

Master of Arts—THEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL STUDIES (MTH)
Advisement/Degree Plan

(Follow the course sequencing on the reverse side and consult your faculty advisor)

Student Name: _____ ID: _____ Advisor: _____
Address: _____ Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-mail: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Current GPA: _____

Directions: Write the grades you earned on the lines preceding the courses you have completed. Indicate with a “✓” courses in which you are currently enrolled.

Hours required for graduation: 53 + prerequisites

Assessments (1 Hour Required)

_____ PRF 056	Entry-Level Assessment/ <i>Koinonia</i> +	_____ PRF 057	Mid-Program Assessment
_____ PRF 059	ePortfolio: <i>Whole Person Assessment</i>	_____ PRF 058	Candidacy-Level Assessment +

Prerequisites (12-15 Hours Required)

_____ GTHE 517	Seminar in Theo Research <i>or</i>	_____ GTHE 561	Systematic Theology II
_____ PRF 049	Theological Research Proficiency	_____ GTHE 571	Church History I
_____ GTHE 551	Systematic Theology I	_____ GTHE 581	Church History II

Theological and Historical Concentration (36 Hours Required)

_____ GTHE 624	Christian Apologetics+	_____ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____
_____ GTHE 681	Historical Theology+	_____ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____
_____ GTHE 756	Thesis Research and Proposal	_____ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____
_____ GTHE 757	Thesis Writing+	_____ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____
_____ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____	_____ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____
_____ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____	_____ PRF _____	Language Proficiency
_____ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____		

Biblical Literature Cognate (12 Hours Required)

_____ GBIB 507	Biblical Hermeneutics	_____ GBIB 571	New Testament Synthesis
_____ GBIB 551	Old Testament Synthesis	_____ GBIB _____	Bible Elective _____

ORU Distinctive Courses (4 Hours Required)

_____ GTHE 510	Holy Spirit Empowerment in Life and Ministry+ (2 hrs)	_____ HPE _____	Elective ¹ _____ (0.5 credit hr.)
_____ GHPE 503	Graduate Health Fitness (1 credit hr.)	_____ HPE _____	Elective ¹ _____ (0.5 credit hr.)

¹Students may take undergraduate HPE courses with the GHPE 503 prerequisite. **GHPE 515 or 525** are available for graduate students. The same HPE elective may be taken twice.

Note: Three HPE courses are required. A 1-credit-hr. class may not be substituted for two 0.5-credit-hr. classes.

+Required artifact for M.A. Theological/Historical Studies degree program

++May be used as a required artifact for M.A. Theological/Historical Studies degree program

Artifacts required from 2 of the following:

(GTHE) 657 Theology of Martin Luther; 670 Contemporary Theology; 675 Early Church Fathers; 684 Reformed Theology; 686 Theology of John Wesley

Artifact required from 1 of the following:

(GTHE) 622 Doctrine of God; 658 Biblical Authority; 760 Christology; 763 Biblical Doctrine of Grace

Artifact required from 1 of the following:

(GTHE) 663 Charismatic Theology; 678 Theology of Revival & Renewal; 692 Pneumatology; 694 Pentecostal/Charismatic Movements/Historical Perspective; 696 Divine Healing

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Course Sequencing (2012-2013)

THEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL STUDIES

(Suggested course load with prerequisites)

Total Required Hours: 53 + Prerequisites

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Name _____

Date ____/____/____

Course Code/Title	Credit	Course Code/Title	Credit
FALL—First Year		SPRING—First Year	
GBIB 551 OT Synthesis	3	GTHE 510 Holy Spirit Empowerment+	2
GTHE 517 Seminar in Theo. Research	3	GTHE 561 Systematic Theology II	3
GTHE 551 Systematic Theology I	3	GTHE 581 Church History II	3
GTHE 571 Church History I	3	GTHE 624 Christian Apologetics+	3
GTHE 631 Theological German++ <i>or</i>	3	GTHE ____ Elective_____	3
GTHE 632 Theological French++		HPE ____ HPE Elective ¹ _____	0.5
GHPE 503 Grad. Health Fitness	1	PRF 057 Mid-Program Assessment	0
PRF 056 Entry-Level Assessment/ <i>Koinonia</i> +	0.5	PRF ____ Language Proficiency	0
PRF 059 ePortfolio: <i>Whole Person Assessment</i>	0		
Total credits this semester	16.5	Total credits this semester	14.5
SUMMER—First Year			
GBIB ____ Elective_____	3		
GTHE ____ Elective_____	3		
Total credits this semester	6		
FALL—Second Year		SPRING—Second Year	
GTHE 681 Historical Theology+	3	GBIB 507 Biblical Hermeneutics	3
GTHE 756 Thesis Research and Proposal	3	GBIB 571 New Testament Synthesis	3
GTHE ____ Elective_____	3	GTHE 757 Thesis Writing+	3
GTHE ____ Elective_____	3	GTHE ____ Elective_____	3
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HPE ____ HPE Elective ¹ _____	0.5	Defense of Thesis	0
PRF 058 Candidacy-Level Assessment+	0.5	Total credits this semester	15
Total credits this semester	16		

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NOTE: Students are ultimately responsible for the courses they take and the order in which they take them. Should students deviate from the proposed plan, they could jeopardize their graduation within the prescribed time limit. **UNDERGRAD COURSES WILL NOT BE CREDITED TO STUDENT'S DEGREE AND ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL AID.** Students are encouraged to consult their faculty advisors.