

Master of Divinity in Biblical Studies

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

OFFICIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Students who have completed a Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies from Alaska Bible College or an equivalent degree from an accredited, like-minded institution with a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or better may transfer up to 15 credit hours of upper-level undergraduate courses. Those courses are marked with **

GENERAL EDUCATION (3 CREDITS)

GE-EN5101 Advanced Research Writing (3 Credits Pass/Fail)

Advanced Research Writing is a Pass/fail course designed to equip graduate students with the skills necessary for the rigor of academic writing at the graduate level. Students have the option to submit a writing sample for faculty evaluation. Those who demonstrate sufficient proficiency in research writing through their submitted sample may be exempted from taking the course. This is a prerequisite course for the graduate program.

BIBLICAL STUDIES (12 CREDITS)

BI-BS5101 Advanced Biblical Hermeneutics ** (3 Credits)

BI-NT5101 New Testament Introduction: Context, Content, and Canon (3 Credits)

BI-NT6101 Biblical Exegesis: Romans** (3 Credits)

BI-OT5101 Old Testament Introduction: History, Literature, and Theology (3 Credits)

BIBLICAL LANGUAGES (27 CREDITS)

BI-GK5100 Greek Language Tools (3 Credits)

BI-GK5101 New Testament Greek Grammar I (3 Credits)

BI-GK5102 New Testament Greek Grammar II (3 Credits)

BI-GK6101 New Testament Greek Exegesis I (3 Credits)

BI-GK6102 New Testament Greek Exegesis II (3 Credits)

BI-HB5100 Hebrew Language Tools (3 Credits)

BI-HB5101 Old Testament Hebrew Grammar I (3 Credits)

BI-HB5102 Old Testament Hebrew Grammar II (3 Credits)

BI-HB6101 Old Testament Hebrew Exegesis I (3 Credits) Or

_____ Christian Ministry Elective (3 Credits)

THEOLOGICAL STUDIES (21 CREDITS)

BI-TH5101 Systematic Theology I** (3 Credits)

BI-TH5102 Systematic Theology II** (3 Credits)

BI-TH5103 Systematic Theology III** (3 Credits)

BI-TH6101 Church History (3 Credits)

BI-_____ Advanced Theology Seminar (3 Credits)

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CHRISTIAN MINISTRY (15 CREDITS)

CM-DM5101 Fundamentals of Discipleship I: Evangelizing the Lost (3 Credits)

CM-DM5201 Fundamentals of Discipleship II: Equipping the Saints (3 Credits)

_____ Christian Ministry Elective (3 Credits)

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THESIS (3 CREDITS)

BI-TH6201 Graduate Thesis Seminar (3 Credits)

CHRISTIAN MINISTRY TRAINING: 9 SEMESTERS

* Available for advanced standing (maximum 15 credit hours)

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DEGREE SEQUENCE

RECOMMENDED DEGREE SEQUENCE

Use this semester-by-semester sequence as a planning guide. Confirm final schedules with the Registrar or academic advisor.

FALL YEAR 1		
3	BI-BS5101	Advanced Biblical Hermeneutics
3	BI-TH5101	Systematic Theology I**
3	CM or BI Elective	CM or BI elective

FALL YEAR 3		
3	BI-TH 5103	Systematic Theology III
3	BI-GK6101	New Testament Greek Exegesis I
3	BI-HB5100	Hebrew Language Tools

SPRING YEAR 4		
3	CM or BI Elective	CM or BI elective
3	BL-THXXXX	Advanced Theology Seminar

SPRING YEAR 1		
3	BI-OT5101	Old Testament Introduction: History, Literature, and Theology

SPRING YEAR 2		
3	BI-TH5102	Systematic Theology II
3	BI-GK5102	New Testament Greek Grammar II
3	CM-DM5202	Fundamentals of Discipleship II: Equipping the Saints

FALL YEAR 4		
3	BI-NT6101	Biblical Exegesis Romans
3	BL-THXXXX	Advanced Theology Seminar

FALL YEAR 2		
3	BI-NT5101	New Testament Introduction: Context, Content, and Canon
3	BI-GK5101	New Testament Greek Grammar I
3	CM-DM5101	Fundamentals of Discipleship I: Evangelizing the Lost

SPRING YEAR 3		
3	BI-TH6102	New Testament Greek Exegesis II
3	BL-THXXXX	Advanced Theology Seminar
3	B-HB5101	Old Testament Hebrew Grammar I

FALL YEAR 5		
3	BI-TH6201	Graduate Thesis Seminar