

BA(Hons) in Theology, Ministry and Mission

Trinity College with Bristol Baptist College T4: Module Overview Table 2024-25

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Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits	Compulsory	Summary of Content	Teaching and Learning methods	Learning Hours	Assessment Methods
1011	Introduction to the New Testament	4	20	NO	An initial overview of the New Testament: Exploration of selected genres and/or theological themes found in the New Testament through representative texts which will include selections from a Synoptic Gospel and a non-synoptic text. Study of these texts against their broader historical, literary, theological and cultural backgrounds. Introduction of various tools, methods and approaches used in modern biblical scholarship to interpret these texts with evaluation of the underlying concepts and principles. Exploration of what might constitute appropriate interpretations and applications of these texts in the life, mission and ministry of the contemporary church.	Lectures: 18 x 1 hour Seminars: 2 x 1 hours	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Written assignment 2500 words 50%
1021	Introduction to the Old Testament	4	20	NO	An initial overview of the Old Testament. Exploration of selected genres and/or theological themes found in the Old Testament through representative texts which will include texts from the Pentateuch and a non-Pentateuch text. Study of these texts against their broader historical, literary, theological and cultural backgrounds. Introduction of various tools, methods and approaches used in modern biblical scholarship to interpret these texts with evaluation of the underlying concepts and principles. Exploration of what might constitute appropriate interpretations and applications of these texts in the life, mission and ministry of the contemporary church in regard to various issues.	Lectures: 18 x 1 hour Seminars: 2 x 1 hours	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Written assignment 2500 words 50%
1031	Introduction to the Bible	4	20	NO	An initial overview of the Old and New Testaments. Exploration of selected genres and/or theological themes found in the Bible through representative texts from both Old and New Testaments. Study of these texts against their broader historical, literary, theological and cultural backgrounds. Introduction of various tools, methods and approaches used in modern biblical scholarship to interpret these texts with evaluation of the underlying concepts and principles. Exploration of what might constitute appropriate interpretations and applications of these texts in the life, mission and ministry of the contemporary church in regard to various issues	Lectures: 18 x 1 hour Seminars: 2 x 1 hours	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Written assignment 2500 words 50%
1051	Using the Bible Today	4	20	NO	The study of various understandings of biblical authority. The study of selected hermeneutical approaches to biblical texts. Consideration of the way in which the biblical text may be used appropriately to address at least one contemporary issue or situation in appropriately to address at least one contemporary issue or situation in appropriately to address at least one contemporary issue or situation in society or the life of the Christian church. Introduction to some different approaches to using Scripture in Christian communication and ministry to begin to help students develop their own communication skills.	Lectures: 18 x 1 hour Seminars: 2 x 1 hours	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	Portfolio of 5000 words 100%
1067	Elementary New Testament Greek	4	10	NO	Development of competency in elements of the Greek language. Translation of relatively simple New Testament texts. Introduction of the New Testament text in Greek, in addition to the study of Greek morphology and syntax. The module will utilize a standard introductory text (Campbell & Gibson's Reading Biblical Greek: A Grammar For Students), supplemented with exercises supplied in class.	Practical classes: 20 x 1 hour	Practical Classes: 20 Preparation: 80 Total: 100	Written exam 1 hour 60% 5 x 4-minute vocabulary tests (20 minutes in total) 40%
1077	Continuing New Testament Greek: Texts Study	4	10	NO	Normally the study of selected chapters of the New Testament, reading and translating them to develop skills in exegesis and interpretation. Students will read and translate about 100 verses of a Gospel (e.g. Matthew 1-4 or John 14-16) Understanding of Duff will be strengthened and extended in connection with the translation work. Evaluation of options for translation and to consideration of the role of context in making interpretative decisions. Introduction of basic principles of textual criticism, using the textual apparatus of a standard edition of the NT Greek text.	Practical classes: 20 x 1 hour	Practical Classes: 20 Preparation: 80 TOTAL: 100	Written Examination 1 hour 60% Exegesis (1000 words) 40%

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1087	Elementary Biblical Hebrew	4	10	NO	Development of competency in elements of the Hebrew language using Gary Pratico and Miles van Pelt's 'Basics of Biblical Hebrew Grammar'. Translation of relatively simple Old Testament texts. Introduction of the Old Testament text in Hebrew, in addition to the study of Hebrew vocabulary, morphology and syntax. A study of the accuracy and significance of published English translations of the Hebrew text.	Practical classes: 20 x 1 hour	Practical Classes: 20 Preparation: 80 TOTAL: 100	Written examination 1.5 hours 100%
