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# Dr. Mary Mikhael, President Near East School of Theology in Beirut, Lebanon

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The Near East School of Theology (N.E.S.T.) is the oldest Christian Seminary in the Middle East, training protestant leaders in the reformed faith tradition since 1835.

Dr. Mary Mikhael is a Presbyterian Elder in the Presbyterian Church in Beirut, Lebanon. She is an Associate Professor of Christian Education, got a Masters degree from the PSCE in Richmond, VA, and an Ed. D. from Columbia University and Union Theological Seminary in New York City. She has been on the Faculty of Near East School of Theology (NEST) since 1984. She became the first woman President of NEST in 1994 and continues in the same position. Mary is deeply concerned about women's issues most particularly, the role of women in the Christian ministry, as well as decision-makers in the society.

Dr. Mikhael authored the Presbyterian Women's Horizon Bible Study on Joshua for 2010, which PW groups and churches across the country have used to deepen their faith and understanding.

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N.E.S.T.  
Students  
& Faculty  
in Beirut,  
Lebanon.



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