

Extension, Affiliated Programs, and Distance Education

“Trinity students represent many different denominations and nationalities. They are a picture of the church coming together. I want to be a part of that—to connect with each person here and their calling, their part in the redemptive story that God is telling. My passion is to see each person become what God intended for him or her to be.”

Dr. Susan Greener, Dean of Students

Trinity's Office of Extension and Affiliated Education, together with Distance Education, provides educational services for learners whose life situations are rooted in communities other than Deerfield, Illinois. Through extension sites, affiliate programs with parachurch organizations, occasional courses in various places and times, and distance education courses, Trinity makes graduate course work accessible.

Extension Sites

Five fully accredited extension sites throughout the Midwest and full-service regional centers in south Chicago and Davie, Florida, provide alternative locations for graduate studies.

Course Schedules

Courses are scheduled for the busy lives of rooted learners.

- Evening classes allow students to attend class one night per week.
- Weekend classes provide instruction on Friday evening and all day Saturday every two to four weeks.
- Short-term modular classes allow a student to attend all classroom sessions within one week. Reading assignments are completed ahead of these classes, and writing assignments follow.

Program Offerings

The entire Certificate in Christian Studies may be completed at any of the five extension sites and two regional centers.

The entire Master of Arts (Christian Studies) may be completed at either of the two regional centers (Chicago or Davis, Florida) or at the Columbus, Ohio, extension site.

Master of Arts (Christian Studies) participants in Akron, Indianapolis, Madison, and Milwaukee must complete one 3-hour residency course on the Deerfield campus. This may be completed through a short-term modular course offered during the summer on campus.

In addition, the Master of Arts in Urban Ministry may be completed at the South Chicago Regional Center.

Current Sites

Akron, Ohio

Courses are held at The Chapel, 135 Fir Hill, Akron OH 44304; Jeff Martell (330.315.5570 or trinity@the-chapel.org).

Chicago, Illinois

Courses are offered at 14240 Dante Ave, Dolton, Illinois, 60419; Dr. Michael Reynolds, executive director and associate dean, South Chicago Regional Center, and director of the MA in UM program (312.287.9241).

Columbus, Ohio

Most courses are held at XENOS Christian Fellowship, 1340 Community Park Drive, Columbus OH 43229; Laurie Hamilton (614.823.6510 or FergusonJ@xenos.org).

Davie, Florida

Courses are held at Trinity's Florida Regional Center, 8190 West State Road 84, Davie, Florida 33324; Dr. Roger Felipe (305.770.5211).

Indianapolis, Indiana

Courses are held at Community Church of Greenwood, 1477 W. Main Street, Greenwood IN 46142; Pamela Garcia Duncan (317.885.2650).

Madison, Wisconsin

Courses are held at High Point Christian Studies Center, 7702 Old Sauk Road, Madison WI 53717; Brandon Ellis (608.836.3236).

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Courses are held at Elmbrook Christian Study Center, 777 S. Barker Road, Brookfield WI 53045; Sarah Slagter (262.786.7051).

For information, call the local site number or contact Trinity's Office of Extension and Affiliated Education at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6550, or visit us on the web at www.teds.edu/extension/.

Extension Faculty

Regular Deerfield-based faculty, plus Trinity-approved adjunct extension faculty regularly teach courses. These faculty members include the following:

Eugenia Brown, PhD
Kenneth Cleaver, PhD
Richard Cook, PhD
David Daniels, PhD
Howard Ducharme, DPhil
Floyd Elmore, ThD
Bruce Fields, PhD
Richard Goetz, PhD
Daniel Green, PhD
Jay Halley, DMin
Tim Janiszewski, PhD
Martin I. Klauber, PhD

Roland Kuhl, PhD
Knut Larson, DMin
Dennis Magary, PhD
Samir Massouh, MA, MDiv
Thomas McCall, PhD
Emanuel Naydenov, MDiv
Grant Osborne, PhD
Rick Painter, PhD
Miriam Stark Parent, PhD
Michael Reynolds, DMin
Steven Roy, PhD
Michael Sabo, PhD

Paul Sartarelli, ThM
Greg Scharf, DMin
Eckhard Schnabel, PhD
David Seemuth, PhD
Phil Sell, PhD
Mark Senter, PhD
Mike Sleasman, PhD
Richard Studebaker, PhD
Willem VanGemeren, PhD
Fred VonKamecke, PhD

Affiliated Programs

Trinity offers graduate courses in conjunction with several ministry organizations that are applicable to a TEDS graduate degree. These special courses are offered at times and places specific to the ministry. For a current complete listing, contact TEDS at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6550.