1097	Continuing Biblical Hebrew: Texts Study	4	10	NO	Students will have studied basic features of the language, such as Lessons 1–20 of Gary Pratico's Basics of Biblical Hebrew Alongside Lessons 21–40 of Basics of Biblical Hebrew, there will be focused study of selected passages from the Hebrew Bible, reading and translating them to develop skills in exegesis and interpretation. For example, they will read and translate up to 80 verses of a prose text (e.g. Jonah; Ruth) Evaluation of options for translation and consideration of the role of context in making interpretative decisions.	Practical classes: 20 x 1 hour	Practical Classes: 20 Preparation: 80 TOTAL: 100	Written Examination 1.5 hours 100%
1107	Brief Introduction to Christian Doctrine	4	10	NO	This module offers an introduction to: Theological methodology, the doctrine of Scripture, the doctrine of God, the Holy Trinity, and the doctrine of creation. The sources and methods of Christian theology and the development of methods in Christian doctrine. The application of methods of Christian doctrine to contemporary issues and problems. Some limited primary texts by major theologians. Some other forms of theological discourse, such as art, hymnody etc.	Lectures: 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 Total: 100	Written Assignment - Essay 2500 words 100%
1131	Introduction to Christian Doctrine and History	4	20	NO	This module offers a selective introduction to: Aspects of church history. Aspects of the historical development of Christian doctrine. Examples of the relation of contemporary Christian practice and experience to that history. Sources and methods for the study of Christian history and doctrine.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Written assignment, 2500 words 50%
1151	Introduction to Church History	4	20	NO	The module falls into two main sections: the first five sessions deal with the first six centuries of the Church, especially that existing within the bounds of the Roman Empire. the second part deals with the problems in the Europe with the Medieval Church and its reform. This covers the Reformation which has shaped all Europe politically as well as religiously. We will also focus on the English Reformation and the development of Anglicanism as a distinct denomination.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Written assignment, 2500 words 50%
1167	Introduction to Christian Ethics	4	10	NO	A theological account of the moral life and of core Christian moral concepts and methods. An exploration of moral mind- sets which influentially shape contemporary thinking about ethics. Application to representative moral issues from areas such as ecological, economic, medical, political and sexual ethics.	Lectures: 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	Resource for others (20 minute video presentation) and written commentary (1000 words) (100%).
1191	Informal Learning with Children and Young people	4	20	NO	Learning styles and preferences including understanding students' own learning preferences. Learning theories, approaches and methodologies: learning theorists, the learning cycle, learning processes in relation to young people and children. Understanding and facilitating learning groups in a range of contexts among young people and children. Supporting young people and children with additional needs in relation to their learning. Responding to challenging behaviour among young people and children. Explore learning through the lens of a key theological theme.	Lectures 10 x 2 hour	Lectures: 20 hours Context engagement: 50 hours Personal study: 130 hours TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Theological Reflection 2500 words 50%
1211	Foundations for Theology and Reflective Practice (Long)	4	20	NO	Study skills relating to the study of theology, ministry and mission within a pedagogy that embraces formational as well as cognitive and practical learning. Understanding the nature of practical theological study and its sources in Scripture, tradition, reason, praxis and experience. Models of theological reflection and their relationship to reflective practice. The application of theological reflection to a number of settings, for example: pastoral incidents, spiritual life, ethical issues, formational issues, ecclesiological issues.	Lectures 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written Assignment 2500 words 50% Theological Reflection 2500 words 50%

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1221	Pastoral Care, Ethics and Ministry	4	20	NO	An introduction to definitions and issues in pastoral care and in ethics. An introduction to theories of human development and identity. A theological, moral and scriptural understanding of pastoral care within Christian communities. An introduction to methods and approaches in Christian ethics and moral reasoning. Key skills in pastoral care in specific areas, such as relationships or bereavement. Skills for identifying and evaluating questions and challenges in specific areas of ethics such as poverty, sexuality or financial ethics. Theological reflection on students' own views and experiences.	tectures 20 X I	Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	PORTIONO OI SOUD WOIGS.
