

Timeline for Study Process, North American Region  
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### **April-May 2021**

#### Executive Committee:

- Hold initial Zoom meeting
- Identify promising Missional Collaborations (MCs)
- Submit intake forms
- Invite collaborators and team leaders to hold discussions about MCs in which they are involved.
- Provide continued input to steering committee

#### Steering Committee:

- Launch website; launch database of MCs
- Finalize recommended processes for holding the meetings
- Finalize suggested discussion questions
- Launch social media campaign to get additional groups involved in study process
- Draft suggested process materials to guide discussions

### **June-mid September 2021**

#### Executive Committee:

- Continue mentoring collaborators/ team leaders as needed or desired
- Continue providing feedback to Steering Committee
- Consider researching/writing in-depth case study of MCs for eventual publication

#### Team leaders:

- Hold discussions of MCs, using study questions as guide
- Provide feedback to Steering Committee

#### Steering Committee:

- Accompany team discussions, record feedback
- Maintain and periodically distribute database and feedback to Executive Committee
- Summarize discussions, begin missiological analysis
- Identify representative case studies for in-depth analysis

### **September-November 2021**

#### Executive Committee:

- Receive data from MC discussions by September 30, 2021
- Reflect on data, provide missiological insights on case studies
- Finalize commitment to writing in-depth case studies if interested
- Hold Zoom mini-conference to discuss the data, October 15-20 (date to be decided)

Steering Committee:

- Organize materials for analysis
- Organize Fall Zoom conference
- Finalize database
- First draft of 10,000 word report, mid October to mid November

**Deadlines:**

- June 1, 2021 MCs identified, team leaders recruited, discussion groups being assembled
- September 15, 2021 Discussion groups on MCs completed, data submitted to Steering Committee
- September 30, 2021 Data organized by Steering Committee, distributed to Executive Committee
- October 15-20, 2021 Zoom mini-conference to discuss, analyze data (date to be decided)
- November 15, 2021 Complete draft of 10,000 word report, prepare presentation

November 2021

- 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary meeting for IMC is held Nov 15-18, 2021, at Stony Point and Lake Mohonk. (both live and online, all missiologists invited)
- Preliminary reports due at the meeting.

Spring of 2022

- March-April Hold workshop on book chapters, along with Costas Consultation on Mission and Ecumenism, Boston
- Finalize 10,000 word report.

Summer of 2022

- Complete and submit final report.
- Authors of volume complete and submit their chapters, and editorial process concludes.

Fall 2022-2023

- Publish volume of case studies, reports with missiological reflection.