Theology

University of Aberdeen

Venues

Old Aberdeen Campus

Content

Theology and Divinity degrees at Aberdeen both concentrate on the study of Christian faith, life and doctrine in its historical, institutional and contemporary contexts and both the Bachelor of Divinity and Bachelor of Theology degrees are accredited by the Church of Scotland.

Theology has been taught at Aberdeen since the university was founded in 1495. You will join an international community of students and leading academics carrying forward this 500+ years of tradition in the highest-quality teaching and researching all aspects of theology and ministry and with close links to experts in all the world's major religions.

First Year: Church History (The Rise of Christianity 0-600); Hebrew Language 1; Introduction to the Hebrew Bible; Systematic Theology (Christian Belief: Its Critics and Defenders); New Testament (Earliest Portraits of Jesus: Introduction to the Gospels; Elementary Greek 1 and 2); Basics of World Religions.

Second Year: Church History and Systematic Theology (The European Reformation: Practical Theology (Christian Doctrine and Practice); New Testament What is Truth? John's Gospel and Letters - English or Greek texts; Paul of Tarsus - English or Greek texts); Encountering Buddhism; Critical Methods of Old Testament Study (English or Hebrew texts); Old Testament Theology (English or Hebrew texts); Medieval Christianity 500-1500.

Third and Fourth Year (Honours): Church History (Luther, Calvin and the Shaping of Protestantism; Reformation and Revolutions; The Theology of the Early Church; Scottish Theology); Hebrew Bible 3 and 4; Practical Theology (Spirituality, Health and Healing; Exploring the Tradition of Christian Ethics; Theological and Pastoral Perspectives on the Family); Systematic Theology (Contemporary Issues in Christian Doctrine; The Nature of Theology); New Testament (Set Texts; Advanced Greek; The Historical Background of the New Testament); Gospels and Acts - Selected Texts (Greek or English); New Testament Epistles (Greek or English); The World of the New Testament.

Start Date

September

Qualification

Degree

Study Method

Full time

Award Title

BTh Hons

UCAS Code

V612

Course Length

3 - 4 years

Faculty

Arts and Social Sciences

Department

Divinity, History, Philosophy and Art History

Entry Requirements

2027 entry requirements

Standard entry:
4 Highers at BBBB preferably including RMPS plus English at National 5.

Widening access entry:
2 Highers at BBC preferably including RMPS plus English at National 5.

1 Foundation Apprenticeship is accepted in place of a Higher.

SCQF Level

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Progression Routes

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Combination Courses

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