This is our core vocation – **to enable community and church leaders and change – makers** to insert themselves deeply in local contexts, to read their contexts well, to reflect theologically and biblically, and **to construct ministry responses that will bring healing and change.**

Our training supports people to be hope–fully present in the real life situations of every day.



Our training is designed to prepare leaders to

- o Address the challenges faced in their communities
- Accompany communities in ways that will address the deeper causes of some of the challenges
- Help communities imagine new and preferred realities for themselves
- Accompany communities in appreciating, retrieving, mobilizing and optimizing their own assets
- Hep facilitate locally-owned ministry practices, processes and programmes that will construct new realities.

The above will be implemented through studies in **Leadership development**, **healing and counselling**, **congregational and organizational development**. & **urban and community transformation**.

EMPOWERED FOR MINISTRY & CHANGE-MAKING

It does not matter whether you have been trained in the past or not, there is a course that will serve your need

The Centre for Faith and Community is a training centre that is hosted by the University to focus on the training of community and church leaders in South Africa and beyond, for contextual engagement in their communities. In addition, the Centre does research, provides consulting services, and is the Faculty of Theology's preferred vehicle for community engagement.

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OVERVIEW OF COURSES

	Leadership Studies	Healing & Counselling Studies
Programme Courses	Faith Communities & Missional Leadership Personal & Corporate Coaching	Pastoral Care & Counselling Narrative Pastoral Counselling Clinical Pastoral Counselling
Advanced Courses	Political Theology [tailor – made in French]	Trauma Counselling Hopeful Compassion: HIV/AIDS Counselling & Care You Have the Power: Victim Support & Empowerment Memory Work: Loss, Death & Bereavement Clinical Pastoral Counselling Church – Based Counselling Centre Management Narrative Pastoral Experiences Sexuality and Gender Supervision for Pastoral Narrative Therapists
Basic Courses	Constructing Local Theologies: an Introduction to Doing Theology Contextually From Victims to Agents Understanding Worldviews Christian Spirituality History of Christian Movements Academic Orientation Practicum	Pastoral Care Counselling for Beginners (On – Line) Crisis & Trauma Support Narrative Group Counselling Introduction to Narrative Pastoral Practices Spiritual Care and Counselling for the Sick

Organisational & Congregational Studies	Urban & Community Transformation Studies
Youth Ministry [an Inclusive Relational Approach]	Leadership in Urban Transformation
Radio Ministry Interim Ministry The Bible and Its Message	Building Sustainable Urban Community Organisations Children, Faith and Society
Introduction to Ministry Contextual Bible Reading Faith Communities & Missional Leadership Contextual Preaching Youth Ministry Youth Ministry (On – Line)	Approaches to Community Transformation Introduction to Urban Ministry Starting & Sustaining Community Projects Early Childhood Development Marriage Ministry Parenting Ministry Peace — Building & Conflict Resolution

PROGRAMMES

FAITH COMMUNITIES & MISSIONAL LEADERSHIP

P001598

Purpose of the Course:

The purpose of this course is to nurture Christian leaders in faith communities,

- To reflect critically and discern well on their own vocation in relation to their contexts,
- to integrate their own narratives and spiritualties, with an understanding of their institutional and contextual environments, and
- to engage in hopeful, innovative and transforming ways with their communities and contexts,
- using certain insights, tools, resources and capacities.

Who may attend:

Pastors and other leaders who have matriculated and have at least a three year diploma in Theology or a degree.

Note:

Students who qualify to register for an Honour's or Master's degree at the Faculty of Theology and Religion, University of Pretoria, can offer this course as part of a structured Honour's/Master's degree in Practical Theology.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course lasts one year. There are five periods of contact tuition. Homework assignments must be completed *after every module*. Evaluation is also done during each week of contact tuition.

Dates of contact weeks:

Week 1: 07 – 10 Feb 2022 Week 2: 28 – 31 Mar 2022 Week 3: 23 – 26 May 2022 Week 4: 22 – 25 Aug 2022 Week 5: 17 – 20 Oct 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R7 500 (Incl VAT)

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

PERSONAL & CORPORATE COACHING

P002689

Purpose of the course:

The advanced course in coaching provides exposure to the very wide field of coaching. Whilst providing broad exposure, it gives special attention to a narrative practice of coaching, spirituality as part of our diversity, and the African context. It develops the knowledge, skills and competencies of the coach on a professional level to be reckoned as a responsible and competent practitioner in coaching. It reflects on the underlying worldviews and inspires independent thought whilst drawing on interdisciplinary perspectives.

Who may attend:

Persons with a tertiary qualification like a degree or diploma; persons who are already involved in coaching; persons with a minimum of five years' work experience. This may include thought and business leaders; managers in a corporate environment; people wanting to explore different leadership models as they take responsibility for individuals or teams; as well as consultants, therapists, managers, psychologists, community and church leaders, and formal facilitators.

Note:

Students who qualify to register for an Honours or Master's degree at the Faculty of Theology and Religion, University of Pretoria, can offer this course as part of a structured course work Honours/Master's degree in Practical Theology.

Structure and duration of course:

This is a one – year course. There are five periods of contact tuition. Written – and practical assignments are done after every week of contact sessions. Each module will consist of theory, consideration of practical work in a specific context and in – depth reflection and integration of information. These same modules can be taken individually at a reduced cost, if students prefer not to enrol for the whole course because of personal interests or time constraints.

Dates of contact weeks:

Week 1: 21 - 24 Feb 2022 (Narrative Coaching)

Week 2; 09 - 12 May 2022 (Narrative Practice / Narrative Coaching level 2)

Week 3: 01 - 04 Aug 2022 (Enhanced GROW Coaching)

Week 4: 10 - 13 Oct 2022 (Collaborative Practice for Coaching)

Venue:

Pretoria University Main Campus

Cost:

R9 800 per Module (Incl VAT)

R34 500 per course (Incl VAT)

* Special rates and discounts apply for non – profit organisations (T's&C's apply).

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

PASTORAL CARE & COUNSELLING

P000043

Purpose of the course:

Pastors and lay counsellors are challenged by the need for emotional, relational and spiritual healing in the South African context. In this course the theory and practice of narrative pastoral care and counselling will be integrated and students equipped to offer hope in a wide variety of situations.

Who may attend:

Pastors and other leaders who have matriculated and have a three – year diploma in Theology or a degree.

Note

Students who qualify to register for an Honours or Master's degree at the Faculty of Theology and Religion, University of Pretoria, can offer this course as part of a structured course work Hons/Master's degree in Practical Theology.

Structure and duration of course:

This is a one – year course with five weeks of contact tuition. Written assignments are done after every week of contact sessions. Each module will consist of theory, practical work in a specific context and in – depth reflection and integration of information.

