

Scott F. Rische



Scott Rische is grateful to be serving as the International Director of Pastoral Leadership Institute (PLI) and to be a part of leading the international side of PLI along with his wife Lori. Scott and Lori have been married for 37 years. Scott and Lori have four children, and eight grandchildren. Scott and Lori live in the northern panhandle of Idaho. As a part of their work with PLI, Scott and Lori lived overseas in China for three years from 2013-2016 and continue to travel to all parts of the world each year.

Prior to his calling in 2011 to serve as the director of PLI's international work, Scott served as a church planter in La Fox, Illinois, and lead pastor in El Cajon, California. He received his D. Min. from Bakke Graduate University in 2006 in the area of church planting movements. Scott's passions and callings in life are to see people come into a faith relationship with Jesus Christ, as well as to teach, encourage, develop, and mentor leaders for mission and ministry. Scott is a private pilot and enjoys flying, writing, music, woodworking, and anything outdoors.