

Public Evangelism in the University

This seminar will explore what is involved in leading evangelistic missions in Europe today. We will focus on creative ideas for public evangelism, how to practically prepare for such events, how to motivate Christian students to get involved, and how to deliver effective talks in such settings.

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I. Public Mission Weeks

A. What?

B. Why?

C. When?

II. 8 keys to successful missions

A. Planning

B. Preparation

C. Prayer

D. Partnership

E. Personal invitation

F. Proclamation

G. Perseverance

H. Persistence