



# THE PROCESS

## WHO IS THIS FOR?

A one year practical course open to all who want to become better equipped for leadership in mission and church planting. No prior educational qualifications are required. A reference from a recognised church leader is required.

An advanced second and third year is also available leading to a Diploma in Missional Leadership also endorsed by TQUK.

## HOW IS THE COURSE DELIVERED?

The course can be completed in one year on a full-time study basis. It is also available on a part-time basis. It consists of classroom experience – either in a virtual learning environment or face to face, a ministry placement and tutorials for personal development. Study support as well as guided self-study is available.

## WHAT IS THE COURSE CONTENT AND STRUCTURE?

There are 6 modules. Each module takes approximately 6 weeks of study with 20 hours of class time during those 6 weeks.

# OUR TEAM



### SEBASTIEN BRANDT

Sebastien is the Course Director for the Engage Missional Training programme. Born in France, Seb serves as a missionary in Scotland with his wife Jess and their 3 children. He holds a degree in Computer Science, in Practical Ministry and an MA in Theology. Recently, he lectured in a BA programme at Tilsley College where he also has been their Pastoral Lead.



### DR MARTIN ROBINSON

Following 12 years working as a clergy person, mostly in inner city Birmingham, he spent 15 years as the Director of Mission and Theology at the Bible Society. Martin was the Principal and CEO of ForMission College. Currently he is the National Moderator of FCC and also part of the Engage West Midlands core team. Martin has written some 16 books on mission in the West and is an acknowledged international speaker, writer & thought leader.



### EMMANUEL IORNONGU

Emmanuel Iornongu is an accomplished full-time missionary with 30 years of experience in church planting among different people groups, a consummate Prayer warrior, a Trainer of Pastors and Christian leaders, a mentor, and a Life Coach.



### HIRPO KUMBI

Hirpo Kumbi is originally from Ethiopia and came to the UK with the intention of planting churches. Over the last twenty years he has planted churches in the UK and in a number of other European nations. He is an author, especially in relation to mission across cultures. Hirpo is completing a Ph.D at Liverpool Hope University.



### DR ANDY MACKIE

Andy Mackie is the Forge Midlands Director, and part of the Engage West Midlands leadership team. Andy lives in Birmingham, and has a passion to see the city and region transformed by the kingdom of God.

# THE MODULES

Certificate in Missional Leadership  
Endorsed by TQUK



## WHO TEACHES THE STUDENTS?

The course is supported by a coalition of organisations: Greater Europe Mission (GEM), the Fellowship of Churches of Christ (FCC), FORGE Missional Training and Engage West Midlands. The tutors and facilitators are all experienced church planting practitioners.

## THE COST

Each module costs £300 and can be paid weekly, monthly or in advance. (A 6 week module can, for example, be paid at £50.00 per week).

## APPLICATION

Please complete our online interest form at [www.engageuk.org.uk/missionaltraining](http://www.engageuk.org.uk/missionaltraining) and we will then contact you with an application form.

[training@engageuk.org.uk](mailto:training@engageuk.org.uk)

SKILLS	KNOWLEDGE	CHARACTER	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS	CHARACTER
<b>01</b> <b>Church Planting and Community Strategy</b>  Who are we trying to reach?  How do we understand the neighbourhood or people group that we are trying to reach?  How do we communicate the gospel effectively?	<b>02</b> <b>Church Planting Principles</b>  What is the process for effective church planting?  How do we recruit a team?  How do we select a church planting model and prepare for launch and beyond?	<b>03</b> <b>The Christian Leader &amp; Spiritual Formation</b>  How do we listen to God?  How do we develop our Christian character?  How do we overcome difficulties?	<b>04</b> <b>The Nature of Christian Leadership</b>  What is the distinctive nature of Christian leadership?  How do we build team and manage conflict?  How do we understand our impact on others?	<b>05</b> <b>Strategy for Church Growth</b>  Exploring key church growth principles  Learning how to apply effective evangelistic principles  Creating strategies to reach across cultural barriers	<b>06</b> <b>Cross cultural mission</b>  Identifying our impact on others  Developing cultural awareness  Listening to others and reading culture

**Typical Single Module** *Modules can be taken individually at certain times of the year.*

**Length:** 6 weeks

**Class Time:** 20 hrs (15hr online, 5hr on-site as appropriate)

**Group Tutorials:** 2hrs/week (on 5 weeks only per module)

**Personal Studies:** 3 books with reviews / 1 essay (1000 words)

**Practical:** 14hrs/week (Placements can be in your existing missional context or we can arrange them).

**Typical Year for the 6-module certificate** (late Sept '21-June '22)

**Term 1 - modules 01 & 02** 27 Sept 21- 18 Dec 21 (12 weeks)

**Term 2 - modules 03 & 04** 10 Jan 22 - 1 Apr 22 (12 weeks)

**Term 3 - modules 05 & 06** 18 Apr 22 - 25 Jun 22 (10 weeks)