



CANTONESE PASTOR APPLICATION

Dear Pastor,

Thank you for your interest in becoming the Cantonese Pastor of KCAC! We are a Chinese speaking (predominantly Cantonese) Christian Alliance church located in the city of Kent. We are a group of committed Christians who passionately want to serve the community. Our mission is to make disciples for Jesus. We are earnestly seeking for a lead pastor who is called to preach the gospel in this community, has a passion for growing a church, and has a love for the people of KCAC.

An ideal candidate would be a born again Christian who lives a life exemplifying the gospel and called to be a pastor by God. He must be fluent in Chinese Cantonese and have conversational-level English and Chinese Mandarin. Preparation from formal academic training such as a bible college or seminary is highly desirable.

In order to get to know you, please provide the following information detailed below. You may submit in any format of your choice (example: resume, CV, paragraphs, etc.) Please read each step carefully. Once your application is complete, it will be reviewed by the KCAC pastor search committee. We hope to respond to you in a timely manner. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed. If you have any questions regarding the application process, please do not hesitate to contact Tim Ng, deacon of KCAC at pastor_search@kentchinesealliance.org.

Sincerely,

KCAC Deacon Board

PERSONAL AND CONTACT INFORMATION

Chinese Name _____

English Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Phone (_____) _____

Are you legally eligible to work in the United States? Yes No

Number of years lived in the U.S. _____

Can you show proof of citizenship/visa/alien registration if we decide to hire you? Yes No

Marital Status: Married Separated Divorced Widowed Single

EDUCATION

List all schools, locations, degrees and dates obtained.

PASTORAL EXPERIENCE

Are you an ordained pastor? If yes, Date of Ordination _____ By which Church _____

List pastoral experience in all churches you have served with the following information:

- Position:
- Brief job description:
- Church:
- Address:
- Employment date (From / To)
- Length of service
- Part-time or full time
- Supervisor's Name
- Contact phone/Email
- May we contact this person? Yes / No

WORK EXPERIENCE

List secular work that has helped in preparation of your ministry and include the following information:

- Position:
- Brief job description:
- Employer:
- Address:
- Employment date (From / To)
- Supervisor's Name
- Contact phone/Email
- May we contact this person? Yes / No

MINISTRY EXPERIENCE

List of ministry experiences with a brief description that might be helpful for us to know. These are examples:

- Preaching
- Management and Administration.
- Youth Ministry.
- Counseling
- Outreach to the wider community.
- Oversight of staff and volunteers
- Collaborative decision making in boards or committees.

CHRISTIAN BACKGROUND

Please provide the follow statements:

- 1) A personal statement about how you come to Christ.
- 2) A statement of your calling to be a pastor.
- 3) Your statement of Faith.

PREACHING AND TEACHING

Please submit a sample of your sermon or teaching to pastor_search@kentchinesealliance.org

Ideally, a link to a video or audio preaching/teaching with the following information:

Date:

Topic:

Location:

Intended audience:

PROFESSIONAL RECOMMENDATION

Please acquire 3 letters of recommendation. Ideal letters would come from individuals who have professional interaction with you (i.e. fellow pastors, deacons, church leaders, apprentices, etc.)

Letters must be sent by email written directly to

pastor_search@kentchinesealliance.org

Subject: ATTN: Pastor Search Committee

From: (Name of the writer)

For: (Name of the applicant)

AGREEMENT

(PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING)

Please Read Carefully, Initial Each Paragraph and Sign Below

I certify that all the information in this application is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and I have not knowingly withheld any information that might adversely affect my chances for employment. I understand that misleading or false statements will constitute sufficient cause for refusal of hire or termination of my employment.

Initials: _____

I understand that neither the acceptance of this application nor the subsequent entry into any type of employment relationship with Kent Chinese Alliance Church creates an actual or implied contract of employment. I understand that, if I accept employment with Kent Chinese Alliance Church, it will be on an at-will basis. This means that either Kent Chinese Alliance Church or I have the right to terminate the employment relationship at any time, for any reason, with or without cause.

Initials: _____

I understand and agree that as a final candidate, I will be required to do a thorough background check including educational verification, prior employment verification, criminal history, and credit history.

Initials: _____

Signature of applicant: _____ Date: _____