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COPIM III: Northern California Priests, Brothers and Sisters

Course Status Not Yet Available

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Description The Cultural Orientation Program for International Ministers (COPIM) is a series of three 3-day workshops designed to support the ministry of priests and religious sisters and brothers whose native culture is not that of the United States. COPIM gives priests and religious some opportunities for cultural dialogue in supportive, affirming contexts. They learn more about the church, society, and culture of the United States while also appreciating and affirming their own cultural heritage and values. The goal is to enable participants to become more critically aware of both their own cultures and the U.S. culture(s) they serve. The first workshop is in the Fall, with two more workshops next Spring. This program is open to priests and religious brothers and sisters serving in any U.S. (arch)diocese, especially those in **Northern California and Nevada.**

Schedule: This is the third of three workshops. Workshop begins at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday and concludes with lunch on Friday.

Session Spring 2010
Days W Th F
Dates 4/21/10 - 4/23/10
Times 5:00 PM-1:00PM
of Classes 3
of Weeks 1
Teachers Hoover, C.S.P., Brett
Manalo, Vincent

Teacher Bio **Rev. Brett Hoover, C.S.P.** is a doctoral candidate in culture, mission, and theology at the Graduate Theological Union in Berkeley, California. Ordained for the Paulist Fathers, he has taught on the intersection of church and cultures in the United States at the seminary, parish, and diocesan levels. Fr. Brett was also the co-founder and editor-in-chief of BustedHalo.com, an award-winning spirituality web site for young adults. He has served as a parish priest in New York City, ministering in English and in Spanish to diverse cultural communities. He has written for magazines, journals, and the Web, and he is the author of *Losing Your Religion, Finding Your Faith: Spirituality for Young Adults* (Paulist, 1998), and co-author of *Soundbyte Spirituality* (Paulist, 2002)

Format Classroom

Credit(s) Earned 1.5

Location/Map Link The Jesuit Retreat Center, of Los Altos, Los Altos, CA 94022

Fee(s)

Tuition \$ 410

Total Fees \$ 410