

# LEADER TRACK



## Pathway Overview

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# INTRODUCTION

LeaderTrack provides development pathways for those wanting to be equipped for leadership in a local church.

Combining practical, relational and academic aspects, participants are given skills in ministry planning, building teams, and strategy. They also grow in self-leadership and spiritual formation through the various learning pathway options and supervision.

Cohorted learning is involved in most streams with students from throughout Qld joining for various events throughout the course of the year.

There are Under-graduate Certificate and Diploma awards available through Australian College of Ministries (ACOM), with fee-help available for those units. Other fees related to non-academic elements of LeaderTrack are payable separately.

Other compulsory modules and experiences are added throughout the 1<sup>st</sup> year. These include ACOM facilitations; onsite residentials and weekend retreats.

# WHO IS THIS PATHWAY SUITED TO

## Interns

**For those dedicating one or two years to an immersion experience at their local church,** LeaderTrack offers a cohorted journey. Participants can choose to include Certificate or Diploma studies if they wish to seek qualification awards from their pathway, or else undertake the [Formation Year](#) as their primary learning journey.

## Ministry Leaders

For those who lead programs and teams in their local church. LeaderTrack can be undertaken on a part-time basis.

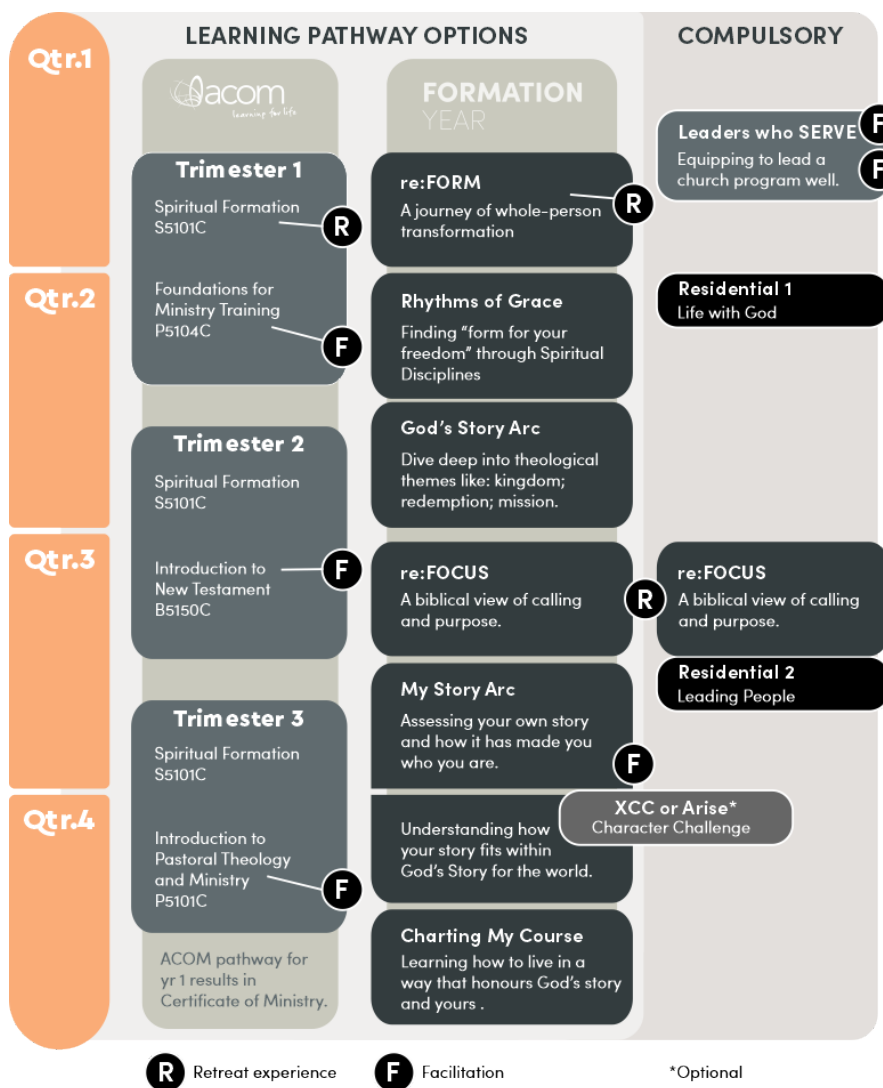
# WHO IS CONNEXA COLLEGE

ConneXa College is an initiative of [Kenmore Church of Christ](#), Brisbane.

Planted in 2019, one of the church's founding purposes was to provide an incubator of formation and leadership. Senior Minister Patrick Hegarty has been creating Christian formation resources and facilitating development pathways since 2005.

