

The Program Includes:

- Orientation via video conferencing which will take place with staff of the Mennonite Education Agency, Hispanic Pastoral and Leadership Education office as well as with the Brethren Academy's Spanish-Language Coordinator. Orientation to SeBAH-COB will include an introduction to academic reading and writing, educational technology that will be utilized in courses, and SeBAH-COB as a whole.
- Twelve courses based on competencies for ministry required by the Mennonites and Church of the Brethren, a minimum of eight to be taught by Mennonite instructors and a maximum of four to be taught by Church of the Brethren instructors. The four required Brethren courses currently include:
 - The History of the Church of the Brethren
 - Church of the Brethren Ethics, Policies, and Administration
 - The Gospel of Matthew
 - Church Vitality and Evangelism
- Supervised Ministry
- Annual Conference attendance and report
- District conference attendance and report
- Ecumenical, Intercultural or Interfaith Experience and report
- Ministry Formation within the District.

All courses offered online utilizing Moodle and/or other forms of educational technology.

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Brethren Academy for Ministerial Leadership

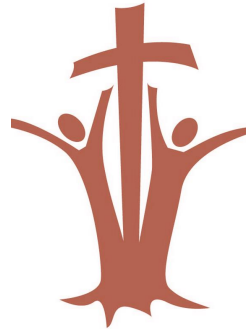
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SeBAH-CoB

Hispanic Anabaptist
Biblical Seminary –
Church of the Brethren

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Program Overview

What is SeBAH-CoB?

It is a certificate-level Spanish-language ministry training program coordinated by the Brethren Academy in partnership with the districts and the Mennonite Education Agency, Hispanic Pastoral and Leadership Education office.

Persons who successfully complete the program have fulfilled the educational requirements for ordination.

How to get involved:
Contact your district office for registration information.

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I. Send me".

Isaiah 6:8

An intelligent heart acquires knowledge, and the ear of the wise seeks knowledge.

Proverbs 18:15

What is its Objective?

SeBAH-CoB is a training program that promotes a biblical and theological identity that is faithful to the Anabaptist and Pietist heritage. It is geared toward capacity-building of ministers in a way that is specific to the needs of Hispanic Church of the Brethren congregations in the United States.

With the guidance of the Holy Spirit, SeBAH-CoB prepares students to focus their service within their congregation, without removing them from their context.

How does it work?

SeBAH-COB begins with an online orientation provided by the Director of Hispanic Ministries for Pastoral and Leadership Education, Mennonite Education Agency. All courses are 12 weeks long and are taught online by Mennonite and Brethren instructors. Video conferencing (Zoom, Skype, Whatsapp) may also be used to allow for interaction between students and the instructors. In addition to coursework, all students engage in supervised ministry (internship) and attend at least one District Conference and one Annual Conference during their time of study. District SeBAH Coordinators provide support and guidance to students during their training.

Do not be conformed to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of the mind...

Romans 12:2a
