

Module specification

Title	Migration & Mission				
Code	CM3	Faculty	Education & Theology	Cost Centre	
Level	FHEQ 7 YSJU M	Credits	30	Total Learning Hours	300
Pre-requisites	None			Barred Combinations	ML3, UM3, MS3

Learning and Teaching			
Type of Learning Activity	comprises	hours	weeks
Timetabled Contact:	Block learning (+ regional networks)	30	16
Independent Study:	Reading primary and secondary sources, accessing and completing verbatim, researching and preparing assignments	270	16
Total:		300	16

Rationale and Aims
<p>We are living in the age of globalisation and migration where many people, Christian or otherwise, are moving from the Majority World to the West. This module explores the rising phenomenon of non-Western Christian presence in the West and its potential impact on mission among Westerners. It also examines the implications of the resultant cultural diversity in the West to mission.</p> <p>Aims:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To explore and critically engage with current trends in globalisation and migration 2. To evaluate the historical and theological relationship between migration and mission 3. To develop a critically robust theology of migration 4. To explore and critically engage with the significance of 'reverse mission' and the impact of this on particular localities 5. To formulate an advanced understanding of missional responses to cultural diversity as well as to critically engage with the challenges of such responses

Learning Outcomes
<p><i>Upon successful completion of the module students will be able to:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Theologically reflect and critique the challenges posed by migration and globalisation 2. Critically evaluate the factors behind the rise of reverse mission 3. Investigate and critically evaluate the impact that reverse mission has on local communities in the West and on the student's own particular local context

Assessment <i>(please include expected word length (for text-based assessment))</i>			
#	description	weighting	learning outcomes
1	3000 research project	50%	1, 2
2	Presentation	30%	2, 3
3	Personal development task	20%	1, 3
<p>Qualified Failures: in order to pass the module, students must achieve at least: <i>(for modules with more than one summative assessment component please delete as applicable)</i></p>			
A mark of 20 in each component and an overall pass mark			

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Indicative Content
<p>Students will:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explore concepts of postcolonial theory and engage with distinctive expressions of postcolonial Christianity 2. Explore concepts of neo-colonialism, globalisation and globalisation and critically evaluate contemporary cultural shifts and evaluate global and local trends in cross-cultural mission 3. Critically engage with multi-directional migration and in particular non-Western Christian migration to the West 4. Assess and critique the implications of cultural diversity in local contexts, and evaluate the concept of multiculturalism in the West, in particular how that informs and challenges homogeneous churches in the West 5. Evaluate and critique a variety of expressions of 'new Christianities' in the West and the impact on their host communities, as well as critiquing the form and structure of traditional and contemporary expressions of the church in the West
Library Resources
<i>Indicative essential book provision (5 examples):</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Adogame, A., <i>The African Christian Diaspora: New Currents and Emerging Trends in World Christianity</i>. (London: Bloomsbury Academic, 2013) 2. Hanciles, J., <i>Beyond Christendom: Globalization, African Migration, and the Transformation of the West</i> (Maryknoll: Orbis Books, 2008) 3. Kwiyani, H. C., <i>Sent Forth: African Missionary Work in the West</i> (Maryknoll: Orbis Books, 2014) 4. Wan, E., <i>Diaspora Missiology: Theory, Methodology, and Practice</i> (Portland: Institute of Diaspora Studies, 2012) 5. Lechner F. J. and Boli, J., <i>The Globalisation Reader</i>, 5th ed. (Wiley 2014)
<i>Indicative journals / periodicals (3 examples from current subscriptions):</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Journal of African Christian Thought 2. African Diaspora: A Journal of Transnational Africa in a Global World. 3. International Bulletin of Missionary Research (Overseas Ministries Study Centre)
<i>Audio-visual / non-printed material:</i>
None
ICT Resources
<i>Hardware</i>
N/A
<i>Specialist software</i>
Moodle (online VLE) ATLA database and e-library
Media Resources
<i>AV equipment</i>
Data projectors, DVD player
Title(s) of award bearing programmes to which the module contributes
MA Cross-Cultural Mission PG Dip Cross-Cultural Mission PG Cert Cross-Cultural Mission MA Missional Practice PG Dip Missional Practice

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