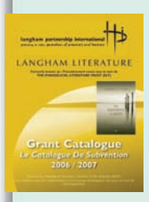
Growing a new generation of preachers and teachers

Our convictions - the "Langham Logic"

_ God wants His church to grow up in maturity
_ The church of God grows through the Word of God
_ The Word of God comes to people primarily (though not exclusively) through preaching

Our programmes

_ **Langham Scholars** provides scholarships for evangelical leaders and future teachers in Majority World seminaries and colleges to study for doctorates in biblical and theological studies.



_ **Langham Literature** provides evangelical books for pastors, theological students and seminary libraries in the Majority World. It also encourages and empowers Majority World scholars to write and publish evangelical books.

_ **Langham Preaching** provides workshops on effective evangelical preaching for pastors in the Majority World and encourages the development of networks of pastors to help them to be more effective in their preaching and teaching.

Our field

The Majority World includes those countries where the majority of the world's population and where 70% of the world's Christians live.

However in the case of Langham Foundation, LPI's member based in Hong Kong, its coverage extends to the whole of the continental-size majority world country of China, from north to south.

Our history

Rev Dr John Stott, of All Souls Church, Langham Place (from which the name comes), founded trusts to provide literature and scholarships more than 30 years ago, in response to the needs of the Majority World. These are now united in the LPI.

Langham Foundation Ltd was established and registered as a charity in Hong Kong in 2003. It is not linked to any single denomination. As a member of the LPI, it is one of six national organisations which shares a common vision and conviction and commits itself to cooperating with the other members of LPI in delivering the above three programmes. Besides Hong Kong, the worldwide Langham family are represented in the UK & Ireland, USA, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and 10 regional councils.

Our leaders

John Stott is the founder and honorary president of the Langham Partnership International and has led it through their varied history. He continues to take an active and prayerful interest in all of the LPI programmes and their strategic development.

His contribution to the growth of evangelical leadership in the Majority World has been recognised in the 18th April 2005 issue of Time magazine which listed John Stott as one of the 100 most influential people in the world today. The article on him is penned by Dr. Billy Graham, who writes "In the early '60s, John created the Evangelical Fellowship .... offering training scholarships in the West to potential future leaders in Asia, Africa and South America - many of whom took up high positions when they returned to their own countries. John's work is a significant factor in the explosive growth of Christianity in parts of the Third World. His provision of theological books for these regions is financed in large measure with the royalties from his considerable - and popular - writings.... I can't think of anyone who has been more effective in introducing so many people to a biblical world view.

He represents a touchstone of authentic biblical scholarship that, in my opinion, has scarcely been parallelled since the days of the 16th century European Reformers."

Chris Wright is the international director. His role is to ensure that the six regional organisations affiliated with LPI work together for their common purpose. He also coordinates the work of Langham's literature, scholarships and preaching programmes, each of which has its own international programme director.Chris is accountable to the LPI Council, which includes representatives of all six national organisations.

Our vision

To see churches worldwide being equipped for mission and growing to maturity through the ministry of Christian leaders and pastors, who sincerely believe, diligently study, faithfully expound and relevantly apply the word of God.

Activities and Events of Langham Foundation

Since 2003, Langham Foundation has organised sermons and public lectures every year on how Christians should relate to the world at large. Topics include politics, economics, business, law, ethics, natural disasters and theodicy. These lectures have been given by Dr John Stott, Dr Chris Wright, His Honour Judge David Turner and Langham scholars such as Dr Stephen Lee.

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Equipping local leaders
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Training preachers

John Stott writes :

The churches in the Majority World are growing at a staggering rate. There are now more Christians in Africa, Asia and Latin America than in the West. Sadly their evangelistic zeal and numerical growth, for which of course we praise God, are not always matched by growth in depth. So what can we contribute to these churches without becoming paternalistic or patronising?

Christian leaders in many countries have asked us to help pastors with their preaching and teaching. For churches live and grow through the Word of God, and the Word comes to them mainly through faithful biblical preaching. I have always been convinced that this is the key to healthy church growth.

All three programmes of the Langham Partnership International have this as their common vision: to see churches worldwide being equipped for mission and growing to maturity through the ministry of leaders and pastors who sincerely believe, diligently study, faithfully expound and relevantly apply the Word of God.

That is what I long to see. Don't you? If so, I warmly invite you to find out more about the programmes described inside.

John Stott

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