Dates of contact weeks:

Week 1: 07 - 10 Feb 2022 (Pastoral Counselling Foundations)

Week 2: 09 – 11 May 2022 (Relationship Building) Week 3: 11 – 15 Jul 2022 (Trauma Counselling)

Week 4: 12 - 15 Sep 2022 (Focused pastoral Counselling)

Week 5: 07 - 10 Nov 2022 (Congregational Pastoral Counselling)

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R7 500 (Incl VAT)

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

NARRATIVE PASTORAL COUNSELLING

P001875

Purpose of the course:

The need for pastoral care is growing exponentially. This course provides students with exposure to the practice of pastoral care. Students will be equipped to facilitate hope and healing in a wide variety of pastoral situations.

Who may attend:

Any person who has matriculated and have a three year diploma or degree; or who have obtained 30 credits by completing enough basic courses at this Centre.

Note:

Students who qualify to register for an Honours or Master's degree at the Faculty of Theology, University of Pretoria, can offer this course as part of a structured course work Honours or Master's degree in Practical Theology specializing in Narrative Pastoral Counselling.

Structure and duration of course:

A two – year course consisting of 3 – hour seminars for 36 weeks per year, including practical counselling sessions. Students will also be required to submit three essays and a portfolio of evidence in the form of a journal.

Dates of contact weeks:

Starts 31 Jan 2022 (Two Year Programme)

Venue:

Coram Deo Pastoral Care Centre, Pretoria

Cost:

R9 200 per Year (Incl VAT)

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

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Please Note: This course is coordinated by Coram Deo. For registration, please contact lizelle.faber@coramdeo.co.za.

YOUTH MINISTRY — AN INCLUSIVE RELATIONAL APPROACH

P000046

Purpose of the course:

Ministering to children and young people in the South and Southern African societies is a real opportunity. This course equips pastors and other youth leaders to provide an effective ministry to children, teenagers and young adults within the South and Southern African context — as part of the local faith community.

Who may attend:

Pastors and other leaders who have matriculated and have at least a three diploma in Theology or a degree.

Note:

Students who qualify to register for an Honour's or Master's degree at the Faculty of Theology and Religion, University of Pretoria, can offer this course as part of a structured/course work Honour's/Master's degree in Practical Theology.

Structure and duration of the course:

This is a one – year course, with six periods of contact tuition. Written assignments are done after every contact week. Open book tests are also done as of the second week of contact tuition.

Dates of contact weeks:

Week 1: 17 – 20 Jan 2022 (Theological Departure)
Week 2: 28 – 31 March 2022 (Family Ministry)
Week 3: 06 – 09 June 2022 (Children Ministry)
Week 4: 05 – 08 Sept 2022 (Christian Education)
Week 5: 14 – 17 Nov 2022 (Young Adults/Leadership)

Venue.

Pretoria

Cost:

R7 500 (Incl VAT)

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

LEADERSHIP IN URBAN TRANSFORMATION

P002937

Purpose of the Course:

This course is designed to equip urban practitioners connected with urban challenges with values, knowledge and skills, that will enable them to serve as incarnational and transformational urban leaders, able to read, re – imagine and reconstruct their communities, with many other people. The course will draw from stories of hope around the world.

Who may attend:

People working in faith – based organisations, community organisations, or urban Churches (community, non – profit and church leaders), or generally committed to urban transformation that is socially inclusive; and who have matriculated and have a three – year diploma or degree.

Note:

Students who qualify to register for an Honour's or Master's degree at the Faculty of Theology and Religion, University of Pretoria, can offer this course as part of a structured course work Hons/Master's degree in Practical Theology.

Structure and duration of course:

This is a one – year course with five weeks of contact tuition. Written assignments are done after every week of contact sessions. Each module will consist of theory, practical exercises, and in – depth reflection and integration of information.

Dates of contact weeks: Gauteng

Week 1: 21 – 24 Feb 2022 Week 2: 11 – 14 Apr 2022 Week 3: 06 – 09 Jun 2022 Week 4: 22 - 25 Aug 2022 Week 5: 31 Oct – 03 Nov 2022

Cost:

R7 600 (Incl Vat)

Dates of Contact Weeks: Cape Town

Week 1: 07 – 10 March 2022 Week 2: 09 – 12 May 2022 Week 3: 11 – 14 July 2022 Week 4: 12 - 15 Sep 2022 Week 5: 14 – 17 November 2022

Cost:

R9 200 (Incl Vat)

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

CLINICAL PASTORAL COUNSELLING

Purpose of the Course:

In this unique course you will be cushioned in finding your own answers as you journey with people in their crisis of illness and hospitalization. This programme brings participants into a supervised encounter with persons in crisis. You will grow in your awareness of yourself and develop new skills, through supervision by specialist pastoral counsellors.

Who may attend:

Pastoral Counsellors, Ministers, Social Workers, Nursing Practitioners and Lay Counsellors.

Note:

Students who qualify to register for an Honour's or Master's degree at the Faculty of Theology and Religion, University of Pretoria, can offer this course as part of a structured course work Hons/Master's degree in Practical Theology. The programme will pave the way for successful participants to apply for the designation of advanced religious Professional in Christian Pastoral Counselling from the Council for pastoral and Spiritual counsellors

Structure and duration of course:

This is a one – year course with five weeks of contact tuition. Written assignments are done after every week of contact sessions. Each module will consist of theory, practical exercises, and in – depth reflection and integration of information.

Dates of contact weeks:

Online: 31 Jan – 03 Feb, 09 – 12 May; 15 – 18 Aug and 01 – 31 Oct - 03 Nov 2022

Cost:

R7 500 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: The role of spirituality in multi professional "whole person care"
- Module 2: Functioning of the multi disciplinary team
- . Module 3: Self-care and burnout
- Module 4: Theological perspectives on illness, healing, death and suffering
- . Module 5: African perspectives on illness and healing
- Module 6: Advanced pastoral counselling practices
- Module 7: Specialized care and counselling

Facilitators include professionals from the fields of clinical pastoral counselling, medicine, nursing, social work and psychology .Please note: This course is coordinated by HospiVision. For registration, please contact Pretoria: June Kriel (012) 329-4420 /friend@hospivisin.org.za Cape Town: Wanda de Jager (021) 931-0311 wanda@hospivision.org.za

Closing date for applications:

16 December 2021

Please note: Only 15 participants can accommodated per site

ADVANCED COURSES

CHILDREN, FAITH AND SOCIETY

P003623

Purpose of the course:

This course is for leaders of organisations and ministries dealing with children's issues, policy makers in the field of child justice, and practitioners working with children's issues. As such, it is a must for faith – based and other leaders committed to children, for anyone committed to children as a socio – political and theological priority, and for anyone who would like to think theologically about the priority of children.

Who may attend:

Child advocates or leaders of programmes focused on children, as well as anyone committed to them and their context as a theological priority that has a Grade 12 and 3 years post – matric qualification.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course is presented over five days. A homework assignment must be completed. Evaluation is done during the period of contact tuition.

