



Lyndell (& Paulo) Campbell Réquia

Theological Education in Brazil



Lyndell grew up in a Christian home and has loved meeting missionaries from a young age.

After high school, she attended Bible college, where she graduated in 1990 with a Bachelor of Arts in Religion. In her early years of ministry, she worked in three Baptist churches in educational ministries and as a resident director at her alma mater. But in her heart, she knew one day the Lord would call her to the mission field. After completing her Master of Arts in Student Development at Providence Theological Seminary in 1998, she served

in the Student Life Department and on faculty at Taylor University College, where she had the privilege of training and leading short-term mission teams.

In 2003, Lyndell arrived in southern Brazil to accept the invitation to work in theological education, where she taught at the Rio Grande do Sul Baptist Theological Seminary. During the 20 years she spent there, she also served as chaplain and coordinator of the Pastoral Formation program. She also led lay leadership training in many local evangelical churches. One of her most cherished roles was mentoring young women called into vocational ministry, one of whom served as a missionary in England and Asia. In 2010, Lyndell married Paulo Andre Réquia, and since that time, has helped to support his ministry as a pastor and national missionary.

Lyndell was appointed the Brazil field director in 2019. That same year, she joined the NAB Mission Advisory Team. In 2021, the Brazil field partnered with Kairos University to offer master's degrees and a Doctor of Ministry in Brazil. Recently, she has started teaching at the Southern Independent Baptist Theological Seminary. Lyndell, her NAB colleagues, and a Southern Baptist missionary couple started RumoPlan, a church planters' network, to support church planters with training and resources. Lyndell continues to mentor young women heading into full-time ministry in Brazil. She is excited to extend her passion for serving women to North America by being part of the NAB Women's Connection Leadership Team.

Lyndell enjoys reading, photography, playing board games, and, most of all, spending time with family and friends. While Paulo and Lyndell do not have biological children, they do their best to take care of the many young people and animals the Lord brings into their lives.

As Lyndell reflects on these past years on the mission field, she shares, "I love being a missionary because of how it impacts my relationship with the Lord. I also love being a missionary because I get a chance to invest in people and learn so much from them as we grow together. I am truly blessed beyond words and am so thankful for all those who have supported me so that I can serve in this way in Brazil!"

Birthdays:

Lyndell – November 7
Paulo – December 28

Anniversary:

November 27

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