

Cornerstone Christian University
Rolando, FL

This track covers which either of the following two degrees:

- 1. Bachelor of Arts in Missiology and Anthropology Degree (120-credit)**
- 2. Bachelor of Arts in Missiology or Anthropology Degree (120-credit)**

The purpose **Bachelor of Arts in Missiology and/or Anthropology** Program is to provide the candidate with and advanced competencies and methodology insights through the preparation and case studies for those actively involved in professional and vocational of Intercultural Studies and Christian Assistance and Development. Cornerstone focuses on the practical knowledge and understanding rather the actual degree itself. For this purpose, CCU's requirements and standards are higher than most peer schools without any additional work or cost the student. There two types of doctorates to choose from:

How does the program work?

One of two directions can be taken to complete this program:

1. Dissertation Research: With the project phase, the degree is completed in approximately 3-4 years on a case by case basis.
2. Project Research. With the project phase, the degree is completed in approximately 4-5 years.

How does the program work?

- Equip you with Intercultural Studies resources in a practical dimension
- Provide you with the ability to convey the message of truth in missiology
- Enable you to teach and train missionaries and plant churches
- Train you for leadership in Christian compassion ministry agencies
- Prepare you to work with projects around the world

There some basic criteria that outline eligibility:

1. Academic: A candidate must have a High School Diploma or its equivalency from an acceptable school with a minimum GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
2. Experience: A candidate must have at least two years of appropriate intercultural ministry (pastoring, Evangelize, Missiology)
3. English: No TOEFL score is required but the candidate must be able to handle higher level academic responsibility
4. Writing: submission and approval of a writing sample that demonstrates graduate-level research skills
5. Technology: The candidate must have acceptable computer and internet competencies

The candidates who don't have a prior discipline oriented degree or lack of biblical foundation will be required to take some additional biblical foundational courses to substantiate the lacking. If the lacking is minimal, we'll do our best to incorporate some require courses to fill any deficiency.

From the start of your first course up to your graduation you'll know your interest, perception, and desire are biblically challenged and intellectually stimulated; and you'll be humbly proud of your Biblical, intellectual knowledge and of the caliber of such a highly respected two/three letters B.A. behind your name.

The **Bachelor of Arts in Missiology or Anthropology** Program explores how globalization, Intercultural Studies and Christian Assistance are changing the Christian world and practice, as well as building intercultural skills in Missiology practice, teamwork, integrative analysis, and oral and written communication. Recognizing that today's intellectual and biblical students need flexibility, students have various options for accelerating CCU 120-128 credit hours program.

Contextually speaking, individuals graduated from the Bachelor of Missiology/Anthropology Program will be prepared to:

- Demonstrate an advanced understanding and integration of Biblical and missiological/Anthropology concept and teaching with a biblical perspective, academic, moral, and ethical discipline.
- Articulate and apply a comprehensive and critical philosophy of Biblical and missiological/anthropology ministry.
- Demonstrate advanced competencies in the areas of critical thinking, Research and Writing, Teaching, Ethics, Communication; Lesson planning/Educational missiology, and Strategic planning.
- Plan, implement, and critically evaluate major undertakings in missiological development toward the fulfillment of the Great Commission through Biblical and Intercultural Studies professionalism.

Bachelor of Arts in Missiology or Anthropology

There are four basic criteria that define eligibility for the program:

1. Be a High School graduated or it equivalency
2. Grades: a minimum cumulative GPA in accredited graduate study of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale
3. Experience: No experience necessary
4. Vocation: currently involved in full-time ministry context (e.g., pastor, missionary, teacher, denominational or para-church leader, chaplain, evangelist, counselor, etc.)

These requirements must meet by all candidates:

- Must have evidence of a believer
- be capable of handling higher academic responsibilities
- be spiritually, emotionally, and psychologically suited for missiological service
- Must submit an official Application and \$50.00 application fee
- Must submit Official transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended, with degree(s) posted.
- Must submit a Ministerial Recommendation
- Must submit an Academic Recommendation
- A letter of intent in brief autobiography (3-5 pages) with ministerial and vocational goals
- Submit a passport Photo for ID purpose

Note: Course content may be changed, term to term, without notice. The information below is provided as a guide for course selection and is not binding in any form, and should not be used to purchase course materials.

1. Course Title: English 1

(3 Credits)

Course Number: 101

Course Description: This course designed to help students develop the essential skills and provide the information you need to succeed in college. This is not a textbook full of theory and extensive detail that merely discusses student success; rather, this is a how-to manual for succeeding in college. The book provides realistic, practical guidance ranging from study skills to personal health, from test taking to completing this course.

