



Master of Arts in Theological Studies: New Testament Thesis Track

M.A.T.S. students who wish to pursue a New Testament concentration with a thesis will take the following classes. Thesis topics are determined in conversation with your advisor, and your project will be steadily built out over the length of five academic terms. Courses listed in bold are required. Four of the six courses *not* in bold may be audited, for a total of 60 credit hours. Credit hours per term may fluctuate.

	New Testament	Applied Theology	Historical Theology	Old Testament	Thesis Project	Field Practicum	Total hours per term (suggested)
Term 1	NT 500: The Synoptic Gospels (3 hrs)	AT 500: Philosophy of Ministry & Spiritual Leadership (3 hrs)	HT 500: Patristics, The Trinity, and Christological Controversy (3 hrs)	OT 500: The Torah / Pentateuch (3 hrs)	NT 510: New Testament Thesis Project (3 hrs)		12
Term 2	NT 550: Acts and the Pauline Corpus (3 hrs)	AT 550: The Ministry of the Word (3 hrs)	HT 550: Reformers, Rome, & Soteriological Clarity (3 hrs)	OT 550: The Former Prophets / Primary History (3 hrs)	NT 560: New Testament Thesis Project (3 hrs)		12
Term 3	NT 600: Hebrews and General Epistles (3 hrs)	AT 600: Missiology (3 hrs)	HT 600: Great Awakening, the Holy Spirit, & Evangelical Identity (3 hrs)	OT 600: The Writings / Psalms, Wisdom, & Post-Exilic Histories (3 hrs)	NT 610: New Testament Thesis Project (3 hrs)		12
Term 4	NT 650: Johannine Literature (3 hrs)	AT 650: Ethics, Cultural Apologetics, & Exegesis (3 hrs)	HT 650: The Confessing Church, Revelation, Evil, & Eschatology (3 hrs)	OT 650: The Latter Prophets / The Major & Minor Prophets (3 hrs)	NT 660: New Testament Thesis Project (3 hrs)		12
Term 5		BL 700: Scripture in Translation (3 hrs)			NT 710: New Testament Thesis Project (3 hrs)	FP 700: Field Practicum (Overseas) (6 hrs)	12
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