



Ministry Plan

2021-2025

Expanding Our Tents

We believe the Lord is calling ISI to “expand our tents” (Isaiah 54:2-3) both in the US and around the world through strategic expansion to reach international students more effectively online and in-person knowing that nothing is too difficult for Him (Jeremiah 32:27). Together we will seek the Lord and join Him in exponentially growing the number of people in relationship with Him (Zechariah 2:1-5), trusting in Him to provide the direction, means and protection for His glory!

Vision

To see every international student befriended, led to a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, and disciplined for His service—to impact every nation with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Mission

We exist to share Christ’s love with international students and to equip them for effective service in cooperation with the local church and others.

Plan Priorities

We will accomplish God’s plan for our ministry plan with His enablement through these priorities.



Prayer

Dependence and submission to the Lord in all we do by seeking Him in prayer and fasting for His plan!



Collaboration

Working with like-minded partners and ministries at every level of ministry in the U.S. and abroad to see international students disciplined for His service.



Returnee Impact

Maximizing the Great Commission impact of our returnees through premier returnee follow-up and networking opportunities.



Global Reach

Ministry expansion to new global locations through partnerships and catalytic leadership with a heart for reaching students where they are.



Equipping & Mentoring

Effective, relevant training, leadership development and exceptional resources made available to every student and team member.



Churches

Serving together with the local church to reach every international student with a team of dedicated and well-trained volunteers who are committed to seeing the Body of Christ thrive.



Communities

As we share Christ’s love with students through friendship and hospitality, we will focus on building communities of hope and mercy that welcome and lead students to redemption in Jesus.



Innovation

Prioritize creativity and innovation at all levels of ministry to develop reproducible and scalable models for global student outreach.

Faith Goals

Our key annual success measurements.

Student Introductions	65,000 (In Person) 50,000 (Online)
Cultivating Relationships	25,000
Discipleship Relationships	6,000
Decisions for Christ	1,000 (Field Team) 1,000 (Online) 2,000 (Volunteers)
Volunteers	15,000
Church Partners	2,300
Reproducing	1,000 (US) 700 (Overseas)
New Ministry Locations	3 per year (US) 2 per year (Global)
New Team Members	25 per year