



# Intercultural Journey Topics

## God's Vision for humanity

- Why missions? "Mission Exists because Worship Doesn't" (Piper)
- Your journey to be a blessing to the nations (Genesis 12 1-3)

## Understanding the Power of Culture

- Examine the different models of Culture – Iceberg/Onion
- Ethnocentrism and stereotypes
- Lessons from Peter's engagement with Cornelius in Act 10

## Developing Intercultural Competence

- Development Model of Intercultural Sensitivity (Bennett)
- Biblical examples of intercultural competency development
- Describe-Interpret-Evaluate tool (DIE- J. Bennett)

## Building Relationships of Trust with your Church Partners Overseas

- Identity formation impact relationships
- Different styles are applied to different intercultural contexts
- Effects of Non-verbal communications

## Developing an intercultural team

- Understanding communication styles
- Examine key cultural value orientations (CVO)
- How CVO impacts intercultural relationships

## Intercultural Conflict Resolution

- Conflict resolution styles (Hammer)
- Apply conflict styles in solving intercultural conflict case studies

## Exploring Worldviews

- Worldview perspectives of "Guilt, Shame & Fear"
- Discern a biblical response to a particular worldview

## Communicating the Gospel in Differing contexts

- Examine biblical examples of contextualization
- How to share the gospel in different cultural contexts

## Preparing to Come Home

- Debriefing your STM experience
- How to apply what you have learned to ministry back home



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