Dates of contact weeks:

04 - 07 July 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R3 500 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Children as a theological and sociological priority
- Module 2: Doing child centred contextual theology
- Module 3: Child development and holistic ministry
- Module 4: Healing the wounded child
- Module 5: Child protection and child justice
- Module 6: Advocacy for, with and by children

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

POLITICAL THEOLOGY [TAILOR — MADE IN FRENCH]

P002913

Purpose of the course:

To enable people of faith in politics, but also other church, community and public leaders to develop Biblical visions, models and practices of leadership, authority and power, to understand and construct political theologies in their own contexts, and to develop a model for pastoral care of political and other public leaders

Who may attend:

Political, pastoral and community leaders who have matriculated and have at least a three diploma or a degree.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course is presented over three days. A homework assignment must be completed. Evaluation is done during the period of contact tuition.

Dates of contact weeks:

02 - 07 May 2021

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R2 500 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Critically explore issues related to leadership, authority and power
- Module 2: Develop biblical visions, models and practices of leadership
- Module 3: Understand and construct political theologies in their own contexts
- Module 4: Understand and develop a model of pastoral care of political and other public leaders

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

TRAUMA COUNSELLING

P000041

Purpose of the course:

To enable pastors and other counsellors to deal with the process of recovery and healing after a traumatic experience. We live in a traumatized society. The church and/or the pastoral counsellor is often the only 'immediate' available resource for support and guidance.

Who may attend:

Any person with a grade 12 and who is interested and/or involved in addressing individual and community trauma.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course is offered over three full days.

Dates of contact weeks:

19 - 22 Sep 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R2 800 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Understanding the nature and impact of trauma
- Module 2: Weaving stories of trauma.
- Module 3: Understanding the impact of crisis and trauma on the individual and family.
- Module 4: Trauma Counselling
- Module 5: Describe and implement trauma counselling.
- Module 6: Defusing and debriefing.
- Module 7: Post traumatic stress disorder.
- Module 8: Finding meaning in trauma. Day 3: Care for the caregiver
- Module 9: Keep the fire burning: a program for caregiver restoration.

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants required per course:

SEXUALITY AND GENDER

P000309

Purpose of the course:

We are born as sexual beings. It is an integral part of who we are and how we express life. The purpose of this seminar is to enable ministers and pastoral counsellors to firstly appreciate their own sexuality, and secondly, to support individuals and couples in their quest for sexual expression and fulfilment.

Who may attend:
Pastors, lay ministers, community leaders and volunteers involved in ministry,

Pastors, lay ministers, community leaders and volunteers involved in ministry, including those who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree or an advanced diploma in theology.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course is presented in one day.

Dates of contact weeks:

06 - 08 Jun 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R2 600 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

Module 1: Gender Equality
 Module 2: Gender Identity
 Module 3: Sexual Expression

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

RADIO MINISTRY

P001599

Purpose of the course:

This course focuses on enabling ministers and theologians to make use of radio transmission in a communicative and innovative way through knowledge and appropriate preparation. During this course, participants will be exposed to alternative ways to spread the gospel over the radio.

Who may attend:

All persons involved in presenting religious programs on the radio, or ministers and theological students who would like to become involved in such radio transmissions.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course is presented four times, over a period of three days. Assignments and studio recording make out part of the course. Evaluation of the course will follow the recordings. Depending on who register, the course may be offered in a bilingual mode.

Dates of contact weeks:

Week: 01 – 04 Mar 2022 Week: 01 – 03 Aug 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R2 700 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Cooperation between the church and the radio
 Module 2: The radio as unique communication medium
- Module 3: Ethics of religious broadcasting
- Module 4: Writing of a radio manuscript
- Module 5: Communication with the listener
- . Module 6: Recording of services and studio messages
- Module 7: A unique radio homiletic and liturgy
- Module 8: Microphone use and voice management
- Module 9: Being outstanding in radio transmissions in a post modern era
- Module 10: Creative radio programs and presentations in an injured world
- Module 11: Media communication

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

INTERIM MINISTRY

P001151

Purpose of the course:

Interim Ministry deals with support and "accompaniment" of congregations when their pastor departs. During the period of vacancy, the congregation should be supported to understand that the previous ministry period has come to an end. The period of vacancy is also a time to rediscover the congregation's identity and to prepare for a new period in the congregation's history. In this course pastors are trained to act as "bridging ministers" who will be able to support congregations during the interim period.

Who may attend:

Experienced pastors who have been identified and designated by their churches (denominations) to undergo training

Structure and duration of the course:

The course is presented over a period of six months, with two contact weeks of four and a half day each. Students will have to complete two assignments during this period. Evaluation will be done during the contact weeks.

Dates of contact weeks:

Week 1: 25 - 28 July 2022 Week 2: 07 - 10 November 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R2 700 (Incl VAT)

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

THE BIBLE AND ITS MESSAGE

P001834

Purpose of the course:

The purpose of the workshop is to train pastors and other leaders to offer Bible and its Message — an eight module course of 14 lectures each — through Bible schools in local churches. It provides an introduction to Biblical hermeneutics, with four Old Testament and three New Testament modules.

Who may attend:

Pastors, trainers and other leaders —including those who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree / advanced diploma, and who plans to implement these courses in their own congregations or communities.

Dates of contact weeks:

On Request

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R 1 600 per module (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

Module 1: Understanding and reading the Bible

Module 2: Pre – Exile Literature I
 Module 3: Pauline literature
 Module 4: Pre – Exilic Literature II

Module 5: Gospels and Acts
 Module 6: Exilic Literature
 Module 7: John & Revelation
 Module 8: Post – Exilic Literature

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

BASIC COURSES

UNDERSTANDING WORLDVIEW

Purpose of the course:

This course will help participants to understand how they, their churches, communities and society, are shaped by different worldviews. It will provide them with tools to be self – critical whilst it will empower them to be hospitable in service, not threatened by "the other" but open to be informed and surprised by "the other"

Who may attend:

Pastors, trainers and other leaders —including those who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree / advanced diploma, and who plans to implement these courses in their own congregations or communities.

Dates of contact weeks:

05 - 07 Sep 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R 2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- . Module 1: A basic introduction to understand the concept of worldview
- Module 2: A basic understanding of how worldviews are shaped
- Module 3: Basic tools to read the worldviews of their churches and communities
- Module 4: The ability to describe, self critique and deconstruct their own worldview
- Module 5: The capacity to create open, safe and hospitable spaces in which to invite diverse people

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

CHRISTIAN SPIRITUALITY

Purpose of the course:

The course will focus on the spiritual contributions of the great historic Spiritual leaders within Christianity who helped shape the Churches and Societies we have today. Starting from the period immediately after the Apostolic church, we will investigate how Christian leaders' spiritual responses to the societal problems of their times assisted in shaping our theology and spirituality of today

Who may attend:

Pastors, trainers and other leaders —including those who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree / advanced diploma, and who plans to implement these courses in their own congregations or communities.