1247	Sustaining the World: Christian Faith and the Environment	4	10	NO	The issue of sustainability provides a fruitful focus for an integrated study experience. It embraces questions of creation theology, environmental ethics, economic and social justice and issues of mission and development. This module will introduce students to each of these facets, using a variety of cross-disciplinary tools and resources. The module provides an introduction to a selection of current environmental crises (such as climate change, biodiversity, loss and threats to food and energy security).	Lectures: 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
1277	Integrative Learning for Collaborative Practice A	4	10	NO	The topic of Diversity will be introduced and then examined from several perspectives with students being encouraged to draw connections and comparisons between the approaches. Some of the input will be from "expert practitioners" as well as various academic subject specialists. Throughout the module there will be group activities to support and enhance the learning. The group will be expected to demonstrate an understanding of the topic informed by the different approaches and to reflect corporately and individually on the learning process.	Lectures: 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	Assessed presentation of 30 minutes 100%
1287	Independent Learning Project (short)	4	10	NO	Participants will, in consultation and negotiation with the tutor, identify a topic, issue, or ministerial area relevant to the study of the theory and practice of ministry and in which there is academic expertise in the institution. An independent learning project will be developed which may include both library and practical research.	Supervision: 1 x 1 hour	Supervision: 1 hour Personal study: 99 hours TOTAL: 100	ILP consisting of written assignment 2500 words 100%
1291	Independent Learning Project (long)	4	20	NO	Participants will, in consultation and negotiation with the tutor, identify a topic, issue, or ministerial area relevant to the study of the theory and practice of ministry and in which there is academic expertise in the institution. An independent learning project will be developed which may include both library and practical research. The area chosen may enhance and integrate study from the taught module programme providing the independent study is clearly distinguished from the content of such taught modules.	Supervision: 2 x 1 hour	Supervision: 2 hours Personal study: 198 hours TOTAL: 200	ILP consisting of written assignment 5000 words 100%
1301	Foundations for Ministry and Mission in Context	4	20	NO	Students enrolled on this module will be engaged in a sustained placement or place of work which, together with prior experience, forms the substrate for reflection on the following areas of study: Biblical and theological foundations for the church's participation in the mission of God. The nature of ministry, mission and vocation and their relation to ecclesiology. Biblical and theological foundations for collaborative ministry and leadership. The skills for analysing a community / congregation. Theological reflection methodologies for reflective practice. Students will focus on these subjects in relation to their own denomination and ecclesial tradition	Lectures 20 x 1	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Preparation: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written Assignment 2500 words 50% Theological Reflection 2500 words 50%
1317	Elements of Ministry and Mission in Context	4	10	NO	Students enrolled on this module will be engaged in a sustained placement or place of work which, together with prior experience, forms the substrate for reflection on the nature of ministry, mission and vocation and their relation to ecclesiology, and two of the following areas: Biblical and theological foundations for the church's participation in the mission of God. biblical and theological foundations for collaborative ministry and leadership. the skills for analysing a community/congregation. theological reflection methodologies for reflective practice.	Lectures: 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%

1321	Foundations for Ministry and Worship in Context	4	20	NO	Students enrolled on this module will be engaged in a sustained placement or place of work which, together with prior experience, forms the substrate for reflection on areas of study which will include: An overview of the history, theology and contemporary practice of Christian worship in the student's denomination and ecclesial tradition (Tuesday Worship Class, Term 2B). And may include one or more of the following: An introduction to spirituality and prayer in relation to their historical and ecclesial contexts, scriptural sources and contemporary applications (Wednesday Spirituality class). Key aspects of preaching including approaches to engaging with Scripture and with context, and practical skills of delivery. This module provides opportunities to engage with key aspects of preaching and includes:	Lectures: 18 x 1 hour Seminars 2 x 1 supervision: 20 x 1 Lectures: 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 18 Seminars: 2 Context engagement: 80 supervision: 20 Personal study: 80 TOTAL: 200	Portfolio 5000 words 100%
1347	Introduction to Preaching	4	10	NO	This module provides opportunities to engage with key aspects of preaching and includes: The theology and theory of preaching. Different models of preaching. Approaches to engaging with Scripture. Practical skills of delivery.	Lectures: 10 x 1 nour	Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	sermon of 1,500 words (60%) and written commentary of 1000 words (40%)
1361	Mission and Evangelism	4	20	NO	The module is structured around a series of visits to a variety of mission contexts followed by theological reflection on those visits. The module will introduce important aspects of the theology and practice of mission and evangelism by engaging with selected biblical texts and through a series of short presentations and discussion based on a selection of contemporary missiological texts. Visiting speakers will address key concerns in mission and evangelism and present practical examples of mission in challenging social contexts.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures:20 Preparation 180 Total: 200	Written Assignment 2500 words 50% Written Theological Reflection 2500 words 50%
1407	Community Development and the Church	4	10	NO	Examination of various models of community development and the context within which these operate. Introduction to the process of researching, profiling and mapping of communities. Exploration of the values and skills required for effective community development. Discussion of the role of churches and theological reflection in community development.	Lectures: 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
