

## **BSU Director**

The Cane Creek Stoddard Baptist Association (CCSBA) is located in Poplar Bluff, MO on the campus of Three Rivers College. It serves 38 churches with a wide variety of worship styles and congregations in Butler, Carter, Ripley, and Stoddard Counties in southeast Missouri. Our BSU and Associational Office have been located jointly on the TRC campus for over 30 years. TRC is a progressive school with 2-4 year degree programs. The BSU is situated adjacent to campus apartments which house about 200 of TRC's approximately 2000 students.

A full job description is available in the CCSBA Operations Manual, but is in the process of being slightly modified and should be completed on June 4, 2019. In general, an applicant for the CCSBA Collegiate Minister's position should be a member in good standing of a Southern Baptist church, should have a call to collegiate ministry, and should exhibit the experience and Christian character to lead a collegiate ministry. The CCSBA Collegiate Minister will work closely with the Director of Missions, the Associational Office Assistant, and the churches of CCSBA in providing a ministry to the students of TRC which results in seeing lives changed for the glory of Christ. The BSU Director will need an abundance of energy, and will need to work both independently as well as with others in order to engage TRC students with the gospel and disciple those students to reach others for God's kingdom.

Currently, the BSU serves students with a variety of programs, including:

- A Monday lunch from 11:30-1:00 provided by CCSBA churches during the Fall and Spring
- Small group Bible Studies for male and female students
- A mid-week worship experience every Wednesday evening
- Game nights, movies nights, etc.
- Peer connections
- Christian counseling
- Mission/ministry opportunities locally and beyond
- Fun outings – like to St. Louis or for a day of hiking
- A campus food pantry in conjunction with TRC to help the students in need
- Discipling students to become leaders for tomorrow's church