

# Leadership for The Seven Heavens

Welcome to our personal development programme for the leaders of tomorrow

Future Leaders Programme (FLP) 14 Sept 2021 - 16 Sept 2022



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Are you a talented and ambitious student or undergraduate who is driven by their faith and eager to make the world a better place?

Are you trying to better understand the role your faith can play in your future?

Are you seeking support in building a grand vision for yourself and better understanding your leadership potential?

If so, then look no further.

This 12-month programme is an amazing opportunity to build your leadership capacity and be part of a unique network of high-performance individuals that are set to be the future leaders of industry and society as a whole.

Mercy Mission UK and Faith in Leadership under the auspices of St Benet's, University of Oxford, have designed a truly unique leadership programme for the leaders of tomorrow. The FLP is designed to path a journey for aspiring leaders from diverse backgrounds and across many nationalites.

If you are hardworking and dedicated, God Willing, our Future Leaders Programme will propel your studies, career and activism like nothing else. You'll experience a well thought out, planned and carefully curated range of experiences with a diverse group of young people.

We want our Future Leaders to have a thorough reflective experience of faith, identity, and aptitude with a view of building a clear and inspirational vision for tomorrow.



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## **Programme Delivery**

The programme will start with a three-day residential at St Benet's, a unique college of the University of Oxford.

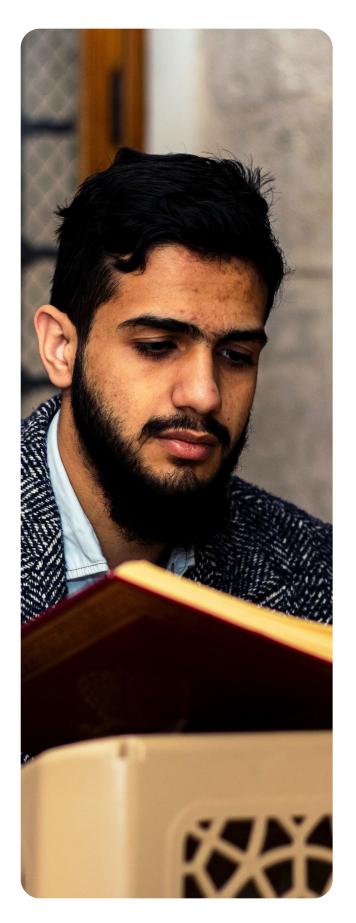
Over the course of the summit, you will spend time with a cohort of ambitious and driven young people and be introduced to an unprecedented array of thought leaders from across the Muslim community.

#### Amongst other things you will explore:

- Authentic Leadership
- Wholesome Aptitude
- Telling Your Story
- Management Styles
- Self-Governance
- Skills Acceleration
- Faith & Identity

After the event, you will be then spending the next eleven months attending monthly sessions with our thought leaders from across civil society and working on a project. Through this programme you will have an opportunity to meet with politicians, faith leaders, entrepreneurs, academics and thought leaders from across civil society. At the end of this all, you will complete the programme and your certificate in Faith Leadership from St Benet's.





### Who Should Attend?

The Future Leaders Programme is an invaluable forum for young Muslims with a desire to build their leadership capital and that of the community.

We are driven to ensure you an experience which makes you a great asset for both the faith and the faithful in this country. We encourage parents to help you in making the decision to attend this programme, which we see as an essential support to University life. If you are about to start university or recently have done, this programme will provide unprecedent support and help you optimise the investment you are making in that education.

#### You should be:

- 18-20 years of age as of 13th September 2021
- Be preparing to attend a university or already be at university and no further than your penultimate year
- Have an interest in how your faith and identity can propel your value add

## **Programme Costs**

The programme cost's £1500 for the full year, representing an investment of less than 5% of your wider university fees.

This is a sizeable commitment, however the support it will give you for your further university studies, is unparalleled, and will ensure you get more out of your time at university, God willing.

We are eager to welcome applications from across the country and are seeking to limit places to no more than 4 from any one city. This is to ensure a diverse spread of people and network emerges for our alumni. We would encourage those without the immediate means available to explore support from their own friends/family/ community first, as finding solutions to tough problems is something critical in your own leadership journey. Nevertheless, we have a small number of bursaries available for those applicants who do not have the means to attend but can make a strong case for being financially supported.

## **How to Apply**

Please visit our website, and follow the simple application process.

Applications open on Monday 12th July 2021 and will close on Friday 13th August 2021. Interviews will be conducted through to the end of August with the successful candidates being invited to start the program with us at St Benet's Hall, Oxford on Monday 13th September for a three-day retreat. God Willing.