1417	Introduction to Aspects of Pastoral Care	4	10	NO	This module is designed to introduce students to major issues relating to pastoral care, provide students with an understanding of the place of pastoral care in the life and worship of the Christian community and to encourage students to become committed to developing the skills and dispositions required for good pastoral care.	Lectures: 9 x 1 hour Seminar: 1 hour	Lectures: 9 Seminar: 1 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written theological reflection 2500 words 100%
1447	Foundations for Reflective Practice in Context (Short)	4	10	NO	This module involves a partnership between the College and a given placement, ministerial or work-based context which enables students to encounter, and work effectively within, such a setting. On-site staff and/or the co-ordinator for practical training will provide supervision. Supervisors will report in writing on a student's participation in the placement. It provides an introduction to skills in understanding and analysing context, and integrating theological enquiry with pastoral / ministerial /professional practice. It demands of students attentiveness to their own assumptions and biases. Placement, ministerial or work-based learning creates opportunity for deeper understanding of an unfamiliar setting in creative conversation with key themes from relevant disciplines, including biblical and doctrinal studies, missiology, sociology and anthropology (amongst many).	Engagement with Context Including supervision 35	Context engagement 30 Supervision: 5 Personal Study: 65 Total: 100	Written Theological reflection 2500 words 100%
1477	Values, Policy and Practice in Children and Family Work	4	10	NO	The broader context of children and family work, eg. UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, Playwork charter etc. Children and family work and Playwork professional standards, principles and values, including grace principles. Legal and policy frameworks, for example, safeguarding, duty of care, health and safety, risk assessment etc. Opportunities to reflect on issues related to management of self in a professional context. Theological reflection on contemporary practices and principles of youth work.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour Context Engagement 20 hours	Lectures 10 Context Engagement 20 hours Personal Study 70 TOTAL 100	Written assignment essay 2500 words 100%

1487	Values, Policy and Practice in Youth Work	4	10	NO	The broader context of youth work, eg. UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, Positive for Youth etc. Youth work professional standards, principles and values. Legal and policy frameworks, for example, safeguarding, duty of care, health and safety, risk assessment etc. Opportunities to reflect on issues related to management of self in a professional context. Theological reflection on contemporary practices and principles of youth work.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour Context Engagement 20 hours	Lectures 10 Context Engagement 20 hours Personal Study 70 Total 100	Written assignment essay 2500 words 100%
1491	Basic Playwork Skills in Children's Work Practice	4	20	NO	Enabling Children and Youth Work students to develop good practice in: Developing purposeful relationships with children and families. Relationship, communication and listening skills with children. Principles and practice of play. Creating play spaces and designing play processes. Learning processes and methods. Leadership and team theory. Self-management and administration skills. Theological reflection on practice and experience.	Group Work 10 x 2 hours Tutorials 2 x 1 hour	Group work 20 Tutorials 2 Context Engagement 120 Personal study 58 TOTAL 200	Portfolio 7000 words 100%
1501	Basic Youthwork Skills and Practice	4	20	NO	Good practice in developing purposeful relationships in youth work. Relationship, communication and listening skills. Skills in delivering informal, semi-formal and formal education. Learning styles, processes and methods. Leadership and team theory. Self-management and administration skills. Basic supervision skills. Community research skills. Theological reflection on practice and experience gained through this module.	Group Work 10 x 2 hours Tutorials 2 x 1 hour	Group work 20 Tutorials 2 Context Engagement 120 Personal study 58 Total 200	Portfolio 7000 words 100%
1517	Introduction to Spirituality and Discipleship	4	10	NO	To enable students to explore and experience selected approaches to the Christian life of discipleship and prayer. To enable students to use this knowledge and understanding to reflect upon their personal life of prayer through self-awareness, practical activities and disciplines. To encourage students to become attentive listeners of the world, of others, of oneself and of God	Lectures 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	Reflective journal of 2500 words 100%.
1561	Introduction to Theology and Human Development in Childhood and adolescence	4	20	NO	Aspects of developmental psychology relating to young people and children. An introduction to theological anthropology and scriptural understandings of human identity and development. The ethical dimensions of ministry and professional practice with children and young people, including boundaries, confidentiality, accountability. Development of, and reflection upon, appropriate skills and competences for informed pastoral care in a range of contexts among young people and/or children.	Lectures 10 x 2 hours	Lectures: 20 hours Context engagement: 50 hours Personal study: 130 hours TOTAL: 200	Written Assignment: 2500 words 50% Oral presentation 15 minutes Rationale/ commentary 1500 words 50%
1577	Introduction to Studying the Bible in its Original Languages	4	10	NO	Language training in both Greek and Hebrew using the early chapters of a standard text book. Reading, translation and exegesis of simple biblical texts in both Greek and Hebrew. Comparison of published English translations to explore translational practice and effect. Basic textual criticism.	Practical Classes 20 x 1 hour	Practical Classes 20 hours Personal study: 80 hours Total: 100	Written assignment (Greek) 1,250 words 50% Written assignment (Hebrew) 1,250 words 50%
