

DETAILS

For many years we have been serving and developing a unique relationship with MAF (Mission Aviation Fellowship) missionaries in Papua, Indonesia. We want to bring a team made up of people like you to serve those missionaries in a unique and profound way.

On this trip we'll be spending about 2 weeks in Papua, Indonesia serving the missionary families of MAF. Our main ministry to MAF will be serving at their annual family conference, where we'll be bringing camp to them! We will also take you into a remote village that MAF serves, so that you can experience a piece of MAF's ministry throughout Papua. Our hope for the whole trip is that we can be a source of energy and encouragement to the people who are faithfully serving Jesus in this remote part of the world.

This is a safe area of the country and is well supervised by MAF missionaries and New Heights Church Staff. Certain vaccines and medication will be required prior to departure to ensure safety and to maintain all health regulations. Specifics and other details will be addressed and worked out during our training meetings, prior to the trip.

NEXT STEPS

- Pray about your interest and desire to serve on the Impact Indonesia team. Talk to your parents, family and close friends.
- Review the Commitments & Requirements and Important Dates page. See if it fits you and where God is leading you this summer.
- Complete an application and turn it in by Monday, January 20, 2025.
- Sign up for an interview with the Student Ministries Team.
- Provide two references before your interview time.

COMMITMENTS & REQUIREMENTS

Please read these details carefully as you will be required to uphold all commitments and guidelines when serving as a part of this team.

We ask that you be committed to:

- **Christ:** developing and growing in faith
- **Family:** maintaining the priority of these relationships
- **Others:** reaching out to and caring for those around you
- **Church:** assisting and leading in areas of service

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- Maintain the four commitments as outlined above.
- Consistently attend and be an active member in your peer ministry (HSM, Young Adults, Community Groups)
- Maintain positive relationships with other members of your peer group.
- Faithfully attend a worship service at New Heights Church.
- Comply with all vaccination and medication requirements.
- If you don't already have medical insurance, you must obtain medical insurance during the time of your trip.
- We require that you contribute \$2,500 towards the cost of your trip, which must be paid in full prior to departure.
If this is a concern, please reach out so we can answer any questions.
- Apply for a US passport as soon as you are selected to serve on the team. *(if you don't already have one)*

TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

- Attend all training meetings (see Important Dates page)
- Attend the Impact Indonesia Training Camp
- Be on time to each training
- Come prepared to each training meeting, having completed all readings and other assignments

IMPORTANT DATES

Application Deadline:	Monday, January 20, 2025
Application Interviews:	February, 3, 4, 5, 6
Training Meetings (2:00 – 4:30 PM)	6 training meetings: March 2 March 16 April 6 April 27 May 18 June 8
Training Camp:	April 11-13
Trip Dates:	June 29 - July 15 <i>(NOT OFFICIAL)</i>

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CALENDAR

TWENTY24

PROMOTION

- October 27** HSM Announcement #1
- November 4** YA Announcement #1
- November 24 & 25** HSM & YA Announcement #2
- December 8** Informational Meeting
- January 12 & 13** HSM & YA Announcement #3

HOLIDAYS / CONFLICTS

- March 8-16** Spring Break (WSUV)
- March 29 - April 6** Spring Break (Clark & Districts)
- April 20** Easter Sunday
- May 3-11** Jaret Out Of Town
- May 11** Mother's Day
- May 24-26** Memorial Day Weekend
- June 15** Father's Day

APPLICATION PROCESS

- October 31** Application Opens
- January 20** Applications Due
- January 27** Special Circumstance Applications Due
- February 3-6** Interviews
- February 10-13** Calls To Applicants

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- June 29 - July 15** Prospective Trip Dates

HSM & YA SHARINGS

- June 22 & 23** Prayer Send-Off
- July 27 & 28** Trip Highlight Sharing

TRAINING MEETINGS

- March 2** Team Training Meeting #1
- March 16** Team Training Meeting #2
- April 6** Team Training Meeting #3
- April 27** Team Training Meeting #4
- May 18** Team Training Meeting #5
- June 8** Team Training Meeting #6

TRAINING CAMP

- April 11-13** Training Camp Weekend

TEAM DINNERS

- June 20** Pre-Trip Team Dinner
- July 26** Post-Trip Team Reunion Dinner

July

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APPLICATION

Before beginning the online application, please be sure that you have prayed, and reviewed the Welcome, Commitments & Requirements, and the Important Dates section.

