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MISSIONS OPPORTUNITIES TO TRAIN MISSIONARIES IN RWANDA & INDIA, 2024

While the Global North (North America, Europe, Oceania, Japan, & South Korea) is currently in the middle of a *spiritual winter*, which still has about a decade more to go until spring, and the Church is plateauing or in decline overall, the pendulum of the *Spiritual Cycle (80-100 years)* swings in the opposite direction in the Global South (Most of Asia, Africa, & Latin America). This is giving them a fruitful *spiritual summer*, and their Church is growing fast. While the Church in the Global North needs to do what is timely for their spiritual season, it would be momentously strategic to invest some of their training and financial resources in key areas of the Global South to enhance a **continual global harvest.**

Here at YWAM Sligo in Ireland, we, as skilled trainers in missions, choose to respond to the invitations from Rwanda and India for their training and seek partnerships with you for these God-given opportunities that would help us with prayers and support. (Email: contact@ywamsligo.com)

"He who gathers crops in summer is a prudent son, but he who sleeps during harvest is a disgraceful son." (Proverbs 10:5 NIV)

ADVANCED WORKSHOP ON STRATEGIC MISSIONS, RWANDA

Category	# of People	Unit Price	Subtotal	Notes
Speakers Travel Costs	5	\$1,000	\$5,000	(\$1000x4)+(\$500x2)
Speakers Gifts	4	\$400	\$1,600	(\$400x3)+(\$200x2)
Scholarships	10	\$150	\$1,500	For local trainees
Food/Housing Subsidizer*	15	\$420	\$6,300	\$10/day/person
Set-up/Admin Costs	1	\$100	\$100	
TOTAL			\$14,500	

AWOSM: 6-week training for local missionaries in Kigali, Rwanda, March-April 2024

SCHOOL OF STRATEGIC MISSIONS, INDIA

Category	# of People	Unit Price	Subtotal	Notes
Speakers Travel Costs	10	\$1,500	\$15,000	
Speakers Gifts	11	\$400	\$4,400	
Scholarships	20	\$320	\$6,400	
Set-up/Admin Costs	1	\$150	\$150	
TOTAL			\$25,950	

SOSM: 12-week training for local missionaries in Chennai, India, October-December 2024

TOTAL NEED FOR BOTH COURSES IN 2024

AWOSM, RWANDA	\$14,500	
SOSM, INDIA	\$25,950	
GRAND TOTAL	\$40,450	

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RWANDA

Nearly 30 years ago, it was during the darkest *spiritual winter* in Rwandan history. The genocide of 800,000 lives in 100 days was more than devastating. Now, the nation is finding healing in God and rising out of the ashes. As they desire to be Africa's technological and air transportation hub, the Rwandan church sees a vision from God to reach out to the nations with the love of Christ. Will they become messengers of God's healing among wounded nations? They must continue to build their lives centered on God.

*Note: Food is expensive in Rwanda.

INDIA

India is now a major player in geopolitics and international trade, yet their democracy is under test, and the church is facing even more persecution with growing Hindu nationalism. Despite that, the church continues to grow strong and reach out to urban slums and rural areas. As India is as diverse as millions of Hindu gods, thousands of people groups, and hundreds of languages within the country, ministries can easily be cross-cultural without going overseas. Will they find their answer is the one true God who is above all gods, and be a blessing to many nations?

YWAM SLIGO

YWAM Sligo responds to Christ's command in Mark 16 and seeks to minister the love of Jesus with four different focuses: around the world in the most strategic places (global), in our cities and towns along with local churches (local urban), among young people whom we always champion (youth), and in the everyday societal spheres of influence (marketplace).

"Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation." (Mark 16:15 NIV)