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COURSE PROSPECTUS / TERM 4 : OCT - DEC 2020



COURSE PROSPECTUS

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MISSION OF ATC

ATC was established in 1985 with a vision to equip believers who have a call of God on their lives to be effective ministers of the Gospel. ATC seeks to impart vision for missions and evangelism so that its graduates will be prepared either to go forth as missionaries themselves, or to raise missions-giving and missionary-sending churches.

ATC is a learning resource where ministers can develop the leadership gifts of apostle, prophet, evangelist and pastor-teacher to equip "...the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the Body of Christ..." (Ephesians 4:12).

ATC's essential mission therefore is to provide, in a charismatic Christian context, advanced educational opportunity which will enable the students:

- To develop academically through enhanced and deepened biblical and theological understanding.
- To develop personal gifts and ministerial skills in preparation for ministry to the Lord, His Church, and the world.
- To enrich their personal preparation for participation in the fulfilment of the Great Commission, propagating the Christian faith whenever and wherever God may place them.

1.0 UNDERGRADUATE COURSES



BI 325 GENERAL EPISTLES (3 CREDITS) Distant Learning

3 – 24 OCT

Mon, Wed & Thurs: 7.00 pm – 10.30 pm

4 Sats: 8.00 am - 11.00 am

Lecturer: Dr. Dale Brueggemann, Ph.D

This course focuses on the New Testament letters that were addressed to the church at large and not to particular congregations, cities or individuals. Students will study the historical contexts and the issues that affected their inclusion in the biblical canon. Each letter will be examined in depth, mining the wealth of information God intended for successful ministry in the contemporary church universal.



BI 454 ISAIAH (3 CREDITS)

13 – 23 OCT (Tues - Fri)

8.00 am – 1.30 pm

Lecturer: Dr. Margaret Seaward, B.A.

This course is a careful study of the life of the great prophet, Isaiah, with emphasis upon his times, and message to Israel, his Messianic and eschatological prophecies as well as their contemporary relevance to the Christians today.

1.0 UNDERGRADUATE COURSES



TH 342 SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY 2 (3 CREDITS)

Distant Learning

26 OCT – 7 NOV (Mon – Sat)

8.30 am – 12.00 pm

Lecturer: Dr. Analee Dunn, Ph.D.

This course is a systematic study of two major doctrines of the faith:

1. Christology is the doctrine of the person and work of Christ.
2. Soteriology is the doctrine of Salvation through the redemptive work of Christ and its application by the Spirit.



GE 105 PRINCIPLES IN PUBLIC SPEAKING (3 CREDITS)

10 – 20 NOV (Tues - Fri)

8.00 am – 1.30 pm

Lecturer: Joseph Sachariah, MML

This is a basic course in effective public speaking with emphasis on choice and organization of materials, sound reasoning, oral style and delivery and audience analysis. Verbal and non-verbal communication theory is discussed and demonstrated. Theory and practice are integrated as students are given opportunity to speak in class and receive peer and professor evaluation.

1.0 UNDERGRADUATE COURSES



BI 244 EPHESIANS (3 CREDITS)

8 – 18 DEC (Tues - Fri)

8.00 am – 1.30 pm

Lecturer: Dr. Margaret Seaward, B.A.

This course is an in-depth study of the Epistle to the Ephesians, taking the student through the entire epistle with cross references to other portions of Paul's writings in the New Testament. Special attention is given to spiritual and doctrinal truths gleaned from this letter and also practical applications to the students' Christian living in the present.

2.0 MASTER COURSES



BTH 537 STUDIES OF THE GENERAL EPISTLES (3 CREDITS)

Distant Learning

3 – 24 OCT

Mon, Wed & Thurs: 7.00 pm – 10.30 pm

4 Sats: 8.00 am - 11.00 am

Lecturer: Dr. Dale Brueggemann, Ph.D.

This course focuses on the New Testament letters that were addressed to the church at large and not to particular congregations, cities or individuals. Students will study the historical contexts and the issues that affected their inclusion in the biblical canon. Each letter will be examined in depth, mining the wealth of information God intended for successful ministry in the contemporary church universal.