1587	Foundations for Leadership and Theology for Ministry and Mission	4	10	NO	To enable students to describe and discuss different models of leadership in the church and the workplace. To enable students to reflect upon models of leadership using biblical and theological approaches within the context of the church's ministry and mission. To encourage students to reflect from a theological and biblical perspective upon their own experiences of leadership. To develop students' awareness of servant leadership and collaborative ministry in the context of the ministry and mission of the church.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour Context Engagement 20 hours	Lectures 10 Context Engagement 20 hours Personal Study 70 Total 100	Written assignment essay 2500 words 100%

1657	Introduction to Black Theology	4	10	NO	To provide students with an introduction to the development of Black Theology in its various contexts To challenge ways of doing theology that exclude the context and experience of Black people To facilitate students' critical, theological reflection on intersectional identities: race, ethnicity, gender, class, sexuality. To encourage students to integrate critical thinking about Black Theology into their own faith and practice	Lectures 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
1717	Introduction to Growing Faith	4	10	NO	An introduction to the subject of growing faith and discipleship including biblical, theological and other perspectives. This will focus on one specific demographic group (e.g. the elderly or those with learning disabilities) or several related groups (e.g. children and families), and make use of denominational initiatives where appropriate. A consideration of some different ways to build and support effective relationships between churches, households and other institutions and the impact this has on growing faith and intergenerational or intergroup discipleship. Theological exploration of some initiatives and resources which support growth in faith for one or more groups: e.g. Messy Church, Prayer Spaces, Anna Chaplaincy. Reflection on what cultural change and leadership are needed in the life of the whole church in order to grow faith.		Lectures 10 Context Engagement 20 hours Personal Study 70 Total 100	Written assignment essay 2500 words 100%
2011	Bible in Context	5	20	NO	A survey of different approaches to interpreting the Bible, including how the Old and New Testaments have been related to one another. Worked examples of how Old and New Testament texts can be related to a range of contexts. Developing students' own practice of using the Bible. The texts studied in this module must be at least largely different from those studied in other modules taken by the student on this programme.	Lectures 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 Total: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Written assignment 2500 words 50%
2021	Biblical Studies	5	20	NO	Focused study of specific books and passages from Old and New Testaments. Orientation to the genres of material being discussed (e.g. prophecy, narrative, gospel, paraenesis). Different critical approaches to the Old and New Testaments. The responsible use of the Bible in Christian theology, preaching and praxis. The texts studied in this module must be at least largely different from those studied in other modules taken by the student on this programme.	Lectures 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 Total: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Written assignment 2500 words 50%
2077	New Testament Text Study in Context [not available in 24-25]	5	10	NO	The study of one text/book of the New Testament and consideration of its responsible exegesis in Christian theology, preaching and praxis.	Lectures 9 x 1 hour Seminar 1 x 1 hour	Lectures: 9 Seminars: 1 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
2087	Old Testament Text Study in Context [not available in 24-25]	5	10	NO	The study of one text/book of the Old Testament and consideration of its responsible exegesis in Christian theology, preaching and praxis.	Lectures 9 x 1 hour Seminar 1 x 1 hour	Lectures: 9 Seminars: 1 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
2117	Selected Topic in Christian Doctrine	5	10	NO	This module will explore one area of doctrine and will include: Exploration of the doctrine's biblical foundations. Study of selected primary theological texts (in translation where not originally in English) and other sources (eg. art, liturgy, hymnody or material evidence) related to the doctrine. Attention to the relationships between this doctrine and contemporary Christian practice and experience.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Personal study: 90 Total: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
2121	Topics in Christian Doctrine	5	20	NO	This module will explore one or more major areas of doctrine (for example, doctrine of God, creation, Trinity, Christology, soteriology, pneumatology, anthropology, eschatology, ecclesiology, social and political theology etc.), and will include: Exploration of the doctrine's biblical foundations. Study of primary theological texts (in translation where not originally in English) and other sources (eg. art, liturgy, hymnody or material evidence) related to the doctrine. Consideration of the doctrine's connection to the wider pattern of Christian doctrine. Attention to the relationships between this doctrine and contemporary Christian practice and experience.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Oral presentation: 20 minutes 50%

2197	Education for a Learning Church [not available in 24-25]	5	10	NO	Models of learning theory and practice, including relevant concepts such as learning styles, group dynamics, and faith development. Skills needed to design, produce, implement and evaluate learning activities and resources. An exploration of the range of learning opportunities in the ministry and mission of a local church. The focus of this module is on generic knowledge and skills for adult learning.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Practical skills(teaching and learning session) 30 mins 60% A written reflection on performance 1000 words 40%
2277	Integrative Learning for Collaborative Practice A	5	10	NO	The topic of Diversity will be introduced and then examined from several perspectives with students being encouraged to draw connections and comparisons between the approaches. Some of the input will be from "expert practitioners" as well as various academic subject specialists. Throughout the module there will be group activities to support and enhance the learning. The group will be expected to demonstrate an understanding of the topic informed by the different approaches and to reflect corporately and individually on the learning process.	Lectures: : 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Preparation: 90 TOTAL: 100	Assessed presentation of 30 minutes 100%
