

**JULY 2020**

**CITA**

**Clase Internacional  
de Teología Aplicada**

**International Classroom of Applied Theology**



**LIVES IMPACTED BY CITA - JAN-JUN 2020**

Dear Friends:

This has been an unusual 2020 for all of us. I pray that you are healthy and able to be somewhat productive. With limited social contact we have accelerated our production of written materials and utilized zoom for some teaching as have many of you for your work. In this newsletter I want to take the opportunity to introduce to you our most active staff. It is impossible to name the dozens of people who serve CITA in many diverse ways but here are the few that contribute almost daily. We thank God for these highly competent and committed servants of Jesus Christ:



I was raised in a church whose doctrines made me a slave to fear, guilt and shame, and was taught that I could remedy all that via reciting prayers, doing penance and giving money. Although in my adolescence I left the church, the scars that remained on my soul and mind continued to torment me. In the kind providence of God, one day I ended up in CITA classes, and for the first time in my life I studied the Scriptures in a deep and complete way. I came to know the Truth and the Truth set me free. That day I cried tears of joy as well as sadness upon learning how great the cost to God was his redemptive love for us. Today it is my urgent passion that these precious Truths of grace taught in CITA be shared with the world.

**SUSANA PAIS Video Producer, Manuscript and Video Editor**

I served Christ for many years in my native country of Venezuela. For eleven (11) consecutive years I had the privilege of serving as the secretary for the denomination ADIEL, Association of Evangelical Free Churches of Venezuela, a denomination founded by missionaries of the same denomination in the USA from whose seminary TEDS Pastor Moran received his M.Div. Presently I am honored to support with my networking and administrative skills the ministry of CITA which trains pastors and leaders in true Christian theology. 1 Timothy 1:12. **AIDA PEREZ Administrative Assistant** .



In May of 2009, a friend invited me to a class in Spanish on the Doctrine of the Word of God. Even though it was 45 minutes (without traffic) from my house, I was hooked and started inviting many friends. Eleven years later I am still an enthusiastic student of CITA classes. The classes have completely molded my way of thinking and living. Now as a PCA elder I am more confident in the way I shepherd God's people, and as a realtor transformed in the way I treat my clients. In 2014, a group of CITA students and I approached pastor Moran and said, "the Hispanic world does not have access to this reformed teaching, and we need to share it." Praise God CITA-EDU was born and now is being used to train leaders in eight countries and is still growing. Every Wednesday I have the privilege of leading our prayer ministry which intercedes for 22 mentors and CITA students as well for the entire CITA support team. **PEDRO FERNANDEZ Leader of Team Prayer and CITA Chaplain.**

I received an invitation to attend a Christology class on a Monday night 45 minutes from my home. For me that was the best 45 minutes spent! I was impressed with the truth of the gospel as expounded by Pastor Moran. It had been a long time since my heart had been delighted to hear the Word of God taught with such depth, certainty and clarity! God has been using this ministry to bring much fruit!! God has used CITA to renew the truth of the Gospel in my life and to affirm these truths more firmly, especially in this time of spiritual darkness.

**ELIO BOSCAN Advisor of processes and communications.**



# SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES JANUARY—JUNE 2020

## HIGHLIGHTS 2020

- ◆ Produced 175 pages of manuscript for 22 classes of the course COVENANT THEOLOGY
- ◆ Produced nine (9) classes in video/audio for the course COVENANT THEOLOGY
- ◆ Trained elders at Rio Vista Community Church: Feb. 5, March 4, April 1, May 6, June 3
- ◆ Preached virtually to a group of churches in Colombia: May 3
- ◆ Preached via zoom in worship service for adolescent refugees held at Casa Quetzal: May 17
- ◆ Produced 50 pages of manuscript for a CITA course on the Mission of the Church
- ◆ Held successful fundraiser at home of Cristian and Leah Acero: February 29
- ◆ Spoke at the annual mission's conference of Pear Orchard Presbyterian Church: Feb. 15, 16
- ◆ Keynote speaker at the mission's conference of Trinity Presbyterian Church: March 6-8
- ◆ Prepared and presented seminar virtually on Gender Dysphoria to the PCA GA: June 12

## GOALS PENDING 2020

- ◆ Produce 30 more pages of manuscript for the course COVENANT THEOLOGY
- ◆ Produce 19 more video/audio classes for the course COVENANT THEOLOGY
- ◆ Train elders at Rio Vista Community Church: Aug. 5, Sep. 7, Oct. 7, Nov. 4, Dec. 2
- ◆ Finish writing course, Mission of the Church to videotape: Sep. 26-Oct. 4, in Colombia
- ◆ Preach via zoom at worship service for adolescent refugees, Casa Quetzal, Houston: July 19
- ◆ Participate in Zoom network meeting on Hispanic Church Planting in the PCA: July 13

We are profoundly grateful for all you supporters and friends of CITA. Without you this ministry would not be possible. May God shine his face and favor on you and your loved ones!

**David Moran. CITA Director**



## Our Vision

CITA-EDU, INC is a non-profit corporation established to give theological instruction at a Masters academic level for the Hispanic world via the Internet.

## Challenges and Demands

Worldwide the number of Latino Christians is growing rapidly. Today 22% or 110,000,000 Latinos are evangelical; in the USA there are 15,000,000 Hispanic evangelicals. Unfortunately, the preparation of trained leadership is not keeping pace with this growth.

The majority of Latino pastors have received little or no theological training. Consequently, the influence of un-biblical ideas such as the promise of wealth for faith, and legalism instead of the good news of grace is taking root.

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