

# THEOLOGICAL STUDIES, MINOR

Examine theology and religion in all of its diversity and wrestle with today's living issues in connection with our complex histories through Saint Louis University's minor in theological studies.

The minor provides a foundation for the study of religion across the globe, with a special focus on Catholic and other Christian traditions. Courses offered by the SLU's Department of Theological Studies (<https://www.slu.edu/arts-and-sciences/theological-studies/>) traverse a range of research methods, religious traditions, historical periods and places around the world.

After completion of the core course, THEO 1000: Theological Foundations, an additional 15 credit hours of theological study are required to fulfill the minor requirements. These requirements allow flexibility for students to pursue nine credit hours of their choice, providing broadly applicable training in matters of religion and faith, along with skills in research, critical thinking and communication that are helpful for any career.

## Requirements

At least nine credits must be taken at the 3xxx-level or above. A single course cannot be used to fill more than one requirement when pursuing this minor.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Foundations Requirement Courses</b>		
THEO 1000	Theological Foundations	3
THEO 2710	Religions of the World	3
<b>Area Elective Courses</b>		
Choose one course from the following:		3
Sacred Texts (p. 1)		
THEO 3430	Teachings in the Christian Tradition: God and Christ	
THEO 3435	Teachings in the Christian Tradition: Church and World	
<b>General Elective Courses</b>		
Select three additional Theology Courses		9
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>18</b>

## Sacred Texts (ST) Courses

Code	Title	Credits
THEO 2110	Old Testament	
THEO 2210	New Testament	
THEO 3115	Old Testament: Prophets	
THEO 4210	How to Interpret Scripture: Methods and Perspectives	
THEO 4290	Seminar in New Testament	

## Continuation Standards

A student must maintain a 2.00 GPA in theology minor coursework.

## Madrid

Students can complete all or part of the theological studies minor at SLU's campus in Madrid.

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