



**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

TYPE OF SCHOOL	NAME OF SCHOOL	LOCATION <i>(Complete Mailing Address)</i>	MAJOR & DEGREE	DEGREE RECEIVED?
College/University				
Vocational or Technical School				
Graduate School				
Other				

**Additional Academic Experience (post secondary)**  
*Please list courses attempted and whether or not completed; P/T or F/T; dates; institutions and awards received.*

**BACKGROUND**

**NOTE:** *If you answer "Yes" to any of the questions in the following section, please attach a separate sheet indicating the nature of the suit, offense, date, court, and disposition or other appropriate explanation. A conviction record will not automatically be a bar to employment. Factors such as your age at the time of the crime, seriousness and nature of the violation, time elapsed since the crime, job relatedness, and subsequent rehabilitation will be considered.*

Are you presently being investigated or under a procedure to consider your discharge for misconduct by your present employer?      Yes                      No

Has any employer ever subjected you to disciplinary action, suspended, terminated, or asked you to leave a job or volunteer position on the grounds of any unlawful sexual behavior, or violation of an employer's sexual misconduct or harassment policy?      Yes                      No

Have you ever been charged in civil or criminal proceedings with improprieties regarding children?      Yes                      No

Have you ever entered a plea of guilty, a plea of "no contest" (nolo contendere), or has any court ever deferred further proceedings without entering a finding of guilty and placed you on probation or in a public service or education program for any crime other than a minor traffic offense?      Yes                      No

Have you ever been charged with domestic or workplace violence?      Yes                      No

Have you ever been suspended, discharged, or resigned in lieu of discharge from any position?      Yes                      No



**MINISTRY**

**Please briefly describe your general background: Summarize your ministry strengths and weaknesses; ministry preferences and vision; and your special interests in ministry.**

**Leadership of a church involves several roles. Consider the following list. *Choose up to Five to discuss on the next page.***

**CHURCH LEADERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES:**

Staff Management

Small Groups and Discipleship

Attracting New Members and Retention

Teaching and the Weekend Experience

Professional Development and Continuing Education

Outreach and Evangelism

Meeting the Physical Needs of the Community

Inspiring Generosity and Stewardship

Pastoral Care

Implementing Vision

**CHURCH LEADERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES**

**In which of the Church Leadership Responsibilities (previous page) are you strongest? *Explain and Use Examples***

**In which of the Church Leadership Responsibilities (previous page) are you weakest? *Explain and Use Examples***

**SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONS**

*What attracts you the most to Bethel Church?*

*Why are you considering a change at this time?*

**PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES**

**NOTE: Do not list relatives for references.**

**Give Three (3) references who are qualified to speak about your Spiritual Experience and Christian Service.  
List your Current Pastor FIRST.**

Name	Complete Address	Phone Number	Position

**Give Three (3) references who are qualified to speak about your Professional Training and Experience.  
List your Current or Most Recent Supervisor FIRST.**

Name	Complete Address	Phone Number	Position

**SERMONS**

Please provide links to at least **3** of your recent sermons:

**AGREEMENT**

**Please Read Carefully, Initial Each Paragraph, and Sign Below**

_____ Initials	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 Bethel Church creates an actual or implied contract of employment. I understand that, if I accept employment with Bethel Church, it will be on an at-will basis. This means that either Bethel Church or I have the right to terminate the employment relationship at any time, for any reason, with or without cause.

**Signature of applicant:**

**Date:**