Campus Crusade

Graduate courses are available through the School of Leadership in Fort Collins, Colorado. These courses are designed for Campus Crusade staff but are also available for enrollment by others. For further information, call Keith Johnson at 919.401.6398 or email Keith.Johnson@uscm.org.

The Center for Bioethics and Human Dignity

Graduate-level and Doctor of Ministry courses are offered in conjunction with conferences and institutes of the Center each summer in Deerfield and at other locations during the year. For information, call 888.246.3844 or 847.317.8180.

InterVarsity Christian Fellowship

Graduate courses are offered in conjunction with year-round staff training programs and intensive summer training events in Madison, Wisconsin. They are available only for InterVarsity staff. For information, call Tom Boyles of InterVarsity at 608.274.4823 ext. 208.

Perspectives

ME 5050 Perspectives on the World Christian Movement is offered at locations around the United States in conjunction with the Perspectives Study Program of the U.S. Center for World Mission. For information, call Perspectives at 626.398.2125.

Young Life

Graduate courses are offered in conjunction with Young Life year-round staff training programs. They are available only for Young Life staff. For information, call Jerry Mann of Young Life at 719.381.1800.

Youth for Christ

Graduate courses are offered in conjunction with summer staff training programs in Colorado. They are available only for Youth for Christ staff. For information, call Youth for Christ at 303.843.6765.

Occasional Courses

Throughout the calendar year, TEDS offers graduate credit courses throughout North America at a variety of sites linked with special events or anticipated future program sites. These often include conference settings in such venues as the Urbana Conference, The Spiritual Formation Forum, Xenos Summer Institute, and others such as those affiliates listed above. Contact the Office of Extension and Affiliated Education at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6550 for current information.

Distance Education

Distance Education (DE) courses provide opportunity to study on the graduate level anywhere in the world serviced by the Internet or mail. TEDS DE courses are available in an increasing variety of modes—some in online, DVD, video or audio tape, or print format. In each of these modes, the use of technology provides opportunities to link students in community, and enhance their learning experience with supplemental resources. DE courses generally include a syllabus to guide you through specific assignments, study guides, and lectures. A Course Tutor assists students through course requirements and online discussions. DE courses are offered for graduate credit, which may be applied to a Trinity program or transferred to another institution. (Check the specific stipulations of each program for DE course application.) Further information, including a current course listing and syllabi, is available at our website (www.teds.edu/distancededucation/).

Distance education courses may be taken as a visiting student, an extension student, or a part- or full-time Deerfield campus student.

Extension, Visiting, and Part-time Deerfield Campus Students

1. Register through the DE Office at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6554 or online at www.teds.edu/distancededucation/.
2. Course registration is for a given semester, though course extensions *may* be granted by petition to the DE Office (see Important DE Registration Note following).
3. Visiting students may enroll for a maximum of 9 hours per semester.

DE Course Registration Calendar for Extension, Visiting, and Part-time Students Registering Through the DE Office

Semester	DE Registration Begins	DE Registration Ends	Last Day to Drop DE Course*
Fall	April 1	Oct 1	Oct 12
Spring	Nov 15	Feb 15	Mar 1
Summer	April 1	June 15	July 1

*Financial penalties apply. Drop period with (W) Withdraw posted is during the first 50 percent of semester.

Full-time Deerfield Campus Students

1. Prior to online registration for a DE course, contact the DE Office for course instructions at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6554 or in their office in the Veenstra Wing of the Kantzer Center.
2. Secure the registration sign-off of the DE coordinator.
3. Register online with your regular TEDS registration.
4. Distance education course work must be completed during the semester of enrollment and is subject to the regular (very limited) extension policy for full-time Deerfield campus students through the Dean of Students Office.
5. A limited number of DE courses may be applied to most TEDS programs. Review the graduation requirements for your degree program in the program section of this catalog for limits.

