

How Your City Works for Faith Communities

How does the Council work with Voluntary, Community and Faith Sector partners?

Who holds the power and how do you influence them?

What are the challenges and opportunities for faith communities?

This [free] course is for members of faith communities, and others, who want to become more involved in shaping the future of the City



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This short course aims to:

- Explore the role and contribution of faith based activity to the life of the City.
- Develop an understanding of the decision making structures that oversee the City's development and how to influence them.
- Develop an understanding of Partnerships and other organisations, and how to engage with them effectively.



It will also provide the opportunity for people to:

- Consider the identity and contribution of faith communities.
- Think about how you can get your voice heard within the structures that shape City life.
- Share experiences and learning with people from faith communities and other partners in the City.

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Who should come along?

Anyone interested in learning more about how faith communities contribute to Sheffield, and how the City can make the most of this contribution.

When and where is the course happening?

8 Thursday evening sessions from 5.30pm to 8.30pm
[with food available from 5pm]

Dates: 28 Jan, 4, 11, 18 and 25 Feb and 4, 11 and 18 March

Venue: The Circle, 33 Rockingham Lane, Sheffield, S1 4FW

Want more information?

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BOOKING FORM:

Closing Date for Bookings – Wed 20th January 2010

Name _____

If you are part of an organisation, which one/s?

Mailing address _____

_____ Postcode _____

Tel. _____

Email _____

Any specific needs - disability/dietary/childcare?

Please tell us how the learning from the course may be of benefit to your Community

Please return your form to : FREEPOST RRLB-HSRJ-ABXE OFFER
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or fax to 0114 253 6731, or why not book on-line at www.offer.org.uk/events
For more information call OFFER on 0114 253 6730

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