



## Ministry Training Scheme and Intern Scheme

### Application Form

Please fill in this form **using black ink or type** and return to the Beeston Free Church Office. If there is insufficient space for answers please attach an additional sheet.

*Please indicate which scheme you wish to apply for:*

Ministry training scheme

Intern scheme

#### A. PERSONAL DETAILS

Surname:

Title: Mr / Mrs / Miss / other

Usual Christian name: Other names:

Nationality:

Are you legally eligible for employment in the UK? YES/NO

Age:

Date of Birth:

Home Address:

Term Address (if different):

Telephone Home:

Telephone Work:

May we contact you at work? YES/NO

E-mail:

Do you hold a full licence to drive a car in the UK? YES/NO

Give details of any endorsements to your licence in the last 3 years:

What previous contact have you had with Beeston Free?

## **B. HEALTH**

Would you say that your health was      GOOD / FAIR / POOR

Have you been away from work or studies for any significant periods? (e.g. more than one week at a time or more than three weeks in any one year)      YES/NO

If yes, please give details.

Would you consider yourself to have any physical impairment that might impact your work?

If yes, please give details, including any changes which may be need to be made to the work environment to assist you?

## **C. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND WORK EXPERIENCE**

List secondary schools/colleges/universities attended, giving years of attendance and qualifications obtained with grades/class. Please also give full details of any relevant training.

Present Employer:

Position Held:

Current Salary:

Do you have any other benefits? If so, please list and if possible give their value.

List chronologically, with dates and employers' names, other positions held in the last three years (most recent position first). Please give reasons for leaving.

## **D. CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE**

State your denomination and church:

How and when did you become a Christian?

What have been the main influences on your Christian life and how have they had this influence?

What gifts do you believe God has given you and how have you used them?

What involvement have you had in your church, Christian Union or any other Christian organisation?

## E. THIS POSITION

As far as you can tell now, what do you want to do with your life and how do you plan to achieve this?

Why have you applied for the Beeston Free Ministry Training Scheme or the Intern Scheme?

Why do you consider yourself suitable for it?

What areas of ministry are you particularly interested in being involved with at Beeston Free? Why are you interested in these areas?

### Finance

All **ministry trainees** will be expected to raise some of their financial support. Ideally this should amount to at least 50% of the funds required for the year. We estimate that living costs for a single person for the period of the course will be in the order of £10,000. Beeston Free will try to help with suggestions for raising money and will ensure that no trainee suffers financial hardship during the year. The church will cover costs associated with the training programme. Finances will be discussed at interview, so please come prepared to give an indication now of how much you think you will be able to raise towards your own support and where this will come from (e.g. savings, parents, friends).

All **interns** will be expected to be self-supporting. The church will cover the cost of any training courses attended. Finances will be discussed at interview so please come prepared to discuss how you intend to support yourself.

## F. INTERESTS

What kinds of indoor and outdoor recreation do you pursue?

What books - secular and religious - have you read recently, which have had an impact on you?

Which newspapers/periodicals do you read regularly?

## G. REFEREES

Please give the names of two people, in addition to your current employer (if currently employed), who are willing to act as your referees. They should preferably have known you for at least two years. If possible one should be a Minister or Church Leader (not from Beeston Free)

REFEREE 1

Name:

Status:

Telephone:

Address:

REFEREE 2

Name:

Status:

Telephone:

Address:

CURRENT EMPLOYER:

Name:

Status:

Telephone:

Address:

When may they be approached as a referee?

Signature of Applicant: Date: