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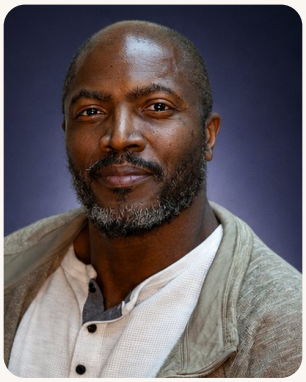
Educator Directory

Overview, profile template, and how to add educators



The GGN Educator Directory introduces the people who teach Global Grief Network courses and write GGN articles and resources. It is separate from the GGN Practitioner Directory, which lists people who offer one-to-one grief support.

Founder



Tony Lynch

FOUNDER | AUTHOR | SPEAKER | GRIEF ADVOCATE

"Changing the way people see grief."

Tony Lynch is the founder of Memories of Us Ltd., a men's grief support organization, and the founder of the Global Grief Network. He is also the creator of the Global Grief Network app, the Grief Accomplice Program, The Adventures of Grief Guy, and Editor-in-Chief of Grief Talk Magazine. Read his full profile in the Educator Directory.

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Websites: www.memories-of-us.com | www.globalgriefnetwork.com

Current profiles

Profile	Status
Tony Lynch, Founder	Live founder profile: photo, bio, specialties, websites, Connect names, and links to GGN programs. Program links are placeholders until each program page is published.
Sample Educator	Clearly labeled layout example. Not a real person. Replace or remove before publishing real profiles.

Profile template

Every educator profile has the same parts, in this order:

Part	What goes here
Photo	Head-and-shoulders photo, or the placeholder image until one is provided.
Name and role	Name as it should appear, and one short role line.
Badge	"Founder" for Tony Lynch. "Sample profile" for the layout example only.
Roles, tagline, quote	Optional extras shown under the name, as on the founder profile.
Bio	About 100 to 150 words, written or approved by the educator.
Credentials	Verifiable degrees, licenses, certificates, and training.
Specialties	Up to five short phrases in the educator's own words.
Topics	Chosen from the GGN topic list; these power the directory filters.
GGN programs, courses, articles, resources	Titles with links to the educator's GGN work.
Websites and Connect	Websites are linked. Social accounts are shown by name, and linked only once the real profile address is confirmed.
Contact	Optional public email.

Topics used for filtering

- Men's grief
- Child and family grief
- Suicide loss
- Pregnancy and infant loss
- Somatic and body-based learning
- Workplace grief
- Veteran and military grief

- Caregiving and anticipatory grief
- Traumatic and sudden loss
- Collective and community grief
- Faith, culture, and ritual
- Pet loss
- Care for helpers

How to add an educator

1. Ask the educator to complete the Educator Application and Profile Intake form and send a photo.
2. Check credentials and confirm the bio stays within GGN scope (education and support, not clinical care).
3. Save the photo in the site folder at img/educators/ (for example, img/educators/jane-doe.jpg).
4. Open data/educators.json and copy an existing profile object. Fill in each field and give it a unique id.
5. If you open the site from your own computer rather than a web host, run tools/sync_data.py to refresh the offline copy.
6. Open the directory and the new profile page (profile.html?id=the-id) to check them, then publish.

Scope reminder

Profiles should describe GGN offerings as education and support. Avoid clinical words such as treatment or diagnosis when describing GGN work. Licensed professionals may list their licenses, and keep licensed services separate from GGN teaching.

In immediate danger: call 911. 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline: call or text **988** (US). Elsewhere, use your local emergency number and crisis line.

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