



mosaiXmultiply

Beginnings the Classical Way

Course Guide

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WELCOME!

By taking this course you will not only be learning new information and skills. You will be equipping and empowering yourself with the proper tools to expand the Kingdom of God.

At mosaiXmultiply we believe that creating intercultural church communities in & through God's children, people of all nationalities can be saved. We are committed to create every single course with this goal in mind.

We aim to:

- Raise up, train, and mobilize men and women to plant mosaic gospel communities.
- Encourage monocultural churches to become mosaics of nations and cultures in intercultural reconciliation.
- Help local church members realize their church's vision by starting intercultural discipleship groups within their church, thereby creating the dynamic of mission and multiplication.

It is a joy and an honor to partner with you as you seek His guidance to grow in the confidence to expand His Kingdom.

Have a blessed Journey!

Joel Lutz & the mosaiXmultiply Team

INTRODUCTION

In this course Dr. Beck works through the classical or traditional way most denominations in the western hemisphere plant churches but adds some key insights and practices he has learned from his years of association with leading church planters and such church planting networks like City To City, City Mentoring Program, and now mosaiXmultiply.

Dr. Beck takes the student through the phases of church planting and the various aspects of each of the phases to build an easy-to-follow, practical, step-by-step approach. Many church planting training programs give aspiring church planters helpful principles to go by. Dr. Beck uses a so-called "church planting globe" to not only give you a clear overview of all the steps to be taken, but very detailed instructions and advice for each step, all the way to reaching the first of two goals of church planting: installing your first elders (the second goal is multiplying your church plant into another church plant, but that is CP7). In doing so, he is careful to take into account that every church plant has its own unique context and that no one way of doing things fits everywhere. The church planting student will want to take all the principles, steps and detailed advice in this course and apply them to his own context. (Note: how to contextualize is the major focus of CP4).

You will be equipped with the proper tools needed to continue your journey on planting a classical church that has a multilocal mindset.

Be Blessed!

Stephen Beck PhD

INSTRUCTOR



STEPHEN BECK PhD

Stephen is a career church planter and church planting instructor. He has served with the Redeemer Church Planting network in Canada, more recently with Greater Europe Mission in Germany. He is considered one of the "cutting edge" Greater Europe Missionaries in this regard. He is Professor of Practical Theology at Freie Theologische Hochschule in Giessen, Germany. He has also been guest lecturer at a number of institutions on the European continent. He is married to Susan, and they have four children. In 2011 Stephen and Susan embarked on yet another journey: together with twenty-five college students they planted a multi-everything church for the Frankfurt metro region. Through the refugee wave that came over Germany, this church multiplied to fifteen congregations in 6 years.

GOALS

The course is broken down into twenty specific sessions. Each session will include a video lecture, course guide, and in some cases short assignments to help you grow. We encourage you to not only do this course on your own time, but with others who share the same passion to expand God's Kingdom.

SESSION OVERVIEW

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| 03 On Location First Steps | 04 Contextualized & Contexed |
| 05 Networking | 06 Philosophy of Ministry |
| 07 Starting Your Team | 08 Birthing Phase of Your Church |
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