Dates of contact weeks:

09 - 12 May 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R 2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Introduction
- Module 2: A concrete spirituality
- Module 3: Different ways of being Christian
- Module 4: Three modes of reading the bible critically
- Module 5: The go between god
- Module 6: Reading timothy
- Module 7: A kingdom spirituality
- Module 8: African critical resources for reading the bible 57
- Module 9: A spirituality of hope

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

HISTORY OF CHRISTIAN MOVEMENTS

Purpose of the course:

This course will help participants to understand in a very introductory way, the origins and history of the Christian movement. It will

highlight the main streams and traditions, contributions and contestations, and how Christianity in the global South is being expressed today.

Who may attend:

Pastors, trainers and other leaders –including those who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree/advanced diploma, and who plans to implement these courses in their own congregations or communities.

Dates of contact weeks:

22 - 23 Aug 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R 2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: The origins and agenda of the Christian movement
- Module 2: Different streams and traditions in the Christian movement
- . Module 3: Contributions by the Christian movement
- Module 4: Contestations, colonization and conflicts caused by the Christian movement
- Module 5: Expressions of faith in the global South
- Module 6: Black, liberation, feminist, womanist and other contextual theologies

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

ACADEMIC ORIENTATION

Purpose of the course:

The course will allow participants to understand the use of the library and to access online library resources, make use of the internet for academic work, understand academic writing, academic referencing and the use of Harvard referencing methods as well as improve their academic writing skills

Who may attend:

Pastors, trainers and other leaders –including those who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree/advanced diploma, and who plans to implement these courses in their own congregations or communities.

Dates of contact weeks:

07 - 09 Nov 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

. Module 1: Library as resource

• Module 2: The Internet for Academic Work

• Module 3: Academic writing and referencing

. Module 4: The Art of (Academic) writing

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

PRACTICUM

Purpose of the course:

Upon completion, students will be able to provide a "thick description" of their own ministries and persons, based on concrete practical ministry engagements, and to reflect critically and with self – awareness on their descriptions, with the view of improving their ministry responses and competencies, and to grow as people

Who may attend:

Pastors, trainers and other leaders —including those who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree / advanced diploma, and who plans to implement these courses in their own congregations or communities.

Dates of contact weeks:

16-18 May 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Engage in practical ministry for at least 60 hours
- Module 2: Describe their ministries in relation to their contexts self critically
- Module 3: Describe their own personal involvement self critically
- Module 4: Students will be equipped with basic tools to describe their own ministry context
- Module 5: Basic tools to describe their own ministry and the different elements thereof
- Module 6: Basic tools to do critical self assessment and to know where to go to deepen self – assessment
- Module 7: Guidelines for a more reflective ministry practice

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

INTRODUCTION TO MINISTRY

P002933

Purpose of the course:

This course introduces aspects related to the identity of the minister; the church as body, institution and movement; kingdom and community; and the witness of the church as servants.

Who may attend:

Pastors with no prior theological training but with a context of ministry

Structure and duration of the course:

4 modules of 3 days each of interactive learning

Dates of contact weeks:

06 Mar - 03 Apr 2022

Venue:

Garankuwa

Dates of contact weeks:

06 - 08 Jun 2022

Venue:

Tshwane North

Dates of contact weeks:

02 Feb - 08 May 2022

Venue:

Soshanguve

Dates of contact weeks:

18 - 21 Jul 2022

Venue:

Fersterus

Cost:

R3 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

Module 1: Leadership in Ministry

Module 2: The Church You Serve

Module 3: Kingdom and Community

Module 4: A Witnessing Church

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

CONTEXTUAL BIBLE READING

P002927

Purpose of the course:

To provide a basic introduction to reading the Old and New Testament theologically and in the contexts in which we serve

Who may attend:

Pastors and lay ministers with no prior theological education but with an existing context of ministry.

Structure and duration of the course:

2 modules of 3 days of interactive learning

Dates of contact weeks:

18 - 21 Jul 2022

Venue:

Tshwane North

Dates of contact weeks:

03 - 07 Oct 2022

Venue:

Eersterust

Dates of contact weeks:

25 Jan 2022

Venue:

Rustenburg

Dates of contact weeks:

06 Mar - 04 Jun 2022 (Sundays only)

Venue:

Soshanguve

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Basic study methods and basic terminology in Biblical studies
- Module 2: The first five books of the Old Testament
- Module 3: The history, poetry and wisdom literature of the Old Testament
- Module 4: The prophets of the Old Testament
- Module 5: The Gospels and the Acts of the Apostles
- Module 6: The letters of Paul and other letters of the New Testament
- Module 7: Revelation
- Module 8: The Old and New Testament in our context today

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

CONSTRUCTING LOCAL THEOLOGIES

P002915

Purpose of the course:

This course is equipping pastors and community leaders with the tools to construct local theologies that are connected with personal, congregational / organizational and community transformation, against the background of different expressions of contextual theology.

Who may attend:

Church and community leaders with a desire to develop tools to reflect theologically on their practice of ministry and to construct local theologies, with Grade 10 and a local ministry context as basic requirement

Structure and duration of the course:

Three full days, with an assignment due after the course

Dates of contact weeks:

03 - 31 Oct 2022

Venue:

Soshanguve

Dates of contact weeks:

12 - 14 Sep 2022

Venue:

Soweto

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Understanding and practicing contextual methods of theology
- Module 2: Exploring the importance of a contextual approach
- Module 3: Introducing examples of contextual theologies such as liberation, feminist, black, womanist, urban, and other such theologies, in order to formulate critical appreciation, and to integrate new insights into theological development
- Module 4: Tools to construct, design and develop local theologies, in response to local contexts, rooted in sound analysis and theological reflection, in conversation with global and local social movement, and focusing on personal, congregational/ organizational and community transformation

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

FROM VICTIMS TO AGENTS

P002914

Purpose of the course:

Drawing from the work of Steve Biko and the Black Consciousness Movement, this course is equipping community and church practitioners to discover and practice their own agency and that of their communities in making change through nurturing an alternative consciousness.

Who may attend:

The general public, but in particular community leaders and people involved in community transformation processes. The format of the course can be slightly adjusted to the particular needs of a specific group or organization

Structure and duration of the course:

The course is presented during 8 – morning sessions over an 8 month period, or 4 full day sessions. 8 one – page reports and a consolidating assignment with mentoring report at the end

Dates of contact weeks:

On Request

Venue:

On Request

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Relating to the work of Biko and the Black Consciousness Movement to self, city and community
- Module 2: Developing a new and alternative consciousness in relation to personal contexts
- Module 3: Eight moments in the process of change making, including resistance, self – definition and self – reliance
- Module 4: Theology and church from below and employing cultural resources for change
- Module 5: Considering the development of alternative communities and movements, working for change

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

NARRATIVE PASTORAL CARE

P000044

Purpose of the course:

Pastors and other leaders minister to a world full of pain, so this course equips them to care for burdened people in a professional and Christian way.

