The Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary Partnership Program is designed to strengthen: (1) the congregation’s role in an applicant's spiritual calling, (2) the applicant's theology and practice of financial stewardship, and (3) the spiritual formation of the applicant through discipleship. The program, which includes a full-tuition scholarship, is awarded to students* who demonstrate strong faith in Jesus Christ, excellent ministry experience, and strong potential for leadership ministry.

To Be Completed By The Applicant
Name:____________________________________________________

Session/Year Admitted For: _____________________________________________ Degree Program:_____________________

Write a statement indicating your full intentions for ministry and telling how you will use the fundraising skills you learn in your future ministry. Your pastor must endorse your stated goals, by signing below, then respond to the questions on the next page.

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Pastoral Endorsement ___________________________________________ Date _____________________

Name (please print) ____________________________________________________________________________

Name:____________________________________________________
Please respond to the following questions. If you need additional space, please feel free to continue on a separate page. Are you related to the applicant? Relatives may not submit a recommendation for an applicant. If you are related to the applicant, ask him/her to contact charpartnership@gcts.edu.

1. How long have you known the applicant? ____________________________________________________________

2. What is your relationship to the applicant? __________________________________________________________

3. How would you describe the applicant’s involvement in ministry?
   □ Very Involved □ Somewhat Involved □ Not Involved

4. What have you observed to be the ministry gifts of the applicant?
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5. Have you supported the applicant in ministry? □ Yes □ No

6. If so, how? □ Prayer □ Financial □ Both

7. On a scale of 1-10, how enthusiastic are you to support this applicant’s ministry training? ________________

Would you recommend this applicant for the scholarship? □ Yes □ No
(Please explain; use extra sheet or back of form if necessary.)

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Signature________________________________________ Date__________________________

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May we contact you for further information? □ Yes □ No