# NATIONAL DIRECTOR, CMJ CANADA JOB DESPCRIPTION

**CMJ (Church's Ministry Amongst the Jews)** is a non-profit ministry that is part of a world -wide organization with a rich history. Beginning in 1809, the mission began out of Britain. By 1822 they had sent leaders to Israel (then called Palestine), specifically to assist the Jewish people. Through CMJ the first hospital was built and doctors and nurses sent, the first school for girls and the first Protestant Church in the Middle East – all in the early 19thC! This literally brought attention to the Holy Land as other nations followed suit later on.

Today there are CMJ branches in Israel, Britain, Ireland, Australia/NZ, South Africa, Canada, USA, Hong Kong, and France. The heart is in Israel with branches in the Nations.

The ministry of CMJ has 3 mandates followed by each branch as appropriate in their context.

**Education:** To educate and equip Christians in Canada by providing teaching on the Jewish roots of our faith and the Biblical understanding of the place of Israel and the relationship of Jew and Gentile in Christ;

**Evangelism:** investing in the spiritual restoration of the Jewish people, sharing the Good News to the Jew first (with careful sensitivity) and also the Gentile;

**Encouragement**: supporting Jewish believers in Messiah and Israel in general, taking a stand against anti-Semitism and other anti-Jewish propaganda.

## **NATIONAL DIRECTOR POSITION:**

The National Director along with the Board of Directors propels the vision of the ministry. He/she gives oversight to the work of CMJ in Canada by providing oversight to all aspects of the 3 "E" mandates. The National Director leads the team assuring the ministry accomplishes it's calling. Since CMJ Canada is relatively new (2010), it is still building momentum across our vast nation. This requires networking and developing good relationships with potential supporters.

#### **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Gives leadership to the Board;
- Leads the organization in its mandate;
- Networking locally, nationally and internationally;
- Ensure good communication, both written and verbal and through social media;
- Creates opportunities for the education mandate especially;
- Follow-up with members, supporters and potential interest groups and individuals;
- Team building equip and encourage those willing to take on key responsibilities;
- Fundraising develop and strategize with fundraising person(s);
- Promotes the ministry;
- Attends International CMJ Conferences in Jerusalem;
- Creates. participates/leads in teaching opportunities in Canada and tours to Israel;
- Builds relationships with local Jewish community.

# **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Committed Christian
- Proven leadership ability;
- Strong Biblical knowledge understanding of the Land the people of Israel
- Does not believe in Replacement theology, the Church is not the new Israel
- Believes God is working out His purposes through the Jewish people
- Believe in and engage in Evangelism of Jewish people
- Has some recognition in their church and community
- Some formal theological education
- Has freedom to travel.

## **SKILLS:**

- Personable relationally focused;
- Self-motivated, self-starter;
- Gifted communicator;
- Strong organizational skills;
- Apt to mentor others;
- Motivational skills;
- A teaching gift if helpful.