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What's New

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Pacific Press at Hispanic Council Meeting

by Scott Cady

For the first time since the dawn of the COVID-19 pandemic, the conversation, laughter, and joyful singing of more than 50 Hispanic leaders and coordinators from across the North American Division echoed through the halls of the regional headquarters building.

From August 30 to September 1, 2022, the Multilingual Ministries department hosted the Hispanic Annual Council Meeting, where various speakers encouraged and inspired pastors and reminded them of their mission to multiply hope within their communities through the theme, "Multiplica Esperanza" ("Multiply Hope").

The three-day meeting commenced with the presentation of the Multiply Hope evangelistic plan. It also included ministry reports from the nine unions within the NAD, special presentations from Hispanic media ministries such as Esperanza TV, **El Centinela** magazine, and La Voz de La Esperanza radio ministry, among others.

Miguel, Ricardo, and Elvis reported that more than 45,000 copies of El Centinela have been distributed each month so far in 2022. The goal is to increase distribution to 50,000 copies per month by the end of the year.

During their presentation, attendees were able to order copies of both the sharing book and the lay training book for 2023. With the NAD's financial support of 20 cents per copy, the orders quickly multiplied to an astounding amount of more than 180,000 copies.

Ricardo reports that "We placed our hands over the books, praying over them like our pioneers used to do before the distribution of any book. We asked God to touch the hearts and lives of those who would receive this literature and thanked God for Pacific Press."

Welcome Megan Yoshioka!

by Kirsten Berger



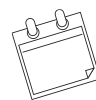
Megan recently joined the Product Development department as a Copy Editor/Proofreader, but is no newbie to copy editing! Before graduating from Southern Adventist University in May, she spent two years as the Editor-in-Chief of the *Southern Accent* (Southern University's newspaper). Luckily, her professor told her about an opening at Pacific Press, she applied, and now we are thrilled to have her here!

When asked what she likes about Pacific Press, she shared, "Everyone has been very nice, friendly, and welcoming. It's made both my move into a new state and the transition from college into the workplace much easier."

Megan is a self-proclaimed beach bum, she shares, "I used to live in the San Francisco Bay Area and just moved here from Hawaii, so I've almost always been near water. I didn't realize how much I gravitated toward it until I went to Southern where there are absolutely no

beaches. Luckily downtown Chattanooga has a river, so I hung out around there whenever I got the urge to be near the water. Considering all that, I'm glad Boise has a river." When being near the water isn't an option, Megan enjoys cooking, baking, drawing, and playing with her eleven-year-old Maltese-poodle, Koko. She looks forward to exploring the Treasure Valley and getting to know more people as she settles into Idaho.

If you haven't met Megan yet, be sure to stop by Product Development to say hello! We are so glad you're here, Megan!



Dateline

September 2022

- 21 PAYDAY
- 26 Chapel—Kirsten Berger, HR Director

October 2022

- 3 Chapel—Miguel Valdivia
- 5 PAYDAY
- 10-13 WEEK OF PRAYER
- 17 Chapel—Scott Cady, SWE
- 19 PAYDAY
- 24 Chapel—Ricardo Bentancur & Elvis Diaz—El Centinela
- 31 Chapel—Pr. Marlon Seifert