William Tennent School of Theology
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Master of Arts in Theological Studies: Applied Theology Track (Part-Time; Semester Basis)

Coursework required for M.A.T.S. students studying on a part-time, semester basis is identical to coursework required for M.A.T.S. students studying on a part-time, annual basis or those studying full-time. However, in this modality students take only two core classes at a time, and attend shorter (one-week) residencies every six months.

All M.A.T.S. students who wish to pursue an Applied Theology concentration will take the following classes, including the thesis project. Thesis topics are determined in conversation with your advisor, and your project will be steadily built out over the length of five divided 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.

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