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Personality Questionnaire

An essential aspect to ministry is understanding yourself and others so that you can minister effectively. A very effective tool in understanding personality is the Myers-Briggs personality evaluator. There is no right personality, and especially no "RUF personality." Personality does not recommend or exclude you from ministry, but it does indicate how you will approach this job. Therefore it is an important part of our overall training process.

Go to this link: http://www.humanmetrics.com/cgi-win/jtypes1.htm and take the survey. It should take you less than 10 minutes. Do not over-think your answers. Your first thought will be the right one.

Then read the paper, "Personality Handout" or "Personality Handout - CM," also on this web page. The latter is an expanded version with comments about how different personalities approach ministry. It is particularly useful for campus ministers.

Most of my thoughts come from the following resources. I recommend that you consult them yourself.

Please Understand Me II, Keirsey, David http://www.keirsey.com/

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