

LEADERSHIP TRAINING SERIES

Leader Training: Intro to the Core Competencies

WHAT? ECO exists in order to build flourishing churches who make disciples of Jesus. In order to fulfill our vision we must develop lay leaders within our churches who are skilled in our 10 Core Competencies. This officer/leader training offers 10 video-taught classes by experts in each of the competencies with opportunities for discussions, discernment & potential leaders in the church.

WHY? Designed for church leaders to learn to be more effective in their roles or trained for a role they have yet to step into.

HOW? By individuals at home, with sessions, leadership teams, small groups, or potential leaders.

COST & ENROLL: There is no cost for this course, and to register go to eco.regfox.com/intro.

Commissioned Lay Pastor Certification Training

WHO & WHAT?

CLP1

This certification is a 10-month process undertaken with a non-geographical cohort, a facilitator, homework assignments & a mentor from your local church. CLP1s are lay leaders who are serving their church by leading micro-expressions of church (small groups, youth groups, missional communities, etc.) and who wish to have a deeper level of training in the 10 Core Competencies.

CLP2

This course is a 2 to 3 year process which involves all of the training described for officers and CLP1s plus 11 additional seminary level classes. CLP2s are lay leaders who are serving as pastors. This CLP2 certification is meant to equip a lay leader who feels called to pastoral ministry with the basic skills needed to pastor a church and ability to administer the sacraments.

WHY? ECO deeply values lay leadership development as being foundational to becoming a movement that builds flourishing churches who make disciples of Jesus Christ. We seek to undo the clergy-centered ecclesiology that has plagued the church for too long & truly reclaim the biblical vision of the priesthood of all believers. We have designed the course in such a way that is affordable, flexible & allows the students to stay in their current context while they receive further practical & theological training for ministry.

HOW? CLP1 & CLP2 are groups of 6-12 students that are non-geographical. The course structure is 2 virtual meetings a month with reading/writing assignments. There is a final project necessary for certification.

COST: \$1000 for CLP1, \$6000 for CLP2 (includes the CLP1 course & Gordon-Conwell seminary courses)

APPLY: Rolling Admissions. Download application at <https://eco.regfox.com/clpinterest>.

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Leader Training: Intro to the Core Competencies
 CLP1: Intro and Application of the Core Competencies
 CLP2: Theological Education and Pastoral Training

Leader Training

**LEADER TRAINING:
 INTRO TO THE CORE
 COMPETENCIES**
 (Individual or
 group setting)

REQUIREMENTS

10 videos, discussion and reflection questions

TIMEFRAME

Self-paced

COST

Free

CERTIFICATION

None

Commissioned Lay Pastor Training

OPTION 1

**CLP1 & CLP2
 SEQUENTIALLY**
 (part-time)

FIRST

CLP1

20 cohort meetings, videos, readings, discussion questions, written assignments, and final project.

Year 1

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CLP1 Certification

THEN

Your training is complete or option to move on to CLP2

CLP2

11 seminary level classes, psychological assessment, regular mentored meetings, and final project, evaluation by committee and completion of seminary classes.

Years 2 - 4

\$5,000* + \$500 per seminary course if Gordon Conwell credit is desired**

CLP2 Certification

OPTION 2

**CLP1 & CLP2
 SIMULTANEOUSLY**
 (full-time)

AND

CLP1

20 cohort meetings, videos, readings, discussion questions, written assignments, and final project.

Year 1

\$6,000* (CLP1 & CLP2 included)

CLP1 Certification

CLP2

Seminary classes, psychological assessment, regular mentored meetings, and final project and evaluation by committee.

Years 1 & 2

+ fees if Gordon-Conwell credit is desired**

THEN

Finish seminary classes

Year 3 (if needed)

CLP2 Certification

*A portion of your tuition goes to support PARS Theological Centre as they train house church leaders in Iran.

** Fee for transcription is 1/3 of the standard cost per Gordon-Conwell course.