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INTRODUCTION

You Are Invited!

If you are interested in coming to Portland Bible College, we would like to invite you to join us on a Friday during the semester. You will be able to take a tour of PBC and discover why Portland Bible College is a unique and exciting college choice. During the tour, you will have the opportunity to sit in classes, attend our dynamic Friday chapel, enjoy lunch in the cafeteria, talk with faculty and staff as well as meet some of the student body. While you are here you can talk in person with our staff from the admissions and finance office concerning any questions you might have about attending PBC, including the application process and financial considerations.

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From 205 South

Take Glisan St. exit and go west to 82nd and turn right onto 82nd. Go 3-4 miles and turn right on Fremont. Road will Y to the left. Follow road until you reach the parking lot entrance behind City Bible Church – turn right into the parking lot and follow the parking lot around to the right and then left and you will see the PBC Administration building on your left. The Admissions office is on the second floor.

From 205 North

Take Sandy Blvd. exit. Go straight on Sandy Blvd to 82nd. Turn left onto 82nd. At Fremont take a left. Road will Y to the left. Follow road until you reach the parking lot entrance behind City Bible Church – turn right into the parking lot and follow the parking lot around to the right and then left and you will see the PBC Administration building on your left. The Admissions office is on the second floor.

From I-84 East

Take exit 5 toward 82nd. Turn right onto NE Multnomah St. Turn Right onto NE 82nd. turn right on Fremont. Road will Y to the left. Follow road until you reach the parking lot entrance behind City Bible Church – turn right into the parking lot and follow the parking lot around to the right and then left and you'll see the PBC Administration building on your left. The Admissions office is on the second floor.

From I-84 West

Take left exit #9 Salem/Seattle onto I-205 N toward Seattle. Take exit #23B Killingsworth St. onto NE Sandy Blvd. toward Sandy Blvd. W. Turn left onto 82nd. At Fremont take a left. Road will Y to the left. Follow road until you reach the parking lot entrance behind City Bible Church – turn right into the parking lot and follow the parking lot around to the right and then left and you will see the PBC Administration building on your left. The Admissions office is on the second floor.

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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Portland Bible College is an outworking of the desire of City Bible Church to equip all levels of believers for the work of ministry in today's culture. We as a church and college have had the privilege of touching several thousand potential leaders, helping to shape their character as God prepares them for their destiny. The college campus is located on our church campus because the college and church partner together in this very exciting and fulfilling ministry to the students who come here.

The purpose of Portland Bible College is to equip and release students back to their local churches to serve and build that church. We seek to build leaders with deep integrity, persistent faith, passionate prayer and worshiping hearts that will love the Word and live a life devoted to Christ's church. Our students are shaking nations, reaching cities and building ministries. They leave our school equipped and ready to impact today's culture.

Each week, I am honored in my Passions and Values Class to speak to the student body. This is my opportunity to impart my own ministry experience along with its challenges and victories. It is a time for establishing biblical passions and values in the student's life.

Portland Bible College provides a dynamic combination of academic excellence in our faculty and pastoral care as the church staff also ministers to the students. In addition, while you are with us, you will have ample opportunity to serve in a large, multi-cultural, multi-generation, multi-campus, city-impacting church. Portland Bible College is a great place for you to encounter God in a fresh way, develop the special gifts He's placed in you and grow in grace. We are waiting for you.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Frank Damazio". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "F" and "D".

Frank Damazio

President

Portland Bible College

OUR HISTORY

Portland Bible College is located in the scenic Pacific Northwest in the beautiful city of Portland, Oregon. The Bible college is on a secluded hillside overlooking majestic mountains, the Columbia River and the city of Portland.

The college is an educational ministry of City Bible Church (formerly Bible Temple) where students are connected to strong biblical teaching and worship, where they experience personal growth and have opportunities for Christian service.

In the fall of 1967 twelve young adults stood in Pastor Dick Iverson's office, asking that he not send them away to other schools to be trained. The Lord had touched their lives dramatically in the church and they believed that ministry preparation and training would best be accomplished in the church. Thus, Portland Bible College began its long and successful journey with a handful of students, men and women who understood that seasoned church leaders administered the best church leadership training.

In the beginning, Pastor Iverson was concerned that he may be incapable of engineering such an important vision. Still, he realized the critical relationship between the church's call and the duty of raising up leaders. The careful and prayerful decision to begin the college was confirmed by a prophetic word. The church responded enthusiastically as all agreed the rewards would outweigh any financial sacrifice made.

Today one of the great tributes to the vision is the way the school has touched the nations. Since the late 1960's scores of international students, along with many from the US and Canada, have worshiped and studied at PBC. Currently, international students make up to 23% of the total student population. Australia, Argentina, Columbia, England, India, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Nicaragua, Romania & Russia are just some of the nations represented at Portland Bible College. The background and cultural diversity, alone, is one of the unique educational features of the college.

We extend our deep appreciation to the pioneers of this institution and give thanks to God for His great faithfulness. People like Robert Stricker Sr., David Blomgren, Kevin Conner, and Pastor Dick Iverson are to be commended for giving their energy and strength to the establishment of Portland Bible College. It is clear that PBC has a distinguished past, a challenging present and an exciting future. The need for future world leaders remains the hope of the church and the world. We are determined to honor our heritage of the past and accept our responsibility to the future.

OUR DISTINCTIVES

Our Local Church Context

PBC is a ministry of City Bible Church. Providing ministry preparation and development within the context of the local church is core to our philosophy. The church is critical to keeping the college contemporary with its curriculum, insuring that what is being taught is applicable to the needs of the church today. We believe that preparation within the church allows the student to receive instruction from effective leaders, as well as provide “hands-on” ministry opportunities in Christian service.

Our Spiritual Atmosphere

One of our most noted distinctives is the spiritual atmosphere at PBC. For decades students have acknowledged the wonderful environment that fosters a deeper relationship with God. Prayer in each class, Spirit-lead worship in the chapels, a prayer center devoted to intercessory prayer and personal devotional times are just a few of the activities that work with the curriculum to build the students relationship with the Lord. It is often within this atmosphere that the student discovers or confirms their future life direction.

Our Theology

Portland Bible College is Pentecostal and Charismatic in its theological orientation. It places a significant focus on the function and restoration of the local church. Its programs provide a Biblical and theological foundation for students to build their lives and ministries upon. In short, PBC offers an academic and pragmatic approach with the ultimate goal of seeing the church realize its full potential. Our vision is to ground future leaders with a sound theological basis and contemporary spirit-filled life experience.

Our Mentoring Approach to Education

PBC believes that the educational experience must extend outside the classroom to include mentoring. This approach gives occasion for a unique mentoring relationship between faculty/staff and students. This also provides an opportunity for the personal development of the student to be addressed. Through the mentoring relationship, each student can receive personal and specific ministry for their spiritual and ministerial development. Most graduates’ state that what has benefited them the most was their close relationships with the faculty and staff. The program is now being extended to include church staff as well.

Our Local, National and International Student Body

PBC boasts one of the largest international and national student ratios in the nation. Students from over 40 nations have attended PBC. This affords each student an opportunity to interact and minister to a broad spectrum of people. Our nation, like others, is becoming more and more ethnically mixed. As a result, we need future Christian leaders that are able to minister to a community that is culturally diverse. PBC offers the student, the chance to learn and minister with future international Christian leaders.

Our Academics

Though not the only focus of the college, PBC’s academics are rigorous and challenging. PBC students that transfer to other colleges and universities perform admirably and those graduates who go on to post-graduate work find they were well prepared to pursue advanced degrees.

Our Financial Distinctive

Due to semester scheduling (allowing for more equal breaks between fall and spring terms), class schedules (7:30 AM to 12:00 PM, Monday through Friday), and the current job market in the Portland metropolitan area, the student can realistically expect that he/she can complete their PBC education debt free. As well, City Bible Church underwrites PBC every year and this in turn helps PBC offer some of the lowest tuition rates in the Pacific Northwest. In a sense, every student enters PBC with a partial scholarship.

OUR ACADEMIC STANDING

For over 35 years, Portland Bible College has striven to provide the finest personal and ministerial training possible. We have consistently held to a set of common core values that shape our educational objectives and commit us to continually raise the academic and developmental bar. As a result, we offer to the student the benefit of receiving a degree, transferability of credits to other educational institutions and VA educational benefits.

Educational Objectives

1. **To give** thorough and systematic instruction in God's Word in order that each student will possess a comprehensive knowledge of the Bible and theology.
2. **To nurture** the spiritual life and character of each student, within the context of community life and Christian discipline.
3. **To assist** the personal development of each student through scriptural exposition, mentoring, and integration into local church life.
4. **To help** each student develop and apply a sound biblical and theological worldview, in order to understand and influence society.
5. **To cultivate** the gifts, talents and ministry potential of each student within the context of the local church in preparation for future ministry.

Degree Granting Status

Portland Bible College has been granted exempt status by the State of Oregon to offer theological and church ministry degrees at the associate and baccalaureate level. Currently, the school offers associate degrees in four programs: Christian Humanities, Theology, Church Music, and Church Leadership Studies. Two programs lead to a bachelor degree in Theology or Church Music.

The Washington Higher Education Coordinating Board has determined that Portland Bible College qualifies for religious exempt status from the Degree-Granting Institutions Act for the following programs: Associate of Christian Humanities (A.C.H.); Associate of Church Leadership (A.C.L.); Associate of Church Music (A.C.M.); Associate of Theology (A.Th.); Bachelor of Church Music (B.C.M.); and Bachelor of Theology (B.Th.). The HECB makes no evaluation of the administration, faculty, business practices, financial condition or quality of the offerings by this institution. Any person desiring information about the requirements of the act or the applicability of those requirements to the institution may contact the HECB office at P.O. Box 43430, Olympia, WA 98504-3430.

Transferability of Credits

The college continues to establish a growing number of formal transfer agreements with fully accredited colleges and universities so that students pursuing educational and career objectives beyond Bible College will have the advantage of their credits being transferable. In addition, several local graduate schools are currently accepting our Bachelor Degree toward post graduate study.

Students desiring to transfer their PBC credits to other institutions are responsible for determining the requirements of the institution and program to which they plan to transfer.

International Students

This school is authorized under Federal law to enroll nonimmigrant alien students.

Veterans

Most Portland Bible College programs are approved for VA educational benefits. Veterans and eligible dependents should contact the Registrar so that their enrollment can be certified to the VA.

Association and Accreditation

Portland Bible College serves under the leadership of the governing body of elders at City Bible Church. This unique relationship between the college and the local church has been the basis for its strength and effectiveness. Currently the appropriate accrediting associations do not make sufficient provision for local church governed colleges, thus PBC has not been able to pursue accreditation. It is however committed to instructional and academic excellence and thus enjoys many of the benefits of accredited colleges. PBC is endeavoring to maintain its commitment to its ecclesiastical standards while nurturing a growing academic reputation. As a ministry of City Bible Church, college faculty and administrators feel the school is uniquely equipped to train students for life-long service in the context of their local church community.

STUDENT LIFE

Portland Bible College offers a variety of rich Christian life experiences. Dormitory life provides the opportunity to develop life-long friendships. Praying together, eating in the cafeteria, and attending small groups are just a few of the dynamics students share as part of their community experience. Student parties and ultimate frisbee are a reminder that there are times just for fun.

Prayer and worship are core values in the lives of PBC students. As a result, students often become committed to regular intercessory prayer. Student led worship is a vital part of the chapel each week. It is an impressive sight to see students from all over the world lifting their hands and hearts in adoration to God. The students look forward to chapel as the highlight of the week.

The search for sound biblical doctrine extends beyond the classroom walls and into small groups, the cafeteria and discussion or prayer meetings held in the student lounge. Professors make themselves accessible to students, and students are able to take advantage of the mentoring relationships that only start in the classroom.

Student life includes active participation in the local church. Learned biblical principles are made applicable in real-life ministry responsibilities. This keeps the students abreast with the life of the local church, and enables them to incorporate experience with knowledge in preparation for ministry.

In a word, student life at PBC is about growth. Through academic and biblical study, friendships, mentoring relations, chapel, and dorm life, the student grows personally, socially and spiritually. By graduation, every student testifies about the enormous changes—the growth—they've experienced while attending PBC.

Spiritual Life

It is the expressed purpose of Portland Bible College to contribute to the students' spiritual life as well as their academic life. Each class begins with prayer and is directed toward the development of a deeper Christian walk. Each student is urged to maintain a daily devotional life and encouraged to attend student led prayer meetings.

Chapel services are often the highlight of the week. They provide opportunity for a wide variety of experiences including student participation, intense worship, outside speakers and ministry by the faculty and church leadership. Other special services are held each semester usually featuring well-known Christian leaders. These services are required for all full-time students.

All students are required to attend the services of City Bible Church. If they are from another church in the local community, they are then required to attend its regular services.

Conduct

Christian standards of conduct are expected of all students. The student's registration is regarded as consent to abide by the rules of the college which are listed in the Student Handbook. We know every student is different. Having a common set of guidelines enables students to live in the dorms in harmony. Any habitual disregard of rules by a student will be dealt with by the Dean and his decision as to discipline; suspension or dismissal will be final.

Employment

The college class schedule and fee schedule have been arranged for the benefit of students needing to work their way through school. Most students are able to find a good part-time job in the Portland area and the city bus line runs within one block of the campus. Full-time students carrying 12 hours or more will be permitted to work only part-time; which is defined as 20-30 hours a week. However, exceptions may be made for students with good academic records. This restriction is not to financially handicap the student, but to help them keep their academics a priority.

Living Accommodations

All full-time single students are required to live in the dormitories with the following exception: students coming from other churches in the Portland area and students from City Bible Church who live with their families. Also, exceptions are sometimes granted for students who are older or have other extenuating circumstances.

Facilities

Portland Bible College occupies the majority of the 32-acre City Bible Church site. The campus includes a large two-story gymnasium, chapel, four dormitories, an administration building, dining hall, library, and classroom building. Modern audiovisual equipment is used to facilitate effective and progressive teaching methods.

Recreation

Facilities on campus presently include the gymnasium, volleyball and basketball courts and soccer fields. Students are able to participate in the well-developed intramural sports programs provided by City Bible Church. A nearby athletic club and public parks also enhance the recreational possibilities.

PBC sponsors a basketball team that competes at an intercollegiate level. PBC is a member of the ACCA.

