

RELIGION AND BIBLICAL LANGUAGES

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Academic Programs	Credits
BA: Theology	
Pastoral Ministry	68
Secondary Education	74
Youth Ministry	54
BA: Religion	31
BA Distance Degree: Religion	35
AA: Personal Ministries	32
Minor in Religion	20
Minor in Biblical Languages	22
Minor in Missions	20

RELB210, 214, 335, 406, 476; RELT100, 226, 250, 340, 426; BIBL100, 211, 212, 321, 322, 409, 410. Competence in Greek equivalent to the level represented by BIBL212 is required. RELP200, 240, 331, 442

Required cognates (6 hrs.): HIST404, RELH317. Minimum grades of C- must be earned in HIST404 and in all RELB, RELH, RELP, and RELT courses to apply to major requirements.

Denominational certification requirements (36 hrs.): EDPC302; EDTE215, 328, 408, 410, 417, 459, 468, 476, 478, 487, 488. *Students must consult with the certification clerk in the School of Education.*

BA: Religion—31

RELB110, 214, 335, 406, 476; BIBL100; RELT226, 426; RELP200, 331, 442. The following four general education courses are also required: RELB210; RELT100, 250, 340. *Those electing a biblical language to meet the foreign language requirement must take Greek I and Greek II or Hebrew I and Hebrew II.*

BA: Religion—35

(Distance Education)

The distance education degree requires a minimum of 128 semester credits including all general education, major, and graduation requirements. The required courses are RELB160, 250, 325, choose one of the following: RELB335 or 336, 385, 405, 425; RELT235, 250, 290; RELG360; HIST404. *Those electing Greek to*

Programs

BA: Theology

Choose from one of the following:

Pastoral Ministry Emphasis—68

RELB110, 210, 214, 335, 406, 476; RELH316, 317; HIST404; RELP200, 240, 331, 332, 333, 334, 441, 442; RELT100, 226, 250, 340, 400, 426; BIBL100, 211, 212, 317, 321, 322, 409, 410, 427.

Competence in Greek equivalent to the level represented by BIBL212 is required.

Required Cognates (9 hrs.): HIST404; RELH316, 317. Minimum grades of C- must be earned in HIST404 and in all RELB, RELH, RELP, and RELT courses to apply to major requirements.

Youth Ministry Emphasis—74

RELB110, 210, 214, 335, 406, 476; RELP200, 240, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 441, 442; RELT100, 226, 250, 340, 426; BIBL100, 211, 212, 321, 322, 409, 410.

Competence in Greek equivalent to the level represented by BIBL212 is required; choose three from ANTH200, BHSC220, FMST454, 456, PSYC204, 251, 252, 319, 454, SOCI120, 345, 415, 430

Required Cognates (6 hrs.): HIST404; RELH317. Minimum grades of C- must be earned in HIST404 and in all RELB, RELH, RELP and RELT courses to apply to major requirements.

Secondary-Education Emphasis—54

Emphasis placed upon practical and scholarly application of the text. Prerequisites: BIBL100, 212. *Fall*

BIBL321 (3)
(was **BIBL421**)

Hebrew I

Fundamentals of Biblical Hebrew including a practical vocabulary, an understanding of the grammatical structure of the language, and practice in translation. Provides ministers with a practical study tool. Weekly lab required. *Fall*

BIBL322 (3)
(was **BIBL422**)

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

RELP200 (5)

Pastoral Practicum

A weekly seminar giving instruction in the many aspects of ministering in small churches. Includes assignment to one of the area churches. Required of all theology/religion majors each year in attendance at AU. Students register once for the entire year. Graded S/U. *Fall, Spring*

RELP235 (2)

Christianity in a World Context

An introduction to the status and role of Christianity and Mission worldwide. Includes a brief history of Christian Mission, current facts about mission needs, Christian and mission relationships to world religions, political ideologies, national development, and non-Western cultures. *Fall*

RELP240 (0)

(was RELP230)

Christian Witnessing/Public Evangelism Seminar

Acquaintance with the dynamics of Christian Witnessing in the neighborhood, at work, and in the friend-to-friend approach of personal Bible study. Christ's example of witnessing is highlighted. Includes participation in the departmental summer field school. Graded S/U.

RELP325 (2-6)

Preparation for Mission Service

An orientation of mission candidates to contemporary mission. A maximum of 3 credits is allowed for student missionaries and 4-6 credits for appointees to the Mission Institute. A maximum of 3 credits is applicable to the General Education religion requirement. *Spring*

RELP331 (1)

Homiletics I—Introduction to Preaching

RELT340 (3)
Religion and Ethics in Modern Society
Considers how the Judeo-Christian tradition confronts the moral complexities of a highly technical society. Are there universal absolutes that cross all cultural boundaries, or are all values relative? Designed to help students articulate what molded their value system and what should help to shape it. Students are expected to participate in some organized church/civic/social service activities. Prerequisite: RELT100. *Fall, Spring, Summer*

