

Ubuntu eXplorer Program

UMW-UMVIM Journey of Mission Sharing

Team Member Application – Hong Kong / China September 2-13, 2008

All applications must be in by December 1, 2007)

The mission trip team leader will not share this information except as required and related to the mission trip (e.g., to treat a medical condition).

NAME & LOCATION of PROJECT: **Bethune House - Hong Kong; Various Women's Projects - Guizhou, China**

PROJECT DATES: **September 2-13, 2008** COST: **Approx \$2,500.00** DEPOSIT: **\$ 250.00**
(exclusive of USA Domestic airfare)

Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____ Work Phone: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Age: _____ Sex: _____ E-mail address: _____

Passport Number: _____ Date of Issue: _____ Place of Issue: _____

Occupation: _____ Hobbies/Interests: _____

Languages: _____ Health Care Specialties: _____

Mission Experience & Locations: _____

Name of Church: _____ Pastor: _____

Church Address: _____ Pastor's Phone: _____

Local UMW President: _____ Local UMW President Phone: _____

Date of Safe Sanctuaries Certification (if applicable): _____

Above individual cost includes: All international costs - airfare, transportation, food, and lodging.

It does NOT include: Domestic USA airfare or personal spending money

A \$250 deposit holds your place and is refundable until: February 15, 2008.

1. Why do you wish to participate? (Please use separate page.)
2. Have you traveled to a developing country? _____ Which one(s)? _____
3. Please indicate your state of physical and emotional health (the project and trip will include rigorous activity and the hours may be long). Is there anything the team leader(s) should know regarding your health (allergies, diet, etc.)? _____

4. Team members may be asked during a church service to give a 2-3 minute testimonial before or after the project. Would you be comfortable doing this? _____

5. Please circle all applicable skills below and explain in detail where appropriate. Team assignments will be made based on this information.

- Health care: Physician Nurse Dentist First-aid training CPR training Other: _____
 - Teaching health care (be specific) _____ Other: _____
 - Working with youth: Recreation Storytelling Art Singing Crafts Other: _____
 - Singing skills: Solo Small groups Total group only Instruments: _____
 - Preaching Devotionals Leading in prayer-related skills: _____
 - Photography (explain): _____
 - Keeping and publishing a team trip journal (explain): _____
 - Computers _____
 - Giving post-trip talks and slide presentations (elaborate): _____
 - Other skills and abilities that will contribute to the team experience: _____
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I understand that team members must be cheerful, cooperative, flexible, and patient. I agree to cooperate with the team leader(s) concerning our life together, including daily assignments, food, lodging, and transportation and any other activities involving the team as a whole. I agree to stay with the team from the beginning to the end of the trip (except as excused by the team leader), to abstain from the use of alcohol and tobacco while on the mission trip, and generally to behave in a Christian manner.

Applicant's Signature

Date

To Be Completed by the Applicant's Pastor or UMW Local President:

I believe that the above applicant is a dedicated Christian, a team player, and a friendly, flexible person who will make a valuable contribution to this mission team. I am / am not personally acquainted with the applicant and recommend her for volunteer mission service. You may contact me for additional information if needed.

Pastor or Local UMW President's Signature

Date

Return completed application with \$250 deposit (No Later than December 1, 2007) to the Ubuntu eXplorer team leader below:

Name of Team Leader: Jeanie Blankenbaker

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Hilton Head, SC 29926

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