

## Patrick and Jamie Nachtigall Regional Coordinators for Europe and the Middle East



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- Serving as liaisons between Global Missions of Church of God Ministries and the missionaries and national leaders in Europe and the Middle East and North America.
- Joining with national leaders in strategic planning and implementation of ministries.
- Supervising, counseling, and coordinating missionaries.
- Establishing budgets and raising funds for mission ministries.

Prior to accepting this assignment as regional coordinators for Europe and the Middle East in 2010, Patrick and Jamie served as career missionaries in Hong Kong and China for nine years.

Jamie and Patrick both graduated from Anderson University. Patrick also holds a master's degree from Yale University, where he studied the role of Christianity during the process of modernization in the People's Republic of China. Between the two of them, they have traveled to more than 70 countries and lived in six different regions of the world. Patrick is the author of three books, used in colleges and seminaries in various countries, dealing with globalization's interaction with religion, particularly Christianity.

Patrick was adopted by missionaries Harry and Jene Nachtigall in San Jose, Costa Rica, and has lived in Costa Rica, Panama, the United States, South Korea, Hong Kong, and Germany. Both Jamie's parents (Russ and Sharon Skaggs) and her grandparents served as missionaries for the Church of God in Egypt. Jamie grew up and went to school in Cairo and has also lived in the United States, Hong Kong, and Germany. Like Patrick, she is a TCK (third-culture kid) and has always felt comfortable traveling the world and interacting with different cultures.

Patrick and Jamie's son Marco is also a fantastic traveler and loves exploring new places and cultures. He also loves all things Lego and Star Wars. Like his parents, he is an avid reader.

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