# YEAR 1 OPTIONS

At a glance

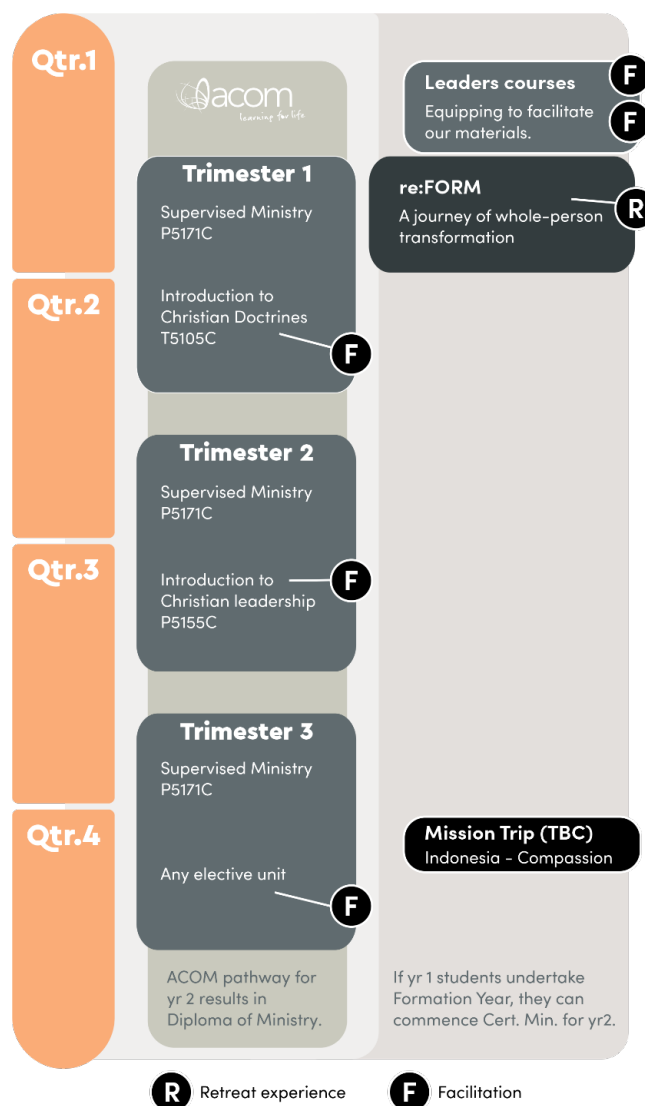


Participants can opt for an awarded Undergraduate Cert. stream through ACOM or [Formation Year](#) for their pathway.

- **Note 1** Retreats are a short weekend onsite at Kenmore campus.
- **Note 2** Residentials are a mid-week, multi-day workshop experience at Kenmore campus.
- **Note 3** Accommodation costs for retreats and residentials not included.
- **Note 3** [XCC](#) & [Arise](#) are special character challenge experiences facilitated by [4MAUS](#)

# YEAR 2 OPTIONS

At a glance



- **Note 1** If participants have undertaken Formation Year in year one, they can commence Cert.Min, as an academic stream for year 2.
- **Note 2** If participants have undertaken Cert.Min. for year 1, they can complete Dip. Min. in year 2.
- **Note 3** Structure of year 2 is subject to change and will be confirmed closer to the date.

# OUR ACADEMIC PROVIDER



Pathways with awards are provided in partnership with the [Australian College of Ministries](#) (ACOM). ACOM is a Member Institute of the [Sydney College of Divinity](#) who offer internationally recognised higher education awards.

ACOM Units and pathways are to be applied for via the [ACOM website](#).

## FORMAT

### Non-ACOM and Compulsory Units

Various modules are produced by ConneXa College. These include content that is printed or available online in PDF, audio or video format.

For the [Leaders who S.E.R.V.E.](#) module there are two ½ day workshops to help participants apply and understand the content. The [re:FOCUS](#) course is included and the weekend retreat is included.

For those undertaking the [Formation Year](#) pathway, check the **Pathway Overview – Formation Year** booklet for more detail.

### ACOM Units

All unit content is available through the ACOM Moodle system.

## ACOM Facilitations

Most ACOM units include some Facilitation days where content topics are discussed. These will usually take place at Kenmore Church campus in Brisbane. Accommodation for these periods is not included in registrations.

## Residentials

Two residentials are held each year onsite at Kenmore Campus ([check dates online](#)). Year 1 (2023) residentials are as follows:

### **Residential 1 – Life with God.**

3 days. Topics include: Christian identity; Life with the Spirit; Living with Form and Freedom. [Check dates online](#).

### **Residential 2 – Leading people.**

3 days. Topics include: Defining leadership; Working in teams; Communication; and more. [Check dates online](#).

Accommodation not included in registration.

## Character Challenge

In September/October of year 1 participants can engage in a **Character challenge**. [XCC](#) (men) – [Arise](#) (women) facilitated by [4<sup>th</sup> Musketeer Australia](#). Participants must choose to opt-in to this challenge and pay separately, but we encourage each person to participate in these challenging few days and nights with a group of others.



# CONTENT

## Leaders who S.E.R.V.E.

Introduction:	The goal of leadership; Your guiding statements.
See Ahead:	What does it look like when you get it right?
Engage Others:	Working effectively with your team.
Re-assess and Re-invent:	Constantly refine and simplify.
Value People:	All we do is with and for people.
Embody the Values:	Representing your culture fully.

[More on this module here.](#)

## re:FOCUS course

Depth of Calling

re:FOCUS on Christ

re:FOCUS on Character

re:FOCUS on People

re:FOCUS on Talent

re:FOCUS on Calling

## Cert Min topics

Core	S5101C	Full Yr 2023	Spiritual Formation (Year Long Subject)
Elective 1	P5104C	Tri 1, 2023	Foundations for Ministry Training
Core	B5150C	Tri 2, 2023	Introduction to New Testament
Core	P5101C	Tri 3, 2023	Introduction to Pastoral Theology & Ministry

## Dip Min topics

Elective 2	P5171C	Full Yr 2024	Supervised Ministry 1 (Yr Long Subject – Focus on Ministry Stream)
Core	T5105C	Tri 1, 2024	Introduction to Christian Doctrines
Elective 3	P5155C	Tri 2, 2024	Introduction to Christian Leadership
Elective 4		Tri 3, 2024	Any elective from any Discipline (including Practical Ministry)

Find out more at the [ACOM website](#)

## Formation Year topics

Information can be obtained from the downloadable document: Pathway Overview – Formation Year.

## COST

Check the [ConneXa College website](#).

## HOW TO REGISTER

Participants fill in a simple online application, and our admin staff will then communicate with you about payments and details.

ACOM applications are undertaken and paid for separately at the [ACOM website](#).