

# European Leadership Forum

Training  
The Next  
Generation  
Of Christian  
Leaders



JUNE 11 - JUNE 16, 2005  
SOPRON, HUNGARY



A FORUM TO TRAIN EVANGELICAL LEADERS



## European Leadership Forum

# Gain access to God's global resources...

## Forum Speakers



### Jerram Barrs

Professor of Contemporary Culture at Covenant Seminary and Resident Scholar of the Francis Schaeffer Institute



### Henri Blocher

Professor of Systematic Theology at the Faculté de Théologie Evangélique and President of the Fellowship of European Evangelical Theologians.



### William Edgar

Professeur Associé at Faculté Libre de Théologie Réformée and Professor of Apologetics at Westminster Theological Seminary



### Peter Jensen

Archbishop of the Anglican Church, Diocese of Sydney, Australia



### John Lennox

Fellow and Chaplain of Green College, Oxford University



### Amy Orr-Ewing

Apologist and Director of apologetic training at the Zacharias Trust



### Michael Ramsden

European Director of the Zacharias Trust and part-time College Lecturer in Apologetics at Wycliffe Hall, Oxford

- **Receive** expert teaching and training from some of the world's best teachers
- **Find** mentors and build friendships
- **Be encouraged**
- **Invite** back to your city key Forum speakers
- **Discover** Best Practice resources and seminars in evangelism, Bible Study, church life and leadership development, etc.

*The European Leadership Forum serves as a bridge between local needs and God's global resources. The Forum was the catalyst for 100 Seminars, Leadership training events and special public lectures through out Europe in the past year.*



## Forum Goals

Promote, unify, and strengthen evangelical Christianity in Europe

Provide biblical, intellectual, and spiritual resources to feed and encourage Christian leaders

Strengthen and equip local churches as living, witnessing communities

# Forum Programme

*This invitation-only meeting is divided into five main sections:*

- 1 PRE-FORUM AND POST-FORUM SEMINARS** will be held on June 11th and 16th on key topics and best practices. See [www.euoleadership.org](http://www.euoleadership.org) for more information and Application Forms.
- 2 PLENARY SESSIONS** will be led by Forum Steering Committee members and taught by Forum speakers.
- 3 NETWORK MEETINGS** will focus on specific groups of evangelical leaders and provide a high caliber of biblical teaching, training, and resources to address specific problems and needs. **See network descriptions to the right.**
- 4 WORKSHOPS** will be focused on specific ideas, challenges, best practices, and strategies.
- 5 INFORMAL NETWORKING** will be a central focus of the forum. Meal and break times are designed for individuals to meet with others to explore specific concerns and strategies.

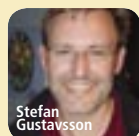
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**EUROPEAN APOLOGETICS NETWORK:** Applicants should be those with evangelistic or apologetic gifts. This network will be led by Forum Steering Committee members Stefan Gustavsson and Richard Cunningham. This Network will include lectures by Forum speakers Dr William Edgar and Dr Henri Blocher. *Prior preparation will be set for all applicants.*



Richard Cunningham



Stefan Gustavsson



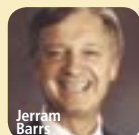
Jerry Twombly

**EUROPEAN LEADERS OF CHRISTIAN ORGANIZATIONS NETWORK:** Applicants should be leading, or helping to lead, Christian organizations and churches. Jerry Twombly, President of Development Marketing Associates, will be leading this Network. This Network will include lectures by Jerry Twombly, Dr Greg Pritchard, and others, and will focus on building healthy Christian organizations by focusing on relationships, strategic planning, managing people, problem solving, and biblical funding-raising. *Prior preparation will be set for all applicants.*



David Jackman

**EUROPEAN PASTOR – TEACHER NETWORK:** Applicants should be gifted local church pastors who want to develop their skills in expository preaching within the context of pastoral leadership. This network will be led and taught by David Jackman, President of Proclamation Trust. *Prior preparation will be set for all applicants.*



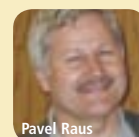
Jerram Barrs

**EUROPEAN CHRISTIANS IN SOCIETY NETWORK – ART AND THE CHRISTIAN WORLDVIEW:** Applicants will be those in secular vocations who are serious about applying their faith to the whole of life. The focus of the Network this year will be on a biblical worldview analysis of art and the artist. This Network will be led and taught by Forum speaker Jerram Barrs and Forum Steering Committee member Wim Rietkerk, Chairman of L'Abri Fellowship's International trustees. Forum speaker Dr William Edgar and others will also teach in this Network. *Prior preparation will be set for all applicants.*



Wim Rietkerk

**EUROPEAN CHRISTIAN COUNSELORS NETWORK:** Applicants should be involved in Christian counseling, pastoral care in churches, and personal discipleship ministries. This Network will examine the biblical framework for Christian Counseling and Discipleship. Leading this Network will be Pavel Raus, Director of Parakletos, a counseling and pastoral care ministry in the Czech Republic. The primary speaker of this Network will be Dr Richard Winter, British psychiatrist, and Professor of Practical Theology and Director of the Counseling program at Covenant Seminary. *Prior preparation will be set for all applicants.*