Who may attend:

Ministry leaders that have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree or an advanced diploma in theology

Structure and duration of the course:

The course lasts one year, with 2 weeks of contact sessions, during which homework assignments and evaluations must be completed.

Dates of contact weeks:

Cycle 1: 12 - 15 Jul 2022

Cycle 2: 13 Jul - 28 Sep 2022 (evenings)

Venue:

Moot, Tshwane North

Dates of contact weeks:

10 Jul to 18 Sep 2022 (Sundays)

Venue:

Soshanguve

Dates of contact weeks:

20 - 23 Jun 2022

Venue:

Nelspruit

Cost:

R2 800 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Basic Points of Departure
- Module 2: Specific Areas for Care in the Local Church

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

COUNSELLING FOR BEGINNERS (ONLINE)

P002920

Purpose of the course:

This course is designed to introduce participants to basic concepts of Biblical counselling, the ethics of counselling, and the person of a counsellor, providing a basic but good foundation on which to build.

Who may attend:

The general public, but particularly lay counsellors, those in the helping professions, and those involved in positions often requiring of them to listen to the challenges and problems people are facing.

Structure and duration of the course:

Online course with monthly possibilities for online interaction

Dates of contact weeks:

Feb 2022 - Nov 2022

Venue:

Online

Cost:

R3 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: A basic understanding of Biblical counselling
- Module 2: Conversational skills, particularly for the counselling context
- Module 3: Skills to understand and employ the Bible in the counselling context
- Module 4: Clear guidelines as to the role of a counselling companion
- Module 5: Ethics of counselling, boundaries and appropriate referrals
- Module 6: Clear guidelines about referrals, networks and other resources

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

NA

CRISIS & TRAUMA SUPPORT

P002944

Purpose of the course:

To enable community leaders, caregivers and counsellors to do trauma support within a caring environment, assessing victims towards recovery and healing.

Who may attend:

The general public, but particularly focusing on community leaders, caregivers and counsellors.

Structure and duration of the course:

3 days of contact time

Dates of contact weeks:

01 - 29 March 2022

Venue:

Online

Dates of contact weeks:

03 - 05 January 2022

Venue:

Nelspruit

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Understand and describe trauma in general terms, and the impact of trauma on the lives of individual people and the community
- Module 2: Identify, understand and describe typical trauma situations within our communities
- Module 3: Understand and describe the difference between trauma support and trauma counselling
- Module 4: Understand the impact that exposure to trauma is likely to have on caregivers, and how to deal with that impact

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

NARRATIVE GROUP COUNSELLING

P002751

Purpose of the course:

Group counselling provides people with similar experiences an opportunity to seek perspective and healing together. It could be a vital part of pastoral care and counselling in a congregation or caring environment. The course is designed to train community and church leaders, and lay ministers in pastoral care through group counselling.

Who may attend:

The general public, pastors, volunteers, care – givers, counsellors and community leaders, with Grade 10, and working in a caring environment, the basic course in pastoral care is a strong recommendation before doing this course

Structure and duration of the course:

3 full contact days

Dates of contact weeks:

04 Oct - 01 Nov 2022

Venue:

Soshanguve

Dates of contact weeks:

18 - 20 Apr 2022

Venue:

Nelspruit

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)
COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Day 1: Group Counselling as Part of Pastoral Care in a Congregation or Caring Environment
- Module 2: Day 2: A Narrative Approach to Group Counselling
- Module 3: Day 3: Pastoral Care through Group Counselling

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

FAITH COMMUNITIES & MISSIONAL LEADERSHIP

P000022

Purpose of the course:

This course trains church leaders to build up and equip their local churches — in line with the Scriptures and in response to the needs of the contemporary society. The course develops skills to build a missionary local church/congregation that will make a difference (bring help and hope) in local communities.

Who may attend:

Pastors who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree or an advanced diploma in theology. Also volunteers involved in ministry.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course lasts one year. There are two weeks of contact tuition during the year. Homework assignments must be completed. Evaluation is done during each week of contact tuition.

Dates of contact weeks:

07 - 10 Feb 2022

Venue:

Tshwane North

Dates of contact weeks:

01 Feb 2022 - 30 Nov 2022

Venue:

Rustenburg

Cost

R2 700 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Understanding the Concept, ministry and process of building up the local church
- Module 2: The missionary identity of the church and how to participate in becoming such a missionary entity

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

CONTEXTUAL PREACHING

P000045

Purpose of the course:

Preaching is one of the most important but also most challenging ministries in the Church. The purpose of this course is to equip pastors and lay ministers to communicate more effectively when preaching the Gospel in the South African or African context, with an emphasis on the kingdom of God on earth.

Who may attend:

Pastors and lay ministers who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree or an advanced diploma in theology. Also volunteers involved in ministry.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course lasts one year. There are two weeks of contact tuition during the year. Homework assignments must be completed. Evaluation is done during each week of contact tuition.

Dates of contact weeks:

11 - 14 Jul 2022

Venue:

Tshwane North

Dates of contact weeks:

14 - 16 Mar 2022

Venue:

Soweto

Dates of contact weeks:

16 - 18 May 2022 and 04 - 06 Jul 2022

Venue:

Soweto

Cost:

R2 600 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Purpose of preaching
- Module 2: The hermeneutical process
- Module 3: Sermon preparation and sermon presentation
- Module 4: Person and spirituality of the preacher

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

YOUTH MINISTRY

P000084

Purpose of the course:

Ministering to children and young people in the South and Southern African societies is a real challenge. The course trains and motivates pastors and other youth leaders to provide an effective ministry to children, teenagers and young adults within the South and Southern African context.

Who may attend:

Pastors who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree or an advanced diploma in theology. Also volunteers involved in ministry.

Structure and duration of the course:

The course lasts one year. There are two weeks of contact tuition during the year. Homework assignments must be completed during the year. Evaluation is done during each week of contact tuition.

Dates of contact weeks:

09 - 30 Oct 2022

Venue:

Tshwane North

Cost:

R2 600 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Biblical & Contextual Perspectives on Youth Ministry
- Module 2: Ministry with Youth

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

YOUTH MINISTRY (ONLINE)

P003632

Purpose of the course:

Ministering to children and young people in the South and southern African societies is a real opportunity. This online course equips pastors and other youth leaders to provide an effective ministry to children, teenagers and young adults within the South and southern African context – as part of the local faith community. After completion of the course, successful leaders should be able to understand youth and family ministry. The course is intended to help delegates understand the why and what of Youth Ministry.

Who may attend:

Pastors who have not matriculated, or who have matriculated but do not hold a degree or an advanced diploma in theology. Also volunteers involved in ministry.

Structure and duration of the course:

Online course with monthly possibilities for on – line interaction.