2297	Independent Learning Project (short)	5	10	NO	Participants will, in consultation and negotiation with the tutor, identify a topic, issue, or ministerial area relevant to the study of the theory and practice of ministry and in which there is academic expertise in the institution. An independent learning project will be developed which may include both library and practical research.	Supervision: 1 hour	Supervision: 1 hour Personal study: 99 hours TOTAL: 100	ILP consisting of written assignment 2500 words 100%
2301	Independent Learning Project (long)	5	20	NO	Participants will, in consultation and negotiation with the tutor, identify a topic, issue, or ministerial area relevant to the study of the theory and practice of ministry and in which there is academic expertise in the institution. An independent learning project will be developed which may include both library and practical research. The area chosen may enhance and integrate study from the taught module programme providing the independent study is clearly distinguished from the content of such taught modules.	Supervision: 2 x 1 hour	Supervision: 2 hours Personal study: 198 hours TOTAL: 200	ILP consisting of written assignment 5000 words 100%
2321	Developing Ministry and Worship in Context	5	20	NO	Students enrolled on this module will be engaged in a sustained placement or place of work which, together with prior experience, forms the substrate for reflection on a reas of study which will include: Deepening their knowledge and understanding of Christian worship in relation to its historical and ecclesial contexts, scriptural sources and contemporary applications. And may include one or more of the following to complement what was covered in L4-20 Foundations in Ministry and Worship in Context: The history, theology and contemporary practice of Christian spirituality. The art of preaching including approaches to engaging with Scripture, doctrine and context; reflecting on the place of preaching in the church today; developing the practical skills of delivery and preparation. Study of and responsible engagement with the theology, psychology and practice of pastoral care related to life's milestones that is rooted in the life and worship of the Christian community. Students will focus on these subjects in relation to their own denomination and ecclesial tradition.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Engagement with context: 80 Personal Study: 100 Total: 200	Portfolio 5000 words 100%
2371	Denominational History and Principles	5	20	NO	This module will focus on one particular Christian denomination or tradition, and will include An outline of the history of the denomination or tradition from its origins to the present day. Critical analysis of the theological principles important to the denomination or tradition. Exploration of the way those principles have been differently expressed during the history of the denomination or tradition. Examination of the impact of both history and principles in the current life of the denomination or tradition and its churches, and in ecumenical relations.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Written assignment 2500 words 50%

2411	Mission and Apologetics in Contemporary Culture	5	20	NO	A survey of the intellectual, social and religious trends that help to shape people's thinking in the 21 st century. An exploration of the main approaches to contemporary apologetics and an assessment of their strengths and weaknesses. A study of the interrelationship between Christianity and its social and cultural context in the West, examining the ways in which the Christian church shapes and is shaped by its physical, social and cultural environment. An assessment of missionary engagement and apologetics in the light of contemporary cultural trends.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Theological reflection on experience 2500 words 50%
2427	Mission Entrepreneurship: Principles	5	10	NO	A study of social enterprise: its history, its relevance in mission as well as more widely in civil society, and the opportunities it offers the church. Theological reflection on the nature and methods of entrepreneurship, especially in relation to mission in non-church contexts. The project management stages involved in starting up pioneering mission projects and social enterprise.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Personal study: 90 Total: 100	Group oral presentation of 10 minutes 40% Written commentary of 1500 words 60%
2441	Missional Theology in Global Context	5	20	NO	Study of a selection of theological doctrines from contemporary global perspectives and contexts. Examination of contemporary society and culture – (both in western and non-western settings) to discover how an understanding of context is important for Christian mission. Analysis of contemporary approaches to mission in global contexts. Theological reflection on mission in the learner's own context	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Assessed conversation of 20 minutes with annotated bibliography 50% Written assignment 2500 words 50%
2527	Reflective Practice in Context (Short)	5	10	NO	This module involves a partnership between the college and a given placement, ministerial or work-based context which enables students to encounter, and work effectively within, such a setting and reflect creatively upon it. Supervision will be provided by a combination of on-site staff and the college co-ordinator of practical training. It provides opportunity to enhance skills in understanding and analysing context, and integrating theological enquiry with pastoral / ministerial / professional practice. It draws upon the resources of Scripture and relevant Christian traditions in critical conversation with insights from other sources, including the social sciences. It demands of students attentiveness to their own assumptions and biases. Reflecting upon their placement, ministerial or work-based context, students will take responsibility for identifying key aspects, encounters and themes out of which to develop work for assessment.	Engagement with Context including supervision: 35	Context engagement 30 Supervision: 5 Personal Study: 65 TOTAL: 100	Theological reflection 2500 words 100%
