

**THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION
for THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION
(TEAC)**

In order to enhance, strengthen and develop the teaching of Anglicanism in Anglican and ecumenical theological colleges across the Anglican Communion, the Anglican Way Group of the TEAC working party has developed the following questionnaire.

The questionnaire is for Anglican Primates, Bishops and personnel related to Theological Colleges, Courses and Institutions.

We ask you to answer the questionnaire bearing in mind the Anglican Way Group Brief. (You will find the Anglican Way brief at the end of the general briefs on the TEAC website: www.anglicancommunion.org/teac)

The Brief explains the purpose and mandate of the Anglican Way Group and sketches in a very compressed way some elements and themes of Anglicanism the Group considered important and which may or may not be being taught across the Communion.

The purpose of your answering the questionnaire is to help the Communion develop and distribute resources and programmes that will strengthen the particularly Anglican component of theological education across the Communion.

As far as possible, we would ask you to respond in your official capacity on behalf of your church, institution or network.

To submit this Word document version of the questionnaire please send it as an email attachment to: teac@anglicancommunion.org.

Or send it by regular post to:

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Each of your responses to the questions below may be up to a maximum of 100 words. If you wish to send additional remarks, you may prepare and upload and include a separate word processing file from your computer at the end of this online form. Or send a separate email at any time to Clare Amos, TEAC coordinator, at: teac@anglicancommunion.org.

Question 1

- A.** What do you believe are the characteristics of Anglicanism which are particularly relevant today and are especially important in your local/Provincial context? Please bear in mind the themes listed in the Anglican Way Brief (Part 1, sections a-g), but also feel free to suggest others. Please list in order of priority:
- 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
- B.** Which Anglican 'themes' are particularly important in the global context?
- 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
- C.** In your opinion, what are the ignored aspects of Anglicanism that need to be better taught and developed in your context (local or global)? Please list in descending order of priority.
- 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.

Question 2

- A.** What are the existing resources on Anglicanism (programmes, curricula, institutions, libraries, people, written and audiovisual resources, -etc.) available in your Diocese, Province and/or institution?

Please list the resources available to you and say how good or otherwise you think the resource is:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Question 3

What kinds of resources on Anglicanism (for example, CD-ROM course, Web-based course, correspondence course, local course or resources listed in Question 2 above), presently not available, would be helpful to you in your context? Please list in order of priority and comment:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Question 4

Today much Anglican theological education takes place in an ecumenical context - for example, fully ecumenical seminaries, consortia of theological colleges, Anglican students enrolled in seminaries of other denominations, etc. These programmes are often very good and Anglicans benefit greatly from this ecumenical theological education. United Church theological training also usually takes place ecumenically. However one concern is whether Anglican and United Church students being trained in these contexts are receiving adequate Anglican formation and/or background. Please answer this question only if some or all of your students are being trained in ecumenical contexts.

- A.** Describe the ecumenical context(s) in which Anglican students are being trained in your Province, Diocese and/or institution.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

4.

- B.** Do you believe that your students are receiving good Anglican formation and background within this ecumenical training? Please answer for each of the institutions or programmes you have listed in Part A of this question:

1.

2.

3.

4.

- C.** What particular Anglican resources would be helpful to train Anglicans studying in ecumenical theological colleges?

Question 5

- A.** Do you believe that there are particular Anglican approaches to mission studies or inter faith issues/concerns?

- B.** What Anglican resources would be helpful for the teaching of such subjects?

Question 6

Do you have any further comments on strengthening the teaching of 'the Anglican Way' in your context and around the Anglican Communion?



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