Important DE Registration Note

1. Any TEDS student enrolled for a minimum of 5 semester hours during a given semester (whether Deerfield, Extension, or Distance Ed courses) is considered “half-time” for reporting purposes and financial aid. Requests for letters of verification of enrollment status for loan deferment should be requested from Records; letters of standing indicating DE enrollment and the course calendar may be obtained from the DE Office.
2. The semester in which the student registers (and pays the tuition) is counted as the semester of enrollment for reporting purposes. Students seeking deferment (loans, Veteran’s Administration, business reimbursements) should note that **only the original semester** of enrollment is eligible for deferment standing, even if an academic course extension is granted for completion of the course work.

Regular TEDS Courses Offered in Distance Education Mode

Further information regarding DE studies may be obtained from the Office of Extension and Affiliated Education. Call 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6554, go to our website at www.teds.edu/distanceeducation/, or visit our office in the Veenstra Wing of the Kantzer Center. The following courses are available, all of which correspond to current catalog offerings:

ME 5000 Foundations of Christian Mission

Survey of the theology, history, culture, politics, and methods of the Christian mission, with special emphasis on recent developments, crucial issues, and future trends, ending with a careful study of missions in the local church. *Two hours.*

NT 4030 Beginning Greek I (undergraduate credit)

Introduction to phonology, morphology, and grammar of New Testament Greek, with readings in the Johannine literature or the Thessalonian correspondence and vocabulary development. Designed for students with little or no background in beginning Greek. Not for graduate credit. *Four hours.*

NT 4031 Beginning Greek II (undergraduate credit)

Further study in phonology, morphology, and grammar of New Testament Greek, with readings in the Johannine literature or the Thessalonian correspondence and vocabulary development. Not for graduate credit. Prerequisite: NT 4030. *Four hours.*

NT 5000 Introduction to the New Testament

Introductory survey of the New Testament, including the life and ministry of Christ, apostolic history, New Testament literature, principal critical issues, and the unity and diversity of New Testament theology. This course meets the NT General Comprehensive requirement for MA students; and the English Bible competency requirement for MDiv students who must meet the SBCT requirement. Not for credit in the MA/NT or MA/OT programs. Elective credit in MDiv program. *Four hours.*

OT 5000 Introduction to the Old Testament

An introduction to the literature of the Old Testament, the history of Israel, critical issues of Old Testament formation, method in Old Testament study, and the theology of the Old Testament. This course meets the OT General Comprehensive requirement for MA students; and the English Bible competency requirement for MDiv students who must meet the SBCT requirement. Not for credit in the MA/NT or MA/OT programs. Elective credit in MDiv program. *Four hours.*

ST 5101 Theology I: Introduction to Theology

This course begins by clarifying the nature, method, and necessity of theology. Discussion then moves to the doctrine of Scripture, including revelation, inspiration, illumination, and inerrancy. It concludes with the study of the existence and nature of God (including the Trinity), God’s works of creation (including angels), and providence. This course meets one ST General Comprehensive requirement for MA students. Auditors are not permitted in General Comp courses unless they have taken previous undergraduate course work in the subject or are not intending to complete the MA program. Offered fall and spring. *Three hours.*

ST 5102 Theology II: Christ, Man, Sin, and Salvation

This course covers the study of the person and work of Christ. It treats the nature of man both as a creature and as a sinner, including original sin, imputation of sin, and the nature and consequences of individual acts of sin. Discussion focuses on both the atoning work of Christ and on the application of the work of Christ by the Holy Spirit that runs from election through conversion and justification all the way to glorification. This course meets one ST General Comprehensive requirement for MA students. *Three hours.*

ST 5103 Theology III: Holy Spirit, Church, Last Things

This course begins with the study of the person and work of the Holy Spirit. Focus then shifts to the doctrine of the church. Topics include the nature, mission, function, organization, and ordinances of the church, the use of the gifts of the Holy Spirit in ministry, and the relation of Israel to the church. The course concludes with a treatment of the Last

Things in relation to individuals (including the intermediate state and the resurrection of the body) and in relation to the following corporate groups: the church, Israel, and the nations. This course meets one ST General Comprehensive requirement for MA students. *Three hours.*

Additional Elective Courses Offered in Distance Education Mode

The following courses are available only in DE mode and have been developed by the Institute of Theological Studies (ITS), modified and approved for TEDS graduate course credit.

