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## **New Appointment: Director of the International Baptist Theological Study Centre Amsterdam**

**Job title:** Director of the International Baptist Theological Study Centre (IBTS) Amsterdam

**Location:** The Baptist House, Postjesweg 150, 1061 AX Amsterdam.

**Website:** <https://www.ibts.eu/>

IBTS is looking to appoint a suitably qualified person to the post of Director. We are seeking a person who will have the vision and qualities to lead the organisation in the next phase of its development. The changing environment in theological education provides both challenges and exciting opportunities for IBTS and the director will work with the staff, the board and international partners to continue the delivery of high-quality research and educational facilities.

IBTS exists to 'Empower Scholars and Leaders in the Church for the World'. Based in Amsterdam, it collaborates with a wide range of international partners to convene a rich variety of learning opportunities through the IBTS Learning Network and carries out doctoral level research through its international Research Community.

As an international organisation embedded in the rich history of European Baptist life and located at the centre of contemporary Baptist and ecumenical networks, IBTS holds a unique position which offers significant potential to serve in areas of theological research, learning and mission. It has close historical and organisational connections with the European Baptist Federation with which it shares a creative and closely collaborative relationship. IBTS also has a thriving partnership with the Faculty of Religion and Theology at the Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam (VU-FRT) which is based on a formal arrangement of 'collaborative partner'.

### **Application process**

Full details of salary, responsibility and person specification are available by contacting Office [administrator@ibts.eu](mailto:administrator@ibts.eu).

Applications in the form of a covering letter outlining your suitability for the post as well as an academic C.V. must be completed and returned by 1 April 2024 to [administrator@ibts.eu](mailto:administrator@ibts.eu)

Interviews will be held on the 25<sup>th</sup> or the 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024 in Amsterdam. Appointment of a non-EU candidate will be subject to approval of a visa/work permit.