The Center for Mission Innovation (CMI) of the General Board of Global Ministries

The Center for Mission Innovation (CMI) is a new, forward-thinking unit of Global Ministries, and aims to provide a laboratory for the Church to learn best practices and new innovations in both local and global mission. We are asking questions about how we as a Church pursue social justice not on behalf of the marginalized but alongside of them. We are exploring and sharing innovative sustainable practices that can transform individuals and about how we partner across barriers of race, class, and nationality to help bring about the Kingdom of God. Overall, the Center for Mission Innovation hopes to cultivate new understandings of the missio Dei in the 21st century, and to serve as a resource for laypeople, clergy, and local congregations who desire to be a part of God’s mission in the world.

The Center for Mission Innovation is looking for a summer intern to become a part of our dynamic and creative team at Global Ministries, working to shape the future of mission in the United Methodist Church. The intern will work with us for approximately twenty (20) hours per week across ten (10) weeks and will make contributions to several of our key initiatives, including 1) the development of new resources for local congregations engaged in missions, 2) the support of Global Mission Fellows training, and 3) the planning and implementation of a new Young Adult Mission Innovator Lab to be held in early August 2017. The intern will be compensated a total of $2000 for their work, to be paid incrementally every two weeks.

Interested applicants should contact Rev. Dr. J. Denise Honeycutt, Executive Director of the Center for Mission Innovation, at dhoneycutt@umcmission.org. The deadline to apply is March 31, 2017.