





### \_\_\_Who We Are

CCST Vancouver is an interdenominational seminary in Richmond, BC, committed to raising up pastors, mission workers, and lay leaders who will make a difference in churches, communities, and mission fields across Canada and beyond. For us, theological education is more than study in the classroom — it is a life-shaping journey with deepening of theological perspective, and nurturing of character and skills for ministry. At CCST Vancouver, students are formed to serve with wisdom, humility, and courage, bringing lasting impact to the people and communities they are called to shepherd.



### \_Our Educational Offerings

## Doctor of Ministry (DMin) and Advanced Diploma in Practical Theology (Adv. DipPT)

Advanced professional development for experienced pastors and ministry leaders seeking renewal, growth, and deeper impact.

### Advanced Master of Divinity (Adv. MDiv)

A pastoral enrichment program designed to provide advanced formation, deeper theological reflection, and practical ministry development grounded in a solid biblical foundation.

### **Diploma in Christian Studies (DipCS)**

Graduate-level program designed for lay leaders who want deeper formation and a first step toward degree-level study.

### **Master of Divinity (MDiv)**

For those who feel called to full-time ministry; a comprehensive biblical, theological, historical and practical curriculum, with an internship for field learning.

### **Master of Theological Studies (MTS)**

For church leaders and members seeking deeper theological understanding. It includes a Contextual Ministry Experience for "on the ground" formation.

### Lay Theological Education (LTE)

Flexible, accessible opportunities including certificate programs, book clubs, seminars, workshops, and retreats for lay leaders and lifelong learners.



### Our Distinctives

#### **Holistic Formation**

We shape the heart, mind, and character of each student so they are equipped to live out their calling with faith, integrity, and resilience.

## Mentorship and Field Experience

Students learn in close relationships with faculty and local churches, receiving guidance, encouragement, and accountability.

### **Contextualized Training**

Our programs are uniquely designed for Canada's bi-cultural, trilingual, and multi-generational church life in English, Cantonese, and Mandarin.

### **Flexible Learning**

We offer a variety of learning options, including online, face-to-face, seminars, workshops, and spiritual retreats, suitable for students from different backgrounds and life

### **Next Generation Discipleship**

We are committed to equipping the next generation of Christian leaders through innovative programs and applied research, empowering both ministry mentors and young people to grow spiritually and step confidently into God's mission.

### **Academic Excellence**

As an ATA-accredited seminary, our graduates are well prepared for advanced theological studies and ministry leadership in Canada and beyond.





# \_Our Community

We are part of a vibrant network of Chinese and multicultural churches in Canada. Our faculty bring decades of practical ministry and academic experience, walking alongside students as they discern God's call.

Students here journey together in prayer, study, and community life, forming lifelong friendships, ministry partnerships, and a shared vision to serve God faithfully in a changing world.

# Support CCST Vancouver?

The church today faces urgent challenges: generational transitions, cultural shifts, and the need for faithful leaders. CCST Vancouver exists to equip leaders who can serve with conviction and compassion in this changing world.

#### Your support enables us to:

- Provide additional financial aid for students preparing for ministry.
- Expand access to theological education to multi-generation Chinese Christians across Canada, including underresourced regions.
- Strengthen programs, faculty, initiatives, and facilities to serve churches more effectively.
- Promote wellness among pastors and ministry leaders.

# \_**Join Us** in Building the Future

Every gift is an investment in the Kingdom of God. Whether large or small, your generosity helps us nurture leaders, build healthy churches, bless communities, and empower the Gospel mission across Canada and beyond.

Together, we are building life, nurturing faith, one at a time.

To find out more about CCST Vancouver, please visit our website at: ccstvan.ca





Vision statement of CCST Vancouver Based on biblical truth, we provide relevant theological training to nurture God's servants to pass on ministry and mission, fulfilling Christ's commandment.

Mission statement of CCST Vancouver

To nurture God's servants and equip the laity.

Motto of CCST Vancouver

"And the things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to reliable people who will also be qualified to teach others." 2 Tim.2:2 (NIV)







CCST Vancouver is an accredited member of Asia Theological Association (ATA), an Authorized Theological Degree-Granting College in B.C., a registered Canadian Charity, and have been accepted by the Government of Canada to be a Designated Learning Institution.

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