2. Course Title: English 2

(3 Credits)

Course Number: 102

Course Description: Writing is often a challenge. If you were ever challenged to express yourself via the written word, this course is for you. Writing for Success is a text that provides instruction in steps, builds writing, reading, and critical thinking, and combines comprehensive grammar review with an introduction to paragraph writing and composition. Beginning with the sentence and its essential elements, this course addresses each concept with clear, concise, and effective examples that are immediately reinforced with exercises and opportunities to demonstrate learning.

3. Course: An Introduction to Communication

(3 Credits)

Course Number: COM103

Course Description: This course- Introduction to Communication is designed to squarely emphasize media technology. This course is a compelling, historical narrative sketching the *ongoing evolution* of media technology and how that technology shapes and is shaped by culture — and that is what he set out to deliver with his new textbook. Today’s students are immersed in media technology. They live in a world of cell phones, smart phones, video games, iPods, laptops, Facebook, Twitter, FourSquare, and more. They fully expect that new technology will be developed tomorrow. Yet students often lack an historical perspective on media technology.

4. Course: Christian Philosophy

(3 Credits)

Course Number: HUM113

Course Description: The study of philosophy is the search for truth. This course will introduce the student to the major secular philosophical approaches regarding the questions of the Existence of God, Knowing & Reason, Death, Evil, Faith, Right & Wrong and Truth. Included are expositions, evaluations and criticisms for each theoretical concept; and the Christian responses and conclusions.

5. Course: English Literature

(3 Credits)

Course Number ENG123

Course Description: English Literature I examines language, ideas and political/cultural values in English literature from Anglo-Saxon times through the Renaissance and into the 1700s. Students read poetry, letters, and drama, including works by Shakespeare, Swift, and other important writers. Key motifs from the texts include history, ideology, and the evolving ideas about humanity and rise of individualism. This course is writing intensive.

6. Course Title: Sociology Course: Group Dynamics

(3 Credits)

Course Number:GRD133

Course Description: Group Dynamics is a study of the dynamics of groups, with special emphasis being placed upon patterns of leadership, solidarity, cohesion, conflict, accommodation, and cooperation.

7. Course Title: Understanding Psychology

(3 Credits)

Course Number: PSY143

Description: This course designed to help students organize their thinking about social psychology at a conceptual level. This course will further helps them remember some basic ideas, for it is these principles that will allow them to critically analyze new situations and really put their knowledge to use.

8. Course: Anthropology

(3 Credits)

Course Number:BIS493

Course Description: Biblical Anthropology is a survey of the culture of the Bible, as produced by the societies in the ancient Levant. Topics covered include customs, religious practices, folklore, lifeways, and traditions. Societies of interest include the Jews, Canaanites, Philistines, Egyptians, and Mesopotamians. Offered monthly

