



CHRISTIAN UNION AT CORNELL

*“My wife and I support
Christian Union
financially and as
volunteers because it is
working effectively to
re-connect tomorrow’s leaders
with the truth, hope, joy,
and purpose found only
in Christ.”*

– Erik Codrington
Cornell '86
Duke '92
Managing Director,
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Christian Union at Cornell

IN 1865, CORNELL WAS ESTABLISHED TO PROVIDE AN “INSTITUTION where any person can find instruction in any study.” Cornell’s founder, Ezra Cornell, sought to create an inclusive environment, which over the years has morphed into an intensely secular campus environment. To help meet the need for Christian influence on campus, Matt Bennett launched Christian Union at Cornell in 2012.

Christian Union shapes the lives of students through its rigorous Bible courses, one-on-one mentorship with high-caliber ministry fellows, and compelling weekly leadership lecture series, “Vita Fidei” (Life of Faith). By God’s grace, the ministry has grown from a handful of students in Bible courses in 2012 to over 130 students in recent years.

Christian Union seeks a spiritually vibrant nation marked by Christian values permeating every corner of society. To that end, the ministry is launching young men and women with determination to use their strategic influence for godly purposes. Christian Union students are leading change on campus: marshaling intellectual reasoning in the classroom, championing the Christian worldview, and transforming the athletic and social cultures. Alumni are influencing the world’s leading institutions and graduate programs.

We believe God wants to do so much more. Through your financial partnership, Christian Union can hire additional ministry fellows to reach even more students.

Join Christian Union in asking the Lord to move powerfully at Cornell, rejoicing in His promise to draw near to all who seek Him.

If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

– II CHRONICLES 7:14



A STUDENT'S PERSPECTIVE

“Thank you so much for your generous support of this ministry that has spoken life into me. I have grown in my love for Jesus immeasurably.”

- Ingrid Winter '18

DEEPEN THE CHRISTIAN INFLUENCE AT CORNELL AND BEYOND

Imagine Cornell's campus culture transformed academically and socially by a bold, pervasive Christian presence. Imagine hundreds of leaders emerging from Cornell each year with the godly devotion and leadership skills to shift the future of the nation. It is already underway! The Lord is moving at Cornell.

With your help, we believe God will do even more.

As of December 31, 2017, 85% of funding for 2017-2018 has already been secured.

Annual Cornell Ministry Budget	\$1,089,000
GIVING AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2017	
Committed Leadership Gifts	\$845,000
Additional Gifts Received	\$79,976
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Total Funds Committed Year-to-Date	\$924,976
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Remaining Funds to Raise by 6/30/18	\$164,024

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

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3. **Pray** to see God glorified at Cornell!
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