2531	Reflective Practice in Context (Long)	5	20	NO	This module involves a partnership between the college and a given placement, ministerial or work-based context context which enables students to encounter, and work effectively within, such a setting and reflect creatively upon it. Supervision will be provided by a combination of on-site staff and the college co-ordinator of practical training. It provides opportunity to enhance skills in understanding and analysing context, and integrating theological enquiry with pastoral / ministerial / professional practice. It draws upon the resources of Scripture and relevant Christian traditions in critical conversation with insights from other sources, including the social sciences. It demands of students attentiveness to their own assumptions and biases. Reflecting upon their placement, ministerial or work-based context, students will take responsibility for identifying key aspects, encounters and themes out of which to develop work for assessment.	Engagement with Context including supervision: 75	Context engagement 60 Supervision 15 Personal Study: 125 TOTAL: 200	Portfolio 5000 words 100%
2551	Corporate Engagement with Context B	5	20	NO	The course engages with a range of topics with relate to discipleship through the life stages. It draw on students' context engagement to reflect on topics such as childhood, mental health, employment, aging etc. It uses theological reflection methods to bring together the cultural, theological, historical, pastoral and missional perspectives within each topic, and enables group reflection through context groups and seminar-style case studies. Students work collaboratively in class and in context to engage in the academic and practical dimensions of mission and ministry.	Lectures: 10 x 1 hour Seminars: 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Seminars: 10 Engagement with context: 80 Personal Study: 100 Total: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Resource for others 2500 words 50%
2601	Christian Worship: Learning through Tradition	5	20	NO	Thorough examination of key texts and practices of the tradition being studied. Detailed outline of the historical circumstances which gave rise to and shaped the tradition. A study and contextual evaluation of contemporary varieties of worship within the tradition. An examination of the theology and spirituality expressed through the various manifestations of the tradition. Comparison with other Christian liturgical approaches and traditions.	Lectures 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 2500 words 50% Resource for others 2500 words 50%

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2677	Biblical Interpretation	5	10	NO	Different approaches to interpreting and engaging with the biblical texts. Worked examples of the approaches. Aspects of the use of the Bible in Christian faith and ministry.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
2687	New Testament Text Study	5	10	NO	Focussed study of a particular New Testament book. Orientation to the genre(s) of material being discussed. The responsible use of the New Testament in Christian theology, preaching and praxis.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
2697	Old Testament Text Study	5	10	NO	Focussed study of a particular Old Testament book. Orientation to the genre(s) of material being discussed. The responsible use of the Old Testament in Christian theology, preaching and praxis.	Lectures 10 x 1 hour	Lectures: 10 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
2707	Integrative Learning for Collaborative Practice B	5	10	NO	This topic looks at charismatic theology and practice from interdisciplinary perspectives, including historical, cultural, doctrinal, and practical. It will engage with different global distinctives and help students to critically engage with their own experience and contexts, in dialogue with the academic literature. The assignment requires the students to visit a charismatic church as a group and reflect on their learning together to enable collaboration and integration.	Lectures 5 x 1 hour Seminars 5 x 1 hour	Lectures: 5 Seminars: 5 Personal Study: 90 Total: 100	Placement report of 2500 words 100%
3011	Further Biblical Studies - NEW 24- 25	6	20	NO	In depth exploration of some texts or themes from the Old and New Testaments, including within the context of the Bible as a whole and of contemporary scholarship. Examination of the ways the selected texts / themes can be used to address contemporary situations. Consideration of ways in which the texts / themes can be communicated appropriately in a range of contexts.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 5000 words 100%
3047	Further New Testament Text Study in Context	6	10	NO	The critical study of one text / book of the New Testament and consideration of its responsible exegesis in Christian theology, preaching and praxis.	Lectures: 9 x 1 hour Seminar 1 x 1 hour	Lectures: 9 Seminars 1 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
3057	Further Old Testament Text Study in Context	6	10	NO	The critical study of one text / book of the Old Testament and consideration of its responsible exegesis in Christian theology, preaching and praxis.	Lectures: 9 x 1 hour Seminar 1 x 1 hour	Lectures: 9 Seminars 1 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Written assignment 2500 words 100%
3061	Issues in Biblical Theology [Not available 24-25]	6	20	NO	An exploration of key themes that can be identified in the biblical witnesses. A critical assessment of some key thinkers who have influenced theological reflection on the Bible over the last half-century.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 5000 words 100%
3077	Advanced New Testament Greek	6	10	NO	An engagement with BDAG; F.W. Blass, A. Debrunner and R.W. Funk. A linguistic and exegetical engagement with a New Testament book.	Practical classes 20 x 1	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment – exegesis 2500 words 100%
3087	Advanced Biblical Hebrew	6	10	NO	An engagement with the advanced Hebrew lexicons and grammars (e.g. D. Clines; P. Joüon and T. Muraoka). A linguistic and exegetical engagement with one or two Old Testament texts that raise complex linguistic issues (e.g. 1 Samuel 1–2; Psalm 22; 46; Proverbs 8).	Practical classes 20 x 1	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment – exegesis 2500 words 100%
3101	Christian Doctrine in Focus	6	20	NO	Exploration of the doctrine's biblical foundations. Study of primary theological texts (in translation where not originally in English) and other sources (eg. art, liturgy, hymnody or material evidence) related to the doctrine. Consideration of the doctrine's connection to the wider pattern of Christian doctrine. Attention to the relationships between this doctrine and contemporary Christian practice and experience.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written assignment 5000 words 100%
