

# CONNECTING FOR EXCELLENCE INTERNATIONAL NETWORK

## APPLICATION

(Non-refundable Application Fee: 50.00 EUR)

1. The following information contained in this questionnaire will be held in the strictest of confidence, and will not be exposed to anyone outside of the senior ministers office.
2. If you find you have one or two questions, then please do not hesitate to write to us, we would be pleased to answer any queries you may have.
3. Attach a **CURRENT PHOTO** (head and shoulders only). If you and your spouse are both applying, two separate applications must be completed and individual photographs attached.
4. Please attach membership fee payment to this form. (Application will not be processed without payment.)
5. PLEASE TYPE or PRINT CLEARLY (If a question does not apply, type or print N/A.)
6. I am applying for: (Check one.)
  - MEMBERSHIP\*
  - AFFILIATION\*
  - ORDINATION\*
  - PERSONAL PASTOR\*
  - APOSTOLIC OVERSIGHT\*

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## PERSONAL DATA

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Country / State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex:  Male  Female Date of birth \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse Date of birth \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Engaged\*  Married  Single  Divorced\*\*  Separated\*\*

\* If you are currently engaged, please send us written confirmation once you are married, so we can update our records accordingly.

\*\* Please give thorough and complete details, typed, on separate sheet of paper.

**MEMBERSHIP:** Different people have asked about membership, therefore we have concluded the following: Membership is to be in Association with CFE, each associated member will receive a certificate of membership and would need to pay 100 Euros per year to remain a member.

**AFFILIATION:** As an affiliate you will be a friend with us in CONNECTING FOR EXCELLENCE. Friends participate with us for 50.00 Euros or more per month (this also gives you AMFS status). Each month you will receive either a taped or written message prepared exclusively for CONNECTING FOR EXCELLENCE AFFILIATES.

**ORDINATION:** Over the years many have asked Dr. Alan Pateman to be their apostle or to ordain them etc. The financial requirements involved are the 50 Euros application fee as mentioned on the form and an annual subscription fee of 100 Euros (due every January). Along with your subscription renewal you will also receive a new Minister's ID card every year. **Note:** this does not give any ownership to CFE, but just reveals accountability; it is a heart issue.

**PERSONAL PASTOR:** Apostle Alan Pateman will be your personal pastor for those in fivefold ministry who are not currently pastoring a local church. You will be required to pay your personal tithes to Dr. Alan Pateman and 1% of your monthly ministry tithe to CONNECTING FOR EXCELLENCE.\* This will allow you to have Bishop Pateman as your personal covering while you minister to people around the world (this also gives you AMFS status).

\*NOTE: Your personal tithe is paid directly to Dr. Alan (which helps to provide for his apostolic international travelling ministry so that others can benefit from his apostolic mantle) remembering CFE is your storehouse (the place where you get fed). A percentage from your ministry is also given (1%) to CFE (to help with the CFE administration) because the ministry benefits from the oversight.

**APOSTOLIC OVERSIGHT:** Apostle Alan Pateman will be your apostolic overseer for you and your local church. You will be required to pay your personal tithe to Dr. Alan Pateman and 2% of your monthly church tithe to CONNECTING FOR EXCELLENCE.\*\* This will allow you to grow and develop your church (this also gives you AMFS status).

\*\*NOTE: Your personal tithe is paid directly to Dr. Alan (which helps to provide for his apostolic international travelling ministry so that others can benefit from his apostolic mantle) remembering CFE is your storehouse (the place where you get fed) - a pastor does not get fed by his local church. A percentage from your church is also given (2%) to CFE (to help with the CFE administration) because the church benefits from the oversight. There may be other ministries / mentors that are involved in the church, therefore they are also entitled to gifts and honorariums.

Name of Spouse or Fiancé(e): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of marriage, present or purposed: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is your spouse of fiancé(e) saved?  Yes  No  
 Is your spouse or fiancé(e) filled with the Holy Spirit with the evidence of speaking in tongues?  
 Yes  No  
 Is your spouse or fiancé(e) in full support of your call to ministry?  Yes  No  
 If not, why \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

## CHURCH / MINISTRY AFFILIATION AND REFERENCES

List the name of the church or ministry, which you currently pastor or attend.  Church  Ministry  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Senior Pastor / Minister: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Country / State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Did you found this church or ministry?  Yes  No  
 If yes, when did you start? \_\_\_\_\_  
 What is your average size of current weekly attendance? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If no, how long have you been in your current location? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If less than one year, list the name of the church/ministry you formerly attended, including pastor's / minister's name, address and phone number. Also, list how long you attended and your reason for leaving.  
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## YOUR APOSTOLIC COVERING

