

BIO – Benjamin D. Willans

Benjamin D. Willans is a third-year Master of Divinity student at Princeton Theological Seminary who completed a round of CPE education under the direction of Dr. Jacob George in Anchorage Alaska. Before this, he was a high school history teacher for three years and holds a master's in education from Rutgers University. Alongside his studies, Ben serves as the chaplain of the Whippany Fire Department in Whippany, New Jersey, a contract chaplain with Ann Klein Forensic Center (where he had previously worked and studied chaplaincy as an intern), a pastoral care intern for the Presbyterian Church of Lawrenceville and is an active player on the Morris Men's Rugby team. He is particularly interested in Pastoral Care studies and is spending his last year at Princeton Theological Seminary focusing on such. Following graduation in May, Ben hopes to continue his CPE studies to become a board-certified chaplain and faithfully serve the community he finds himself in.