Pavel Raus



Richard Winter

**EUROPEAN SCIENTIFIC NETWORK:** Applicants should be involved in full time scientific work or have a strong interest and background in the integration of Science and Christianity. Leading this network will be Dr Richard Carhart, Professor Emeritus of Physics at University of Illinois. Speaking at this Network will be Forum speakers Dr John Lennox, Dr Henri Blocher, and others. *Prior preparation will be set for all applicants.*



Richard Carhart

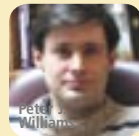


Greg Pritchard

**EUROPEAN THEOLOGIANS NETWORK:** Applicants should be involved in full time theological education – such as teachers, professors, and theology PhD students. Forum Steering Committee members Dr Greg Pritchard, Dr Andrzej Turkanik, and Dr Peter J. Williams, Lecturer in New Testament, University of Aberdeen will lead this network. Teaching this Network will be Forum speakers Dr Henri Blocher and Archbishop Peter Jensen. *Prior preparation will be set for all applicants.*



Andrzej Turkanik



Peter Williams

**EUROPEAN BIOETHICS NETWORK:** Applicants should be from the medical and ethical fields. This Network will examine the controversial area of Bioethics in Europe from a Christian worldview. Leading this Network will be Dr David Cook, ethicist and Fellow of Green College, Oxford University, and Arthur F. Holmes Chair of Faith and Learning, Wheaton College. Dr David Cook will be speaking along with other teachers. *Prior preparation will be set for all applicants.*



David Cook

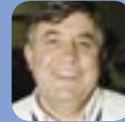
# How Can I Participate? How Can I Recommend Others?

The European Leadership Forum is an invitation-only event. We welcome applications and recommendations. Each person recommended should be a spiritually mature evangelical, seeking to grow in one of the Network's areas of specialization. A high level English proficiency is required. To apply or recommend someone else:

1. Go to [www.EuroLeadership.org](http://www.EuroLeadership.org) and fill out an Application Form and / or a Recommendation Form for the European Leadership Forum.
2. Send an email to [application@EuroLeadership.org](mailto:application@EuroLeadership.org) and request that an Application or Recommendation Form be emailed back to you.

For any additional questions, go to [www.EuroLeadership.org](http://www.EuroLeadership.org) or email us at [Info@EuroLeadership.org](mailto:Info@EuroLeadership.org).

*"The **European Leadership Forum** has been a wonderful success. The European Evangelical Alliance and Hope for Europe support the European Leadership Forum and stand behind it. The Forum is creating a bridge for Europe's evangelical leaders to gain access to God's global resources. As a direct result of the Forum, over 100 leadership training seminars, events, and speaking engagements will happen across Europe this year. We encourage evangelical leaders to take advantage of the unique opportunity of the Forum and to gain access to many of the world's leading evangelical thinkers, speakers, and Best Practice training resources."*



**Nick Nedelchev**  
President  
European Evangelical Alliance



## LOCATION

The European Leadership Forum will be held in beautiful and historic Sopron, Hungary (an hour from Vienna, Austria) at the Sopron Convention Center. Although participants will be busy and focused during the Forum, there will be three hours each afternoon for individuals to relax and prepare for the rest of the meeting.



## SCHEDULE

	SAT JUNE 11	SUN JUNE 12	MON JUNE 13	TUES JUNE 14	WED JUNE 15	THUR JUNE 16
7:00–8:15		BREAKFAST				
8:45–10:00	ARRIVAL IN SOPRON	Plenary Session	Plenary Session	Plenary Session	Plenary Session	Post- Forum Seminars 8:45 to 12:30
10:15–13:15		Network Seminars	Network Seminars	Network Seminars	Network Seminars	
13:15–16:00	Pre-Forum Seminars 12:00 to 17:30	LUNCH AND BREAK				
16:00–17:30		Workshops	Workshops	Workshops	Workshops	
17:30–19:00	DINNER					
19:30–21:00	Plenary Session	Plenary Session	Plenary Session	Plenary Session	Plenary Session	



## European Leadership Forum Steering Committee

- RICHARD CUNNINGHAM**, Director, Universities and Colleges Christian Fellowship (The Christian Union Movement)  
**LARS DAHLE**, Academic Dean of Mediehogskolen Gimlekollen School of Journalism and Communication in Norway  
**STEFAN GUSTAVSSON**, Director of the Credo Academy in Stockholm and General Secretary of Swedish Evangelical Alliance  
**GREG PRITCHARD**, Director of Communication Institute  
**MICHAEL RAMSDEN**, European Director of Ravi Zacharias International Ministries  
**WIM RIETKERK**, International Chairman of L'Abri Fellowship Trustees  
**ANDRZEJ TURKANIK**, Associate Director, Schloss Mittersill, Austria

Some limited scholarships (bursaries) are available on a first come, first served basis. For more information and costs go to: [www.EuroLeadership.org](http://www.EuroLeadership.org)