



The PERKINS HOUSE

Name:

Expected Graduation Month/Year:

Major:

Home Address:

Cell Phone

Mission:

- To instill the next generation with a life-long vocation of Christian community development modeled by John M. and Vera Mae Perkins
- To honor, renew and build community in the historic Venable & 10th & Page neighborhoods.

Motto: Love Your Neighbor, Honor the Sabbath

Core Commitments:

- Observe the Perkins House Covenant (to be revised at opening retreat)
- Attend the Christian Community Development Association (CCDA) Conference
- Fulfill The Perkins House Program Calendar (see sample Fall semester below)
- Practice "Neighborhood Sabbath" on Sundays by being present in Venable & 10th and Page between 1pm-5pm.

(Ways of practicing might include: meeting/visiting neighbors, praying for the neighborhood, playing with the children, acts of service)

- Pray for Venable & 10th & Page and discern as a community additional ways to bless and partner with the neighborhood
- Meet twice/semester for one-on-one check-ins with *Perkins House leadership team member*.

Application Questions (please use as much space to answer as you need):

- What experience do you have living in community? What do you feel is most important for creating a healthy community within the house?

-Are you involved with a local church and/or Christian fellowship? If yes, which one/s and describe the nature of your involvement.

-What is your understanding of and experience with [Christian Community Development](#)?

-What other commitments do you have for the upcoming school year? Please be specific.

-What would you hope to gain by living in The Perkins House? What would you hope to offer?

-Name/s and contact information of recommenders (can be fellow Perkins House residents, professors or church/ministry staff)

Perkins House Program Calendar (example):

-Welcome Dinner (one-time)

-Opening Retreat (one-time)

-CCDA Conference (one-time) *requires travel

-Community Lunch (monthly)

-Mid-week House Time (weekly) *to be determined based on schedules

-Neighborhood Sabbath (weekly) *Sunday 1pm-5pm

For additional information please contact Christy Yates, christy@theologicalhorizons.org, or visit our website, perkinshousecharlottesville.org.

We will reach out to schedule interviews with applicants beginning late October. Initial deadline to apply is November 1st.