Dates of contact weeks:

Starts 28 Feb 2022

Venue:

Online

Cost:

R2 700 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Biblical or Theological departure points,
 Developmental departure points, Ecclesiological (congregational if you prefer) departure points, Societal or contextual departure points
- Module 2: Family Ministry, Children Ministry, Adolescent Ministry, Young Adult Ministry, Leadership development in Youth Ministry

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

NA

APPROACHES TO COMMUNITY TRANSFORMATION

P002942

Purpose of the course:

This course will equip community and church leaders involved and/or interested in community transformation with a basic introduction to community development and transformation; an overview of different approaches; and tools to develop a reflective praxis.

Who may attend:

Community and church leaders and people involved with community transformation processes, who have Grade 10. The format can be adjusted to the specific needs of a particular group or organization.

Structure and duration of the course:

3 full contact days

Dates of contact weeks:

03 - 05 May 2022

18 - 20 July 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R 2 700 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: A basic introduction to community development
- Module 2: Understanding strategies for community transformation
- Module 3: An overview of different approaches to community development
- Module 4: Tools to develop a reflective praxis
- Module 5: An understanding of the praxis cycle and how to use it practically
- Module 6: Tools to develop an alternative imagination for communities
- Module 7: An understanding of the role and person of the community development practitioner
- Module 8: An understanding of sustainable communities
- Module 9: Visions of new tables
- Module 10: The ability to translate visions into practical plans for action

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

P002916

Purpose of the course:

This course will make carers of young children aware of opportunities and risks in child care, provide guidelines and develop basic skills for they work they do.

Who may attend:

Carers, i.e. child minders and day carers, pastors and community leaders with Grade 10 and working in a context of early childhood development and care

Structure and duration of the course:

2 weeks of contact tuition over a year, accompanied by 20 mentoring sessions

Dates of contact weeks:

On request

Venue:

On request

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: The importance of early childhood development and the child care functioning in building healthy communities
- Module 2: Set long, medium and short term goals for children in their care
- Module 3: An outline of the most important aspects of child development during the early childhood phases
- Module 4: The impact of the environment on the development of the child
- Module 5: The role of parents and day carers towards achieving development goals
- Module 6: Different approaches to early childhood development
- Module 7: Design a curriculum and lesson material
- Module 8: The motivation and discipline of children
- Module 9: Overview of typical ecd annual programme
- Module 10: Business aspects of running a ecd programme
- Module 11: Participation in a year long mentoring programme

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

MARRIAGE MINISTRY

P002858

Purpose of the course:

This course is introducing pastors and lay ministers to a comprehensive approach to marriage ministry in their churches, i.e. marriage preparation, marriage enrichment, counselling in situations of 'normal' marital stress, and dealing with trauma in marriage

Who may attend:

Pastors, church and community leaders dealing with marriage – related Situations, and having Grade 10

Structure and duration of the course:

2 weeks of contact tuition over a year

Dates of contact weeks:

Week 1: 27 Feb – 27 Mar 2022 Week 2: 10 Apr – 03 May 2022 Week 3: 15 May – 05 Jun 2022 Week 4: 19 Jun – 03 Jul 2022

Venue:

Tshwane; Soshanguve

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: An overview of marriage and being married in South Africa
- Module 2: An overview of the fundamental of marriage, such as knowledge, skills, values, resources and rituals
- Module 3: An introduction to a narrative approach to counselling within the context of marriage
- Module 4: Introduction to modes of pre marital and post marital support
- Module 5: Developing a pre marital counselling and preparation programme in their churches
- Module 6: Developing a marriage enrichment programme in their churches
- Module 7: Introduction to the necessity of care for the care giver and possible resources that are available

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

PARENTING MINISTRY

P002919

Purpose of the course:

This course is designed to assist pastors who want to implement a focused family and parenting ministry in their churches. Many parents experience a need for support in their parenting roles, in order to guide their children more effectively towards fulfilled and mature adulthood.

Who may attend:

Pastors and other people dealing with children (parents, teachers, day carers, etc), who have Grade 10

Structure and duration of the course:

2 weeks of contact tuition over a year

Dates of contact weeks:

On request

Venue:

On request

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: Explore, identify and define the challenges of parenting in our time and the variety of family structures
- Module 2: Develop a vision for the healthy functioning of families and for successful parenting
- Module 3: Develop an understanding of the needs of children during the different phase of their lives
- Module 4: Develop a vision, knowledge and skills for accompanying their children in ways that will build character, such as building emotional and social skills, developing values and beliefs, guiding children to make good choices and offering spiritual parenting
- Module 5: Skills to develop a parenting workshop in churches and communities

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:

PEACE — BUILDING & CONFLICT RESOLUTION

P002911

Purpose of the course:

This course is designed to introduce participants to basic concepts of and skills for peace – building and conflict resolution in contexts of violence, and brokenness.

Who may attend:

The general public but particularly focusing on community and church leaders, counsellors, activists and people working in diverse contexts of violence and brokenness. Participants should at least have Grade 10

Structure and duration of the course:

3 full contact days

Dates of contact weeks:

18 - 20 Jul 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R2 200 (Incl VAT)

COURSE CONTENT

- Module 1: A Biblical vision for peace in our communities and the world
- Module 2: Tools to analyze local contexts from the perspective of peace, reconciliation and justice
- Module 3: A basic understanding of the concept of conflict resolution
- Module 4: Skills in mediation, negotiation, peace building and conflict resolution
- Module 5: Tools and resources to develop peace building networks
- Module 6: Tools for developing peace clubs, peace churches and peace organisations

Registration deadline:

One month before the start of the course

Minimum number of participants:



COLLABORATION WITH HOSPIVISON

HOPEFUL COMPASSION: HIV/AIDS COUNSELLING & CARE P002918

Purpose of the course:

To train carers (professional and lay) to provide compassionate emotional and spiritual care and counselling for people living with HIV/AIDS and their families.

Dates:	Venue:	Cost:
20 - 22 June 2022	Pretoria	R1 375 (Incl VAT)

SHORT COURSE IN TRAUMA COUNSELLING IN AN ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY UNIT P002934

Purpose of the course:

It is certainly not an overstatement to say that we live in a traumatized society. South Africa has some of the highest violent crime, abuse and rape statistics in the world. Caregivers and counsellors in society are overburdened by the psychological and spiritual impact of this situation. HosiVision, with its experience in trauma units at hospitals is ideally placed to provide training and practical experience in trauma counselling of lay and professional caregivers.

Dates:	Venue:	Cost:
14 - 16 Feb 2022	Pretoria	R1 375 (Incl VAT)
16 - 18 May 2022	Pretoria	R1 375 (Incl VAT)
24 - 26 Oct 2022	Cape Town	R1 375 (Incl VAT)

MEMORY WORK: LOSS, DEATH AND BEREAVEMENT P002917

Purpose of the course:

Loss is an inherent part of the human condition, but we are seldom taught how to deal with it. The impact of life – threatening illness such as cancer, and related loss and death is devastating. Memory work provides a structured and safe therapeutic environment and process which uses the power of group dynamics. It also addresses the crucial aspect of leaving a legacy and provides a concrete record of the process of dealing with loss, dying and death

Who may attend:

Professional and lay care givers, pastors, spiritual and community leaders working with loss, death and bereavement, and who have Grade 12.

