

## Call for Volunteer Planning Team: Reimagining the Future of Ethnic Concerns Consultation

The Ethnic Concerns Consultation (ECC) invites passionate young adults (ages 18-40) to serve on a volunteer planning team to discern the future of ECC and its role in advocating for racial and economic justice in the church and society.

Since 1973, ECC has been a space for spiritual growth, intercultural awareness, and advocacy within the Presbyterian Church (USA). As we look toward the future, we seek a diverse and dedicated group of young adults to help shape the next chapter of ECC's legacy.

### About the Planning Team

The planning team will convene at **Zephyr Point October 17-19, 2025** for a retreat focused on:

- ✓ Learning about ECC's history and legacy
- ✓ Reimagining how ECC can engage an intergenerational audience in today's church
- ✓ Exploring creative ways to amplify ECC's advocacy for racial and economic justice
- ✓ Building community across cultural and regional backgrounds
- ✓ Designing and implementing the October 2026 ECC Event (participation required).

We are seeking 12 planning team members:

- 📍 At least 4 representatives from the Synod of the Pacific
- 📍 At least 4 representatives from the Synod of Southern California and Hawaii
- 📍 Up to 4 At-Large members representing other synods of the PC(USA), or other denominational partners in full communion with the PC(USA) – Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA), United Church of Christ (UCC), Reformed Church in America (RCA), Episcopal Church.

### Who Should Apply?

We encourage young adults from across the PC(USA) and partner denominations to apply—especially those who are passionate about:

- ◆ Racial and economic justice in the church
- ◆ Intercultural ministry and intergenerational engagement
- ◆ The future of ECC and its mission

This is a unique opportunity to be part of an intergenerational movement that has been fostering intercultural advocacy and awareness for over 50 years.

### How to Apply

Interested in joining the planning team? **Complete your application by May 31, 2025** using this link: <https://bit.ly/ecc-planning-team>.

For more information, contact Sara Tillema, Director of Programs at Zephyr Point: [stillema@zephyrpoint.org](mailto:stillema@zephyrpoint.org). We hope you'll join us in shaping the future of ECC!



**For more information about this opportunity, please visit [www.zephyrpoint.org/adult/ecc](http://www.zephyrpoint.org/adult/ecc).**