

# *EXPECTATIONS!*

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## *Looking Ahead to a Consolidated University*

“The consolidated university setting will provide an exceptional environment to educate and equip Spirit-empowered servants of God. As I teach at the undergraduate and master’s level at schools in Asia, I have students who are called to fulltime church ministries but also medical professionals, educators, business owners, executives, bankers, counselors, lawyers and many others enrolled in my Bible classes. They want the same quality of biblical/theological ministry training as do those going into full-time ministry. The presence of this wide spectrum has enriched the discussions and understanding of each believer’s ministry.

In the consolidated university, church ministry students will be enriched by taking liberal arts and other professional classes together with those called to vocational ministry. And the associations between those called to vocational ministry and those called to minister through the other professions will enrich everyone and make them better prepared to impact the church and global society.

“I believe the consolidation is “for such a time as this” and will become the global center for Pentecostal education.” I am EXCITED about the consolidation.

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The consolidation is subject to the approval of the Higher Learning Commission.