<p>11. Course: Leading the Local Church (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course Number:CHA463</p> <p>Course Description: This course will introduce the students to the general approach to the administering the local church, merging together the leadership and the administration, and specific responses to particular problems. This course will also give the student a clear understanding that biblical approach to administration of the local church or any other ministry.</p>
<p>12. Course Title: Leadership that Matters (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course number: LDS453</p> <p>Description: This course takes the student further to a more comprehensible perspective and personal appreciation of the obligations facing those who perform leadership roles in the church and in other organizations. This course gives clear direction to those becoming the leaders of tomorrow.</p>
<p>13. Course: Evangelism and Missions (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course Number: EVG143</p> <p>Course Description: An introduction to the ministry of evangelism and missions that moves from its biblical basis and theological foundations to a study of contemporary strategies, methodologies, movements, and trends with a focus on their practical application.</p>
<p>14. Cultural Anthropology (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course number: ANH153</p> <p>Description: This course is a survey of the field of cultural anthropology. The class will compare and contrast cultures around the world, discussing topics such as: the nature of culture, race and ethnicity, making a living in the environment, gender and marriage, family and kinship, stratification and poverty, political and economic systems, language, culture and personality, religion, the arts and world views. A Christian framework will provide the means of determining both the value and limits of cultural relativism</p>
<p>16. Teaching Cross-cultural (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course Number: CED393</p> <p>Course Description: The course <i>Teaching Cross-Culturally</i> is a challenging consideration of what it means to be a Christian educator in a culture other than your own, and include discussions about how to uncover cultural biases, how to address intelligence and learning styles, and teaching for biblical transformation</p> <p>The course <i>Seven Laws of Teaching</i> gives a clear and concise presentation of the fundamental laws of teaching has been studied and applied in a variety of educational situations</p>
<p>17. Biblical Research Design (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course Number: BRD223</p> <p>Course Description: Working closely with a departmental faculty member, each student prepares a research proposal including appropriate theoretical and methodological background materials and a detailed research design to be implemented in ANSO 399. During periodic group meetings, issues that have emerged in research design are shared and alternative solutions are discussed.</p>
<p>18. Course: Introduction to Biblical Counseling (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course Number:CON373</p> <p>Course Description: This course is a ground breaking which presents a system of biblical truth that brings together people, their problems, and the living God. This course present a solid theological foundation of biblical counseling that is clearly presented in contrast to humanistic and secular theories of psychological counseling. A practical, proactive, and relevant book for students, church leaders, and lay people. This collection of writers represents some of America's leading biblical teachers and counselors</p>
<p>19. Competent to Counseling (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course Number: CON383</p> <p>Course Description: This course will introduce the students to the general approach to Christian counseling, and a specific response to particular problems. This course will also give the student a clear understanding that nouthetic counseling works by means of the Holy Spirit to bring about change in the personality and behavior of the counselee.</p>
<p>20. Christian Ethics (3 Credits)</p> <p>Course Number: ETC393</p> <p>Course Description: Christian ethics is the serious study of matters of good and evil, right and wrong, from the vantage point of Jesus Christ, Holy Scripture, and the Church. In this perspective . . . What constitutes good, virtuous, healthy character (for individuals, churches and other social groups)? How do we discern and do the</p>

right thing in the face of various ethical dilemmas and quandaries? How do Christian moral values play out in a diverse, multicultural, multifaith world? How do individuals, churches, and schools teach and promote moral character and action?	
21. Title: Personal Finance Course number:FIN263 Description: This text has an attitude: that in addition to providing sources of practical information; it should introduce you to a way of thinking about your personal financial decisions. This should lead you to thinking harder and farther about the larger and longer consequences of your decisions. Many of the more practical aspects of personal finance will change over time, as practices, technologies, intermediaries, customs, and laws change, but a fundamental awareness of ways to think well about solving financial questions can always be useful. Some of the more practical ideas may be obviously and immediately relevant—and some not—but decision-making and research skills are lasting.	(3 Credits)
22. Introduction to the Bible Course Number: NTS303 Course Description A survey of the areas of general and special introduction that include inspiration, the canon of Scripture, the transmission of the biblical text from the original writings to the many modern versions, and an examination of the major critical questions concerning the Bible that provide the student with an apologetic for the Christian faith.	(3 Credits)
23. The Pentateuch Course Number: BIS203 Course Description: Examines the books of the Pentateuch to understand the purpose and message of each. Topical studies focus on particular exegetical, historical, archaeological, geographical, and institutional issues. Special attention is paid to the Law and the development of the covenant. Not open to freshmen.	(3 Credits)
24. Course: Old Testament Studies Course Number: BIS203 Course Description: This course explores the entire Old Testament in a practical way. Every book is analyzed based on the principle, the concept, and personages involved.	(3 Credits)
25. Course: Old Testament: The Prophets Course Number: BIS213 Course Description: This course explores both the Major and the Minor prophets in a practical way. Every book is analyzed based on the principle, the concept, and personages involved.	(3 Credits)
26. Course: New Testament Studies Course Number: NTS303 Course Description: The New Testament Studies is an eye opener for Biblical students. It provides a clear understanding the key factors surrounding the Son of God, his existence, the mature of his mission, and his redemptive plan of salvation. After completing this course students should have biblical knowledge of how God works in various stages in the New Testament History, using average men and women to carry his message.	(3 Credits)
27. Course: The Four Gospels Course Number: BIS313 Course Description: All four gospels will be covered in-depth exploring the unique aspects of each. A comparison will be made between them accordingly.	(3 Credits)
28. Course: Acts of the Apostles Course Number: NTS323 Course Description: Examines Acts to understand the birth and growth of the church under the sovereign direction of the resurrected Christ. The emphasis in the course is on understanding the purpose of the book, with special consideration given to the literary structure of the book, problem passages, church growth, and personal application.	(3 Credits)
29. Course: The Book of Romans Course Number: BIS333 This course presents Romans in a way that best helps those understand the way to salvation. It answers the great question, “How can a man be righteous before God?”	(3 Credits)
30. Course: Pauline Epistle Course Number: BIS353 Course Description: This course is a continuation of the Foundation of Faith, which explores the foundation of faith for Christian life. Faith is the foundation of Christian belief.	(3 Credits)