Student Ministries

Portland Bible College is a church-oriented college, thus all students, unless coming from another church in the Portland area, attend and participate in the ministry activities of City Bible Church. Areas of available ministry include: Evangelism, Youth Ministry, Inner-city Outreach, Missions, Ethnic Ministries, City Christian School, Choir, Prison Ministries, Children's Ministry, Worship Teams, and Audio-Visual Services.

In addition to the numerous local outreach activities available to students, during the summer months teams are sent for short-term service, to various locations, sometimes including Northern Ireland, England, Germany, Japan, Jamaica, Puerto Rico, South America, Finland, Holland, Australia, Malaysia, New Zealand, Southeast Asia, Canada, Mexico, Romania, Brazil, Italy, Greece, Spain and various areas in the United States.

Church Life Practicum

City Bible Church has initiated a new intensive program to involve all freshmen and sophomores, who are not from other Portland area churches in its weekly ministries and activities. Students will be coached in finding a meaningful place of "hands-on" involvement in the function of the church.

Ministry Apprenticeships

The Ministry Development Program is designed to provide third and fourth-year students with a ministry practicum to clarify and nurture their giftings and callings while releasing ministry to the Body of Christ. Satisfactory involvement in this program is a graduation requirement.

Internships

Based on interest and available opportunities, students may be placed in internships the summer before their senior year. This is done in conjunction with their home church.

Spring 2009 – Fall 2009 Calendar

Spring 2009

Dorms Open	January 10 th
International Student Orientation	January 13 th
New Student Orientation	January 14 th
Registration- New/Returning Students	January 14-15 th
Opening Chapel	January 16 th
Martin Luther King Holiday	January 19 th
Classes Begin	January 20 th
Generation Unleashed Conference	January 29-31 st , 5-7 th
Last Day - Regis Changes	February 3 rd
Presidents Day Holiday	February 16 th
Spring Break	March 23-27 th
Last Day to Withdraw w/passing	April 22 nd
CBC Conference	May 6-9 th
Final week of Classes	May 11-15 th
Final Chapel	May 15 th
Commencement - 5:00 PM	May 15 th
Graduation Banquet	May 16 th

Fall 2009

Dorms Open	August 8 th
International Student Orientation	August 11 th
New Student Orientation	August 12 th
Returning Student Registration	August 12 th
New Student Registration	August 13 th
Opening Chapel	August 14 th
Classes Begin	August 17 th
Kick-Off Fall Retreat	August 24-28 th
Last Day to add/drop classes	September 4 th
Veteran's Day Holiday	November 11 th
Last Day - Withdraw w/passing	November 18 th
Thanksgiving Holiday	November 26-27 th
Final week of Classes	November 30-4 th
Final Chapel	December 4 th

Current as of January 3, 2009 All Dates Subject to Change

ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY

ADMINISTRATION

Dick Iverson, Founder
Frank Damazio, President
Ken Malmin, Dean
Rich Miller, Dean of Students
Glenda Malmin, Dean of Women
Carlos A. Marín, Administrator
Rebekah Kaylor, Registrar/International Student
Advisor

Carla Nuñez, Librarian
Sarah Sanchez, Receptionist
Andrea Schweiss, Admissions Coordinator
Donna Jameson, Alumni Coordinator
Jeremy Koepke, Music Coordinator
Yasuhito Hontani, School of Worship Assistant

FACULTY

Travis Arnold
Bryan Bettis
Carol Bouschor
Edmund Bouschor
Frank Damazio
Sharon Damazio
Mark Daniels
Marc Estes
Yasuhito Hontani
Jason Hubbard
Lanny Hubbard
Robert Jameson
Mark Jones
Jeremy Koepke
Brian Lawrence
Donna Lasit
Doug Lasit
Larry Lawson

Wayne Little
Jack Louman
Poncho Lowder
Glenda Malmin
Ken Malmin
Walter Madison
Jeff Mears
Rich Miller
Tim Nashif
Jeremy Noble
Gilda Smith
Asim Trent
Bob Wagar
Mike White
Ben Windle

Founder & President

Dick Iverson

Founder

Dick Iverson ministered overseas as an evangelist for ten years before becoming the pastor of Bible Temple (currently City Bible Church). Under his direction the church flourished and became influential locally and abroad. Dick was the senior pastor of Bible Temple for over 30 years. He founded PBC in 1967 and served as its President until 1995.

Brother Dick (as he is respectfully known) currently serves as Founder and President of Ministers Fellowship International (MFI). MFI is a relationally based international ministry to pastors. It is represented by nations from every continent. As a result, much of Dick's time is consumed with traveling throughout the year. He is much sought after as a conference speaker and highly respected as a "model shepherd" by ministries around the world. Brother Dick teaches Pa 401 Senior Seminar, in which he fields student questions regarding the personal life of a pastor, family and his ministry. This affords the student a unique opportunity to learn from a seasoned and highly successful man of God and pastor.

Frank and Sharon Damazio

President, D.Min

After graduating from PBC in 1976, Pastor Frank taught full-time at Portland Bible College until 1981. He left Portland at this time to pioneer what is still a thriving successful church in Eugene, Oregon. In 1992, he returned to Bible Temple (now City Bible Church) and succeeded Pastor Dick Iverson in June 1995 as the senior pastor and president of Portland Bible College. His years of service at City Bible Church have been marked with progressive vision and measurable growth.

Along with his responsibilities at the church and college, Pastor Frank closely relates to the CBC Network of Churches and mentors pastors. He is also actively involved in ministry to local pastors through his leadership of the City Pastor's Network, which focuses on prayer for the city, building relationships among pastors and bringing unity among the pastors and churches of the city. City Bible Church hosts multiple regional conferences throughout the year. Literally thousands come from the Pacific Northwest and beyond to attend youth, pastoral, and CBC conferences. He is the author of several books, seminar DVD's and CD series and speaks at pastors' conferences both nationally and internationally. He graduated from Oral Roberts University with a Masters of Divinity in 1991 and his Doctorate of Ministry in 2008.

Pastor Sharon was born and raised in Melbourne, Australia where she grew up in a Christian home and attended a church where worship and music were a major focus. She began playing the piano for youth worship when she was 15. Pastor Sharon attended PBC for three semesters, where she met and married Pastor Frank Damazio. She has had extensive pastoral and worship ministry experience, serving with her husband both in their Eugene church and at City Bible Church. Her musical experience includes worship leading, songwriting, piano, choir, drama and a variety of other vocal experiences. She is currently one of the Worship Pastors of City Bible Church and works with the CBC Worship Ministry and Leadership team. Pastor Sharon also teaches several classes in the PBC School of Worship Track, and is passionate about seeing the generations engage in authentic and wholehearted worship to our awesome God.

Faculty and Staff

Ken Malmin

Dean, BTh

Ken and Glenda came to Portland Bible College from Oral Roberts University in 1971. Ken is from a family of ministers, following in the steps of his father and grandfather. Immediately after graduating from PBC, he began teaching at Portland Bible College. He served as the Academic Dean for several years before becoming Dean of the college in 1986. Ken also serves as an executive pastor and elder at City Bible Church and is on the Apostolic Leadership Team of Ministers Fellowship International (MFI). He has co-authored five textbooks, which are used in classes at PBC and around the world. Ken is known in the classroom for his ability to illuminate scripture and doctrine with precision while at the same time making it personally applicable.

Glenda Malmin

Dean of Women

Glenda is an instructor at Portland Bible College. She also serves as an elder at City Bible Church. She is known for her counseling abilities and her sensitive approach to real life issues. She often speaks at women's conferences around the world and is a gifted communicator with a strong prophetic message. She is also the author of four books.

Rich & Angela Miller

Dean of Students

Rich, and his wife Angela, have been part of the City Bible Church youth ministry for over 25 years. Rich grew up in Dillon, Colorado and moved to Portland when he was 12 years old. Angela was born and raised in Portland and began attending City Bible Church in 1973. They attended high school together in the early eighties and were married in 1986. Rich attended PBC in the mid 80's. They then volunteered in the young adults group before joining the Generation Ministries youth staff in the spring of 1998.

Rich serves as the Dean of Students at PBC and together they focus on pastoring students. They have a passion to counsel, mentor, and disciple young people as they grow through their life situations. Because of all this, they play a vital role in producing permanent change in the lives of today's young people.

Carlos Marin

Administrator, BS, MBA

Carlos Marin, along with his beautiful wife and two daughters, joined City Bible Church in 2005. Since then, Carlos' outstanding leadership skills have been appreciated in City Bible Church as the Human Resource Administrator, as well as in Portland Bible College as the School Administrator. He and his wife are also leaders in the CBC Spanish Ministry. Carlos brings an excellent blend of educational, ministerial, and work experience to Portland Bible College. His educational background includes a B.S. in Organizational Leadership from Biola University and an MBA from George Fox University. Ministerial experiences encompass a wide variety of positions: Youth Pastor, Worship Leader, International Hispanic Youth Overseer for Victory Outreach International, and Associate Pastor at Comunidad Cristiana Nueva Esperanza in Los Angeles, CA. He worked as the Director of Legal Services for Hopes Gift International and has been working for Higher Education Administration for the last seven years at the Peter F. Drucker Graduate School of Management and George Fox University.

Rebekah Kaylor

Registrar/ International Student Advisor, BTh

Rebekah was born in Portland Oregon and moved to Japan with her parents when she was 6 months old. Growing up in Japan, Rebekah developed a passion for the nations from an early age. For the past 4 years she has worked to assist international students who desire to come to Portland Bible College. In 2008 Rebekah became the PBC Registrar and is now assisting our entire student body.

Jeremy Koepke

Music Coordinator, BCM

Jeremy graduated from PBC with his Bachelor of Church Music degree in 2001, and is actively involved with the Worship & Creative Arts of City Bible Church. He and his wife Lori have traveled to several nations ministering with teams, and have a heart for Europe to be reached for Christ. As a worship leader and songwriter, his desire is to see the Name of the Lord made known thru worship around the globe. They live in Vancouver, Washington across the river from Portland, with their daughter, Sophie.

Sarah Sanchez

Receptionist

Sarah was born and raised in City Bible Church. She attended Portland Bible College after graduating from City Christian School. Her time at PBC was a time of growth, not only in her knowledge of God, but in her Faith in Him. Throughout the years Sarah has been heavily involved in Children's Ministry for nearly 13 years. Because of her hard work and determination she has left her mark on that department. Sarah was then hired on as a staff member of Portland Bible College. She loved her time at PBC as a student and she is very excited to be a part of PBC once again.

Travis Arnold

Faculty, BTh

Travis received his Bachelor of Theology degree from Portland Bible College in 2007. After graduating, he came on staff at City Bible Church as Ministry Assistant to Pastor Frank Damazio before returning to PBC to teach full time. His passion and drive is the cause of the Local Church and his calling is to teach the Word of God to that end.

Edmund and Carol Bouschor

Faculty, MEd

Edmund and Carol both received their Master's of Education from Portland State University in 1972 and 1974 respectively, and are the founders and directors of the Language and Culture Institute in Oregon (LCIO). They have a passion and vision to teach people from many different nations the English language, as well as the Bible. Through LCIO, they have been able to help many students, once very limited in the English language, to go on from there to universities, colleges, and various business endeavors. They are members of City Bible Church, and are actively involved in helping those around them. Along with their staff at LCIO, Edmund and Carol have assumed responsibilities for the ESL program of PBC.

Mark Daniels

Faculty, BS

Mark and Maureen Daniels live in Gresham with their three beautiful daughters. He has been on staff at City Bible Church for ten years and currently serves as a District Pastor there. He holds a degree in Psychology from George Fox but is known more as a baseball fanatic who also loves board games and ice cream.

Marc Estes

Faculty

Marc Estes is an Executive Pastor at City Bible Church in Portland, Oregon, where he was previously Director of Evangelism and Assimilation. Before moving to Portland in 1995, he was Director of Evangelism at Christian Equippers International. For the past fifteen years, he has traveled internationally, speaking at churches, conferences, camps, seminars and crusades. Marc has developed cutting-edge materials, including tapes, books, training materials and booklets. These materials have provided the local church with relevant tools which have been proven effective in reaching and assimilating the harvest of today's culture.

Joanne Hubbard

Faculty, BA

Joanne has a BA in education with graduate credits towards a master's degree in education. Over the years she has taught a variety of ages and courses, from first grade to college level, both private and public. She has taught English, Algebra, and at one time Christian Education of Children at PBC. Currently she is the administrator of the Church Leadership Training Institute (CLTI) of PBC and is teaching part-time in the college. She and her husband, Lanny, have been elders at City Bible Church for 23 years.

Lanny Hubbard

Faculty, BTh, MA

Lanny was raised in the Evangelical United Brethren Church and later attended the Foursquare Church during his college years. After a three year military duty he entered PBC completing his studies and graduating in 1979 with a Bachelor's Degree in Theology. Lanny went on to complete a Master of Arts Degree in Exegetical Theology at Western Seminary. He has functioned as a teacher at the college since 1978 and also as an elder at City Bible Church since 1983.

Robert Jameson

Faculty, BTh

Robert graduated from Portland Bible College in 1985 and is presently an Executive Pastor at City Bible Church. Robert has a passion to help students develop a firm foundation for their lives and ministries to be built upon. Robert is married to Donna and they have four children who are all involved in City Bible Church.

Donna Lasit

Faculty, BS

Born on the mission-field in Uganda, Donna began leading worship and composing songs at the age of thirteen. Now as one of the Northwest's prominent worship leaders and speakers, she has brought a fresh new sound of worship that takes us closer to the heart of God. She has been involved in recording, and worship leaders like Darlene Zschech of Hill Song are now singing her songs around the world. Doug and Donna have three children, Kalei, Tessa, and Kai.

Doug Lasit

Faculty, BTh

Pastor Doug and his wife Donna have been full time youth pastors since 1995. He is a sought after camp and conference speaker to both youth and youth pastors alike. As the director of Generation Ministries of City Bible Church, Doug oversees a team that pastors over 650 Junior High, High School and College age youth. He and his team host the largest non-denominational youth conference in the Northwest – Generation Unleashed. Doug earned his Bachelor of Theology from Portland Bible College in 1995.

Larry Lawson

Faculty, BS, BTh, MBA

Larry earned his Bachelor in Theology from PBC, as well as a BS in Business Management and MBA from Concordia. He is married to a wonderful woman and has two married children. His hobbies include being a grandparent and studying history.