BTH 542 CHRISTOLOGY & SOTERIOLOGY (3 CREDITS)

Distant Learning

26 OCT – 7 NOV (Mon – Sat)

8.30 am – 12.00 pm

Lecturer: Dr. Analee Dunn, Ph.D.

This course is a systematic study of two major doctrines of the Christian faith –Christology and Soteriology. Christology is the doctrine of the person and work of Christ. Soteriology is the doctrine of salvation through the redemptive work of Christ and its application by the Spirit.

2.0 MASTER COURSES



RES 520 THEOLOGICAL RESEARCH & WRITING (3 CREDITS) Distant Learning

14 NOV – 5 DEC

Mon, Wed & Thurs: 7.00 pm – 10.30 pm

4 Sats: 8.00 am – 11.00 am

Lecturer: Dr. Dale Brueggemann, Ph.D

Meaningful theological researching and reporting of findings in clear written form are studied. Exegetical, survey, historical and descriptive methods are examined carefully. The form and structure of critique, research papers, book reviews, and journal articles are studied. Opportunity is given to develop use of the internet in the theological research.

3.0 ABOUT THE LECTURERS



DR. DALE BRUEGGEMANN, Ph.D.

Dale describes himself as a committed evangelical churchman who is a classical Pentecostal. He has a Ph.D. in Hermeneutics (OT) and has taught Bible and theology at various levels, both in the USA and abroad for the last 20 years. The bulk of his experience has been a missionary-educator.

Dale earned his B.A. Philosophy and Religion, Northwest Nazarene University (1979), M.A. Religion (Bible), Westminster Theological Seminary (1983) and Ph.D. Hermeneutics and Biblical Exegesis (Old Testament), Westminster Theological Seminary (1995).

His ministerial experience includes being the Executive Director, Eurasia Education Office (AGWM), supporting ministerial education throughout the AGWM Eurasia Region (Europe, CIS & Baltic Republics, Middle East and North Africa, Central Asia, Southern Asia). He also taught at and consulted with emerging and maturing ministerial training institutions, especially around the former USSR and Warsaw Pact countries.

3.0 ABOUT THE LECTURERS



DR. ANALEE DUNN, Ph.D.

Dr. Dunn has been involved with Christian education her entire adult life. As a credentialed teacher by the State of Michigan she was instrumental in founding the Bethesda Christian School in 1973. As a staff teacher she taught both elementary and high school students until 1991. Throughout that time period, she was also a Bible teacher in the church. Teaching foundational Catechism classes for over 30 years brought many to a deeper understanding and relationship with Jesus Christ.

Her ability to present Biblical truths in such an understandable fashion led to full time church work. As director of the educational department of Bethesda Christian Church, she instituted many new classes and helped develop a solid teaching core. This led to ministerial credentialing and becoming part of the leadership team at the church. In 2004, following the call of the Lord, she became Senior Pastor.

Known for her ability to teach biblical truths, Pastor Dunn stepped down from her position in 2016 to be able to concentrate on teaching and writing. As a part-time professor at the Detroit Bible Institute, she is continuing to develop curriculum for students interested in biblical studies.

3.0 ABOUT THE LECTURERS

Pastor Dunn has been married to her husband, James, for over 40 years. They have two adult daughters, one son-in-law, and twin grandsons.



JOSEPH MOHAN SACHARIAH, MML

Joseph Mohan Sachariah was called to fulltime ministry in 1997 from a background of law and teaching. He has been part of Victory Family Centre for more than 30 years. Over the years, he has served in roles such as Youth Minister, Worship Minister, Regional Pastor, Net Pastor, and General Overseer in VFC. Together with Church planting teams, Joseph has pioneered churches in North Delhi, India and Suva, Fiji. He has a passion to communicate Christ through preaching, teaching and the creative arts. He headed VFC Evangelistic Outreach committees such as "It is Finished" in 1997 and "Good News Singapore" in 2009.

He and his wife, Wee Eng Sachariah have 2 lovely daughters, Angelle and Shai-Ann.