<p>31. Course: General Epistles (3 Credits) Course Number: BIS363 Course Description: This course is fundamental to Bible students because it details many keys issues of the Christian Faith. Students will enjoy and learn from the church forefather the key principles to the effectiveness of their ministry.</p>
<p>32. Course: Ephesians (3 Credits) Course Number: BIS373 Description: The study on the Epistle to the Ephesians is a contribution to The New International Commentary on the New Testament. Prepared by some of the world's leading scholars, the series provides an exposition of the New Testament books that is thorough and fully abreast of modern scholarship yet faithful to the Scriptures as the infallible Word of God.</p>
<p>33. Course: New Testament Church History (3 Credits) Course Number: NCH383 Course Description: This course will provide the student with a framework of Biblical principles upon which to grow and mature in the Spirit.</p>
<p>34. Course: Historical Books (3 Credits) Course Number: BIS393 Description: This course deals with the twelve books of the Bible from Joshua through Esther. The historical books are fundamental to the Christian beliefs and practice. Students will find this class very enriching to their personal life and ministry.</p>
<p>35. Course: Hebrews (3 Credits) Course Number: BIS403 Description: The study on the Epistle to the Hebrews is a contribution to The New International Commentary on the New Testament. Prepared by some of the world's leading scholars, the series provides an exposition of the New Testament books that is thorough and fully abreast of modern scholarship yet faithful to the Scriptures as the infallible Word of God.</p>
<p>36. Course: Psalms (3 Credits) Course Number: BIS413 Course Description: The Bible's Heartbeat is a textbook-commentary on the book of Psalms. This book will be useful to all who study, teach, or simply read and enjoy this remarkable portion of Scripture.</p>
<p>37. Course: Ecclesiology (3 Credits) Course Number: ECL423 Course Description: Bible Prophecy is an open eyes course for Bible students. Many of the prophecies seem to be irrelevant to many churchgoers but their significant are inescapable. After completing these courses, student will be able to identify different covenants and their purpose.</p>
<p>38. Course: Homiletic (3 Credits) Course Number: HOM453 Description: John MacArthur and other distinguished teachers of preachers respond to the apostle's mandate in this comprehensive treatment of expository preaching. Dr. MacArthur's well-known passion for the Scriptures is combined with the vision and expertise of other faculty members at The Master's Seminary to produce a definitive statement on how to unfold the meaning of God's Word effectively to today's congregation.</p>
<p>39. Course : The Art of Preaching (3 Credits) Course: Number: HOM463 Description: John MacArthur and other distinguished teachers of preachers respond to the apostle's mandate in this comprehensive treatment of expository preaching. Dr. MacArthur's well-known passion for the Scriptures is combined with the vision and expertise of other faculty members at The Master's Seminary to produce a definitive statement on how to unfold the meaning of God's Word effectively to today's congregation</p>
<p>40. Course: Pastoral Epistles (3 Credits) Course Number: BIS473 Course Description: The pastoral studies is fundamental the today's leader and their authority in religion that reviews and evaluates evidence that establish the Bible truth, as the revelation to humans of God's way and His Truth. The status of the Bible as inerrant God-breathed book, and its role as the ultimate authority in matters of religions, are each examined and defended.</p>
<p>41. Course: Bibliology (3 Credits)</p>

Course Number: BIL483

Course Description: Bibliopolis is authority in religion that reviews and evaluates evidence that establish the Bible, as the revelation to humans of God's way and His Truth. The status of the Bible as inerrant God-breathed book, and its role as the ultimate authority in matters of religions, are each examined and defended. The non-biblical views that attempt to replace the Bible are reviewed and their shortcomings exposed.

42. Preparation to Ministry

(3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS493

Course Description: This course Preparing to Ministry I is designed to be practical and in-depth covering covers many concepts and aspects of the ministry of Christ. Students will be exposed to new knowledge skills to help them with their ministry. Preparing to Ministry will be defined in many functions never fully understood before. Student will find that their beliefs are being challenged in a positive way to stimulate the thinking mind.