Jack Louman

Faculty, BS, BTh

Pastor Jack Louman is an executive pastor of City Bible Church under the Senior Pastor, Frank Damazio. He graduated from Lewis and Clark with a BA in Science in 1971 and in 1975 he graduated from PBC with a BA in Theology. He served as the director of the Pastoral Department from 1993 to 1996. Prior to that, he served as the Church Administrator from 1983 to 1993.

He is married to Elizabeth (Libby) Louman, and they have two children. His son, Jack Jr., works as a Project Development Assistant in Boise, ID. Julianne, his daughter, is currently attending Portland Bible College.

Jack travels nationally and internationally ministering to local churches using his pastoral, administrative and prophetic giftings to strengthen and establish the body of Christ. In 1980, he helped to found the Oregon Family Council and Political Action Committee and currently serves on their board.

Poncho Lowder

Faculty, BTh

Pastor Poncho teaches part time at PBC along with his responsibilities of overseeing the Generation Ministries Vancouver Campus. He has a passion to preach and teach the word of God, and finds great joy in seeing young people released into the gifting and calling of God for their life. Poncho served as the Student Body President and received his Bachelor of Theology degree from Portland Bible College in 2003.

Walter Madison

Faculty

Walter Madison came to PBC as a student in 1985 and found a wife and a church, both of which have played a major role in defining his life ever since. Walter has served in different areas of pastoral ministry in the church for the last 18 years, and in 2000, he was asked to come on full time staff as a District Pastor. Since then, he has served in different areas of oversight for church ministries including Membership, Adult Education, and Small Groups as well as serving on the Pastoral Ministries leadership team. Walter currently serves as the 217 Regional Campus Pastor and is also a part of the Executive Leadership Team of CBC. It is from these life experiences, and his passion to equip the next generation that fuel his teaching Pastoral Ministries I and II. Walter and his wife, Robyn, have three kids and make their home on Portland's Westside.

Jeff Mears

Faculty

Jeff grew up in a minister's home and attended PBC. He has had over 8 years of involvement in overseeing and administering a worship department. He also had had several years overseeing youth ministry in his church. He has spoken at youth conferences and summer camps. He has also been involved in discipleship classes for youth. For one and a half years Jeff traveled the drama presentation "Eternity". He coordinated the set up and direction of many performances, as well as working with the pastors of the various locations in leading the new convert follow-up.

Tim Nashif

Faculty

Tim Nashif is currently the CEO of Gateway Communications Inc. and the Hoffman Research Group located in Portland, Oregon. Gateway Communications specializes in Printing, Direct mail, Direct Mail Marketing, Corporate and Political Research and Phone Services. He is an Ordained Minister with City Bible Church in Portland Oregon. He and his wife Valerie have been married for 32 years. They have three children. Tim has also been the Political Director of the Oregon Family Council for over 20 years. The Oregon Family Council is a Christian Grassroots Organization that provides registration, voter information and education to Churches and Christians throughout the state of Oregon. He is a past Chairman of the Republican Party in the Portland area. A capacity he served in for six years. Tim also served as a Delegate to the National Convention in both Philadelphia and New York. Tim has a reputation as one of the top Republican Political strategists in Oregon. Consulting with state house and senate races as well as statewide candidates and issues. He was one of the key leaders and strategists in the Defense of Marriage Coalition, the committee that passed a 2004 Constitutional Amendment protecting marriage in Oregon.

Bob Wagar

Faculty, BA, MEd

Bob Wagar grew up in a strong church in Vancouver, Canada, which devoted half of its budget to world missions and sent out and fully supported more than 60 missionaries. Bob and his wife Sharon served as missionaries in both Uganda (where their two children were born) and Taiwan. He has a teaching degree from the University of British Columbia and a Masters in Education from Azusa Pacific University. He taught in a public high school for two years, and later became principal of his church's private school and dean of their Bible College. Bob and his family moved to City Bible Church in Portland Oregon in 1983, where Bob was Dean of Students in Portland Bible College for several years. He is now World Missions Pastor in the church, overseeing their worldwide ministry (personally visiting more than 50 countries). He is also involved in their local ethnic outreach, a growing ministry consisting of ten different groups and more than 400 people. He continues to teach at the college, and ministers frequently at other churches in this nation and others. He also conducts church seminars and workshops on missions as well as marriage and the family. He functions as a consultant with several "strategic missions" churches in the U.S. and Canada.

Mike White

Faculty

Michael P White is President of Gateway Communications Inc. Gateway specializes in direct mail communications and consulting. In addition, Mike and his firm have over 20 years experience in helping pro-family candidates run for public office. Mike is also Executive Director of the Oregon Family Council, a pro-family public policy organization that publishes a Christian Voter's Guide that is distributed in over 1,800 Oregon churches. Mike also has over 25 years involvement as a leader of Oregon Right to Life. Mike received his Bible education at Portland Bible College.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

A request for application should be addressed to:

Admissions

Portland Bible College

9150 NE Fremont Street,

Portland, OR 97220

For international students, please make requests to the International Student Advisor.

The procedure for application is as follows:

- 1 The application packet must be completed and submitted in full, including the Biographical Statement.
- 2 An identification photo must be included with the application.
- 3 The non-refundable fee of \$35 must be sent with the application.
- 4 Reference Request Forms must be appropriately distributed.
- 5 All references (parental, pastoral and personal) must be received by the Admissions Office or International Student Advisor. Official academic transcripts from any other educational institutions including high school transcripts must be sent directly to the Admissions Office.
- 6 All of these must be received by the Admissions Office at least one month prior to the beginning of the semester. Applications received after this time will be reviewed, and admittance granted on the basis of space.
- 7 Applications are reviewed only after all items have been received and deemed complete.

For International Students

- 1 Provide an Affidavit of Support to substantiate ability to cover the finances needed for their stay in the U.S. The United States Citizenship and Immigration Services requires students to demonstrate the financial ability for one year of school and living expenses.
- 2 A non-native speaker of English will be required to provide proof of English fluency (see page 34).
- 3 If high school or college transcripts are not in English, the original must be sent accompanied by an official English translation. Also, if your school only issues one original transcript to you, please do not submit it to Portland Bible College. All official documents submitted to PBC become the property of PBC. You will need to send a photocopy of the original document to be attested by the issuing institution. The institution will then validate the transcript or degree certificate. The document must then be sealed in an institutional envelope and given to you or sent directly to PBC. We must receive the transcript in the official sealed envelope.
- 4 Applications must be received three months prior to the beginning of the semester you wish to enroll in to allow for the time it takes to apply for a visa if you are accepted. Once the completed application is received, it will be reviewed by the Dean's Office. Upon approval, the applicant will receive a letter of acceptance

Credit Transfer

Credits may be transferred from other institutions on a course-by-course basis with a minimum grade point of 2.0.

Students desiring to transfer their PBC credits to other institutions are responsible for determining the requirements of the institution and program to which they plan to transfer.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

In an attempt to make Bible training available to all, we have made every effort to keep our costs accessible. We are able to offer this financial schedule because the members of City Bible Church have a vision for training leaders and are willing to make investments in their future.

Financing

A payment plan is available for students who are unable to pay the total cost for the semester.

For the Fall Semester, students are required to pay 50% of the total school bill at the time of registration. The total school bill includes room and board, tuition, private lessons and books. A student can expect their school bill to be around \$4,200 for 12-18 credit hours. The unpaid balance will be divided into four (no interest) equal payments due on a prescribed date. The monthly payments with \$2,100 down will be approximately \$525 per month; September through December.

For Spring Semester, students are required to pay 33% of the total school bill at the time of registration. The total school bill includes room and board, tuition, private lessons and books. A student can expect their school bill to be around \$4,200 for 12-18 credit hours. The unpaid balance will be divided into five equal (no interest) payments due on a prescribed date. The monthly payments with \$1200.00 to \$1300.00 down will be approximately \$480.00 to \$500.00 per month; February through June.

Each payment will be due on the 20th of the month. Any student under 21 years of age may be required to provide a qualified co-signer to utilize this financial plan. For returning students, any previous fines, tickets, rents, tuition and other types of charges must be paid in full before registering for classes. Any student anticipating difficulty with this financial plan should communicate with the College Administrator concerning their situation.

Any account that is more than 30 days past due will require immediate withdrawal of the student from school.

Per Semester Costs

Tuition

12-18 credit hours.....	\$1995.00
Less than 12 hours/ per credit hour.....	170.00
Audit/ per audit hour.....	125.00
ESL per hour.....	75.00

Fees (non-refundable)

Application Fee	35.00
Late Registration Fee	100.00
Graduation Fee (<i>4th & 8th semester</i>)	55.00
Student Services (<i>full-time</i>)	180.00
(<i>part-time</i>).....	40.00
(<i>part-time paying in full</i>).....	20.00

Dorm Charges

Dorm Residence and 2 meals/day for 7 days/week.....	1675.00
Dorm Residence Deposit (Refundable)	50.00

Music Fees

Classroom Texts	cost varies
Private Music Lessons (<i>14 at \$18.57</i>).....	260.00
Midi Lab Fee.....	varies between 25.00-60.00
Refundable Midi Key Deposit	25.00
Music Jury Fee.....	15.00 – 35.00

Financial Aid

Government aid in the form of scholarships, grants or loans, such as the Basic Educational Opportunity Grant, is not available through PBC. However, in underwriting the cost of the school, City Bible Church in effect gives every student a scholarship.

Student Loans

PBC is approved by SLM Financial Corp. (Sallie Mae) for low interest student loans. Students without established credit may find it necessary to arrange a co-borrower. The rate of interest is dependent on the student or co-borrower's credit rating and in-come. Minimal "interest only" payments are made until the student finishes school.

Destiny Scholarship

Tuition scholarships based on availability of funds may be awarded to students who have an outstanding record and can demonstrate financial hardship.

Additional Financial Considerations

Dining Facility

The PBC cafeteria serves two meals per day, seven days a week. However, the dining facility is closed for student meals during the winter and summer breaks as well as holidays. Students may continue to live in the dormitories during breaks at a nominal monthly charge.

Refunds

Students finding it necessary to withdraw from school will receive an adjustment in charges paid. However, no fees will be refunded. Those withdrawing will be refunded 80% of the total tuition to the end of the second week; 60% to the end of the fourth week; 40% to the end of the sixth week; 20% to the end of the eighth week. No tuition refunds will be made after the eighth week.

This refund policy will also apply to the tuition paid for private music lessons (per credit charge). Refunds for the lesson fees will be handled according to the Private Lesson Policies.

Veteran Refund Policy

Portland Bible College's Veterans refund Policy complies with VAR 21.4255. According to this policy, in the event the veteran or eligible person fails to enter the course, withdraws or is dismissed at any time prior to completion, any unused portion of tuition, fees and other charges is refunded. This policy provides that any amount in excess of \$10 of the application (registration) fee is subject to proration. This policy also provides that the amount charged to the veteran or eligible person for tuition, fees and other charges for a portion of the course will not exceed the exact pro-rata portion of the total charges for tuition, fees and other charges; that the length of the completed portion of the course is prorated over its total length; and that the exact proration is determined by the ratio of the number of days of instruction completed by the student to the total number of instructional days in the course. Refunds are made within forty (40) days of the last date of the student's attendance.

Academic Requirements

Entrance Requirements

Students at Portland Bible College are expected to be high school graduates or to have successfully completed the High School Equivalency Exam (G.E.D.) before being allowed to enroll.

Each application is carefully reviewed by the Dean. Evidence of the salvation experience of the student in the written testimony accompanying the application is essential. The evidence of a Christian life which is consistent with high Christian standards must be witnessed by the references named by the applicant on the application form. Pastoral and parental approvals are also deemed essential.

Credit by Examination

It is possible for students to receive credit for certain courses by simply passing an examination at the beginning of the semester. If this examination is passed, the student will not need to attend that course and will be free to enroll in another course. In that this is not a waiver test but is actually for academic credit, the fee for the test will be one-half the normal charge for the course and will not be refunded if the student fails the test. The passing grade must be 86% or above. The courses available for this program are:

Mu 122 Music Fundamentals
Mu 162 Intro to Recording
Pt 103 Personal Bible Study

International Students

The college is authorized under Federal Law to enroll nonimmigrant alien students.

Student Visa

Each international student will be sent a Certificate of Eligibility (SEVIS Form I-20) at the time of acceptance to Portland Bible College. Upon receiving it, they will then need to sign the SEVIS Form I-20. All accepted students must fill out the I-901 Form and send it along with a \$200 fee to the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS formerly INS). Immigrations will then send a receipt, I-797 form, back to the student. Please note that you must have the I-20 in order to fill out the I-901 information.

Once the student (other than Canadian citizens) receives the receipt they should take it along with the SEVIS Form I-20 to the nearest American Consulate to obtain an F-1 student visa. For complete information on procuring a visa, consult the nearest American Embassy, or visit <http://www.ice.gov>.

Canadian students should present the signed I-20 form, along with the I-797 form and financial documents, to the U.S. immigration officer at the border when entering the U.S. The officer will issue an I-94 Admission Card.

Non-Native Speakers of English

All applicants who do not speak English as their first language will be required to take an English proficiency test (the International Standardized TOEFL – Test of English as a Foreign Language). The test includes oral comprehension and knowledge of grammar and vocabulary. In order for the test to be valid, the TWE (Test of Written English) must be included in the scoring of the TOEFL. The test and/or results must be sent directly to the college.

When you go in to take a TOEFL exam, please enter the school code number 8631 on your answer sheet. If you need to send a score for a test that was previously taken, please enter the code on the Score Report Request Form. In order to be valid, a student must have taken the TOEFL test within the last six months.

English Proficiency Entrance Requirements

The required entrance level is 61 Internet Based TOEFL (iBT) and 173 with the computer-based TOEFL (CBT). Those who score between 45 iBT (133 CBT) and 61 iBT (173 CBT) will then be allowed conditional acceptance into PBC and will be placed in our full-time ESL program. If a student scores between 61 iBT (173 CBT) and 79 iBT (213 CBT), they will be allowed to enter the program of their choice, but will be required to take between two and six credit hours of ESL classes in addition to the PBC academic classes. A score above 79 iBT (213 CBT) requires no ESL classes.

For those who score less than the required entrance level, PBC recommends attending the Language and Culture Institute of Oregon (LCIO) in order to raise their score. For more information concerning LCIO please visit their website at www.LCIO.US or email them at info@lcio.us. Another possibility that students are encouraged to consider is enrolling in a correspondence course from the Church Leadership Training Institute. Since CLTI credits are transferable to PBC, this gives more exposure to English, as well as helping students start on their degree. You can find more information at www.CLTI.org.

