



New City Fellows Application



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Instructions: save this form to your computer with your full name in the filename (e.g. "NCF Application John Doe").

In addition to a completed Application Form, please remember to send: (1) a recent photo, (2) your resume or CV, (3) a scholarship request letter (if applicable), sending them all to info@centerforpublicchristianity.org. The documents should be in the form of a Word document or PDF, using your name as part of the filename.

Finally, please arrange for two recommendations using the form at <https://centerforpublicchristianity.org/recommendation/>. At least one letter of recommendation should come from a non-relative who can address your spiritual maturity, such as a pastor or small group leader. All admissions materials must be submitted by May 1.

All information will be kept strictly confidential and will be used solely for application purposes.

Basic Personal Information

Full Name:

Residential Address:

(Mailing Address if different):

Primary Phone:

Personal Email Address:

Web page if applicable:

Gender:

Birthday:

Marital Status:

Number of Children, if any:

Church:

How long have you attended this church?

Are you currently a member?

Education

Beginning with High School, going through college(s) and graduate school, if any, provide names of the schools, years attended, major fields of study and degrees attained.

High School:

College:

Graduate School:

Other:

Current Employment

Company/Institution:

Month and Year Employment Began:

Work Phone:

Work Address:

Job Title:

Main Responsibilities:

References (2)

Please list your two recommenders below (no family members). At least one recommender should be able to address your spiritual maturity, such as a pastor or small group leader.

Name:

Relationship:

Company/Institution:

Phone:

Email:

Name:

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Short Essays

In answering the following questions, please limit your responses to each question to approximately 250 words.

Personal Background

1. Tell us briefly how you became a Christian.

2. Explain the gospel in your own words.

3. What or who has most significantly influenced your spiritual growth?

4. What is the greatest trial, disappointment, or struggle that you have faced in your life, and how did you respond?

5. What have been the most difficult issues regarding faith and work integration in your life?

6. What three books have been most influential in your Christian growth? Why these books? How have they influenced you?

Program Expectations

1. Why are you interested in the New City Fellows? What aspect of the New City Fellows are you most excited about (worldview development, spiritual formation, community)?

2. What drew you to the Raleigh area, and what do you love about it?

3. What do you see yourself doing in 5-10 years, and what are some of your overall life goals?

Leadership Experience

1. What church or para-church ministry experiences have you been involved with in the last 5 years? (i.e. fellowships, churches, ministries and Bible studies, others). Describe any leadership roles you've served within these ministries.

2. What, in your opinion, are the pressing issues facing leaders in the marketplace/workplace and how well are today's leaders addressing these issues?

If there is any other information about yourself, your interest in New City Fellows or the Center for Public Christianity, or anything else at all that you would like us to consider as we review your application, please let us know, using the space below.

Statement of Commitment

The Center for Public Christianity and New City Fellows seek committed Christians, active in their local church, willing together to affirm the historic Christian Creeds, and able to commit their time and energy towards building this intentional community of learning and serving for the good of the City and the glory of Christ.

The Nicene Creed

WE BELIEVE in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

Affirmation and Authorization

I, the undersigned, do hereby affirm that the information I have provided on this application (and all attachments) is true and accurate.

I hereby authorize Holy Trinity Anglican Church and any representatives of the Center for Public Christianity to make independent inquiry about me to assess my qualifications regarding this program. Furthermore, I understand that the Fellows program is designed for followers of Christ who desire to be teachable in all areas of life.

I am willing to commit to the time involved in preparation for regular meetings, and to being present at the regularly scheduled meetings.

Name:

Date:

(printed name serves as my signature)

Email this finished document, recent photo, resume/CV, and scholarship request letter (if applicable) to info@centerforpublicchristianity.org.