

## Application Form

### **x-pansion academy 2009/10**

enlarging your vision – expanding your thinking – extending his kingdom

***Please use block capitals***

Name .....

Spouse (if joint application) .....

Address .....

Town /City .....

Post code ..... Tel. No. ....

E-mail address .....

Church .....

Pastor/senior leaders name .....

Marital Status – Single / Married (circle)

If married, how long? .....

If children, how many? .....

Are you currently in a paid ministry role? – Yes / No (circle)

What is your function in ministry? .....

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How did you hear about x-pansion academy? -

Brochure / Church leader / Web site / Joy magazine / Other (circle)

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#### **COURSE FEES**

Married Couple £1,500

Single Person £1,100

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Fees can be financed in a number of ways, ie through personal contribution, church contribution, regional contribution, or friends/family contributions. We believe x-pansion academy provides excellent value for money. Fees cover expenses for **the full programme of 6 units** and includes expenses for speakers, resources, venue hire, hotel accommodation, meals, refreshments, some leisure activities and administration. Fees can be paid in cash or by cheque (made payable to AOG Church Planting) as one lump sum at the first unit, or by 6 instalments at each unit, ie Married 6 x £250, Single 6 x £183.30. All outstanding balances of fees should be cleared by the final unit. **Please note once committed to the course, non-attendance at any unit is still liable for fee, except at the discretion of the Director.**

#### **DATES & VENUES**

x-pansion academy operates over 6 weekend sessions during 2009/10 and it's important that students attend all units.

**Unit 1 – 2-4 October - Torquay**

**Unit 2 – 27-29 November - Walsall**

**Unit 3 – 29-31 January - Nottingham**

**Unit 4 – 19-21 March - Bristol**

**Unit 5 – 21-23 May - Middlesbrough**

**Unit 6 – 16-18 July – Gloucester**

Can you confirm availability for all these units? Yes / No (circle)

If no, please give reason .....

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** We want you to get the most from your time on x-pansion academy and would encourage you to honour your commitment to your own personal development in regards to time and finances. Therefore please note the following conditions of acceptance of a place:

**Your attendance is required at ALL six units and for the whole duration of the weekend schedule, ie Friday 2 pm until Sunday 2 pm**, this may involve booking time off work. We appreciate that there may be unexpected circumstances, which may lead to you not being able to attend all, or part of one unit, but notification is required in writing (via e-mail) prior to the Unit. **Please note that we will be unable to make deductions from your fees for units not attended and instalment payments will still be required irrespective of your attendance.**

After accepting a place on academy should you, for whatever reason and at any stage of the programme, decide to cancel your place on the course, then notice is required in writing. Any refund of fees will be totally at the discretion of the Director and will be based on number of units attended and personal circumstances.

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Do you have current plans to plant a church? Yes / No (circle)

If so, please give brief details of this venture including possible location, time frame and initial strategy.

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Have you had experience of church planting and pioneering in the past? Yes / No (circle)

If so, please briefly describe your involvement.....

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Please give the names and contact details of two referees – one should be your current minister

Name ..... Name .....

Address ..... Address .....

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Email ..... Email .....

Signed (your name) ..... Print .....

(spouse if joint application) ..... Print .....

Thank you for your time in completing this application form. We will be in contact in due course.  
**Please return to: AoG Church Planting Dept, PO Box 333. Patchway. BRISTOL BS34 6ZH**