English as a Second Language Program

The ESL program is for all applicants scoring between 45 iBT (133 CBT) and 61 iBT (173 CBT) on the TOEFL. Students in this program will live with an American host family, and are expected to be involved with PBC activities to the fullest. It is a two-year program with the potential for students to graduate from it at the end of any semester during the two years. Please note that the cost of this program will be approximately \$5,200 per semester.

On-Campus Work Study Program

Each year there are a limited number of part-time work opportunities available on campus. According to United States immigration laws, international students may be employed on-campus up to 20 hours a week while school is in session. While this will help cover some of the cost of living, it will not be sufficient alone to pay for all the school and living expenses. Please note that a spouse or child of a full-time student is not allowed to work at all.

Since it will not be possible for a student to pay for school and living expenses with just the On-Campus Work Study Program, International students should arrange for a sponsor to help them financially each month for approximately \$300. If you are not expecting to have on-going support from a sponsor, you must come prepared to pay 100% of the first year's costs (approximately \$8,400). Campus employment would then help the student to save for the following year's down payments (see financial information). The remaining balance would then be due in monthly payments. Some full-time work will be available while school is not in session to allow the student to save for the next semester as well.

Expenses for a married couple living off campus are considerably higher and it may be necessary to have additional personal funds or sponsors. A detailed financial information sheet is available upon request.

ACADEMIC POLICIES

Classification of Students

Freshmen. Those having completed less than 28 semester hours

Sophomores. Those with a minimum of 28 semester hours completed and having at least 56 grade points.

Juniors. Those with a minimum of 60 semester hours completed and having at least 120 grade points.

Seniors. Those with a minimum of 92 semester hours completed and having at least 184 grade points.

Advanced Students. Those with a minimum of 128 semester hours including transferable credits, if any.

Full-Time Students. Those carrying an academic load of at least 12 semester credit hours. The minimal course load, to maintain a two or four year track is 16 credit hours per semester.

Part-Time Students. Those carrying less than 12 semester hours.

Grading System

A	100-94%	Superior Scholarship
B	93-86%	Above Average
C	85-78%	Average
D	77-70%	Below Average
F	Below 70%	Failing
WP	Withdrawal with passing grade	
WF	Withdrawal with failing grade	
I	Incomplete. After two weeks following the close of a semester, unsatisfied incompletes shall be recorded as failures.	

Grade Point Average

A	4 grade point credits given
B	3 grade point credits given
C	2 grade point credits given
D	1 grade point credit given
F	0 grade point credit given

A student must maintain a grade point average of 2.00 to progress to the status of Sophomore, Junior, or Senior. For earning a grade of A in a 3-hour course, the student will receive 12 credit points; for receiving a grade of C he will receive 6 credit points, etc.

Honor Roll

Full-time students that earn a grade point average of 3.50 attain superior academic standing.

Academic Honors

Cum Laude	3.50-3.74
Magna Cum Laude	3.75-3.89
Summa Cum Laude	3.90-4.00

Academic Probation

Students failing to maintain a GPA of 2.00 are placed on academic probation at the beginning of the following semester. The student will remain under academic probation for no longer than one semester or until such time as the Dean deems that the quality of work meets the minimum GPA of 2.00. At the end of the semester, the Dean will determine if the student should continue or be dismissed for unsatisfactory progress. It will be necessary for that student to earn a semester GPA and an accumulative GPA of 2.00 to be taken off probation. Those receiving VA benefits must meet these requirements by the end of their probationary semester or the VA will be notified. After dismissal, a student may request readmission by writing a letter to the Dean who will determine if the request should be granted.

Student Records

The student's academic file is handled in a confidential manner. Student records are made accessible to certain authorized state and federal personnel. Every effort is made to make records available to students within a reasonable amount of time.

VA Status Requirements

For VA purposes, one semester hour is equal to one weekly in-class clock hour.

All full-time students are required to attend and participate in weekly church/chapel services. Attendance of these services is calculated on a weekly clock hour basis. For example, a full-time student must maintain a minimum of 12 semester hours of coursework and 9 weekly clock hours of church/chapel services totaling 21 hours per week, to maintain VA full-time status. Below is a chart providing benefit status for the total of a student's semester hours and weekly services clock hours. Benefits are paid based on clock hours per week as follows:

Hours VA Status

18	hours per week or more is full-time
13-17	hours per week is 3/4-time
9-12	hours per week is 1/2-time
5-8	hours per week is less than 1/2 time
1-4	hours per week is 1/4-time or less

If a VA student is certified at one of the "statuses" above and drops below the minimum required hours for that status, then the VA will be notified.

Classes

Each class session is 50 minutes in length. All required classes are concluded by noon each day, (with the exception of some music classes) leaving the afternoon for student employment. Each semester consists of 16 weeks of instruction.

Class Attendance

Students are permitted unexcused absences equal to the number of hours the class meets each week. For example, a 3 hour class would permit the student 3 discretionary absences in one semester. Each absence above this limit will be considered unexcused (unless excused according to the student handbook procedure), and will deduct 3 percentage points from the students final grade in the course. Three unexcused tardies will be equivalent to one unexcused absence. If at any time a student is absent more than one-third of the total class hours for that course, he/she will be forced to withdraw from that course. A student must attend more than two-thirds of the number of class sessions or credit will not be allowed, regardless of the reason.

Procedures for Dropping Classes

Changes in course registration are to be made by the end of the second full week of classes in each semester. No change of courses may be made after this time.

Graduation Requirements

Requirements for graduation are; a completion of 64 prescribed semester credit hours for a two-year Associate Degree and 128 prescribed semester credit hours for a four-year Bachelor Degree. Students must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.0 with no outstanding financial obligations to PBC to graduate.

Withdrawal From College

Any student desiring to withdraw from the college should notify the Dean and the Registrar. With the Dean's approval, the student will be given a final grade of WP (withdrawal with passing) except for courses where the student has failing or incomplete work. The student then would receive a final grade of WF (withdraw with failing). A student who fails to notify the Dean and Registrar to receive approval for withdrawal will receive an automatic final grade of WF in all classes.

The college reserves the right to request the withdrawal of students whose conduct is deemed inconsistent with the standards of the college. All such students must have the approval of the Dean to re-enter school.

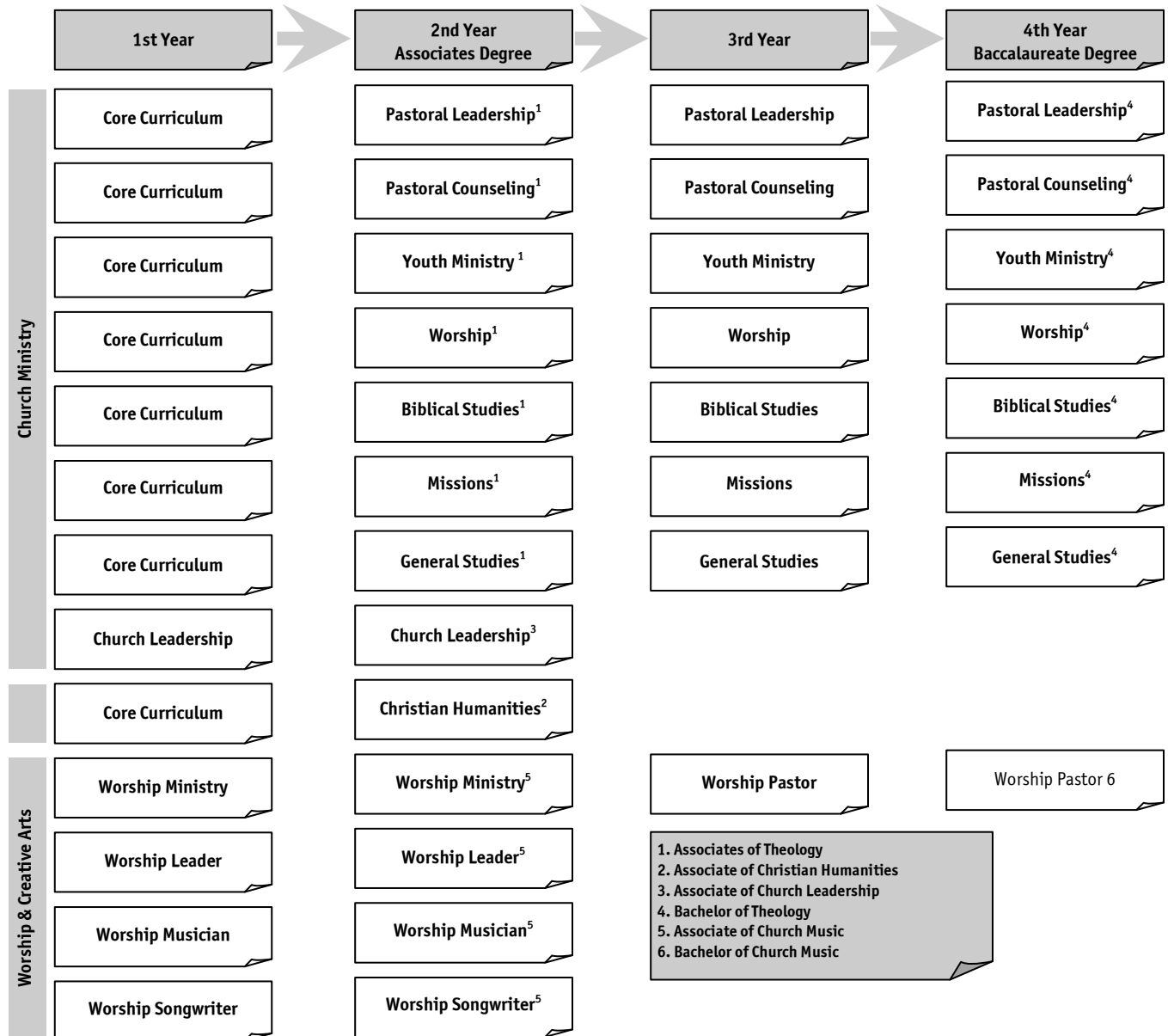
Final Examinations

Students are required to take final examinations as specified in the courses' syllabi. Final exams are given in the last week of each semester.

PROGRAMS OF INSTRUCTION

In the first year, a core curriculum is taken by most students regardless of future direction. We believe these courses are essential for every person's success, regardless of life direction.

CURRICULUM FLOWCHART



Associate of Christian Humanities

University Transfer Program

The Christian Humanities Program is geared to two types of students: those who plan to continue their education and transfer to another college or university, and those who will pursue their life's work apart from continuing education. Humanities courses relate to the general study of culture and human thought. The mission of the Humanities Department is to assist the student in understanding the broad history of human thought from a biblical perspective, with a focus to establish a Christian worldview. Upon completion of the program, the student receives an Associate of Christian Humanities degree.

Degree Requirements

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2	Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Th 108	Holy Spirit	1
Bi 105	Life of Christ	3	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Soc 101	Social Roles & Relationships	3	Pt 116	Personal Evangelism	2
Pt 107	Personal Destiny	1	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Pt 101	Passion/Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Pt 105	Church Life Practicum	1	Co 102	English Composition	2
Co 101	Intro to Col Writing- (OTS-CLTI)	(2)	Pt 102	Passion/Values	1
		16-18	Pt 106	Church Life Practicum	1
				Elective	2
					16

SECOND YEAR

Co 201	Speech Communications	2	Th 204	Covenants	3
Th 215	Local Church	3	Bi 212	Old Testament History	5
Pt 213	Bible Research	2	Hu 202	Intro to Philosophy	2
Hi 203	History of Western Civilization	2	Soc 212	Social Responsibility	2
Hu 213	Faith and Reason	2	Pt 202	Passion/Values	1
Pt 201	Passion/Values	1	Pt 206	Church Life Practicum	1
Pt 205	Church Life Practicum	1	Pe 204	Physical Education	0.5
Pe 203	Physical Education	0.5		Elective	2
	Elective	3			16.5
		16.5			

The Church Ministry Program

Associate of Theology

The two year Church Ministry Program that leads to an Associate of Theology degree is suited for the student who desires more Bible training for the purpose of serving in the local church. The program offers a wide range of courses relevant to lay-pastoral and educational ministries in the local church. Bible knowledge, Christian doctrine and practical training form the basis of the core curriculum.

Degree Requirements

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2	Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Th 108	Holy Spirit	1
Bi 105	Life of Christ	3	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Soc 101	Social Roles & Relationships	3	Pt 116	Personal Evangelism	2
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SECOND YEAR

Co 201	Speech Communications	2	Th 204	Covenants	3
Th 215	Local Church	3	Bi 212	Old Testament History	5
Pt 213	Bible Research	2	Bi 214	Acts	2
Bi 211	Pentateuch	3	Pt 204	Personal Finance II	1
Pt 203	Personal Finance I	1	Soc 212	Social Responsibility	2
Pt 201	Passion/Values	1	Pt 202	Passion/Values	1
Pt 205	Church Life Practicum	1	Pt 206	Church Life Practicum	1
Pe 203	Physical Education	0.5	Pe 204	Physical Education	0.5
	Elective	3		Elective	1
		16.5			16.5

Church Leadership Program

Associate of Church Leadership Studies

Applicants must be over the age of 25 with significant ministerial involvement. It would be helpful to have some formal ministerial training. Acceptance into the Church Leadership Program is by special application only. Those desiring acceptance into this program need to submit a letter of request; a resume of educational and ministerial experience and a statement from the applicant's pastor regarding past and future leadership involvement. This is a highly flexible program with emphases in church leadership, biblical studies, church music, world missions and youth ministry. The Dean will assist the student to design a program that will fit the student's ministry focus. Not every course may be available every semester. A total of 64 credits are necessary to fulfill this degree's requirements.

Degree Requirements

Fall

Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5
Th 215	Local Church	3
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2
Pt 213	Bible Research	2
Pt 323	Hermeneutics	3
Pa 313	Leading People/Groups	3
Pt 305	Practicum	1
Pt 405	Practicum	1
	Or	
Pt 307	Ministry Apprenticeship	2
Pt 407	Ministry Apprenticeship	2

Spring

Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Pa 416	Building Leaders/Teams	3
Th 204	Covenants	3
Pt 306	Practicum	1
Pt 406	Practicum	1
	Or	
Pt 308	Ministry Apprenticeship	2
Pt 408	Ministry Apprenticeship	2

The Church Ministry Program

Bachelor of Theology

The four year Church Ministry Program that leads to a Bachelor of Theology degree is designed with full-time church ministry in mind. This program is PBC's premier leadership track, and is suitable for lay ministry preparation as well as students who plan to continue on to seminary in related graduate-level programs. It is also geared to the student who plans on entering full-time pastoral ministry, church plant ministry, or other church staff positions. The focus of the curriculum is biblical studies, theology, pastoral ministry and counseling.