3.0 ABOUT THE LECTURERS



DR. MARGARET SEAWARD, B.A.

Margaret Seaward is a dynamic teacher of the Word and has been a missionary instructor in Biblical Studies for more than 60 years. She is the wife of the late Rev. Dr. Fred Seaward, former senior pastor of Elim Church. They came to Singapore in the 1950s as missionaries from the United States under the Assemblies of God. Together they have planted churches in Singapore and have been actively involved in missions.

4.0 ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

Bachelor (four-year program)

- Bachelor of Theology B.Th.
- Bachelor of Ministry Leadership (3 tracks) B.ML
 - Pastoral Leadership
 - Pastoral Care
 - Holistic Child Development
- Bachelor of Missions Studies B.MS

Diploma (three-year program)

- Diploma of Theology Dip.Th
- Diploma of Ministry Leadership (3 tracks) Dip.ML
 - Pastoral Leadership
 - Pastoral Care
 - Holistic Child Development
- Diploma of Missions Studies Dip.MS

Certificate (one-year program)

- Certificate of Theology Cert.Th
- Certificate of Ministry Leadership (2 tracks) Cert.ML
 - Ministry Leadership
 - Holistic Child Development

GRADUATE PROGRAMS Masters

- Master of Ministry Leadership (2 tracks) MML
 - Pastoral Leadership
 - Holistic Child Development
- Master of Theological Education MTE
- Master of Theological Studies MTS
- Master of Missions Studies MMS

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TUITION FEES

Undergraduate Courses

\$30 Admission Fee
(One-time payment)

\$30 Non Matriculation
(1st two courses only)

\$50 per credit unit

\$35 per audit unit

Graduate Courses

\$50 Admission Fee
(One-time payment)

\$50 Non Matriculation
(1st two courses only)

\$80 per credit unit

\$50 per audit unit

Other Fees

\$15 Registration

\$30 Late Registration

\$45 "Walk-in*" registration
(Students who fail to register the day before the class starts are considered "walk-in" registrants).

\$25 Program Change

\$15 Course change
(Adding or dropping a course after registration)

\$15 Directed study per
Credit Unit (Additional)

\$45 Directed Study Grading
Fee

Transfer of Credit Fee
(per course)

- Undergraduate S\$15
- Master S\$30

\$50 Undergraduate
Graduation Fee

\$100 Master Graduation Fee

NOTES

All fees, inclusive of 7% Government Service Tax (GST), are payable upon registration. All cheques should be made payable to "Asia Theological Center".

TUITION FEE DISCOUNTS

ATC offers tuition fee discounts for VFC members taking classes in ATC (Discount is applicable only to those who enroll for credit.)

CATEGORIES OF STUDENTS ENTITLED TO DISCOUNT	DISCOUNT
Full Time Ministerial Staff & Net Pastors*	50%
Youth Net Coordinators, Regional Ministers, Area Care Ministers, RMLs, ARMLs & Other Ministry Heads*	40%
Connect Group Leaders, AMLs & AAMLs*	30%
Members*	20%

Members must be attending Connect/Care Groups on a regular basis. Verification may be required. **Discount is applicable only to those who enroll for credit.*

Note: Students from VFC should not neglect their progress in the life in the Word program (which is part of VFC's Christian Development Program) while pursuing studies in ATC.

REGISTRATION

HOW TO REGISTER

Registration is open now till **26 September 2020.**

A late registration fee will be charged after the closing dates of registration.

Application & Registration

Interested applicants should complete the ATC registration form and mail it to:

The Registrar Office
Asia Theological Center
20 Tampines Street 43
#02-00
Singapore 529151

Academic Advising

Students are encouraged to confer with Kathleen Lee for academic advising.

Orientation

Admission office will contact new students for date & time of orientation.

This quarterly brochure and registration forms are also available at **www.atc.org.sg**.

For more information, please call **6260 2030**.

Or email: **registrar@atc.org.sg**

Facebook: **[@asiatheologicalcenter](https://www.facebook.com/asiatheologicalcenter)**

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