



# IN2 Near East

## April 2009



### What team will I be joining?

You will be joining an OM team. Over 5,400 people work with Operation Mobilisation (OM) in over 110 countries to bring a message of hope to the peoples of the world. Our purpose is to motivate and equip people to share God's love with people all over the world. OM seeks to help plant and strengthen churches, especially in areas of the world where Christ is least known.

### Where will I be going?

You will be going to a country in the Near East. The Near East countries are a mix of people groups, opportunities and openness. Ranging from Sunni, Shi'a, Bedouin, Druze, Christian, and all in between, you will find that no two people are the same, and no one can be put in a box. All of your perceptions about Middle Eastern people will be blown out of the water as you step out in faith, asking God to prepare divine appointments for you to share the good news with those who may never have heard it before.

### What will I be doing?

You will join an international team and some of the activities may include the following;

- Literature distribution
- Kids Clubs
- Visiting
- Friendship evangelism in public places
- Sports ministry
- Prayer trips
- English teaching

### Who can join?

We are able to take individuals aged 18 or over and also groups. We can take married couples, but no families. Participants need to be flexible. 'Time' and 'planning' mean different things in the Near East context! We want people who are ready and eager to see God move and act in whichever way He sees fit. We want people who are self motivated and ready to take on a challenge. Whatever happens, it will be a time and experience that you will never forget. Your team may be traveling quite a bit, so pack light and make sure you have room for literature!

### Where will I be sleeping and eating?

Come prepared for simple budget accommodation. Meals will be basic, often at times from restaurants, when you are not invited to eat with a local family that you may have just met.

### How do I get there?

More information will be provided on travel to the Near East nearer the time.

### Do I need a visa?

It depends on the country and your nationality. For some countries and nationalities visas need to be obtained before arrival, for others they can be obtained upon arrival. We will advise you closer to the time.

### What are the exact dates?

Monday 13 April to Sunday 19 April 2009

It will start immediately after the mission-net 2009 congress and you will travel from the congress to your team in the Near East on Monday 13 April. Departure is on Sunday 19 April in the afternoon or evening. We can arrange an additional night's accommodation, if it is more convenient for you to leave on Monday 20 April.

### How much will it cost?

190 Euros per person + travel costs

### When do I need to apply?

By Monday 9 March 2009 at the very latest. It is advisable to apply earlier as spaces are limited. Travel costs will also be cheaper if you book before the end of January 2009.

### How do I apply?

You need to apply through the mission-net website:

<http://www.mission-net.org/>

First register for the Congress and then for your IN2 team option. Go to the 2009 section and click on REGISTER NOW

### Any questions?

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