Thanks for your interest in applying for the Impact Indonesia Camps Team. The application deadline is **Monday, January 20, 2025**.

QUESTIONS?

(360) 694-4985

JCarlson@NewHeights.org

[IMPACT INDONESIA REFERENCE]

On the following two pages, you will find a reference form. You are required to provide 2 references for the Impact Indonesia Application process. Please select one person for each of the two following types of people, who will then fill out the form and return it to us.

- 1) Teacher or Employer
- 2) Adult Ministry Leader (pastor, adult leader, supervisor, mentor)

Your 2 Reference Forms are due before Interviews are held. Please give your references ample time to fill out the form. (Keep in mind that if you are asking them to mail your reference form it will still need to arrive before your interview).

You can have your reference fill out the form two different ways:

1. **Hard Copy Reference Form - Mail**

Print out the reference form (found below)

Fill out and sign form

Provide the person with a stamped envelope, addressed to:

Jaret Carlson
New Heights Church
8000 NE 58th Ave
Vancouver, WA 98665

Hard Copy Reference Form – Scan

Use the reference form (found below)

Fill out and sign form

Your reference may scan form and send to jcarlson@newheights.org (rather than mailing it)

2. **Online Reference Form**

Send reference form link to be completed by your reference

<https://forms.gle/Brw7b2hcXuFSVYFZA>

If you have any questions about the reference forms please contact Jaret Carlson (jcarlson@newheights.org)

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Please use this form for your Teacher/ Employer and Ministry Reference.

Applicant Information

Name of Applicant (Please Print): _____

To be completed by Reference

Impact Indonesia is a unique cross-cultural missions experience with New Heights Church. It is a 2-week trip during July of 2025. Individuals who are selected to serve on this team will be faced with various service and leadership challenges, during trainings and while on the trip. We are seeking to make sure that all participants have the necessary character and values for optimum success.

Instructions: Please complete the reference form as objectively as possible and mail or email this form, using the details at the bottom of this document, by **January 31, 2025**. If you have any questions or comments, please don't hesitate to send an email. Thank you for your help!

Your Name: _____ Email Address: _____

Company/Title: _____ Phone Number: _____

1. How do you know the applicant? _____

2. How long have you known the applicant? _____

3. How well do you know the applicant? _____

4. What are some strengths and weaknesses the applicant would bring to this team?

Strengths:	Weaknesses:

5. How does the applicant respond in situations that are stressful and intense?

- Gets discouraged Withdraws Gets angry Shuts down Accepts patiently
 Meets constructively Thrives Unknown

Please explain:

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6. If you could encourage the applicant to grow in one area, what would it be?

7. Using a scale of 1 to 5, please rate the applicant in the following areas:

	Poor		Average		Excels
Leadership	1	2	3	4	5
Flexibility	1	2	3	4	5
Peer Relationships	1	2	3	4	5
Emotional Stability	1	2	3	4	5
Willingness to Serve	1	2	3	4	5
Judgment / Decision Making:	1	2	3	4	5
Teachability	1	2	3	4	5
Reliability	1	2	3	4	5
Teamwork	1	2	3	4	5
Respects/Submits to Authority	1	2	3	4	5

8. Please check one box below:

- I strongly recommend this applicant
- I recommend this applicant
- I recommend this applicant with some reservations
- I do not recommend this applicant

9. Any additional comments:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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