DE 5010 The Pentateuch

A study of the contents of the Pentateuch against its archaeological background together with consideration of the particular Pentateuchal problems of evolution and higher criticism. The laws that form the basis of Israel's theocracy are examined with regard to their content, meaning, and applicability today. Lecturer: R. Laird Harris, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5050 The Book of Psalms

An introduction to the Book of Psalms, with emphasis on the principles involved in the exegesis of the hymnic literature and the application of these principles in selected portions. Special attention to the various forms of the Psalms, their setting within the historical experience of Israel, and their application today within the church. Lecturer: Bruce K. Waltke, ThD, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5060 The Book of Proverbs

An exegetical study of the Book of Proverbs in its cultural, historical, and literary setting, with attention to its critical hermeneutical problems. To get the full benefit out of the course, a knowledge of Hebrew is required. Lecturer: Bruce K. Waltke, ThD, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5120 The Christian and Old Testament Theology

A biblical and theological study of the foundational Old Testament theology applicable for the New Testament and the Christian church. Investigation of focal points for the theology of both the Old and New Testaments, as well as continuity and discontinuity between the testaments. Included are the topics of saving faith, the people of God, the role of the law of God, the worship of God, the doctrine of atonement, the kingdom of God, the Messiah, and the preparation of the New Covenant. Lecturer: Walter C. Kaiser, Jr., PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5210 The Epistle to the Romans (Greek)

An exegetical and theological study of Paul's Epistle to the Romans in the Greek text. Includes the treatment of selected historical, grammatical, structural, and lexical data that help interpret this important New Testament document. Special emphasis given to the theological themes and argument of the epistle. Prerequisite: basic skills in Greek exegesis, including the ability to make grammatical and textual critical evaluations, as well as to do Greek word studies. Lecturer: Harold W. Hoehner, ThD, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5310 The Sermon on the Mount

A consecutive exposition of Jesus' Sermon on the Mount in Matthew 5-7. Emphasis is on the distinctive character expected of the Christian and on the authority of the Lord Jesus Christ. Programmed syllabus requires an expository and reading study with emphasis on the practical and spiritual application of the Sermon on the Mount and on the theological issues and historical interpretations of that passage. Lecturer: John R. W. Stott, MA, DD. *Three hours.*

DE 5320 The Pastoral Epistles

An expository and exegetical study of 1 and 2 Timothy and Titus, with emphasis on their special exegetical and interpretive problems and their relevance for society, church, and especially, church leadership. A working knowledge of Greek and a careful use of the required commentaries necessary for the programmed lesson plan. Lecturer: John R. W. Stott, MA, DD. *Three hours.*

DE 5330 The Gospels/Life of Christ

A chronological, synthetic study of the four Gospel records, emphasizing the time, place, circumstances, and persons involved in the events of our Lord's ministry, with a view to a fuller understanding of the significance of his words and works. Lecturer: Terry C. Hulbert, ThD. *Three hours.*

DE 5340 The Parables of Jesus

Methods of interpreting Jesus' parables are surveyed, and then an eclectic model drawing on the best insights of each is applied to each of the major narrative parables in the Gospels. Conclusions are drawn concerning the theology and significance of this portion of Jesus' teaching. Lecturer: Craig L. Blomberg, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5350 The Gospel of Luke (Greek or English)

An examination of the Gospel of Luke with concentration on its message and preparation of narrative material for preaching and teaching. Course work will be based either on the Greek text or an English translation. Lecturer: Darrell L. Bock, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5440 Christian Ethics: Biblical Theology of Morality

An examination of the theories of obligation and theories of value from a biblical perspective. Includes implications for decision making in personal and church life. Lecturer: James M. Grier, ThD. *Three hours.*

