



## Common Good Story Writing Volunteer role

Do you have the skills to help us build up a bank of stories that offer examples of the Common Good in action?

We want to showcase Common Good activity going on across the churches, business and civil society, and share the many different ways people can apply the principles of Common Good Thinking. We also hope to encourage and support people to try out new initiatives.

In this role you will draw on your excellent journalistic or story writing skills and work as part of a small team generating valuable content for our website. See some of our most recent stories here: <http://www.togetherforthecommongood.co.uk/blog.html>

This is a great way to learn more about what's happening across the different Christian traditions and in the many different church and civil society groups involved in building the Common Good.

You will choose from suggested topics to research and given a brief to work up a story into an engaging format to illustrate the Common Good in practice. From time to time there will be opportunities to interview people and turn it into a story.

You will receive training in what constitutes a Common Good story and be supported by our Blog Manager and Director of T4CG, who take an editorial role.

In this role you will learn about the principles and practice of the Common Good and gain the ability to address issues related to building the Common Good.

As part of the team we will welcome your suggestions for stories that fit in with our themes and you will have the chance to benefit from other opportunities as they arise.

## How to apply

We are a very flexible team and we always like to work relationally. We value our volunteers very highly. Please do get in touch if you are interested in applying for this volunteer role. Please write us a letter to help us get to know you, explaining why you want to work with T4CG and what skills and experience you could bring to our friendly team. Email [bryony@togetherforthecommongood.co.uk](mailto:bryony@togetherforthecommongood.co.uk) with your letter, CV and the role you are interested in. Your CV should include relevant voluntary and work experience and two referees.

### SKILLS

- Excellent written communication skills
- Journalistic experience desirable
- Flair for writing a good story
- Flexibility, the ability to work in a team and follow a brief

### APPLY WITH

- Your CV and covering letter
- Evidence of your writing ability

**Location:** we mostly work remotely and keep in touch via email and Skype with occasional meet ups in central London. So location isn't an issue.

**Time required:** negotiable – usually around 2-3 hours a week.

**Support:** working within a team of 3-5 people.

**Together for the Common Good (T4CG)** is a small charity serving an emerging movement bringing alive the principles of the Common Good and encouraging people of goodwill to work together across their differences.

We work across the churches to build their capacity through training in Common Good Thinking, discussion events, debates and online and offline resources. We are ecumenical, independent and non partisan.

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