Bible Emphasis

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2	Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Th 108	Holy Spirit	1
Bi 105	Life of Christ	3	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Soc 101	Social Roles/ Relationships	3	Pt 116	Personal Evangelism	2
Pt 107	Personal Destiny	1	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Pt 101	Passion/Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Pt 105	Church Life Practicum	1	Co 102	English Composition	2
Co 101	Intro to Col Wr – OTS-CLTI	(2) 16-18	Pt 102	Passion/Values	1
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				Elective	2
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SECOND YEAR

Co 201	Speech Communications	2	Th 204	Covenants	3
Th 215	Local Church	3	Bi 212	Old Testament History	5
Pt 213	Bible Research	2	Bi 214	Acts	2
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Pt 203	Personal Finance I	1	Soc 212	Social Responsibility	2
Pt 201	Passion/Values	1	Pt 202	Passion/Values	1
Pt 205	Church Life Practicum	1	Pt 206	Church Life Practicum	1
Pe 203	Physical Education	0.5	Pe 204	Physical Education	0.5
	Elective	3		Elective	1
		16.5			16.5

THIRD YEAR

Pt 323	Hermeneutics	3	Bi 342	Hebrews	2
Bi 335	Romans	2	Soc 314	Family Issues	3
Pa 313	Leading People & Groups	2	Bi 336	Pauline Epistles	3
Pa 309	Homiletics	3	Bi 434	Johannine Writings	3
Pt 301	Passions and Values	1	Pt 302	Passions and Values	1
Bi 323	Major Prophets	3	Bi 314	Psalms	3
Pt 307	Ministry Apprenticeship	2	Pt 308	Ministry Apprenticeship	2
		16			17

FOURTH YEAR

Th 411	Senior Research	2	Bi 446	Apocalyptic Lit	3
Bi 423	Minor Prophets	2	Bi 442	General Epistles	2
Bi 415	Wisdom Lit	3	Hi 406	Church History	3
Bi 443	Mentoring Epistles	1	Bi 432	Restoration Lit	2
Bi 437	Prison Epistles	2	Pt 408	Ministry Apprenticeship	2
Pt 401	Passions and Values	1	Pt 402	Passions and Values	1
	Elective	2		Electives	3
		16			16

General Studies

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2	Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Th 108	Holy Spirit	1
Bi 105	Life of Christ	3	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Soc 101	Social Roles & Relationships	3	Pt 116	Personal Evangelism	2
Pt 107	Personal Destiny	1	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Pt 101	Passion/Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Pt 105	Church Life Practicum	1	Co 102	English Composition	2
Co 101	Intro to Col Writ –(OTS-CLTI)	(2) 16-18	Pt 102	Passion/Values	1
			Pt 106	Church Life Practicum	1
				Elective	2
					16

SECOND YEAR

Co 201	Speech Communications	2	Th 204	Covenants	3
Th 215	Local Church	3	Bi 212	Old Testament History	5
Pt 213	Bible Research	2	Bi 214	Acts	2
Bi 211	Pentateuch	3	Pt 204	Personal Finance II	1
Pt 203	Personal Finance I	1	Soc 212	Social Responsibility	2
Pt 201	Passion/Values	1	Pt 202	Passion/Values	1
Pt 205	Church Life Practicum	1	Pt 206	Church Life Practicum	1
Pe 203	Physical Education	0.5	Pe 204	Physical Education	0.5
	Elective	3		Elective	1
		16.5			16.5

THIRD YEAR

Pt 323	Hermeneutics	3	Bi 342	Hebrews	2
Bi 335	Romans	2	Soc 314	Family Issues	3
Pt 301	Passions and Values	1	Pt 302	Passions and Values	1
Pa 305	Pastoral Ministry I	3	Bi 336	Pauline Epistles	3
Pa 309	Homiletics	3	Pt 306	Ministry Practicum or	1
Pt 305	Ministry Practicum or	1	Pt 308	Ministry Apprenticeship	2
Pt 307	Ministry Apprenticeship	2		Electives	5-6
	Electives	2-3			17-18
		17-18			

FOURTH YEAR

Th 411	Senior Research	2	Pa 406	Decision Making	2
Bi 323	Major Prophets	3	Hi 406	Church History	3
Psy 201	Intro to Counseling	2	Bi 446	Apocalyptic Lit	3
Pa 313	Leading People & Groups	2	Pt 406	Ministry Practicum or	1
Pt 401	Passions and Values	1	Pt 402	Passions and Values	1
Pt 405	Ministry Practicum or	1	Pt 408	Ministry Apprenticeship	2
Pt 407	Ministry Apprenticeship	2		Electives	5-6
	Electives	4-5			17-18
		17-18			

Missions Emphasis

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2	Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Th 108	Holy Spirit	1
Bi 105	Life of Christ	3	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Soc 101	Social Roles & Relationships	3	Pt 116	Personal Evangelism	2
Pt 107	Personal Destiny	1	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Pt 101	Passion/Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Pt 105	Church Life Practicum	1	Co 102	English Composition	2
Co 101	Intro to Col Writ--(OTS-CLTI)	(2)	Pt 102	Passion/Values	1
		16-18	Pt 106	Church Life Practicum	1
				Elective	2
					16

SECOND YEAR

Co 201	Speech Communications	2	Th 204	Covenants	3
Th 215	Local Church	3	Bi 212	Old Testament History	5
Pt 213	Bible Research	2	Pt 204	Personal Finance II	1
Bi 211	Pentateuch	3	Bi 214	Acts	2
Pt 203	Personal Finance I	1	Soc 212	Social Responsibility	2
Pt 201	Passion/Values	1	Pt 202	Passion/Values	1
Pt 205	Church Life Practicum	1	Pt 206	Church Life Practicum	1
Pe 203	Physical Education	0.5	Pe 204	Physical Education	0.5
Mi 201	Intro to Missions	2	Mi 312	Cross Cultural Ministry	2
	Elective	1			17.5
		16.5			

THIRD YEAR

Pt 323	Hermeneutics	3	Pa 304	Pastoral Ministry II	3
Bi 335	Romans	2	Bi 342	Hebrews	2
Pa 305	Pastoral Ministry I	3	Soc 314	Family Issues	3
Pa 309	Homiletics	3	Bi 336	Pauline Epistles	3
Psy 201	Intro to Counseling	2	Mi 302	Local Church Missions	2
Pt 301	Passions and Values	1	Psy 202	Counseling Techniques	3
Pt 307	Missions Apprenticeship	2	Pt 302	Passions and Values	1
	Electives	2	Pt 308	Missions Apprenticeship	2
		18			19

FOURTH YEAR

Pa 315	Vision Management	2	Pa 406	Decision Making	2
Pa 313	Leading People & Groups	2	Hi 406	Church History	3
Mi 411	Missions Ministry Perspectives	2	Hu 312	World Religions	2
Pa 423	Church Planting	2	Pa 416	Building Leaders & Teams	2
Bi 443	Mentoring Epistles	2	Pt 408	Missions Apprenticeship	2
Pt 401	Passions and Values	1	Pt 402	Passions and Values	1
Pt 407	Missions Apprenticeship	2		Electives	4
	Elective	3			16
		16			

Pastoral Counseling Emphasis

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2	Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Th 108	Holy Spirit	1
Bi 105	Life of Christ	3	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Soc 101	Social Roles & Relationships	3	Pt 116	Personal Evangelism	2
Pt 107	Personal Destiny	1	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Pt 101	Passion/Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Pt 105	Church Life Practicum	1	Co 102	English Composition	2
Co 101	Intro to Col Writ – (OTS-CLTI)	(2)	Pt 102	Passion/Values	1
		16-18	Pt 106	Church Life Practicum	1
				Elective	2
					16

SECOND YEAR

Co 201	Speech Communications	2	Th 204	Covenants	3
Th 215	Local Church	3	Bi 212	Old Testament History	5
Pt 213	Bible Research	2	Bi 214	Acts	2
Bi 211	Pentateuch	3	Pt 204	Personal Finance II	1
Pt 203	Personal Finance I	1	Soc 212	Social Responsibility	2
Pt 201	Passion/Values	1	Pt 202	Passion/Values	1
Pt 205	Church Life Practicum	1	Pt 206	Church Life Practicum	1
Pe 203	Physical Education	0.5	Pe 204	Physical Education	0.5
Psy 201	Intro to Counseling	2	Psy 202	Counseling Techniques	3
	Elective	1			18.5
		16.5			

THIRD YEAR

Pt 323	Hermeneutics	3	Pa 304	Pastoral Ministry II	3
Bi 335	Romans	2	Bi 342	Hebrews	2
Pa 305	Pastoral Ministry I	3	Soc 314	Family Issues	3
Pa 313	Leading People & Groups	2	Bi 336	Pauline Epistles	3
Bi 415	Wisdom Lit	3	Psy 312	Advanced Counseling	2
Pt 301	Passions and Values	1	Pt 302	Passions and Values	1
Pt 307	Counseling Apprenticeship	2	Pt 308	Counseling Apprenticeship	2
	Electives	2		Elective	2
		18			18

FOURTH YEAR

Bi 323	Major Prophets	3	Bi 442	General Epistles	2
Bi 422	Minor Prophets	2	Pa 406	Decision Making	2
Bi 443	Mentoring Epistles	2	Pt 402	Passions and Values	1
Ce 101	Youth Ministry	1	Pt 408	Counseling Apprenticeship	2
Pt 401	Passions and Values	1		Electives	9
Pt 407	Counseling Apprenticeship	2			16
	Electives	5			
		16			

Pastoral Leadership Emphasis

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2	Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Th 108	Holy Spirit	1
Bi 105	Life of Christ	3	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Soc 101	Social Roles & Relationships	3	Pt 116	Personal Evangelism	2
Pt 107	Personal Destiny	1	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Pt 101	Passion/Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Pt 105	Church Life Practicum	1	Co 102	English Composition	2
Co 101	Intro to Co Wr – (OTS-CLTI)	(2)	Pt 102	Passion/Values	1
		16-18	Pt 106	Church Life Practicum	1
				Elective	2
					16

SECOND YEAR

Co 201	Speech Communications	2	Th 204	Covenants	3
Th 215	Local Church	3	Bi 212	Old Testament History	5
Pt 213	Bible Research	2	Bi 214	Acts	2
Bi 211	Pentateuch	3	Pt 204	Personal Finance II	1
Pt 203	Personal Finance I	1	Soc 212	Social Responsibility	2
Pt 201	Passion/Values	1	Pt 202	Passion/Values	1
Pt 205	Church Life Practicum	1	Pt 206	Church Life Practicum	1
Pe 203	Physical Education	0.5	Pe 204	Physical Education	0.5
	Elective Credits	3		Elective Credits	1
		16.5			16.5

THIRD YEAR

Pt 323	Hermeneutics	3	Pa 304	Pastoral Ministry II	3
Bi 335	Romans	2	Bi 342	Hebrews	2
Pa 305	Pastoral Ministry I	3	Soc 314	Family Issues	3
Pa 309	Homiletics	3	Bi 336	Pauline Epistles	3
Psy 201	Intro to Counseling	2	Psy 202	Counseling Techniques	3
Pa 315	Vision Management	2	Pt 308	Pastoral Apprenticeship	2
Pt 301	Passions and Values	1	Pt 302	Passions and Values	1
Pt 307	Pastoral Apprenticeship	2		Elective	1
		18			18

FOURTH YEAR

Pa 313	Leading People & Groups	2	Pa 406	Decision Making	2
Pa 403	Church Administration	2	Pa 416	Building Leaders & Teams	2
Pa 409	Pulpit Ministry	3	Hi 406	Church History	3
Ce 101	Youth Ministry	1	Ce 303	Children's Ministry	2
Bi 443	Mentoring Epistles	2	Pt 408	Pastoral Apprenticeship	2
Pt 401	Passions and Values	1	Pt 403	Passions and Values	1
Pt 407	Pastoral Apprenticeship	2		Elective Credits	4
	Elective Credits	3			16
		16			

Youth Ministry Emphasis

(NOTE: * These courses will have additional lab class sessions scheduled with the youth ministry faculty)

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Bi 103	Old Testament Survey	2	Bi 104	New Testament Survey	2
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Th 108	Holy Spirit	1
Bi 105	Life of Christ	3	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church*	2
Soc 101	Social Roles & Relationships*	3	Pt 116	Personal Evangelism	2
Pt 107	Personal Destiny	1	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Pt 101	Passion/Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Pt 105	Youth Ministry Practicum	1	Co 102	English Composition	2
Ce 101	Intro to Youth Ministry I	1	Pt 102	Passion/Values	1
Co 101	Intro to Col Writ – (OTS-CLTI)	(2)	Pt 106	Youth Ministry Practicum	1
		17-19	Ce 102	Intro to Youth Ministry II	1
				Elective	1
					16

SECOND YEAR

Co 201	Speech Communications*	2	Th 204	Covenants	3
Th 215	Local Church	3	Bi 212	Old Testament History	5
Pt 213	Bible Research	2	Bi 214	Acts	2
Bi 211	Pentateuch	3	Pa 406	Decision Making	2
Pt 203	Personal Finance I	1	Psy 202	Counseling Techniques*	3
Pt 201	Passion/Values	1	Pt 202	Passion/Values	1
Pt 205	Youth Ministry Practicum	1	Pt 206	Youth Ministry Practicum	1
Pe 203	Physical Education	0.5	Pe 204	Physical Education	0.5
Ce 421	Youth Ministry Admin	1	Psy 204	Youth Issues	2
Psy 201	Intro to Counseling*	2			17.5
		16.5			

THIRD YEAR

Pt 323	Hermeneutics	3	Pa 304	Pastoral Ministry II	3
Bi 335	Romans	2	Bi 342	Hebrews	2
Pa 305	Pastoral Ministry I	3	Soc 314	Family Issues	3
Pa 309	Homiletics	3	Bi 336	Pauline Epistles	3
Pa 315	Vision Management	2	Soc 212	Social Responsibility	2
Pt 307	Youth Ministry Apprenticeship	2	Pt 308	Youth Ministry Apprenticeship	2
Pt 301	Passions/Values	1	Pt 204	Personal Finance II	1
	Electives	1	Pt 302	Passions/Values	1
		17			17

FOURTH YEAR

Pa 313	Leading People & Groups	2	Pa 416	Building Leaders & Teams	2
Pa 403	Church Administration	2	Ce 424	Youth Ministry Research	2
Pa 409	Pulpit Ministry	3	Pt 408	Youth Ministry Apprenticeship	2
Ce 411	Youth Ministry Perspectives	1	Pt 402	Passions/Values	1
Bi 443	Mentoring Epistles	2		Electives	9
Pt 407	Youth Ministry Apprenticeship	2			16
Pt 401	Passions/Values	1			
	Elective	3			
		16			

WORSHIP MINISTRY EMPHASIS

The Worship Ministry Emphasis (WE) track of study is especially designed for theology students who feel a calling in areas of worship leading & ministry. The WE components fit with the Theology degree requirements, and students following the WE track will graduate with a Bachelor of Theology. The components of the WE are as follows:

- Identify yourself as a possible WE student at registration to determine what track of recommended courses to follow.
- Follow the track of recommended courses related to worship and music.
- Avail yourself to the mentoring available by instructors gifted in the areas of worship in the college and local church.
- Be involved in a hands-on way in chapel worship, serving on worship teams in the local church, or involvement in outreach like short-term outreach ministry/missions teams.

