

Project Violet Requests for Change – R41

Short title	Role models
Identifying number	R41
Request for action by	Local Churches, Associations, Colleges, Key Roles Nomination Group
Text of request	<p>We can become what we see. Affirming male role models have been important to many women but their courage to respond to God’s call is often developed by seeing women like them in ministry. It is important that teenagers see women preach and minister as that is when a call often starts. It is important that under-represented groups are also asked to act as role models and be seen in positions of leadership and not only in auxiliary roles.</p> <p>The request for change is: Under-represented groups/individuals be given a platform for leadership in local churches, Associations and college gatherings.</p>
Relevant co-researcher reports	<p>What does affirming women leaders in our Association look like?</p> <p>What is the difference that MagnifyYou has made to the women who took part and why was it needed?</p> <p>Understanding the journey into ministry for Asian Women</p> <p>How do caring responsibilities, across the life cycle, shape and impact the ministry and experiences of women in Baptist chaplaincy and church ministry roles?</p> <p>The experiences of Deaf women Ministers</p> <p>Receptive Space - Ecumenical Learning for Project Violet</p>
Relevant Theological Reflections	Group 4
Location on Requests Map	Vocational pathway - Phase I and Phase II

Agreed at the Project Violet Co-researchers conference on 17 April 2024.