

# 2026 MISSIONS CONFERENCE

February 4 – 8

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MISSIONARIES



## **Mason & Gracie MacCaughelty Campus Outreach**



Mason grew up in a Christian home and accepted Jesus when he was 7 years old. He spent most of his childhood in Monroeville, Alabama, and later moved to Birmingham during high school. He then attended Auburn University, where he was discipled by a CRU staff member and grew in his faith. Mason and his wife, Gracie, were married in April 2025.

After graduation, God grew Mason's heart for missions and led him to Campus Outreach, a ministry focusing on campus evangelism and discipleship. God now uses Mason's gifts to serve 600+ missionaries in 13 countries worldwide through organizational fundraising and donor communications.

## **Besi Rajta CRU, Albania**



Besi is a dedicated missionary known for her passionate commitment to evangelism, discipleship, and missionary care. With over two decades of in-country and cross-cultural ministry experience, she focuses on equipping staff to flourish in the field and effectively share the Gospel. Besi emphasizes "iron sharpens iron" relationships, fostering strong connections among team members. She and her team lead all of the national ministry in Albania and seek opportunities to take the Gospel to the ends of the earth. Her passion is to see followers of Jesus multiply themselves and be sent into missions, either in the marketplace or to the ends of the earth.

She contributes to developing the next generation of leaders in Albania and all over Europe."

**Melanie Rogers**  
**Campus Outreach**



Melanie has served Campus Outreach (CO) for the past 24 years. She came to Christ through CO as a college student in Mobile, AL. Upon graduation she served with CO on a college campus in Louisiana for 10 years, followed by 10 more years with CO's campus ministry team in Belo Horizonte, Brazil. In 2021, Melanie moved to Birmingham, where CO SERVE is based. She oversees the ministry's 2-year international missions experience for recent college graduates ("LEAD"). She provides leader development coaching for emerging ministry leaders serving internationally in 12 countries on 6 continents. And she offers leader development training throughout the global CO movement.

**Alex and Suzanne Sarran**  
**MissionGO, France**



Alex is a Teaching Elder in the PCA. He and his wife Suzanne, who both hold dual citizenships, have been involved in full-time ministry in France for over twenty years. By God's grace, the church-plant Alex has been leading has grown to an average of 130 people in attendance on Sundays, which is about half-way to financial self-sufficiency. While the church is growing, plans are also being made to launch new church-plants in the larger area. As the senior pastor, Alex teaches and preaches, administers the sacraments, mentors interns, trains leaders, disciples believers, and seeks to adapt the structure of the church to its growing size, while also serving as vice-president of the reformed seminary in Aix-en-Provence. Suzanne leads the women's ministry, disciples individual women, coordinates events, and sings with the worship team, while pursuing further training in psychology and biblical counseling. (Children pictured: Étienne, Vallouise, Augustin, and Violette)

**Stephen Spanjer**  
**IXO Germany**



While Stephen was a student at Nyack College in the late 90's he was invited to play baseball for the Neuenburg Atomics in southwest Germany. After playing and coaching there for several seasons Stephen noticed that sports offered a very natural inroad for the gospel which other ministries in the hardened soil of Germany struggled to find. Eventually Stephen left Europe and studied at RTS in Orlando, FL, and was ordained in the PCA in 2006. In 2007 he returned to Germany in 2007 to plant a church. Stephen's ministry still uses baseball as a means of outreach, and the small church there continues to grow slowly. Stephen has been married to Laura since 2011 and they have four children, Elsie (12), Adeline (10), Will (5), Johnny (1).

**Derek and Laura Webber**  
**Serge, Kenya**



Derek & Lauren Webber has served with Serge in East Africa for the past 12 years. They currently serve in Chogoria, Kenya where they partner with the PCEA Chogoria Hospital to bring hope and healing to those in central Kenya. Derek works as a Physician Assistant in the Casualty Dept., where he serves as a consultant for Clinical Officers, leads training for staff, and co-leads ACLS/BLS/PALS across the hospital. He and his wife work with the hospital chaplains to encourage them and support outreach in both the hospital and community. His wife co-leads Chogoria Mission School (a homeschool co-op for missionary kids) and is involved in supporting the community through hospitality and children's ministry. They have four children: Lucy, Olive, Jack, and Ivy

**Stephanie W.**  
**(No Photo Shown)**

Stephanie serves at an undisclosed location and mission organization.

Stephanie, a child of AVPC, was born and grew up in Birmingham, Alabama. From an early age, she was interested in meeting people from other cultures, and several short-term trips throughout her growing-up years increased her interest in working overseas. She graduated from Covenant College with a B.A. of Writing and English in 2018, and got her Masters in Applied Linguistics and TESOL (Teaching English as a Second Language) from the University of Alabama. After teaching freshman writing and tutoring in ESL for several years, she went overseas in late 2023 for a two-year apprenticeship. She plans to return to the field long-term, where she will be teaching various classes (e.g., English, sewing, art) and planning events at the team's new community center to build relationships.