The Worship Ministry Emphasis (WE) track of study is ideal for those who feel called to serve in local church worship but do not see this as their exclusive area of ministry in the future. The School of Worship at Portland Bible College offers an experience unlike any other college, in that it is possible to develop close, personal relationships between students and the music leadership of PBC, City Bible Church and City Christian Schools. Students work beside men and women with experience and qualifications in the field who become mentors, role models, and friends. These friendships and working relationships often grow to a lifelong network of encouragement and support. Program requirements are subject to change.

Required Courses (8 Credits)

Credits

Mu 119	Worship Workshop	1
Mu 120	Worship Workshop	1
Mu 227	Worship Ministry 1	2
Mu 228	Worship Ministry 2	2
Th 105	Worship in the Bible	2

Recommended Courses (Meet 10 credit elective requirement) Credits

- *The following pool of courses is not intended to be a definitive guide for Worship Ministry Emphasis students, but an aid in the process of coaching & advising each student of electives most beneficial to them.*

Mu 121	Intro to Music	3
Mu 122	Music Fundamentals	3
Mu 244	Worship Leading Techniques I	1
Mu 231	Sound Reinforcement	1
Mu 235	Songwriting I	2
Mu 221	Intro to MIDI	1
Mu 433	Church Music Leadership	1

The Church Music Program

Associate of Church Music

The Associate of Church Music Program is designed to equip the worship leader musically and spiritually for effective lay ministry in his/her local church. This program lays a solid foundation in developing a Biblical view of worship and nurturing a deeper walk with God while acquiring the musical disciplines necessary to serve effectively in this important area of ministry. The ACM Program is made of four distinct tracks of emphasis (Worship Ministry, Worship Leader, Worship Musician, and Worship Songwriter) that effectively prepares the student who will continue on to complete the four-year Bachelor of Church Music Program. Private lessons (instrument or voice), participation in music/worship groups, and a basic knowledge of piano and theory are recommended as preparation for entrance into this program. A minimum of 64 credit hours are required for the Associate of Church Music. Program requirements are subject to change.

WORSHIP MINISTRY PROGRAM

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Bi 314	Psalms	2
Th 105	Worship in the Bible	2	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Pt 101	Passion and Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Mu 121	Intro to Music ■	3	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Mu 161	Intro to MIDI Notation	1	Pt 102	Passion and Values	1
Mu 111	Keyboard 1 ◇	2	Mu 122	Music Fundamentals ■	3
Mu 109	Private Lesson (Piano)◇	1	Mu 162	Intro to Recording ■	1
Mu 119	Worship Workshop	1	Mu 110	Priv. Lesson(Piano/Guitar)	1
Soc 101	Social Roles/ Relationships	3	Mu 120	Worship Workshop	1
		17-18	Mu 142	Worship Practicum	1
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SECOND YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Th 215	Local Church #	3	Th 204	Covenants	3
Bi 105	Life of Christ #	3	Pt 202	Passion and Values	1
Bi 211	Pentateuch #	3	Pe 204	PE	0.5
Pt 201	Passion and Values	1	Mu 224	Music Application 2	2
Pe 203	PE	0.5	Mu 228	Worship Ministry 2	2
Mu 223	Music Application 1 ■	3	Mu 262	Recording 2	2
Mu 227	Worship Ministry 1 ■	2	Mu 210	Priv. Lesson(Piano/Guitar)	1
Mu 261	Recording 1 ■	2	Mu 220	Worship Workshop	1
Mu 209	Priv. Lesson(Piano/Guitar)	1	Mu 242	Worship Practicum	1
Mu 219	Worship Workshop	1			13.5
Mu 241	Worship Practicum	1			
		14.5			

Curriculum Notes:

◇ Student must test out of Keyboard I in order to take private piano lessons.

■ Requires passing grade to proceed to next level.

Option of either course: (Th 215) Local Church, (Bi 211) Pentateuch, or (Bi 105) Life of Christ.

WORSHIP LEADER PROGRAM

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Bi 314	Psalms	2
Th 105	Worship in the Bible	2	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Pt 101	Passion and Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Mu 121	Intro to Music ■	3	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Mu 161	Intro to MIDI Notation	1	Pt 102	Passion and Values	1
Mu 111	Keyboard 1 ◇	2	Mu 122	Music Fundamentals ■	3
Mu 109	Private Lesson (Guitar or Piano)◇	1	Mu 162	Intro to Recording ■	1
Mu 119	Worship Workshop	1	Mu 144	Worship Leading Techniques 1 ■	1
Soc 101	Social Roles/ Relationships	3	Mu 110	Priv. Lesson(Voice)	1
		17-18	Mu 120	Worship Workshop	1
			Mu 142	Worship Practicum	1
					16

SECOND YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Th 215	Local Church #	3	Th 204	Covenants	3
Bi 105	Life of Christ #	3	Pt 202	Passion and Values	1
Bi 211	Pentateuch #	3	Pe 204	PE	0.5
Pt 201	Passion and Values	1	Mu 224	Music Application 2	2
Pe 203	PE	0.5	Mu 228	Worship Ministry 2	2
Mu 223	Music Application 1 ■	3	Mu 262	Recording 2	2
Mu 227	Worship Ministry 1 ■	2	Mu 252	Worship Band Basics	2
Mu 261	Recording 1 ■	2	Mu 210	Priv. Lesson(Voice)	1
Mu 209	Priv. Lesson(Voice)	1	Mu 220	Worship Workshop	1
Mu 243	Worship Leading Techniques 2	1	Mu 242	Worship Practicum	1
Mu 219	Worship Workshop	1			15.5
Mu 241	Worship Practicum	1			
		15.5			

Curriculum Notes:

◇ Student must test out of Keyboard I in order to take private piano lessons.

■ Prerequisite: requires passing grade to proceed to next level.

Option of either course: (Th 215) Local Church, (Bi 211) Pentateuch, or (Bi 105) Life of Christ.

WORSHIP MUSICIAN PROGRAM

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Bi 334	Psalms	2
Th 105	Worship in the Bible	2	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Pt 101	Passion and Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Mu 121	Intro to Music ■	3	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Mu 161	Intro to MIDI Notation	1	Pt 102	Passion and Values	1
Mu 111	Keyboard 1 ◇	2	Mu 122	Music Fundamentals ■	3
Mu 109	Private Lesson (Piano)	1	Mu 162	Intro to Recording ■	1
Mu 119	Worship Workshop	1	Mu 170	Private Lesson (Inst. Maj.)	2
Soc 101	Social Roles/ Relationships	3	Mu 120	Worship Workshop	1
		17-18	Mu 142	Worship Practicum	1
					16

SECOND YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Th 215	Local Church #	3	Th 204	Covenants	3
Bi 105	Life of Christ #	3	Pt 202	Passion and Values	1
Bi 211	Pentateuch #	3	Pe 204	PE	0.5
Pt 201	Passion and Values	1	Mu 224	Music Application 2	2
Pe 203	PE	0.5	Mu 228	Worship Ministry 2	2
Mu 223	Music Application 1 ■	3	Mu 262	Recording 2	2
Mu 227	Worship Ministry 1 ■	2	Mu 252	Worship Band Basics	2
Mu 261	Recording 1 ■	2	Mu 270	Private Lesson (Inst. Maj.)	2
Mu 269	Private Lesson (Inst. Maj.)	2	Mu 220	Worship Workshop	1
Mu 243	Worship Leading Techniques 2	1	Mu 242	Worship Practicum	1
Mu 219	Worship Workshop	1			16.5
Mu 241	Worship Practicum	1			
		16.5			

Curriculum Notes:

◇ Student must test out of Keyboard I in order to take private piano lessons.

■ Requires passing grade to proceed to next level.

Option of either course: (Th 215) Local Church, (Bi 211) Pentateuch, *or* (Bi 105) Life of Christ.

WORSHIP SONGWRITER PROGRAM

FIRST YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Th 103	Basic Doctrine	5	Bi 314	Psalms	2
Th 105	Worship in the Bible	2	Th 112	Doctrine of the Church	2
Pt 101	Passion and Values	1	Pt 104	Personal Bible Study	1
Mu 121	Intro to Music ■	3	Pt 108	Personal Discipline	2
Mu 161	Intro to MIDI Notation	1	Pt 102	Passion and Values	1
Mu 111	Keyboard 1 ◇	2	Mu 122	Music Fundamentals ■	3
Mu 109	Private Lesson (Piano)	1	Mu 235	Songwriting 1 ■	2
Mu 119	Worship Workshop	1	Mu 162	Intro to Recording ■	1
Soc 101	Social Roles/ Relationships	3	Mu 110	Private Lesson (Piano)	1
		17-18	Mu 120	Worship Workshop	1
			Mu 142	Worship Practicum	1
					17

SECOND YEAR

Fall			Spring		
Th 215	Local Church #	3	Th 204	Covenants	3
Bi 105	Life of Christ #	3	Pt 202	Passion and Values	1
Bi 211	Pentateuch #	3	Pe 204	PE	0.5
Pt 201	Passion and Values	1	Mu 224	Music Application 2	2
Pe 203	PE	0.5	Mu 228	Worship Ministry 2	2
Mu 223	Music Application 1 ■	3	Mu 262	Recording 2	2
Mu 227	Worship Ministry 1 ■	2	Mu 271	Songwriting Recording	2
Mu 261	Recording 1 ■	2	Mu 210	Private Lesson (Piano)	1
Mu 209	Private Lesson (Piano)	1	Mu 220	Worship Workshop	1
Mu 236	Songwriting 2 ■	2	Mu 242	Worship Practicum	1
Mu 219	Worship Workshop	1			15.5
Mu 241	Worship Practicum	1			
		16.5			

Curriculum Notes:

◇ Student must test out of Keyboard I in order to take private piano lessons.

■ Requires passing grade to proceed to next level.

Option of either course: (Th 215) Local Church, (Bi 211) Pentateuch, or (Bi 105) Life of Christ.

The Church Music Program

Bachelor of Church Music

The Bachelor of Church Music Program is designed for the student with local church music leadership in mind and with a desire to develop excellence in character, anointing, and skill. This program is designed to offer instruction for equipping future worship leaders/pastors, songwriters, and musicians for years of fruitful service in the Kingdom of God. There are multiple opportunities throughout this four-year program for the student to receive mentoring while gaining hands-on experience through PBC Chapels, City Bible Church services, and various ministries. Students completing this program leave with a deeper knowledge of God and how to use their gifts for His glory. A minimum of 128 credit hours are required for the Bachelor of Church Music. Program requirements are subject to change.

WORSHIP PASTOR PROGRAM

THIRD YEAR

Fall		Spring			
Pa 305	Pastoral Ministry 1	3	Pa 416	Building Leaders & Teams	2
Pa 313	Leading People & Groups	2	Pt 302	Passion and Values	1
Pt 301	Passion and Values	1	Mu 310	Private Lesson	1
Mu 309	Private Lesson	1	Mu 320	Worship Workshop	1
Mu 319	Worship Workshop	1	Mu 334	Worship Workshop Leadership	1
Mu 333	Worship Workshop Leadership	1	Mu 336	Worship Apprenticeship	2
Mu 335	Worship Apprenticeship	2	Mu 312	Junior Recital	1
Mu 231	Sound Reinforcement	1	Mu 413	Vocal Arranging/ Conducting #†	3
Mu 322	MIDI Notation †	2		Electives*	5/8
	Electives*	3/5			17
		17			

FOURTH YEAR

Pa 315	Vision Management	2	Mu 401	Church Music Admin	2
Mu 433	Church Music Leadership	2	Mu 432	Creative Arts Ministry	1
Bi 443	Mentoring Epistles	2	Pt 402	Passion and Values	1
Pt 401	Passion and Values	1	Mu 410	Private Lesson	1
Mu 409	Private Lesson	1	Mu 426	Worship Workshop	1
Mu 425	Worship Workshop	1	Mu 430	Worship Workshop Ldrshp	1
Mu 429	Worship Workshop Ldrshp	1	Mu 440	Worship Apprenticeship	2
Mu 439	Worship Apprenticeship	2	Mu 412	Senior Recital	1
Mu 414	Orchestral Survey Arranging, Conducting #†	3		Electives*	7
	Electives*	2/5			17
		17			

Curriculum Notes:

† Optional specialized course.

Pre-requisite required: MIDI Notation

* From Worship Pastor recommended elective list

PBC LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Specialized Studies

Portland Bible College provides studies specifically designed for the student desiring to customize their program for their particular needs. This program is only available in either a one-year certificate (Music Leadership) or a two-year Associate Degree (Music Leadership, Church Leadership Studies). The PBC Leadership Program is designed for leaders currently active in the local church.

Music Leadership Program

Certificate of Church Music Leadership – One Year Program

Associate of Church Music Leadership – Two Year Program

In order to equip music leaders in skill and anointing we have developed a program that will be tailor-made for each individual to strengthen the student's personal ministry and meet the specific needs of the student's home church.

Two basic needs are served by the program:

- 1) To develop the skills and sensitivity necessary for Spirit led worship.
- 2) To improve the technical skills needed in rehearsing and directing bands, choirs and orchestra and writing and arranging music.

The Music Leadership Program is designed for one or more semesters.

This program is specifically designed for the release and support of local church music leaders.

