



What are Living Leadership associates?

Living Leadership Associates are Christian believers of mature character and proven competence in providing training and support and creating resources for Christian leaders

Associates enter into a written agreement with Living Leadership to deliver specified services within its strategic plan, in its name and within its ethos.

Our vision for the Associates Scheme

Living Leadership's vision is to see Christ glorified in the Church through leaders who joyfully abide in Him and faithfully serve Him.

We recognise that Christ has given to His Church people with the character, gifting and experience necessary to further this vision by training, supporting and resourcing leaders.

We know many of these people are working in relative isolation, unknown to some of those who need their help, and lacking resources that could enhance their effectiveness.

We want to grow a dynamic network of Living Leadership Associates who are:

- deeply encouraged through collaborative learning;
- widely promoted through affiliation with a trusted organisation; and
- strongly supported through free access to a range of benefits.

Person Specification

Potential Associates must:

- a) be in full agreement with the Living Leadership basis of faith;
- b) exhibit proven gifting and experience in the relevant area of service;
- c) be recognised by others as mature Christian believers and faithful servants;
- d) be prepared to work within the 'Living Leadership Way of Working'.
- e) have a right to live and work in the country in which they will be serving.

Benefits to associates

There is no charge to associates for membership in the scheme, nor does Living Leadership expect to receive any part of income given to associates by churches and organisations they serve as an associate. Our desire is to give associates what they need to multiply their effectiveness and fruitfulness. The benefits of the scheme for associates are as follows:

Personal support and development

- 1. Access to **members' area of Living Leadership website**, including resources and templates, chat with other associates and staff, and forum for sharing of ideas and resources.
- 2. Refresher training and learning from experience of staff and other associates through biannual **Living Leadership Team Days** meals and materials provided by Living Leadership, travel at the associate's expense.
- 3. Option of 500 Living Leadership **business cards**, with option to print more at the associate's expense.
- 4. Option of a personalised Living Leadership **email address**.

Support for ministry activities within Associate Agreement

- 5. Advice, as required, from Living Leadership staff.
- 6. Use of Living Leadership **logo** (in line with the organisation's Brand Guidelines) in promotional materials.
- 7. **Publicity** through the Living Leadership website, social media, email updates and other channels.
- 8. Online registration system (online payments not currently possible for associates).

To enquire about supporting the scheme or applying to be an associate, email associates@livingleadership.org