

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME IN THEOLOGY

Curriculum Plan • 6 Semesters • 120 ECTS Credits • 3,000 Academic Hours

| Code | Course Title | ECTS | Hours | Type |
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| FIRST SEMESTER | | | | |
| DTH-101 | Theological Research and Composition | 6 | 200 | Core |
| DTH-102 | Biblical or Modern Languages I | 5 | 150 | Core |
| DTH-103 | Seminar I: Theological Methods | 5 | 150 | Seminar |
| DTH-104 | Seminar II: Doctoral Project | 5 | 150 | Seminar |
| DTH-105 | Tutorial I | 4 | 100 | Tutorial |
| Semester Subtotal | | 30 | 750 | |

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| SECOND SEMESTER | | | | |
| DTH-201 | Seminar III: Problems in Fundamental Theology I | 5 | 150 | Seminar |
| DTH-202 | Biblical or Modern Languages II | 5 | 150 | Core |
| DTH-203 | Seminar IV: Problems in Moral Theology | 5 | 150 | Seminar |
| DTH-204 | Seminar V: Problems in Fundamental Theology II | 5 | 150 | Seminar |
| DTH-205 | Exegetical Methodology and Biblical Text | 5 | 150 | Core |
| Semester Subtotal | | 30 | 750 | |

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| THIRD SEMESTER | | | | |
| DTH-301 | Tutorial II | 5 | 150 | Tutorial |
| DTH-302 | Biblical or Modern Languages III | 5 | 150 | Core |
| DTH-303 | Development of Research Project I | 5 | 200 | Research |
| Semester Subtotal | | 20 | 500 | |

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| FOURTH SEMESTER | | | | |
| DTH-401 | Tutorial III | 5 | 150 | Tutorial |
| DTH-402 | Intercultural and Interreligious Dialogue | 5 | 150 | Core |
| DTH-403 | Development of Research Project II | 6 | 200 | Research |
| Semester Subtotal | | 20 | 500 | |

| FIFTH SEMESTER | | | | |
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| DTH-501 | Tutorial IV | 4 | 100 | <i>Tutorial</i> |
| DTH-502 | Contemporary Theology | 5 | 150 | <i>Core</i> |
| DTH-503 | Theological Hermeneutics | 5 | 150 | <i>Core</i> |
| DTH-504 | Development of Research Project III | 7 | 200 | <i>Research</i> |
| Semester Subtotal | | 24 | 600 | |

| SIXTH SEMESTER | | | | |
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| DTH-601 | Tutorial V | 4 | 100 | <i>Tutorial</i> |
| DTH-602 | Development of Research Project IV | 10 | 250 | <i>Research</i> |
| DTH-603 | Public Defense of Doctoral Thesis | 5 | 150 | <i>Assessment</i> |
| Semester Subtotal | | 20 | 500 | |

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| TOTAL PROGRAMME CREDITS | | 120 | 3600 | |
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COURSE TYPE LEGEND

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| Core | <i>Compulsory subjects forming the foundational backbone of the doctoral curriculum.</i> |
| Seminar | <i>Academic discussion forums promoting in-depth thematic exploration and scholarly debate.</i> |
| Tutorial | <i>Personalised mentorship sessions with the thesis director for monitoring doctoral progress.</i> |
| Research | <i>Progressive phases of thesis drafting, structuring, and academic writing.</i> |
| Assessment | <i>Formal public defence before a qualified academic tribunal.</i> |

Note: 1 ECTS = 25 hours of academic work (contact hours + independent study). Total programme: 120 ECTS = 3,000 hours.