

Master of Arts in Theological Studies

Old Testament Concentration Program Requirements

Effective as of the 2026 - 2027 Academic Catalogue

	Required Credits	Credits in Progress	Credits Completed	Credits Remaining
Foundational Courses				
Old Testament Foundations (BIBL 501)	3			
New Testament Foundations (BIBL 502)	3			
Theology for Life (INDS 500)	3			
Biblical Exegesis (BIBL 503)	3			
History of Christianity (HIST 501 or HIST 502)	3			
Theology Overview (THEO 500); or Theology I (THEO 601) and Theology II (THEO 602)	3 or 6			
One of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soul of Ministry (APPL 500); • The Christian Imagination (ARTS 501); • God at Work (MARK 501); • The Christian Spirit (SPIR/HIST 500); • Christian Faith & Practice (INDS 581); or • Intro to World Christianity (WRLD 501) 	3			
Concentration Requirements				
Introductory OT Hebrew 1 and 2 (LANG 510 / 511)	6			
Intermediate OT Hebrew 1 and 2 (LANG 610 / 611)	6			
Biblical Hermeneutics and Criticism (BIBL 600)	3			
Advanced Old Testament Exegesis (BIBL 701)	3			
Old Testament Seminar (700-level)	3			
Old Testament Concentration Electives (600-level or higher) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thesis Track (3 credits of BIBL) • Comprehensive Exam Track (6 credits of BIBL) 	3 or 6			
Final Project				
One of the following final projects: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Old Testament Comprehensive Exam (3 credits) OR • INDS 725: Advanced Research and Writing (3 credits) and Old Testament Thesis (6 credits) 	3 or 9			
Electives				
Thesis Track: 6 credits of electives Comprehensive Exam Track: 9 credits of electives	6 or 9			
Total Credits	60			