FAQ GO Team Leader 2013-2014

What is the GO Team Leader?
A Global Outreach team leader is a student on Servant Leadership Staff who has a passion for reaching the nations with the Gospel of Jesus Christ and is capable of being trained to lead a team of peers to participate in ministry in a cross-cultural setting.

How do I know if being a GO Team Leader is right for me?
The GO Team Leader is one who is qualified to lead a diverse team spiritually and administratively in a cross-cultural context. The leader should be humble, thoughtful, cautious, dependent on Jesus, decisive, adventurous, and able to lead without constant supervision. The leader should be an involved participant in a local church and have a burden to reach the lost.

What are the Team Leaders' responsibilities?
Go leaders are missions-mobilizers on campus: encouraging students to pray for missions, interacting with visiting missionaries, and promoting what the Lord is doing around the world. The leader works together with the Director of Global Outreach and a co-leader to plan a GO trip. The leader is responsible for the recruitment, spiritual discipleship, administrative direction, and physical well-being of the team both in the preparation for the trip and the time on the field.

What meetings are required?
1. Servant Leadership Retreat and WOW in August.
2. Outreach Week.
3. Monthly SLS staff meeting (Sunday evening).
4. Bi-weekly leader’s training.
5. Help with Global Mobilization Week in November.
6. Global Outreach class: attend weekly class and lead team-time (Spring).
7. Small group on wing as needed and monthly missions prayer time.
8. GO trip of 4-8 weeks in duration.

With the responsibilities asked of a GO Team Leader, how many estimated hours per week will this commitment require?
The time commitment varies greatly. In the Fall, you can plan on about 2-3 hours per week for trip prep. In the Spring, you can plan on 8-10 hours per week, including the time you spend in the GO class.

How do I become a GO Team Leader?
1. Acquire, complete, and return the SLS Application.
2. Sign up for an interview time to meet with Director of Global Outreach.
3. Be approved for leadership by the Application Committee.

Is there any monetary compensation?
Leaders are required to raise support for their trip, but will receive help if there if difficulty.

What if I still have more questions?
You can stop by King Hall to talk to Lisa La George, or email GO@masters.edu.