DE 5450 Contemporary Theology I: From Hegel to the Death of God Theologies

An examination of the major trends in contemporary thought, it includes a brief philosophical overview of the significant developments in Western philosophy prior to Hegel's influence throughout the modern period, Kierkegaard, Barth, Bultmann, and Tillich. Also, it includes the development of analytic philosophy, emphasizing the philosophy of the earlier and later Wittgenstein. It culminates in the God is Dead Theologies of Paul Van Buren and Thomas Altizer. Lecturer: John S. Feinberg, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5500 Theology of Martin Luther

The presuppositions of Luther's theology are set forth in his distinction of the two kinds of righteousness and the theology of the cross. Luther's treatment of central Christian doctrine, particularly justification by faith and the means of grace, are explored. Significant treatment is given to his understanding of life in human culture and society. Lecturer: Robert Kolb, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5530 The Theology of Jonathan Edwards

Detailed examination of the theology of Jonathan Edwards. Study of his teachings relative to the major points of Systematic Theology using a topical approach, with particular emphasis on his unique theological contributions. Lecturer: John H. Gerstner, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5550 The Ancient Church

A detailed study of ancient church history, with emphasis on the development of doctrine during the period. Attention is given to the main figures of the Patristic age. Lecturer: Richard C. Gamble, ThD. *Three hours.*

DE 5570 Reformation Church History

A study of the development of the Protestant Reformation from its roots prior to the 16th century to its impact on today's church and world. Attention is given to the lives and teachings of Luther, Zwingli, Calvin, and Knox, and to the course of the Reformation in various nations. Outline of the major Protestant movements—Lutheranism, Calvinism, Anabaptism, and Puritanism—and the Roman Catholic and Remonstrance reactions. Lecturer: William R. Godfrey, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5580 The Church in America

A study of the church in America from its Colonial beginnings to the present day with emphasis on the numerous influences that have shaped the current religious scene. Lecturer: John D. Hannah, ThD, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5600 Introduction to World Christian Missions

An introductory survey of the theology, history, culture, politics, and methods of the Christian mission, special emphasis on crucial issues and future trends, along with a study of missions in the local church. Lecturer: William David Taylor, PhD. *Two hours*

DE 5620 Urban Mission and Ministry

A study of Christian missions and ministry in the world's growing cities. Examination of the biblical basis for urban ministry and case studies of effective urban strategies worldwide. Attention given to urban issues such as ministry to the poor and homeless, pastoring and raising a family in the city, and planting urban churches. Lecturer: Roger S. Greenway, ThD. *Two hours.*

DE 5630 The Missionary Encounter with World Religions

An introduction to the theology of religions. A biblical theology of religions is developed against the background of extensive study of current models of approach. Using major religious systems as examples, five characteristics of all religions are sketched. Some practical suggestions for evangelistic approaches are proposed. Lecturer: Harvie M. Conn, ThM, LittD. *Three hours.*

DE 5640 African Theology and Religions

An introduction to Christian Theology in Africa against the background of African cultures and religions. After a brief examination of how to study and understand Africa, the course focuses on factors that led to debate on Christian theology in Africa. Descriptions and an analysis of African religions are provided. African theology will be studied in depth. Lecturer: Tite Tiéno, PhD. *Two hours.*

DE 5650 Introduction to Muslim Evangelism

This course focuses on understanding the Muslim mind and sharing the Savior within it. The course will take steps in understanding Islam from within as Muslims understand Islam and from without as Christians understand Islam. Lecturer: Patrick Cate, PhD. *Two hours.*

DE 5710 Church Leadership and Administration

A course designed to develop leadership potential in students and give them familiarity with the various elements of

the administrative process, including goal setting and achieving, organization, delegation, human relations, group dynamics, supervision, and the training of other leaders. Universal principles with focus on the Christian organization, particularly the local church. Lecturer: Kenneth O. Gangel, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5720 Interpersonal Communication and Conflict Management

An examination of the process of interpersonal communication and conflict management in human relationships within Christian organizations, with attention given to communication models, self-concept, nonverbal messages, stress and strategies that will assist the Christian leader to develop interpersonal communication skills and to use conflict productively. Lecturers: Kenneth O. Gangel, PhD, and Samuel Canine, PhD. *Three hours.*

DE 5740 Spiritual Formation

An investigation into the meaning of biblical Christianity and its relationship to faith and practice. Lecturer: John R. Lillis, PhD. *Three hours.*