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

DEPARTMENT OF BIBLE

Bi 103 Old Testament Survey

A survey of all the Old Testament books, emphasizing their historic settings and thematic content. Each book is highlighted for its special contribution to the rest of Scripture, and its relationship to the other books.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 104 New Testament Survey

A survey of all the New Testament books, emphasizing their historic settings and thematic content. Each book is highlighted for its special contribution to the rest of Scripture, and its relationship to the other books.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 105 Life of Christ

A study of the life, ministry and teachings of the Lord Jesus Christ taken from the parallel synoptic Gospel accounts.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Bi 211 Pentateuch

A Study of the books of Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers and Deuteronomy, showing how they relate to Old Testament history and the eternal purposes of God.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Bi 212 Old Testament History

A study of the books from Joshua through 2 Chronicles placing emphasis on both historical content and spiritual application.

Second Semester, Five Credit Hours

Bi 214 Acts

A Study of the development of the early church emphasizing its relevance as a pattern for today. The life and missionary journeys of Paul are studied with special attention given to the ministry of the Holy Spirit, through the Apostle.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 314 Psalms

This course covers the thematic, topical, and devotional exposition of the Psalms. Special attention is given to psalm groupings (such as Messianic, imprecatory, penitential, lament, etc.) and on the life of David.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 320 Kings and Prophets

A study of the kings and prophets of Israel and Judah placing emphasis on historical content and spiritual application.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 323 Major Prophets

A study of the books of Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations and Ezekiel. Special attention is given to the major emphasis in each of the prophet's messages as pertaining historically to Israel, and prophetically to Christ and the Church.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Bi 335 Romans

A study of the epistles to the Romans, focusing on its theological significance and relevance to Christian life.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 336 Pauline Epistles

A Study of I and II Corinthians, Galatians, and I and II Thessalonians which focuses on the theological and practical aspects of these letters.

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

Bi 342 Hebrews

A study of the book of Hebrews, emphasizing its doctrine, relationship to the Old Testament, and relevance to the Church today.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 401, 402 Independent Study

These are individual selected studies under faculty supervision in areas related to special interest and/or needs of the students. It is offered on a limited basis.

Either Semester, One or Two Credit Hours

Bi 415 Wisdom Literature

A Study of Job, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes and Song of Solomon with emphasis upon the understanding and pursuit of wisdom. Emphasis is placed on the distinct literary forms of these books in their biblical context and their personal and practical application.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Bi 423 Minor Prophets

An analysis of biblical prophecies as expressed in the Minor Prophets considering both natural and historical significance and their relevance today. Special attention is given to Messianic prophecies involving Christ and the Church, prophetic ministry, and the personal application of their timeless truths.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 432 Restoration Literature

A study of Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther, Haggai, Zechariah and Malachi which deal with Israel's restoration from exile. An emphasis is placed on their modern day application.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 434 Johannine Writings

An in-depth study of John's Gospel and three Epistles including introductory material on the life and theology of John.

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

Bi 437 Prison Epistles

An exegetical study of the Epistles of Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians and Philemon which includes the background of each book, its major emphasis, theological implications, and practical application.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 442 General Epistles

A study of James, I and II Peter, and Jude including Verse-by-verse exposition, emphasis on NT wisdom, and principles relevant to the Christian life.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Bi 443 Mentoring Epistles

A Study of Paul's letters to Timothy & Titus focusing on the dynamics of their mentoring relationship.

First Semester, Two Credit Hour

Bi 446 Apocalyptic Literature

A study of the book of Revelation and Daniel. The class presents an exposition of both books, and a survey of the major systems of eschatology, and their key elements.

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

Department of Christian Education

Ce 101 Introduction to Youth Ministry I

This class introduces the basic components of youth ministry in the local church. Students will study the purpose of youth ministry and practical steps to build a successful youth ministry.

First Semester, One Credit Hour

Ce 102 Introduction to Youth Ministry II

Building on the foundation of Introduction to Youth Ministry I, this class focuses on the details of leading a youth ministry and being a youth pastor.

Second Semester, One Credit Hour

Ce 304 Children's Ministry

A study of the child from birth to adolescence. Emphasis is placed on understanding childhood development, utilizing creative teaching methodologies, and designing age-appropriate curriculum.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Ce 314 Curriculum Writing

This course is designed to help introduce the various aspects of developing production of material and evaluation of its effectiveness in live classroom settings.

Second Semester, One Credit

Ce 403 Youth Ministry

The program of Christian education in its task of reaching adolescents is studied with special interest given to their needs and problems of this age group as well as the means of ministering to them.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Ce 411 Youth Ministry Perspectives

This course is designed for those with youth ministry in their future. Issue based and discussion driven, students look closely at the life and ministry of a youth pastor. They will learn the most essential components to building a healthy growing youth ministry. This course is the forum for tough questions, real answers and vision building. Prerequisites: Youth Ministry, Youth Issues, and Youth Ministry Emphasis.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Ce 421 Youth Ministry Admin

This course looks at the practical side of leading a youth ministry including administering the day to day operations as well as special conferences. Particular focus will be given to risk management.

First Semester, One Credit Hour

Ce 424 Youth Ministry Research

Students will research a variety of youth ministry models. This research will ultimately culminate in submitting a research paper for their own youth ministry model.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION

Co 101 Introduction to College Writing

Students needing to learn or review the fundamentals of writing will take this course in the fall. This course is designed to help students improve their basic writing skills, focusing on grammar, sentence and paragraph structure, language usage, and essay style. Class time will combine lecture with review and exercises in writing.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Co 102 English Composition

A freshman level composition course, this class emphasizes effective composition, supported by the strength of research, critical thought, and the art of persuasion. It is designed to help the student understand the total process of communication, from ideas to the end product. The basic structure of the essay and college term paper is reviewed.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Co 201 Speech Communication

An orientation to the dynamics of speech communication, including both verbal and nonverbal elements as well as cross-cultural issues which influence effective speaking and listening. Special attention is given to the principles of effective public speaking.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Co 335 & 336 Yearbook Production

A workshop course of practical instruction and involvement in planning, organizing and producing a college yearbook. Instruction includes various aspects of journalism, layout and design, copy writing and photography. Prerequisite: Approval of instructor.

Both Semesters, 1-3 Credit Hours

May be repeated for credit

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

ESL 090 Non-Credit Advanced ESL Writing Support

Class for students who have completed their ESL coursework and have been admitted into full time PBC classes, yet still need assistance with writing compositions.

Both Semesters, Two, Three and Four Credit Hour Options

Esl 101, 111, 201,211, 301 Integrated English Skills

Language concepts will be taught with emphasis on structure.

Both Semesters, Four Or Six Credit Hour Options

Esl 103, 113, 203, 213, 303 Listening / Speaking

Basic Communication skills with an emphasis on preparation for full time participation in PBC coursework.

Both Semesters, Four or Six Credit Hour Options

Esl 105, 112, 205, 212, 302 Reading / Writing Academic English

This course explores ideas and issues through reading, discussion and writing. Vocabulary development and usage will be emphasized.

Both Semesters, Four or Six Credit Hour Options

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

Hi 203 History of Western Civilization

Tracing the history of man from Ancient Mesopotamia, this course surveys the events and thoughts that lead up to contemporary western society. Each era will be studied in its historical context and its influence on life in the present.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Hi 406 Church History

A detailed study of the progress of the church from apostolic times to the present. Special attention is given to the early church, the Reformation, the restoration of the church, and the origin and progress of the twentieth century Pentecostal movement.

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

Hu 202 Introduction to Philosophy

This course presents an overview of philosophical thought as it has developed in the history of western civilization. The student will study progressive understanding that has transpired through the ages as well as their relation to the theological tenets of Christianity.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Hu 213 Faith and Reason

An examination of the reasonable basis for Christian faith and the related evidences.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Hu 312 World Religions

Introduction to World Religions is a survey of the world's largest and most influential religions, including their origin, various schools of thought, common practices and doctrine. The major religions discussed are Hinduism, Buddhism, Taoism, Shinto, Confucianism, Islam and New Age thought.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

DEPARTMENT OF MISSIONS

Mi 106-406 Missions Practicum

Each year, students are selected for short-term mission teams which minister around the U.S. and abroad. Students raise their own funds and make a commitment to a demanding preparation and involvement during the spring semester. Preparation should include a practical ministry training, e.g. teaching and preaching preparation, team building, pastoral issues and/ or cross-cultural concerns where needed. Mi 106-406 is specifically for non-music team members.

Second Semester, One Credit Hour

Mi 201 Introduction to Missions

What do we have to do to fulfill the Great Commission in our generation? Is this important for all Christians, or only certain specialists? This course is designed to be an introduction *to the adventure of world missions* that is applicable to the church as a whole in its mandate to establish and extend the Kingdom of God on earth. It also gives practical insights to those who particularly feel called to inter-cultural ministry in any capacity.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Mi 204 Perspectives on the World Christian Movement

This course includes the following topics:

Biblical - God's unchanging purpose for the nations.

Historical - Expansion and pioneers of the Christian Movement. Strategic - What are "unreached people groups" and why are they so important to complete God's eternal purpose?

Cultural - The Gospel and cross-cultural communication.

Introduction to Missions is a prerequisite for this course.

Second Semester, Three Credits

Mi 302 Local Church Missions

As a follow up to *Introduction to Missions*, this course takes a **practical** look at various approaches to world outreach, including specific programs and procedures. It will present guidelines for the development of a healthy local church directed missions ministry in its strategic position as God's instrument to fulfill the Great Commission. It is designed to be an equipping course for two types of people: church leaders who are in the sending process, and those who are sent.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Mi 312 Cross Cultural Ministry

This course is designed for anyone serious about training for cross-cultural ministry. Attention will be given to the practical and spiritual preparation of a missionary as well as discussion about pertinent issues faced by all who want to work in a cross-cultural setting. (Pre-requisite: Intro to Missions) Taught alternate years with Mi 302.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Mi 402 Independent Study

Individual selected studies under direct faculty supervision in the field of missions, relating to special student interest and need.

Either Semester, Two Credit Hours

Mi 411 Missions Ministry Perspective

This class is an issue based, discussion driven, internship style class taught by CBC missions pastors. This class is designed for the serious mission directed student.

Declaration of a missions emphasis is a prerequisite.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Mu 109-409 & 110-410 Private or Group Lessons

Private lessons: 30-minute weekly private lessons in voice and various instruments are available. Sixty-minute lessons may be required for Junior and Senior Music Majors. Group lessons: weekly small group lessons are offered for beginning students.

Both Semesters, One Credit Hour

Mu 111 Keyboard Class I

Group lessons for beginners, teaching foundations of playing the piano: music reading, playing "by ear", scales and chords, with an emphasis on playing for worship. Classes are held in the electronic piano lab, each student with their own keyboard station.

Both Semesters, Two Credit Hours

Mu 115-116 Guitar I & II

Group lessons for beginners teaching foundations of playing guitar, with an emphasis on playing for worship. Each student must provide his or her own guitar.

Both Semesters, Two Credit Hours

Mu 119-219, 120-220, 315-316, 425-426 Worship Workshop

This class is designed to allow singers, musicians, and worship leaders get experience in having worship services, and learn practical ways to train up worship teams.

Both Semesters, One Credit Hour

Mu 121 Intro To Music

Intro to Music teaches the foundational principles of music theory. This class is specifically designed to connect those principles to practical training for a typical worship service. Written notation, identifying visual notation, identifying audio notation, and music playing will be included.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Mu 122 Music Fundamentals

This class will continue from the Fall semester's class "Intro To Music". Music Fundamentals teaches basic music theory with the flow of worship. This class will involve sight identification, audio identification, playing on instruments, singing, writing, and notating music. Students will use an iPod to complete much of the homework.

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

Mu 142, 241-242 Worship Practicum

This course consists of 30 hours of advisor-directed areas of practical ministry and service opportunities intended to help strengthen ministry skills and release spiritual giftings in the students.

Both Semesters, One Credit Hour

Mu144-244 & Mu 243 Worship Leading Techniques I & II

This class teaches techniques and principles involved in leading worship, and explores worship leading relating to a wide variety of settings and demographics. Topics include: worship lists, leading a worship band, and dynamics of a local church corporate service.

Both Semesters, One Credit Hour

Mu 161 Intro to MIDI

This course teaches foundational concepts of what MIDI is, how it works and how it specifically relates to a worship service & ministry.

First Semester, One Credit Hour

Mu 162 Intro to Recording

Provides an introduction to the tools and techniques of audio recording, centered around ProTools software and Digidesign hardware interfaces.

Second Semester, One Credit Hour

Mu 223-224 Music Application I & II

This course is designed to develop intermediate music theory understanding; in notation, melody, harmony, and rhythm, within the application of contemporary church worship music.

Both semesters, Three & Two Credit Hours

Mu 227-228 Worship Ministry I & II

This course is designed to develop within the student principles and workable concepts to prepare for the ministries of worship and music in the local church through instruction, reading, discussion, and in-class worship leading experiences. Topics include theology and history of worship, worship leadership, building worship teams, prophetic flow, worship/intercession, and more. Students are equipped to lead a worship service, pastor musicians, and disciple worshippers. Non-music majors are welcome.

Both Semesters, Two Credit Hours

Mu 231 Sound Reinforcement

This class teaches the operation of a basic sound system combining both class and hands-on involvement in chapel services.

Fall Semester, One Credit Hour

Mu 235 Songwriting I

This course is designed to be an introduction into the world of contemporary songwriting within the context of local church ministry. It is designed to stir up the creative giftings of the student thereby releasing them to write anointed "Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs." The class will also equip the student in knowing how to write and select songs for worship.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Mu 236 Song writing II

This course is designed to stir up creative giftings and release students to write "Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs." Principles for composing lyrics and music will be presented and time will be taken in class to analyze songs that work and put together song ideas. Special emphasis given to congregational worship songs. Prerequisite: Song Writing I or permission of instructor.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Mu 252 Worship Band Basics

This course provides an overview of the function and relationship of instruments used in contemporary worship settings.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Mu 261-262 Recording I & II

This course further develops the skill and techniques of recording using ProTools software, and contemporary worship projects.

Both Semesters, Two Credit Hours

Mu 271 Songwriting Recording I

This class is designed to advance the student in understanding the songwriting creative process, arranging, and recording techniques of musical compositions with an emphasis in congregational worship music.

Both semesters, Two Credit Hours

Mu 312-412 Junior/ Senior Recital

Includes Spring Semester workshop for students preparing for Junior and Senior music recitals.

