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membership of the

evangelical alliance
uniting to change society



We wish to link with evangelical Christians through membership of the Evangelical Alliance to whose Basis of Faith we assent

Organisation

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Organisation name

Organisation address

Postcode

Tel

Website

Email

Date of establishment (at least 24 months)

Number of staff

Registered Charity Number

Director/Group correspondent

Name of Director/Group correspondent (Rev/Dr/Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms)

Mailing address

Postcode

Tel

Email

Signature

Date

Annual membership donation

We ask member organisations for an annual donation towards our work, based on turnover. The following is a guide:

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| Turnover less than £10,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> £75 |
| Between £10,000 and £100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> £100 |
| Between £100,000 and £500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> £150 |
| Between £500,000 and £1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> £200 |
| Over £1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> £250 |

We enclose a membership donation of £

Further information about your organisation

Please send relevant information about your organisation so that the Alliance's Membership Committee and the Board of Trustees will be fully informed when considering your application. Please tick those items enclosed:

- A short history** of the formation of the organisation and its area of ministry. Information about your organisation's relationships or co-operative ventures with other evangelicals in your area of particular activity or an annual report.
- The contact details** of three local evangelical churches/organisations willing to act as referees. Please see point four overleaf for more information on this.

Please return the application form and enclosures to the relevant address overleaf. Thank you!
(Criteria for membership applications overleaf).

Organisations application

Criteria for Membership Application

Organisational membership applications are dealt with by the Alliance's Membership Committee on behalf of the Board of Trustees. Membership of the Evangelical Alliance UK is an important commitment to evangelical unity in the UK and one which brings both privileges and responsibilities.

The following criteria are set out in order to provide clear guidelines within which to maintain biblical unity among evangelicals:

1. The organisation must agree with the Evangelical Alliance's *Basis of Faith*.
2. The organisation must agree to abide by the guidelines of the *Evangelical Relationships Commitment* and the Alliance's *Mission Statement* (please visit www.eauk.org/getinvolved for details). In addition, members should ensure that their integrity, both personal and corporate, is beyond question in all aspects of their life and ministry so that the credibility of the gospel is maintained. In particular, all members should seek independent corroboration where public claims are made in respect of their work.
3. The organisation must have been established for a minimum of two years. Applicants linked with an international ministry should have an office established in the UK for at least two years.
4. The organisation must be in good fellowship with other evangelicals – particularly in the local area. All applicants are asked to provide details of three local evangelical churches or organisations (at least one of which must be a member of the Alliance) that are willing to act as referees in support of their application. Please provide their contact name, full address, email and telephone number.
5. An application may be refused if the Membership Committee is satisfied that:
 - a) An applicant is not able to accept the Alliance's *Basis of Faith*, *Mission Statement* or the guidelines of the *Evangelical Relationships Commitment*
 - b) An applicant's relationships with other evangelicals falls short of the given criteria
6. Refusal of membership may be challenged by an appeal to the Board of Trustees and must be:
 - a) made within 90 days of formal refusal from the Evangelical Alliance
 - b) in writing
 - c) supported by at least one other local church or organisation, preferably a member of the Alliance

The Board of Trustees, having considered the appeal, may arrange for a formal meeting with the leadership of the organisation applying for membership.

7. Members will be expected to annually renew their commitment to the *Basis of Faith* through a simple form with their annual donations.

Thank you for your decision to apply for membership of the Evangelical Alliance.

If you need any clarification on the process or would like to discuss any issue related to membership, please contact Rano Ismailova, Membership Officer, on 020 7207 2138, r.ismailova@eauk.org



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