



## The British & Irish Association for Practical Theology

Teachers and practitioners in Practical Theology have diverse interests but find a shared home in BIAPT where they benefit from expanding networks and intellectual stimulus and support.

The Association aims to:

- advance teaching, learning and research in pastoral studies and practical theology,
- promote contact and exchange between the various contexts of practical theology, education and training,
- organize events and consultations appropriate to the above,
- foster international links and activities, especially in collaboration with the International Academy of Practical Theology, and
- encourage interchange between the worlds of practical theology, pastoral care and counselling, and local and national faith communities.

Central to BIAPT is the annual conference in July held around the UK and the Republic of Ireland. It is here that seasoned and new practical theologians from universities, colleges, training centres, hospitals and parish ministry meet in a vibrant exchange through presenting papers and engaging with guest speakers.

New members are always welcome, especially from amongst those new to the discipline as postgraduate students or educators (an application form is overleaf).

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL: January – December 2018

Members of BIAPT enjoy a number of benefits:

- Print and electronic reduced-rate subscription to *Practical Theology* (formerly *Contact*) a journal of peer-reviewed articles published five times per year.
- Reduced rates by advance booking for places at the annual BIAPT conference.
- Access to an online directory of members' professional and research interests.
- Opportunity to bid for BIAPT-sponsored research grants.
- Eligibility for entry to the postgraduate student dissertation competition.
- Networking through regional groups.

BIAPT Conference 10-12 July 2018 at the University of Warwick:

**The Practical Theologian as Reflective Practitioner**

For further details, visit <http://www.biapt.org/conference.shtml> or email [conference@biapt.org](mailto:conference@biapt.org)

**Rates for Membership Year January – December 2018:**

£38 per annum

Reduced Rate for Students and Un-Waged People – £25

To join BIAPT or renew your membership, please complete the attached form and return it to:

BIAPT Administrator, 1 Church Meadow, Milton-under-Wychwood, Chipping Norton,  
Oxfordshire, OX7 6JG.



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / RENEWAL FORM (Please print in blue or black ink)

Title:	Name:
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Full Postal Address:
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Telephone (Home):	(Work):
Mobile:	

Email:
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**Student applicants:** *If you are currently a student, please give details of your studies in the following section*

Place of Study: <i>(i.e. University/College/Institute, etc.)</i>	
Course Type:	Ordinand / Undergraduate / Masters / Doctoral / Other * <i>(*select one)</i>
	If <i>Other</i> , please specify:
Course Details: <i>Please specify the actual course e.g. PhD, DMin, MA, MRes, etc. and any other relevant information</i>	
Start of Study (mm/yyyy):	Anticipated End of Study (mm/yyyy):
Research/Study Skills: <i>Please list skills you have acquired/developed and would be willing to share/help others with</i>	

I wish to apply for/renew my membership of BIAPT. I agree that the personal information provided in this form will be collected and retained by BIAPT, and used for the Association's administrative purposes. This information may be used by BIAPT officers to communicate with me by post or email. BIAPT will share my name and postal address with the publisher of *Practical Theology* for distribution of journals, but will not pass my data to any other third parties without further explicit permission. When my membership expires, my personal data will be deleted from BIAPT records after a maximum of two years, although I may request an earlier removal.

Signed
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Date
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Please see overleaf for membership rates and the continuation of form.

**Other Professional Details** (may be included in the Members' Directory, if consent granted below)

Institution(s):
Website or webpage (if appropriate):
Areas of practice: (e.g. university teacher, researcher, clergy, etc.)
Practical Theology Interests :
Publications: (if you have published work please list up to five selected representative works)

**Directory of Members**

I agree that the personal data selected below may be included in the online directory of members. This listing will only be accessible within the secure members' area of the BIAPT website and will not be shared with external organisations.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Name                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Email address                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional details (as above) | <input type="checkbox"/> Study details (student members only) |

**Membership Rates January – December 2018**

Your membership subscription is due each 1<sup>st</sup> January. Payment is by cheque made out to the *British and Irish Association for Practical Theology* or by standing order / bank transfer to BIAPT Main Account, 65503681, sort code 08 92 99.

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New members are formally admitted to membership at the annual conference following their first application, and are especially welcome to attend the conference on this occasion. In the meantime, new members receive *Practical Theology* and enjoy the other benefits of membership.

For more details of membership benefits, visit the BIAPT website: [www.biapt.org](http://www.biapt.org)