Dates	Venue	Cost
22 – 24 Aug 2022	Pretoria	R1 375 (Incl VAT)
22 – 24 Aug 2022	Cape Town	R1 375 (Incl VAT)

SPIRITUAL CARE AND COUNSELLING FOR THE SICK P003467

Purpose of the course:

Pastors, counselors and those involved in care for the sick can play an important role in mobilizing the individual's spiritual, emotional and social resources to achieve optimum healing and health. This course is helping participants unlock their potential contribution.

Who may attend:

Volunteer lay counselors who support patients, family and staff, pastoral caregivers and leaders of faith – based communities as well as other professional people caring for the sick. A Grade 12 qualification is required.

Dates:	Venue:	Cost:
21 - 23 Feb 2022	Pretoria	R1 375 (Incl VAT)
23 - 25 May 2022	Pretoria	R1 375 (Incl VAT)
10 - 12 Oct 2022	Pretoria	R1 375 (Incl VAT)

DEPRESSION: TO BELIEVE IN SUNSHINE

Purpose of the course

Mental disorders are a major contributor to the burden of disease in all regions of the world. The prevalence of major depression in SA is 9.7%. The narrative approach provides a powerful and life – changing framework to deal with depression.

Dates:	Venue:	Cost:
07 - 09 Mar 2022	Cape Town	R1 375 (Incl VAT)
04 - 06 Jul 2022	Pretoria	R1 375 (Incl VAT)



COURSES DONE IN COLLABORATION WITH CORAM DEO

THICKENING NARRATIVE PASTORAL EXPERIENCES P003465

Purpose of the course:

This is a participatory, experiential learning course that scaffolds conversation with theory, practice and the witnessing of conversation to advance pastoral narrative ideas and practices.

Who may attend:

Open for anyone who has completed a basic or introductory course in narrative ideas and practices

Structure and duration of the seminar:

Six weekly contact sessions

Dates of contact weeks:

09 Jul -13 Aug 2022

Venue:

Benoni

Cost:

R1 200 (24 hour Course)

SUPERVISION FOR PASTORAL THERAPISTS

P003621 (OPTION1) | P003622 (OPTION 2)

Purpose of the course:

Because most practitioners of pastoral narrative have never had occasion to enter a supervision programme through which they might improve their conversational expertise, this training opportunity provides a rare opportunity for such professionals to participate in a certified course, leading them down a path toward greater effectiveness in their calling as counsellors.

Who may attend:

Option 1 - Pastoral therapists needing SAQA Level 7 supervision

Option 1 - Pastoral therapists needing SAQA Level 9 supervision

Structure and duration of the course:

Option 1 – 10 individuals and 2 group sessions in 10 months

Option 2 – 20 individuals and 10 group sessions in 18 months

Dates of contact weeks:

Starts 19 January 2022

Venue:

Coram Deo Pastoral Care Centre, Pretoria

Cost:

Option 1 - R5 250 (Incl VAT) | Option 2 - R9 900 (Incl VAT)

INTRODUCTION TO NARRATIVE PASTORAL PRACTICES

P003468

Purpose of the course:

This is a participatory, experiential learning course introducing individuals to pastoral narrative ideas and practices. Various mediums are used to creatively enhance the training experience.

Who may attend:

Anyone who is curious about stories and people, who would like to discover more about themselves, who is interested in narrative ideas and practices, and in exploring a Jesus – like way of service in ministry

Structure and duration of the course:

The course consists of 11 weekly sessions, either in the morning or in the evening.

Dates of contact weeks:

12 Feb – 06 Mar 2022 AND 07 May – 11 Jun 2022

Venue

Benoni

Cost:

R2 300 (44hour course)

Please note: Any changes to programmes will be reflected on the website www.coramdeo.co.za



COURSES DONE IN COLLABORATION WITH INSTITUTE FOR URBAN MINISTRY

BUILDING SUSTAINABLE URBAN COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS P002943

Purpose of the course:

This course is designed to equip emerging leaders of community and non – profit organisations to build sustainable community organisations.

Who may attend:

Leaders and managers in community and non – profit organisations, who have a Grade 12 qualification

Structure and duration of the course:

The course is offered in the form of 10 one – day modules or, alternatively, 2 intensive weeks.

Dates of contact weeks:

14 Feb 2022; 21 Mar 2022; 11 Apr 2022: 23 May 2022; 20 Jun 2022; 18 Jul 2022; 08 Aug 2022; 19 Sep 2022; 24 Oct 2022; 21 Nov 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R3 100 (Incl VAT)

INTRODUCTION TO URBAN MINISTRY P003624

Purpose of the course:

This course is introducing urban practitioners (community workers, pastors, lay ministers) to the challenges of urban ministry, providing them with an introduction to the city, the challenges of ministry in the city, a method for doing theology in the city, and innovative urban ministry models.

Who may attend:

Urban community workers, pastors, lay ministers, and urban residents, having Grade 10, and involved in an urban ministry project.

Structure and duration of the course:

3 days

Dates of contact weeks:

10 – 13 May 2022 11 – 13 Jul 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R1 600 (Incl VAT)

STARTING & SUSTAINING COMMUNITY PROJECTS

P002945

Purpose of the course:

This course is enabling community workers, and community and church Leaders, to start community projects that are sustainable, to understand basic elements of project development and project management, and to develop a basic action plan for their projects.

Who may attend:

The general public, but particularly community workers, community and church leaders, having Grade 10 and involved in community projects.

Structure and duration of the course:

3 days of contact tuition

Dates of contact weeks:

08 – 22 March 2022 06 – 20 Oct 2022

Venue:

Pretoria

Cost:

R1 600 (Incl VAT)

GENERAL INFORMATION ON COURSES

The Centre for Contextual Ministry presents a series of courses for community and church leaders, pastors, non – profit workers, and the general public, aimed at equipping people for the work of healing, ministry and empowerment in their communities. The courses are designed around the most pressing training needs, assessed through on – going research in communities. In this way the Centre ensures that the content of courses remains relevant to the questions and challenges of the day.

CLUSTERS

The Centre offers courses in 4 interconnected clusters:

- Leadership Studies
- Healing and Counselling Studies
- Organizational & Congregational Studies
- Urban and Community Transformation Studies.

OUR EDUCATIONAL CONTINUUM

Basic Courses: To be allowed into a basic course, a person has to have at least a Grade 10 qualification. A person who does not have a Grade 10 or equivalent qualification, are required first to complete the introductory courses that are also listed below. No previous training is required for persons who want to enroll for the introductory courses.

Note: Persons who are entitled to enroll for the basic courses (i.e. persons with Grade 10 or higher) but who did not receive any theological training in the past, are also encouraged to do the introductory courses first, even though it is not compulsory.