1. Course Title: Introduction to Biblical Hermeneutics

(3 Credits)

Course Number: HRM403

Course Description: Biblical Hermeneutics has become a standard text for a generation of students, pastors, and serious lay readers. This course has been substantially revised and updated, allowing the students to fine-tune and enrich their discussions on fundamental interpretive topics. The role of biblical theology in interpretation * How to deal with contemporary questions not directly addressed in the Bible * The New Testament's use of the Old Testament * The role of history in interpretation The book retains the unique aspect of being written by two scholars who hold differing viewpoints on many issues, making for vibrant, thought-provoking dialogue. What they do agree on, however, is the authority of Scripture, the relevance of personal Bible study to life, and why these things matter.

2. Course Title: Christian Apologetics

(3 Credits)

Course Number: THE413

Course Description: This is a study of Christian Apologetics for the purpose of equipping the pastor, minister, or lay leader in the defense of the Truths of God. This study is in three parts: 1) deals with various tests for truth in order to lay a foundation for testing the "truths" of various world views, 2) applies the test for truth to those views, and 3) works within the theistic view to verify the deity of Jesus and the authority of the Bible.

3. Course Title: Introducing World Missions

(3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS423

Course Description: Introducing World Missions, the first volume in the Encountering Mission series, provides readers with a broad overview of the biblical, theological, and historical foundations for missions. It considers personal and practical issues involved in becoming a missionary, the process of getting to the mission field, and contemporary challenges a mission worker must face. This valuable guide is based on current research and includes numerous case studies that consider important issues, as well as sidebars, charts, and maps that provide further details on topics of interest. Altogether, this is an engaging introduction to the work of missions in the contemporary world.

4. Course Title: Christology

(3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS433

Description: This book presents one of the most thorough and passionate studies of Christology. It covers all components of the eternal existence of Christ, life of Christ, atoning work of Christ, and future work of Christ, as well as other topics. This book's approach is dispensational and premillennial and he

offers cogent defenses of his views. This work is both scholarly, reverent, and at times devotional.⁵
Course

5. Course Title: Cultural Anthropology (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS443

Course Description: The late Paul G. Hiebert (1932-2007) was distinguished professor of mission and anthropology at Trinity Evangelical Divinity School and previously taught at Fuller Theological Seminary. He also served as a pastor and missionary to India. He received his PhD from the University of Minnesota and was the author or coauthor of numerous articles and books in the fields of anthropology and missions.

6. Course Title: A Biblical Theology of Missions (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS453

Course Description: This exhaustive theology of missions focuses on theory and biblical mandates for missions as a vital part of theology. George Peters, a foremost missions authority, considers both liberal and conservative views, although his own stance is solidly evangelical.

7. Course Title: Anthropological Reflections on Missiological Issues (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS463

Course description: The late Paul G. Hiebert (1932-2007) was distinguished professor of mission and anthropology at Trinity Evangelical Divinity School and previously taught at Fuller Theological Seminary. He also served as a pastor and missionary to India. He received his PhD from the University of Minnesota and was the author or coauthor of numerous articles and books in the fields of anthropology and missions.

8. Course Title: Introduction to Biblical Counseling (3 credits)

Course Number: CON473

Course Description: This course will introduce the students to principles and practice in Biblical counseling. This approach will bring a system of biblical truth that brings together people, their problems and the living God.

9. Course Title: Crisis and Trauma Counseling (3 credits)

Course Number: CON483

Course Description: Students will develop a foundation for assessing and treating post-trauma reactions in adults along with an overview of trauma responses in children. We will begin by reviewing the variety of trauma populations followed by in-depth instruction on the mechanism of PTSD development and maintenance and the assessment of post-trauma conditions. Next we will address clinical interventions including disaster mental health and exposure-based treatment. Finally, we will review issues affecting therapists working with trauma populations and self-care strategies to prevent compassion fatigue.

10. Course Title: Marriage and Family Counseling (3 credits)

Course Number: CON493

Course Description: In this text for the professional helper, Everett Worthington provides a model for short-term marriage counseling which is biblical, practical, and compassionate. Evaluations of five major approaches to marriage counseling are included as an appendix.

11. Course Title: Postmodern Anthropology for Mission (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS403A

Course Description: Globalization and urbanization are twin forces that are powerfully shaping economics, politics, and religion in the world today. Traditional anthropological theories are inadequate to recognize and analyze trends such as global migration, Diasporas, and transnationalism. New departures in anthropology and the social sciences seeking to address these and other phenomena can help us critique and reshape the theology and practice of Christian mission.