3341	Independent Learning project (long)	6	20	NO	Participants will in consultation and negotiation with the tutor identify a topic, issue, or ministerial area relevant to the study of the theory and practice of ministry and in which there is academic expertise in the institution. An independent learning project will be developed which may include both library and practical research. The area chosen may enhance and integrate study from the taught module programme providing the independent study is clearly distinguished from the content of such taught modules	Supervision 2 x 1 hour	Supervision 2 Personal study: 198 TOTAL: 200	Project 5000 words 100%

3352	Extended Project in Theology, Ministry and Mission	6	40	NO	Participants will identify –in consultation and negotiation with the tutor –a project relevant to the study of theology, ministry and mission. The proposed title of the project, together with a brief description and initial bibliography, is negotiated with an appropriate supervisor and agreed by the Undergraduate Programme Director and the External Examiner. The student arranges supervisions and organises a timetable and plan for his/her work. This will involve use of the reflective journal as a catalyst for discussion of the progress of the project and the learning emerging from it. The focus will be on critical engagement with situations that enhances and integrates study from the taught module programme.	Supervision 4 x 1 hour	Supervision 4 Personal study: 396 TOTAL: 400	Portfolio 10000 words 100%
3362	Dissertation in Theology, Ministry and Mission	6	40	NO	Participants will in consultation and negotiation with the tutor identify a topic, issue, or ministerial area relevant to the study of theology, ministry and mission. The proposed title of the dissertation, together with a brief description and initial bibliography, is negotiated with an appropriate supervisor and agreed by the Undergraduate Programme Director and the External Examiner. The student arranges supervisions and organises a timetable and plan for his/her work. An introductory meeting with the year group will introduce the dissertation, and one towards the end of the process will provide additional input and encouragement. The area chosen may enhance and integrate study from the taught module programme providing the independent study is clearly distinguished from the content of such taught modules.	Supervision 4 x 1 hour Seminars 2 x 1 hour	Supervision: 4 Seminar: 1 Personal study: 395 TOTAL: 400	Dissertation 12000 words 100%
3371	Denominational Ministry	6	20	NO	This portfolio will include: Liturgy and worship as practised in the Baptist tradition. Denominational identity, including denominational history, beliefs and organisation. Mission and pastoral practice as carried out in the Baptist tradition. The content must differ from that studied by students previously in this module at another level.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour Reflection Groups: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Groups: 20 Context engagement: 60 Personal study: 100 TOTAL: 200	Portfolio 7000 words 100%
3381	Denominational History and Principles	6	20	NO	This module will focus on one particular Christian denomination or tradition, and will include An outline of the history of the denomination or tradition from its origins to the present day. Critical analysis of the theological principles important to the denomination or tradition. Exploration of the way those principles have been differently expressed during the history of the denomination or tradition. Examination of the impact of both history and principles in the current life of the denomination or tradition and its churches, and in ecumenical relations.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 TOTAL: 200	Written Assignment 2500 words 50% Written Assignment 2500 words 50%
3411	Preaching in the Contemporary World	6	20	NO	This module provides opportunities to engage critically with key aspects of preaching, for example: the theology and theory of preaching. Preparing sermons. Different models of preaching and forms of sermon. More approaches to engaging with Scripture and doctrine. Further rhetorical strategies. Critical ways of engaging with a range of contexts Preactical skills of delivery. Handling difficult texts and situations. Preaching, liturgy and worship. The personal and professional life of the preacher.	Lectures: 20 x 1 hour	Lectures: 20 Personal study: 180 Total: 200	Sermon of 10 minutes – 20% Rationale of 1000 words – 20% Essay of 2500 words – 60%
3487	Further Reflective Practice in Context (Short)	6	10	NO	This module involves a partnership between a student's training institution and a given placement context which enables students to encounter, and work effectively within, such a setting and reflect creatively upon it. It provides opportunity to enhance skills in understanding and analysing context, and integrating theological enquiry with pastoral / ministerial / professional practice. It draws upon the resources of Scripture and relevant Christian traditions in critical conversation with insights from other sources, including the social sciences. It demands of students attentiveness to their own assumptions and biases. Reflecting upon their placement, students will take responsibility for identifying key aspects, encounters and themes out of which to develop work for assessment.	Engagement with Context including supervision: 35	Context engagement 30 Supervision: 5 Personal study: 65 TOTAL: 100	Theological reflection 2500 words 100%

 Further Reflective Practice in Context (Long)	6	20		This module involves a partnership between a student's training institution and a given placement context which enables students to encounter, and work effectively within, such a setting and reflect creatively upon it. It provides opportunity to enhance skills in understanding and analysing context, and integrating theological enquiry with pastoral / ministerial / professional practice. It draws upon the resources of Scripture and relevant Christian traditions in critical conversation with insights from other sources, including the social sciences. It demands of students attentiveness to their own assumptions and biases. Reflecting upon their placement, students will take responsibility for identifying key aspects, encounters and themes out of which to develop work for assessment.	Context including supervision: 75	60	Presentation (20 mins) (50%) Written assignment 2500 words (50%)
Further New Testament Text Study [Not available 24-25]	6	10		In depth exploration of of a particular book, or in the case of a longer book an appropriate section of that book. Examination of the ways in which the New Testament book can be appropriately used in contemporary situations.		Lectures: 10 Personal study: 90 TOTAL: 100	Essay 2500 words 100%
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