In regards to your application to join the Connecting for Excellence International Network, a network of accountability and transparency, please answer the following questions (before answering this question please make sure to read the section on our website entitled 'Whose Apostle,' which can be found on the Foundations tab – Foundational teaching articles in bottom grey box):

**Who is your apostle / bishop?**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Country / State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

**OR:**  I do not have any apostolic covering at this moment in time.

Give reason why: \_\_\_\_\_  
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If you have an apostle or apostolic covering, please give reasons why are you not looking to them for ordination (please use extra sheet if necessary).  
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Also, if you have an apostle over you and / or you are an associate minister, then please enclose a written permission for your ordination and / or joining of the CFE International Network.

## PERSONAL / MINISTRY CHARACTER REFERENCES

List three ministers who would give an honest evaluation and commendation of you and / or your ministry (whom you have known for more than a year). At least one of these three cannot be in your same denomination and or organisation.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Country / State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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## YOUR SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE

Date you were saved \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Were you raised in a Christian home?  Yes  No

Denomination: \_\_\_\_\_

BRIEFLY relate your conversion experience:

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Date you were baptised by immersion: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Date you were baptised with the Holy Spirit with evidence of speaking in tongues: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Understanding that a minister of the Gospel must maintain the highest moral and ethical standards, do you feel there is any area of your personal life that would hinder your ministry at this time?

Yes  No

If yes, please explain:

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Do you currently use tobacco, alcohol or illegal drugs?  Yes  No

If so, please explain on a separate sheet.

Are you familiar with the ministry of Dr. Alan Pateman?  Yes  No

Have you read any of his material or listened to his tapes?  Yes  No

## YOUR VISION

In an effort to understand your vision concerning your ministry, please attach a one-page typed essay.

## EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

(Circle highest level attained)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12      GED/GCE    Vocational/Technical    1    2  
 College: 1 2 3 4      Bible School    Associate    Bachelor    Master's    Specialist    Doctorate

List all higher educational institutions attended and degree earned.

High School (Name and Dates)	Major	Degree
College (Name and Dates)	Major	Degree
University (Name and Dates)	Major	Degree
Seminary (Name and Dates)	Major	Degree
Vocational / Technical School (Name and Dates)	Major	Degree

## YOUR MINISTRY

Do you have a definite call of God on your life to enter the full-time ministry?       Yes     No  
 If yes, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.

In an effort to understand the level of your involvement in full-time ministry please attach a one-page typed essay.

Are you presently or have you ever been licensed or ordained?       Yes     No

If so, please list the denomination/organization and date credentialed. (Please attach a copy of credentials.)

If no, would you be eventually seeking ordination through the *Connecting for Excellence Network*?       Yes     No

Would your spouse be seeking ordination into the *Connecting for Excellence Network* along with you?       Yes     No (If yes, please remember to submit a separate application form for your spouse.)

Would you be seeking to transfer your existing ordination, to the *Connecting for Excellence Network*? (This is optional, not required)       Yes     No

If you are leaving or have left this denomination/organization, please explain why:

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Has a church, or other governing body ever expelled you?       Yes     No

If yes, please explain:

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Have you ever been personally involved in a church split?       Yes     No

If yes, please explain on a separate sheet.

To which of the five-fold (or other) ministry gifts do you believe you are called (Ephesians 4:11-12)?

- Apostle
- Prophet
- Evangelist
- Pastor
- Teacher
- Senior  Local or  Assistant pastor (not 5 fold) *Please tick which one.*
- Elder / Bishop (please read: 'The title of bishop' on our Relationships side tab)
- Missionary
- Other? \_\_\_\_\_

(Please also read the information under '5 fold ministry' on our website, which can be found under: Relationships – CFE Global Network – in the grey box on the bottom.)

If you are a pastor, please list the different pastorates you have fulfilled?

Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Duration of Pastorate: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please remember that being associated or affiliated to the Connecting for Excellence International Network *does not give us any ownership over your ministry in any way*, and you can withdraw at any time.

Do you agree with the CFE Statement of Faith?  Yes  No

(If you disagree with any point, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.)

Why do you want to join CFE and how can CFE help you in your ministry?

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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If you are choosing ministerial credentials with this network, then please give a detailed explanation of why:

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Tell us about your needs...

What are the three greatest areas that need improvement in your ministry?

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How did you hear about CFE? \_\_\_\_\_

Can you give a detailed description of what you do in your immediate territory, to currently bring other pastors from a cross section of church groupings together, if nothing, please state why and what your future vision is to reach out to the leaders of your territory.

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