Second Semester, One Credit Hour

Mu 322 MIDI Notation

This course is designed to further develop the skill of music engraving using Finale software in preparation for choral & orchestral arranging.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Mu 333-334, 429-430 Worship Workshop Leadership

In conjunction with Worship Workshop, this course develops leadership skills in teaching contemporary worship music, styles, and leading skills.

Both Semesters, One Credit Hour

Mu 335-336, 439-440 Worship Apprenticeship

This course provides advisor-directed practical ministry and service within a local church worship ministry, with the goal of music leadership development.

Both Semesters, Two Credit Hours

Mu 401 Church Music Administration

Administering and organizing the music and worship ministry in the local church, this course covers vision, scheduling, building a music leadership team, training, repertoire, large productions, tours, and other functions related to the ministry.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours, Alternate Years

Mu 413 Vocal Arranging/Conducting

This course teaches arranging for various voice combinations and styles, equipping the student to write arrangements for church worship teams, ensembles, and choirs, as well as communicating clearly to musicians through gesture and functional rehearsal to lead vocal arrangements.

Prerequisite: Mu 322 MIDI Notation.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Mu 414 Orchestral Survey, Arranging & Conducting

This course provides an overview of various acoustic and electronic instruments used in Christian music and examines their characteristic sound, use, range, and history. The student will learn to write, transcribe, and arrange for the major instrument groups, as well as continue in the application of gesture of instrumental conducting.

Prerequisite: Mu 322 MIDI Notation

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

Mu 432 Creative Arts Ministry

This course provides an overview of the various functions and communications that take place in a creative and artistic expression within the local church.

Second Semester, One Credit Hour

Mu 433 Church Music Leadership

This class is designed to develop within the student a greater appreciation and understanding of those with artistic abilities, and to equip the student to effectively lead and pastor in a local church worship department.

First Semester, Two Credit hours

DEPARTMENT OF PASTORAL STUDIES**Pa 303, 304 Pastoral Ministry I & II**

This course deals with the principles, practices and problems of pastoring.

Both Semesters, Three Credit Hours

Pa 309 Homiletics

A study of principles relating to the technical preparation and delivery of sermons. The student is taught the proper process of building and utilizing outlines, texts, illustrations, word studies, background information, dramatic dialogues, and communicative techniques for effectively preaching the word of God.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Pa 313 Leading People & Groups

A study in the nature & practice of leadership as it applies to both individuals and groups. Emphasis will be placed on the call and preparation of a leader, the nature of leadership influence and understanding group dynamics.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours, Alternate Years

Pa 315 Vision Management

A leadership development course focusing on how to define, impart and implement biblical vision and philosophy.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours, Alternate Years

Pa 401 Senior Seminar

This is an interactive course where students meet with Dick Iverson to glean from his 50+ years of pastoring experience.

First Semester, One Credit Hour

Pa 403 Church Administration

A practical look at the pastor and Christian worker as administrators. Study includes principles of management, organizational techniques, personnel usage and development, the evaluation process, programs, scheduling, finances and office management.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Pa 406 Decision Making

A study in the principles and practices of making decisions. Emphasis will be placed on the basis for sound judgment, the dynamics of decision making and various applications of decision making skills.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Pa 409 Pulpit Ministry

A sequel to Homiletics providing further insight and practical experience relative to all areas of public ministry.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Pa 412 The Ministry of Prayer

A biblical and practical look at the various applications of prayer in the local church, including both corporate and individual prayer. Special attention is given to the ministry of intercession and spiritual warfare.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Pa 414 Prophetic Ministry

This course will endeavor to bring a greater understanding and experience into the student's life in regard to the aspects and function of prophetic ministry. This will involve instruction, practical mentoring, and personal coaching.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Pa 416 Building Leaders & Teams

A study in the development of leadership as it applies to both individuals and teams. Emphasis will be placed on principles & methods of training leaders as well as understanding & developing the dynamics of leadership teams.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours, Alternate Years

Pa 423 Church Planting

A look at the theological and philosophical basis for church planting, as well as practical approaches in preparation and implementation.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Pe 203, 204 Physical Education

This is a self-directed physical fitness program designed to promote fitness and personal discipline through aerobic exercise. The requirement has the following exceptions: married students, those age 30 and over, those with proper military service, those with transferable PE credits, or those having a doctor's recommendation to refrain from PE.

Both Semesters, One-Half Credit Hour

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

Psy 201 Introduction to Counseling

An introduction to counseling including a review of major behavioral models and components of biblical guidance.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Psy 202 Counseling Techniques

Basic counseling techniques and skills are treated in depth. Prerequisite: Counseling I, Intro to Counseling.

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

Psy 204 Youth Issues

This course is designed to train youth workers in counseling adolescents while focusing on their unique problems and challenges.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Psy 312 Advanced Counseling

And advanced treatment of counseling and guidance particularly as it relates to the function of leadership in dealing with various problem areas. Prerequisite: Intro to Counseling, Counseling Techniques.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

DEPARTMENT OF PRACTICAL THEOLOGY

Pt 101,102,201,202,301,302,401,402 Passions & Values

This class will explore 21 life passions and 21 life values that every person should build their life upon. The course will develop each passion and each value in full depth so that the student will be equipped to apply them to their lives.

Both Semesters, One Credit Hour

Pt 104 Personal Bible Study

A study of basic tools and methods for studying Scripture. These methods are developed through practical class assignments.

Second Semester, One Credit Hour

Pt 105, 106, 205, 206, 305, 306, 405, 406 Church Life Practicum

This course consists of 30 hours of advisor directed areas of practical ministry and service opportunities intended to help strengthen and release spiritual giftings in the student.

Both Semesters, One Credit Hour

Pt 107 Personal Destiny

Personal Destiny is part one of two classes. This class is designed to create in the student a hunger to be used by God in a greater way, while laying out "The Journey of Destiny", according to Timothy of the New Testament.

First Semester, One Credit Hour

Pt 108 Personal Discipline

This class is designed to define Personal Disciplines as they pertain to the life of every believer. As Christians, we must have a code of ethics, a way that we live, a collection of disciplines like honor, integrity, and character that are missing in today's society. In this class we will look at strategic areas of our personal walk and lifestyle that need a committed level of discipline to take us to higher levels of influence, career, ministry, and family.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hour

Pt 116 Personal Evangelism

This course is designed to prepare the student in the use of God's Word to effectively share the gospel with others. Frequent objections are met with biblical answers. Suggestions for strengthening new converts are offered.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Pt 203 Personal Finance I

The student will learn information allowing them to develop a personal budget, overcome debt and gain a basic understanding of a wide variety of financial issues. It is a video format mixed with small group interaction. This course will prepare the student for a life of financial success. It is a pre-requisite for the spring semester Personal Finance class which will focus on application and further teaching.

First Semester, One Credit Hour

Pt 204 Personal Finance II

This course will help every student to examine their heart attitude towards money and transform their thinking towards biblical stewardship and gain financial freedom through teaching and hands on assignments. Students will gain this perspective by lectures, assignments, guest speakers, and by creating a personal budget.

Second Semester, One Credit Hour

Pt 213 Bible Research

An advanced course presenting both tools and methods of biblical study. The course also introduces the student to basic principles of biblical interpretation. This is a prerequisite for Hermeneutics.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Pt 307, 308, 407, 408 Ministry Apprenticeship

This is an intensive, mentored ministry experience, involving defined goals and responsibilities in a specific ministry area of the local church. It requires 60 hours of ministry involvement.

Both Semesters, Two Credit Hours

Pt 315 Women and Ministry

A course designed to give women insight concerning their concept of, attitude toward, and function in ministry. It will give guidance as to how a woman can discover her God-given gifts and strengths and how to develop her ministry abilities within the biblical role for women.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Pt 323 Hermeneutics

A presentation of methodical guidelines to the careful interpretation of Scripture. Emphasis is laid on the specific principles of interpretation as well as developing the skill to use them. Prerequisite: Bible Research.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

Soc 101 Social Roles and Relationships

A course dealing with the roles of men and women in society and how the individual functions within the group process. In addition to studying human sexuality, strong emphasis is placed upon the necessity and dynamics of strong interpersonal relationships in all areas of life.

First Semester Three Credit Hours

Soc 314 Family Issues

A survey of family relationships, roles and problems, for the students own benefit as well as to equip them to help others. This course includes a focus on both marriage and parenting issues.

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

Soc 212 Social Responsibility

This class is designed to help students better understand and influence the culture in which they live. Students will be exposed both practically and philosophically how to apply their faith and values to help shape the institutions of society like government, public policy, politics, news and media, entertainment, medicine, education and the courts.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

DEPARTMENT OF THEOLOGY

Th 103 Basic Doctrine

A systematic study of the essential elements of Biblical doctrine, including the doctrines of Revelation, Inspiration, God, the Holy Spirit, Angels, Satan and Demonology, Man, Sin, Christ, the Atonement, and Heaven and Hell.

First Semester, Five Credit Hours

Th 105 Worship in the Bible

This class will provide a biblical overview of worship and is designed to establish a strong biblical foundation for the student. We will develop the worship theme from Genesis to Revelation, touching on all the mountain peaks of worship expression as seen in the altars, tabernacles, temple, reformations, New Testament church and today's church.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

Th 112 Doctrine of the Church

A systematic study of the church in relation to the eternal purpose of God and what this implies for this present generation. Particular care is taken to give scriptural analysis of what God is saying to the church today.

Second Semester, Two Credit Hours

Th 114 Holy Spirit

This course will endeavor to bring a greater understanding and experience of the walk of a Christian believer in the spirit-filled life. Both theological as well as practical emphasis will be given.

Second Semester, One Credit Hours

Th 204 Covenants

An in-depth study of the nine biblical covenants that God made with man with emphasis on their progressive revelation of the eternal purposes of God.

Second Semester, Three Credit Hours

Th 215 Local Church

A detailed study of the local church in God's plan, the structure and order in the New Testament church and the ministries of the local church and their functions.

First Semester, Three Credit Hours

Th 211 Tabernacles

A historical and theological study of both the Tabernacle of Moses and the Tabernacle of David.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours, Alternate Years

Th 411 Senior Research

This course is a summary look at the major doctrines of the Bible, and the theological systems used by the various Christian groups around the world.

First Semester, Two Credit Hours

STATEMENT OF FAITH

1. We believe in the plenary-verbal inspiration of the accepted canon of the Scriptures as originally given and that they are infallibly and uniquely authoritative and free from error of any sort in all matters with which they deal, including scientific and historical as well as moral and theological (II Timothy 3:16; I Corinthians 2:13).
2. We believe in the eternal Godhead who has revealed Himself as ONE God existing in THREE persons, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit; distinguishable but indivisible (Matthew 28:19; II Corinthians 13:14).
3. We believe in the literal, special creation of the existing space-time universe and all of its basic systems as indicated in Genesis.
4. We believe in the full historicity and perspicuity of the Biblical record of primeval history, including the literal existence of Adam and Eve as the progenitors of all people, the literal fall and resultant divine curse on the creation, the worldwide cataclysmic deluge, and the origin of nations and languages at the tower of Babel (Genesis 1-11).
5. We believe in the creation, test and fall of man as recorded in Genesis; his total spiritual depravity and inability to attain to divine righteousness (Romans 5:12,18).
6. We believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, the Savior of men, conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, very God and very Man (Luke 1:26-35; John 1:18; Isaiah 7:14; 9:6).
7. We believe Christ died for our sins, was buried and rose again the third day, and personally appeared to His disciples (I Corinthians 15:1-4; Romans 4:25).
8. We believe in the bodily ascension of Jesus to heaven. His exaltation, and personal, literal and bodily coming again the second time for the church (John 14:2,3; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18)
9. We believe in the Salvation of sinners by grace through repentance and faith in the perfect and sufficient work of the cross of Calvary by which we obtain remission of sins (Ephesians 2:8-9; Hebrews 9:12,22; Romans 5:11).
10. We believe in the necessity of water baptism by immersion in the Name of the eternal Godhead in order to fulfill the command of Christ (Matthew 28:19; Acts 2:34-36; 19:1-6).
11. We believe in the baptism of the Holy Spirit as an experience subsequent to Salvation, as a distinct aspect of the Christian foundational experience (Acts 2:1-4; 8:14-17).
12. We believe in the church of Jesus Christ as the last instrument that God is using to extend His kingdom prior to the second coming of Christ (Ephesians 3:10; Matthew 16:18; Ephesians 1:20,22).
13. We believe in the operation of the gifts of the Spirit enumerated in I Corinthians 12-14 as manifested in the Early Church.
14. We believe in the Spirit-filled life, a life of separation from the world and perfecting of holiness in the fear of God as an expression of Christian faith (Ephesians 5:18; II Corinthians 6:14; 7:1).
15. We believe in the healing of the body by Divine Power, or Divine healing in its varied aspects as practiced by the Early Church (Acts 4:30; Romans 8: 11; I Corinthians 12:9; James 5:14).
16. We believe in the table of the Lord, commonly called communion or the Lord's supper, for believers (I Corinthians 11:28-32).
17. We believe in eternal life for the believer (John 5:24; 3:16), and eternal punishment of unbelievers (Mark 9:43-58; II Thessalonians 1:9; Revelation 19:10-15).
18. We believe in the reality and personality of Satan and the eternal judgment of Satan and his angels (Matthew 25:41; Revelation 20:10,15).

CAMPUS SAFETY

We are thankful that God has blessed us with a safe environment. The residential location is a significant contribution to the safe environment of our campus. It is our goal to provide for a pleasant and peaceful experience to all who reside here or visit our campus. City Bible Public Safety is at your service 24 hours a day, throughout the week; as well as on weekends and holidays. Well-trained officers can help with first aid or assist in any other emergency, be it to jump start your vehicle or open up your room when you are locked out. Each dorm is equipped with electronic access locks that allow entry only to the residents of that dormitory. Since our campus is open to the public, it is advisable to be responsible for your belongings and not to leave them around unattended.

CAMPUS ACCESSIBILITY FOR DISABLED INDIVIDUALS

The majority of the buildings and facilities on PBC campus are accessible to individuals with disabilities. Please be aware that the elevation change between some areas of our campus is 150 ft.

PARKING FACILITIES

Parking on campus is plentiful and is conveniently located near the dormitories and classroom buildings. We would like to ask you to respect the speed limit and signs that are posted around campus. In order to park on campus all full-time and part-time students need to register their vehicles with the Public Safety Department and post a permit on the rear bumper or window. Visitors are not required to obtain a permit. Please refer to the Student Handbook for additional information regarding parking.