

SOUL INTERNS



Pastoral Reference Form 2018-19

This reference should be completed by the lead pastor/minister of the applicant.

The person named below is applying for the SOUL Church internship programme 2018/19. This reference forms an integral part of the application process and your comments are important. Please give an honest assessment of the applicant. SOUL Church Interns will be equipped to serve as well as help build the local church and will call SOUL Church their home for the duration on the programme. Permission is requested from their present pastor/minister to ensure the process is effective. If you need to give more detailed answers, then please use a continuation sheet.

Applicant details

First Name

Surname

Pastor/Minister details

Title

First Name

Surname

Position

Church

Church address Line 1

Church address Line 2

City / Town

Country

Post / Zip code

Tel number

Mobile

Email

Do you wish for this reference to remain confidential

Yes No

About the applicant

How long has the applicant attended your church?

Please describe how well you know the applicant

Does the applicant know Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour? Yes No

Does the applicant's life reflect their commitment to Christ? Yes No

Does the applicant live by Biblical moral standards? Yes No

Would you say the applicant is capable of leading others? Yes No

If no to any of the above, please give details.

On a scale of 1 – 10, how do you rate this person in the following areas?

1 being very poor to 10 being exceptional. Please write N/A if you have not had a chance to observe an area.

Leadership		Cooperativeness	
Initiative		Personal moral character	
Appearance		Social adaptability	
Integrity and honesty		Emotional stability	
Relating to the opposite sex		Maturity	
Handling money		Online social networking	

What type of involvement has the applicant had within your church / department?

How would you describe their performance within this area/s?

What are the applicant's strengths?

What are the applicant's weaknesses?

Has the applicant ever displayed behavioural inconsistencies that are not in line with Christian standards such as duplicity, lying or sexual compromise? Please comment.

Does the applicant have any medical, emotional or psychological issues that may affect their ability to successfully complete the course? Yes No

If yes, please comment.

Please comment on the applicant's ability to build relationships and work within a team environment.

Does the applicant have any tendencies to start something but not finish? Do you think they will be able to commit to completing the programme?

To the best of your knowledge, does the applicant have any personal relationships that could hinder the attendance and completion of the programme?

- Yes No

If yes, please explain.

Recommendation

The internship programme will be demanding and we expect a high level of commitment to study and to church life in general. Interns who immerse themselves within the programme and work not only to achieve the minimum results, but to exceed them, will gain the most from the experience. Do you consider the applicant to have the necessary skills and enthusiasm to achieve this? Please also add any further comments you feel could be beneficial to support the application.

By signing below you are confirming that you are the senior pastor/minister or have been authorised to complete this on their behalf. We may contact you for any further questions.

Signature

Date