16. Courses Title: Reasonable Faith: Christian Truth and Apologetics (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS413A

Course Description: This book by respected philosopher and theologian William Lane Craig has been thoroughly revised and updated to equip believers in the successful proclamation of biblical truth claims. The author gives careful attention to crucial questions and concerns, including: How Do I Know Christianity Is True.

17. Course Title: Encountering Theology of Mission (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS624

Course Description: This fresh, comprehensive text fills a need for an up-to-date theology of mission. It offers creative approaches to answering some of the most pressing questions in theology of mission and missionary practice today. The authors, who are leading mission experts, discuss biblical theology of mission, provide historical overviews of the development of various viewpoints, and address theologically current issues in global mission from an evangelical perspective. This readable yet thorough text integrates current views of the kingdom of God and holistic mission with traditional views of evangelism and church planting. It also brings theology of mission into conversation with ecclesiology and eschatology. Topics covered include contextualization, the missionary vocation, church and mission, and theology of religions. Sidebars and case studies enable readers to see how theology of mission touches real-life mission practice.

18. Course Title: Theological Issues and Contextualization (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS634

Course Description: Contextualization is the art of translating ideas into a particular situation, place or culture. It is fundamental to communication, which makes contextualization essential in missions. This textbook pulls together and maps the variety of evangelical approaches to contextualization.

Introductory classes on contextualization and missionary preparation institutes will appreciate this valuable textbook. Contextualization in Missions will guide mission-minded Christians to an informed plan for spreading the gospel effectively. While written with a theoretical perspective, Contextualization in Missions also provides real-world examples to provoke both thought and action.

19. Course Title: Appropriate Christianity (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS644

Textbook: Appropriate Christianity

Course Description: Appropriate Christianity consists of 28 chapters by 18 authors approaching contextualization in three dimensions: truth, allegiance and spiritual power. Over the years, there have

been quite a number of helpful discussions of the contextualization of theological truth. Though we have been helped greatly by them, it is high time we began to deal also with allegiance and spiritual power, two additional dimensions that Jesus considered of great importance. Any adequate and appropriate treatment of the contextualization of biblical Christianity needs to deal with all three of these "crucial dimensions." For allegiance to Christ is the basis for all we do that makes us Christian, and Jesus was very much into spiritual power. If we are to be truly biblical, we must deal also with these areas.

20. Course Title: Muslims, Magic and the Kingdom of God (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS654

Course Description: An in-depth study of the theology of God's kingdom in action, this book is relevant to all who live in spiritual power-oriented societies. Drawing on illustrations from the Muslim world, Love provides a comprehensive and integrated approach to encountering spiritual powers and expressing the message of Jesus clearly across cultures. His book is full of practical ideas for establishing communities of Jesus' followers.

21. Course Title: Globalizing Theology (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS664

Course Description: One of the most powerful forces in the twenty-first century is the increasing phenomenon of globalization. In nearly every realm of human activity, traditional boundaries are disappearing and people worldwide are more interconnected than ever. Christianity has also become more aware of global realities and the important role of the church in non-Western countries. Church leaders must grapple with the implications for theology and ministry in an ever-shrinking world.

22. Course Title: Cultural Intelligence (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS674

Course Description: Twenty-first-century society is diverse, and Christians must be able to understand other cultures and communicate effectively between and among them. Following up on the bestselling *Hurt: Inside the World of Today's Teenagers*, this new addition to the Youth, Family, and Culture series explores the much-needed skill of Cultural Intelligence (CQ), the ability to work effectively across national, ethnic, and even organizational cultures. While rooted in sound, scholarly research, Cultural Intelligence is highly practical and accessible to general readers. It will benefit students as well as guide ministry leaders interested in increasing their cultural awareness and sensitivity. Packed with assessment tools, simulations, case studies, and exercises, Cultural Intelligence will help transform individuals and organizations into effective intercultural communicators of the gospel.

23. Course Title: Contextualization in the New Testament (3 Credits)

Course Number: MIS684

Course Description: The technical term for their efforts is contextualization. Missionary theorists have pondered and written on it at length. More and more, those who do theology in the West are also trying to discover new ways of communicating and embodying the gospel for an emerging postmodern culture. But few have considered in depth how the early church contextualized the gospel. And yet the New Testament provides numerous examples. As both a cross-cultural missionary and a New Testament

scholar, Dean Flemming is well equipped to examine how the early church contextualized the gospel and to draw out lessons for today.

Note: Our program can be tailored or modified to meet any need. Therefore, courses, course descriptions, credits, or course numbers may be changed modified to best suit the program without any prior notice to the student.

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