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Executive Toolbox

2019 Course



Executive Toolbox is a programme for Christian workplace leaders, which is uniquely structured to help you have a significant impact on the way you work, the people you work with and the organisations you work in.

Join a cohort of just 36 people for a 6-month programme based around three 24-hour workshops led by an experienced training team. Designed for Christians in mid to senior levels of influence, Executive Toolbox combines teaching with case studies, worship, prayer, and accountability triplets. You will develop biblical foundations, skills, and spiritual practices to envision and equip you to engage fruitfully at work.

Dates for 2019

Module 1: 18-19 January

Module 2: 5-6 April

Module 3: 7-8 June

Who Will Benefit?

This is a course designed for women and men working mainly with non-Christians, in organisations where their roles and responsibilities offer them growing influence.

A typical cohort includes business owners and leaders, managers and directors, head teachers, heads of department in public service and, many others. And this doesn't exclude younger executives. What's important is that you want to learn, grow in impact, share and receive wisdom, and be more accountable for your calling to the workplace. You'll be aware of the 'sacred-secular divide' and its corrosive impact, convinced the workplace matters to God and that you're called there as a disciple. You're on the alert to make a difference and indeed you already are. But you want more: biblical depth; exposure to a broader range of praxis; fellow travellers who share some of the same challenges and opportunities; and input from a range of experts.

The Programme

The Programme is designed as three core modules.

We've shaped the programme to make it accessible to people in busy roles at work and home, so each 24-hour module will run from 6pm on the evening of day one to 6pm on day two. Overall, the teaching style will be interactive so you can look forward to learning as much from one another as from the training team. In each 24-hour module there will be a varied menu of direct teaching, real life case studies, group work, personal input, and time for reflection. Prior to the first module there will be a small amount of preparatory work and reflection. Between modules there will be approximately 10 hours of reading and exercises related to your own work. You would be expected to commit to all three modules.



Module 1: 18-19 Jan 2019
Seeing Afresh:

A Liberating Theology of Work
Diagnosing & Shaping Workplace Culture
Discerning God's Priorities for You

Module 2: 5-6 April 2019
Making a Relational Impact:

Growing Healthier Workplace Relationships
Creating Meaningful Conversations
Witnessing Effectively in your Context

Module 3: 7-8 June 2019
Bringing Change:

Growing as Leaders
What makes a Christian Leader Different?
Praying Strategically

Course Information

Cost: £690, which includes full board and accommodation for the three 24-hour modules.

Venue: The Royal Foundation of St Katharine's. It is situated at Limehouse Station on the Docklands Light Railway (DLR), which runs directly to Bank and Tower Gateway stations (5 minutes) where the London Underground can be joined.

Application: To apply, please visit licc.org.uk/executivetoolbox.

Once your application is approved, a member of the LICC team will contact you to arrange payment. Once your place is confirmed, the deposit is non-refundable. Full payment will be requested 60 days before the start of the course (terms and conditions apply). For more information, please contact Anna Watkin on 0207 399 9558 or anna.watkin@licc.org.uk.

The Training Team

The team includes experienced executives, leading workplace practitioners, and engaging theological observers.



Charles Hipsley: Director of LICC's Work Forum

Charles joined LICC as Director - LICC Work Forum in January 2012, and is the course leader of Executive Toolbox. He is the co-author of Transforming Work: an innovative resource for Christians in the workplace. Previously, he worked in financial services as Chief Operating Officer of a private equity investment company, and was Executive Director of a listed technology products and services business.

Jill Garrett: Senior Executive Coach & Leadership Consultant

Jill is Executive Director of Leadership Development and Employee Engagement at Tentpeg Consulting. Previously Jill was European Managing Director of the Gallup Organisation, Director of Leadership Development, and a Secondary School Head teacher. Over the years she has worked closely with a number of Christian leadership teams, CEO's and Boards and invests a good deal of time mentoring and coaching Christian leaders.



Mark Greene: Executive Director of LICC

Mark is LICC's Executive Director and has been in post since 1999. Before that he served as Vice-Principal and Lecturer in Communications at the London School of Theology. Prior to his work at LST, he spent ten years working in advertising in London and New York. Mark has been a pioneer in workplace ministry for two decades and has spoken widely on the topic in the UK, continental Europe, Asia and in the US. Mark has produced a number of workplace resources, notably Thank God it's Monday and Fruitfulness on the Frontline.

Beverley Shepherd: Management Trainer, Coach & Author

Beverley works with a range of organisations as a training consultant. Her courses include leadership, team building and stress management. Her passion is for encouraging and equipping Christians in the workplace. As well as being an Associate Speaker for LICC, she's part of the Women's ministry team at CWR and a regular speaker at both New Wine and New Horizon. Her books include Insight into Stress and Seasons of the Spirit. Beverley's style is engaging and fun, while her content is biblical and challenging.