- Basic Courses (short & long): At least Grade 10 or an equivalent is required.
- Advanced Courses: A Grade 12 and at least a two or three year diploma or a university degree is required.
- Programmes (12 to 18 months): A Grade 12 and at least a two or three year diploma or a University degree is required. In order to use these programmes as course work towards a postgraduate qualification, see below.
- Graduate studies: Please note that currently our courses do not provide access to graduate studies (e.g. BTh – degree), although we are exploring different options in order to enable student's educational paths optimally.
- Post graduate studies: Students who qualify to register for a Post

 Graduate Doiploma, Honours Degree or a Masters Degree at the
 Faculty of Theology, University of Pretoria, can offer any of the
 Programmes (12 18 months) for credits into these courses.
- The credits will be awarded on a case by case basis

DESIGNED TO EMPOWER

A large part of the Centre's work is to provide "in service" training to practicing community leaders, ministry workers and pastors who did not have the opportunity of formal training in the past, or who received only limited training. The basic courses especially were designed for this purpose. These courses can be taken by all members of communities or churches who would like to improve their knowledge and skills for the community action, change – making or ministry that they are involved in.

DURATION OF COURSES

- Basic Courses: Offered over 3 days or over one year with two weeks of classes to attend over a period of 6 months
- Advanced Courses: Offered between 3 and 10 days
- Programmes: Seven (7) of the advanced long courses are offered over 12 to 18 month periods. During the two years, there are five / six weeks of class attendance as well as prescribed books to read and assignments to complete.

PROFESSIONAL CREDITS

Our courses are designed as training units (TU) and in specific cases these training units can qualify as professional units (PU) and be translated into CPD points. You can enquire about CPD points at our office. In order to access some of these credits the students will be required to register with the Professional Body for Religious Practitioners, called the **Association for Christian religious Practitioners** (ACRP) in order to utilize some of our credits.

Credits for Basic Courses

Lasting three days: 1 CPD point per hour
 Lasting one year: 1 CPD point per hour

Credits for Advanced Courses

· Lasting three days: 1 CPD point per hour

Credits for Programmes

Lasting one year: 1 CPD point per hourLasting two years: 1 CPD point per hour

METHOD OF TEACHING:

- Contact weeks: Differs from course to course but combining interactive lectures with group discussions in a 'seminar setting'. In some courses there is a larger emphasis on site visits, case studies, and "real life" engagements.
- On line: We offer some online course and some contact courses might include online possibilities.
- Preparation: Students need to prepare by reading prescribed material. For advanced courses the number of pages is 3200, and for M students, approximately 4500. For advanced short courses the number of pages is approximately 1000. For basic courses at least 500 pages of study material will be prescribed.
- Evaluation: Evaluation is done through assignments (homework) as well as open book tests at the beginning and a brief 'memory teaser' at the end of each contact week. Tests are in written or oral format
- Participation: Students are invited to share their practical experience in class.

OTHER CERTIFIED COURSES

We are in partnership with a number of other institutions which courses are accredited by the Centre and successful students receive certificates from the Centre.

 Nehemiah Bible Institute | basic theological training by correspondence | (021) 864-8225 Peter Fourie

- Institute for Urban Ministry | urban ministry and community development | 083-766-8908 | Mike Ribbens
- Leadership Focus | courses in leadership development | 082-459-9566 | Dan Lephoko
- Christian Lay Counselling | lay counselling training | (011) 967-1622 | Bernadette Wittstock
- Huguenot Bible Institute | faith based social service training | (021) 864-8200 | Ronell Baard
- Coram Deo | child and family welfare organization | (012) 361-4619 | Andre Botha
- Hospivision | spirituality and healthcare program | (012) 329-9492 | Andre de la Porte

SELECTING YOUR COURSE

In the list of courses provides, the following information is provided:

- The purpose of each course and who may enrol
- The date when the course is presented
- The venue of the course
- The price of the course
- · An outline of the key themes

HOW TO REGISTER

The registration date is one month prior to the starting date of the course. You can register for a course by completing a registration form on – line, or by sending us your completed application form via e – mail or fax, together with proof of payment. Please ensure that proof of payment accompanies your completed registration form.

You can register online at www.enterprises.up.ac.za. You can email the completed registration form from the Enterprises website to ccmadmin@up.ac.za or fax to (012) 434-2505. If you cannot access a registration form, or should you require assistance in this regard, please call us at (012) 420-4952.

COURSE FEES & PAYMENT

Please note: All prices indicated for courses in this brochure are for individuals only and therefore highly subsidized. In the case of companies, organisations, or departments, we will prepare a quotation based on your requirements. Refer to the course information in the brochure regarding fees payable per course. Payment can be done by direct deposit into the bank account below, or by electronic transfer. Your registration form must be accompanied by the proof of payment.

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SUMMARY OF RESEARCH FOCI

Faith in the City

- · Homelessness and housing
- Migration, precarious housing and faith based responses
- Urban theological education

Children, Faith and Society

- Doing child theology: methodologies
- Children and youth at risk
- Early childhood development

Social Cohesion and Reconciliation

- Our collective woundedness
- Spatial justice, land and restitution
- Peace building and restoration

Spirituality and Health

 Led by Hospivision, this project considers the role of spirituality in health care and well – being

Coordination & Facilitation of training institutions

The development of the Association for Christian religious Practitioners (ACRP) to serve as the recognized coordinating and professional body for ministry training providers in South Africa.

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Consulting services

We are able to offer consulting services in the following fields:

- social and community development
- homelessness and social housing
- urban ministry
- · urban community transformation
- early childhood development
- community based children's and family programmes

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ENGAGED COMMUNITIES

The Centre is an important vehicle for the community engagement of the Faculty of Theology. Our approach, however, is to go beyond engaging communities from the outside only, but rather to insert ourselves in engaged communities as a learner and partner.

- All the programmes of the Centre support and participate in communities, as it provides life – long and continued educational opportunities to people actively involved in communities already.
- The Unit for Social Cohesion and Reconciliation, the Village of Support and the Urban Studio, are practical expressions of community engagement (see Research and Consulting Services).
- Specific themes of focus include early childhood development, street homelessness, and military veterans.
- The Centre is partnering with other organisations hosting national consultations on urban ministry, pastoral care and related topics.
- The Centre is hosting a Circle of Engagement, working in strategic partnership with local faith – based organisations, both for enhancing its training offerings, but also as possible placement opportunities for students and others who show interest.
- The Centre contributes to the community engagement modules and / or the practical training components of students of theology in the Faculty.
- The Centre's immediate community is the university campus and in future it would like to explore a creative space for conversations on contextual spirituality.
- Staff of the Centre is involved in their personal capacities with community engagement, supporting work in the inner city, the Moot and with emerging community foundations working in cities across South Africa and the continent.
- Research and papers done by staff of the Centre will contribute directly to tangible issues effecting local communities.

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