

# MISSION & VISION

The Boston Church Planting Equipping Center (BCPEC) exists to foster a church planting movement and strengthen existing church planting churches by providing practical theological training in the context of the local mission field.

We accomplish this by combining the highest level of theological education through Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary with practical ministry experience through local internships. The Equipping Center partners with local churches to train future church planters and other church leaders. Any student beginning, continuing, or completing their theological training can apply.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION AND AN APPLICATION TO ATTEND**

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## BOSTON CPEC LEADERSHIP

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**“...AND WHAT YOU HAVE HEARD FROM ME IN THE PRESENCE OF MANY WITNESSES ENTRUST TO FAITHFUL MEN WHO WILL BE ABLE TO TEACH OTHERS ALSO.” 2 TIMOTHY 2:2 (ESV)**

## WHAT

### DEGREE CAN I EARN?

There will be multiple degree options to pursue ranging from Certificates to the Master of Divinity degree. This program is fully accredited.

## HOW

### DOES THIS WORK?

Southeastern has partnered with the Boston Church Planting Center to train and equip leaders, so they can stay on the mission field in Greater Boston. This is a combined effort where students take online classes from Southeastern professors, on the ground classes and training from Boston area pastors, and occasional face-to-face teaching with Southeastern professors.

## WHY

### THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION?

Ministry in Greater Boston presents numerous challenges. Those serving in the “Athens of America” need to be prepared to engage people in a biblically faithful and culturally relevant manner. Theological training through the Equipping Center and SEBTS can help you prepare for the great work of gospel ministry.

### WHY SOUTHEASTERN?

Southeastern’s mission is to *glorify the Lord Jesus Christ by equipping students to serve the church and fulfill the Great commission*. This means that Southeastern is fundamentally committed to mission, especially through church planting. In addition, Southeastern is committed to accomplishing this training through the local church.

### WHY APPLY TO THE BOSTON CHURCH PLANTING EQUIPPING CENTER?

There are many opportunities to get equipped for ministry. What distinguishes the BCPEC?

- *Church Planting Focused*: The Equipping Center is uniquely focused on fulfilling the Great Commission through church planting.
- *Contextualized Training*: Local internships with experienced church planters provide provide invaluable wisdom and skills for future ministry.
- *Cost*: Southeastern provides the most affordable theological education around. Students can also apply for scholarships through the Equipping Center.