# Requirements of the Six Position Papers

Position papers shall be written by the emerging leader on the following subjects: Emerging leaders shall submit six position papers as listed below, including but not limited to the items listed under each theme. Each paper shall be an original, comprehensive treatment of the subject that includes the items listed under each theme, and should be no less than eight pages in length. The paper is to be a statement of the emerging leader's personal theological position. Video instructions on how to write the first <u>Four</u> position papers can be found on the <u>CPD Website</u>.

### A. Christ Our Savior

- The nature of man and his final destiny
- The plan and purpose of the atonement
- The means and results of justification
- My personal experience of Christ as Savior

#### B. Christ our Sanctifier

- The crisis and progression of sanctification
- Identification of the believer with Christ's death, resurrection, and ascension
- The ministry of the Holy Spirit in sanctification My personal experience of Christ as Sanctifier

#### C. Christ our Healer

- The relationship of divine healing and the atonement
- The significance of prayer and anointing by the elders
- The ministry of healing in the local church
- My personal experience of Christ as our Healer

## D. Christ our Coming King

- Defend the pre-millennial coming of Christ
- Trace the events surrounding the rapture of the Church
- Relationship between the imminence of Christ's coming and world missions
- My personal understanding of Christ our coming King

# E. Christ's Body: the Church

- Mission and purpose
- Relationship to Jesus Christ
- Leadership and authority in the Body
- Relationship to The Christian and Missionary Alliance
- Relationship between the members

# F. Completing Christ's Mission

- The lostness of mankind
- The Great Commission passages: Matthew 28:18-20 and Acts 1:8
- The local church commitment to world missions
- The leader's role in mobilizing the local church in Great Commission completion (evangelism, church multiplication, world missions)