

ACADEMIC SERVICE LEARNING

Bridging the Theory/ Practice Gap

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Academic Service Learning

DEFINED

- “a teaching and learning strategy that integrates meaningful community service with instruction and reflection to enrich the learning experience, teach civic responsibility, and strengthen communities”

(National Service Learning Clearinghouse, 2019)

Student Benefits

- Learning Outcomes
- Personal Outcomes
- Social Outcomes
- Career Development
- Relationship with the Institution
- Faculty Benefits
- College and University Benefits
- Community Benefits



Fundamentals

- Hands and Feet Clinic



Relationships

- Red Cross



Ministry

- Lynchburg Community Care Collaborative

Academic Service
Learning: Problem -
based
DISCUSSION



Hands and Feet Clinic

LU SON
Ministry



MODELING
HUMILITY
PHIL 2:3-4

MEETING COURSE
OUTCOMES

MIRRORING
CHRIST'S EXAMPLE
JOHN 13:12-17

MAKING AN IMPACT



INITIAL INSPIRATION

- Dr. Dea Britt
- Foot Clinic, Union College

PRACTICAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Aligning with Course Outcomes
- Affiliation Agreement
- Budget and Supplies
- Developing Forms and Guidelines
- Illuminate Grant



INAUGURAL HANDS AND FEET CLINIC

- January 2016
- Nkombo Island, Rwanda
- 700 children
- Hygiene care, education, screening
- Sharing God's love



HANDS AND FEET CLINIC IN LYNCHBURG

- February 2016
- Supported by Sophomore and Senior nursing students
- Provided hygiene care, screening, and referral
- Nail painting/ Pampering
- Blessing Bags
- "No strings attached"

OVER 500 SERVED
LOCALLY. . . Lives/
hearts changed



American Red Cross



BLOOD DONOR
SERVICES

DISASTER

SERVICE TO ARMED
FORCES

Lynchburg Community Care Collaborative



LCCC Goals



QUALITY OF CARE

Patients

QUALITY OF
EDUCATION

Students

GOSPEL

PEER MENTORING

Student to Student

INTERPROFESSIONAL
EDUCATION







Experiential VOICE

--

EMPATHY REDISCOVERED

Conversations - unscripted

OMT -- REAL TIME

Behavioral health interventions

READERS AND TEARS

Coming alongside -- Meeting vulnerability face to face -- Empowerment



Illuminate Grant



2016

Hands and Feet Clinic

2019

Lynchburg Community Care
Collaborative

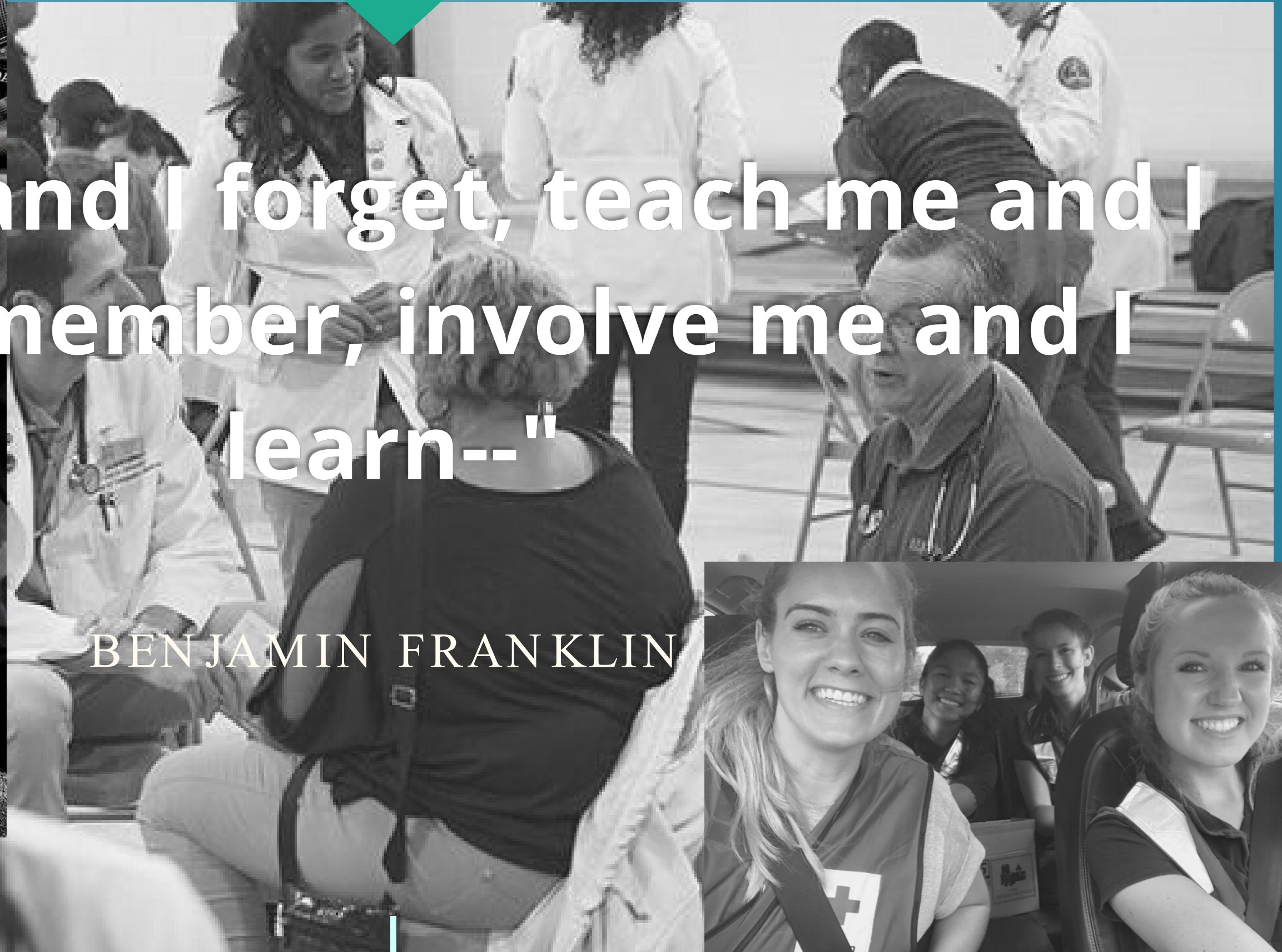
2020- PENDING

Red Cross-- Stop the Bleed



"Tell me and I forget, teach me and I
may remember, involve me and I
learn--"

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN



Round-table

DO YOU CURRENTLY OFFER ASL OPPORTUNITIES?

If so, what? If not, why?

HOW DO YOU SEE ASL IN YOUR RESPECTIVE DISCIPLINE?

Who is here :)

CONSIDERING THE MISSION OF LU, WHAT ARE YOUR THOUGHTS ON ASL AND INTEGRATION OF BIBLICAL WORLDVIEW?

His hands and feet...

STUDENT INSIGHT--

Let them have a VOICE.

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