



## ANNUAL DINNER: TABLE HOST INFORMATION SHEET

Table hosts are essential to the success of the IFI Vision Dinner as they invite their friends and seek to involve them in IFI. In order to fill the banquet hall with guests it takes at least 80-90 table hosts. Hosts don't need to pay for their table, they simply invite missions-minded Christians with the ability to be generous to come to the event.

### WHY BE A TABLE HOST?

Help IFI reach more students on more campuses by providing financial supporters.

### WHAT TYPES OF THINGS NEED TO BE DONE?

- Invite your friends in person or on the phone.
- Follow up with a paper Save the Date and Invitations or use the electronic email invitation system.
- Pray and ask God who you should invite.
- Communicate your progress, ask questions and pray with your Table Host Coach as needed.
- Encourage guests to take next steps to get involved.

### WHAT KIND OF TIME COMMITMENT IS INVOLVED?

The commitment is for one banquet season beginning in January (or whenever you sign up as a host) to early May. The busiest time period is 4 weeks before the Banquet. You can expect to spend less than 30 minutes a week and 60 minutes a week at the peak time.

### DO I HAVE TO BE AN IFI VOLUNTEER?

You don't need to be an IFI volunteer to be a Table Host. One-on-one coaching is provided.

### WHERE IS THE WORK TO BE DONE?

The work can be done on your own time from your own home.

### WHAT GIFTS AND EXPERIENCE WILL HELP A TABLE HOST TO FULFILL THEIR ROLE?

**While anyone who feels God is calling them to be a Table Host should do so.** There are certain gifts and experience that would be helpful to a person in this position as listed below.

- Networking (business owner or entrepreneur or well-connected with people at your church)
- Faith
- Giving
- Vision-casting