

**OTST675 (3)**

Exegetical study in selected portions of the Book of the Twelve ("Minor Prophets"). Content announced in advance. Prerequisite: Must have met the intermediate Hebrew requirement. Repeatable.

**OTST680 (2-3)**

Exegesis of selected passages in the Old Testament. Content announced in advance. Repeatable. Prerequisite: Biblical Hebrew III and at least one Hebrew exegesis course with a grade of A.

**OTST685 (2-3)**

An examination of hermeneutical presuppositions and formulation of sound principles of biblical interpretation with application to selected texts. Prerequisite: Must have met the intermediate Hebrew requirement.

**OTST686 (3)**

Exegetical study in selected portions of Isaiah, Jeremiah or Ezekiel. Prerequisite: Must have met the intermediate Hebrew requirement. Repeatable.

**OTST940 (3)**

Advanced work on selected passages of the Old Testament; building on the other exegesis courses in Old Testament. Content

registered in 294 in seminars. Seminars are not substitutes for core requirements.

**Systematic Theology****THST521 (3)**

Study of the interdisciplinary nature, sources, and methods of theology; the doctrines of God (the Trinity, foreknowledge, predestination), His works (creation, providence, the covenant, law and Sabbath), the Holy Spirit, and human beings (nature, image of God, and sin). For students without a prior degree in Theology.

**THST522 (3)****THST555 (2-3)**

Selected issues in ecclesiology related to the practice of ministry.

**THST608 (2-3)**

Significance of the Seventh-day rest in the Old Testament, in the teachings of Christ and the apostles, and in Christian theology.

**THST615 (2-3)**

The nature, attributes, marks, and government of the Christian Church. Its relation to Christ, to the Scriptures, and to the Holy Spirit. The ordinances and the ministry.

**THST616 (2-3)**

A study of the nature and attributes of God and His relation to the world. Consideration of divine foreknowledge, predestination, and providence; the Trinity; God as person. Also available through the Seminary Distance Learning Center as a 3-credit course.

**THST617 (2-3)**

An in-depth study of such doctrines as creation, law and covenant, and Sabbath. Can be repeated for credit.

**THST618 (2-3)**

An in-depth study of such doctrines as atonement, salvation, and righteousness by faith. Can be repeated for credit.

**THST619 (2-3)**

The nature, function, and practice of constructive theological activity. Doing theology: What? Why? How? For advanced students.

**THST630 (2-3)**

The unique person of Christ: His pre10(T3)15(4)-5(0)]TJ0/

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- THST964** (3)  
Study of selected doctrinal and historical issues and systems. Repeatable.
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- THST550** (2-3)  
Study of the basic moral guidelines and ethical principles contained in the Bible. Application of these guidelines and principles to contemporary moral issues of special interest for Seventh-day Adventists.
- THST600** (2-3)  
An application of Christian moral teachings to various personal issues and dilemmas with special emphasis on the moral habits and Christian character.
- THST634** (2-3)  
An exploration of selected issues currently confronting the church, such as ethnic relations, the role of women, nationalism and liberation theology, poverty and hunger, and relations with civil governments.
- THST643** (2-3)  
An inquiry into the field of professional relations, dilemmas, and decision making within the context of Christian ethics. Emphasis on the identity, activity, and influence (witness) of a Christian professional, primarily in the caring professions. Identical to CHMN643.
- THST644** (2-3)  
Discussion and application of biblical teachings and normative models to decision making and standards of Christian behavior in the context of praxis of ministry. THST550 strongly recommended (expected for MDiv students) prior to this course.
- THST659** (2-3)  
The interrelation between philosophical, theological, and ethical thought-forms and issues considered in the light of the biblical perspective. Available for PhD/ThD, MA, and select MDiv students.
- THST660** (2-3)  
Interdisciplinary analysis of the interrelatedness of church, its theology and task with the society as potential recipient of the Gospel; examination of structures and dynamics in church and society from biblical, theological, ethical, and sociological perspectives; formulation of a biblical word view vis-a-vis modern philosophies and ideologies.
- THST667** (2-3)  
A critical study of the nature and ideological origins of the postmodern mind as it relates to both the theology and the mission of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.
- THST676** (2-3)  
An overview of classical, medieval, modern, and contemporary philosophy: an introduction to key figures such as Plato, Aristotle, Augustine, Thomas Aquinas, Descartes, Hume, and Kant; and a survey of recent developments such as process, existentialist, and analytical philosophy.
- THST678** (2-3)  
The relation of scientific information and theory to Christian doctrines; theories of origin, geologic time, uniformity, and organic evolution as developed in the fields of historical geology and biology.
- THST814** (3)  
The interrelation between philosophical, theological and ethical thought-forms and issues considered in the light of the biblical perspective. Available for PhD/ThD, MA, and select MDiv students.
- THST935** (3)
- THST966** (3)  
Selected issues in ethics from a Christian perspective. Repeatable.
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- THST690** (1-3)  
Restricted to advanced students. Selected problems in the field of theology. See general guidelines under Academic Information.
- THST695** (2-3)  
Course deals with selected themes. Can be used only by preapproval from the student's program director and the teacher. Repeatable with different topics.
- THST890** (1-6)