



# Quadrennial 2010 Pre-Event

## Ministries and Mission Interpreters (MMI) Training

*Sponsored by Global Ministries*

**June 21 @ 6:30pm to June 23 @ 1:30pm**

**Sheraton Four Seasons at Koury Convention Center  
Greensboro, North Carolina**

*Although this event is primarily for Disciples women attending the Quadrennial, it is open to their husbands and other Disciples men, as well as, men and women from the UCC who might want to take advantage of this training opportunity. If you can see yourself using your specific gifts and available time to serve as a Ministries and Mission Interpreter in your church context, please read on and fill out the response form for the June 21-23, 2010 MMI training event in Greensboro, North Carolina.*

### **A Ministries and Mission Interpreter (MMI) is a person who:**

- has a passion for learning about God's mission
- tells the story of Global ministries in our congregations, Regions and Conferences
- motivates and trains others to be involved in global mission
- links the interest of an individual or congregation with global mission resources and opportunities
- works within existing Region/Conference committees and communication networks to tell the story
- builds and participates in the national MMI network

### **An MMI serves by:**

- utilizing Global Ministries resources, videos, websites and staff in one's own continuing mission education
- inter-relating with Region or Conference staff, boards, women's groups and mission or outreach committees
- making global mission visible at regional assemblies, annual meetings, women's gatherings, etc.
- presenting global mission stories in individual conversations, small groups, worship or special programs
- sharing articles with church or denominational websites, newsletters, or list serves
- finding ways to fit global mission into congregational and Conference/ Region ministry goals and structures

### **The MMI training agenda will include:**

- Worship and Mission Moments lead by GM Missionaries
- Stories and testimonies of Global Partners
- Global Mission priority updates from GM Staff
- Workshops on specific global mission opportunities
- Mission funding interpretation strategies
- Strategies for education and advocacy work
- Training on making global mission presentations
- Steps for Being a Global Mission Church
- Process for developing an action plan

For more information contact: Bob Shebeck [bshebeck@dom.disciples.org](mailto:bshebeck@dom.disciples.org) or 317-713-2571



**RESPONSE FORM - Quadrennial Pre-Event  
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Return this form to Bob Shebeck c/o DOM/Global Ministries, PO Box 1986, Indianapolis, IN 46206-1986.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS MAY 20, 2010.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print)

Name to appear on badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Church affiliation:  Disciples  UCC Name of congregation: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Region or Conference: \_\_\_\_\_

**EVENT, LODGING AND MEALS RESERVATION**

- Event plus meals and lodging (2 nights, **Single Occupancy**) \$374
- Event plus meals and lodging (2 nights, **Double Occupancy**) \$230
- Event plus meals (lodging on your own) \$86

Meals include Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> lunch & dinner, and Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> lunch.

Dietary Restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

**TRANSPORTATION**

Each participant is responsible for transportation to and from Greensboro, NC. Please note that when you are registering for Quadrennial, there is a transportation package to and from the airport for \$20 that you can purchase.

**SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

- Each participant is asked to contribute/raise at least \$50 towards the training. I will contribute/raise \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- My Region/Conference or Congregation/Women's group will contribute \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Scholarship needed for event, meals, and lodging (Please note maximum scholarship is \$180.)

Checks can be made payable to **Global Ministries** with "Quadrennial MMI training" in the memo line.

If you are committed to serving as a Ministries and Mission Interpreter (MMI) in your church context and cost is a factor, please contact Bob Shebeck at 317-713-2571 or [bshebeck@dom.disciples.org](mailto:bshebeck@dom.disciples.org) to schedule a scholarship interview.