

# BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE PROGRAMS

The curricula for the bachelor of arts degrees require a total of 128 credit hours. A minimum of 32 credit hours must be earned through courses taken directly with Global University. Fifteen credit hours must be completed in the student's major area of study. Students who plan to continue their studies in graduate school or seminary are strongly advised to complete Greek courses.

## Four-Year BA Degree in Bible and Theology

The Bachelor of Arts in Bible and Theology is designed to provide the biblical and theological background required for pastoral or preaching ministry. After successfully completing this curriculum, the student will be able to interpret the Bible, prepare and deliver sermons, and administer the programs of a local church.

Sequence One		Sequence Five					
G	GUO 1002	Orientation to Global University Learning	2	B	BIB 2043†	Principles of Biblical Interpretation	3
B	BIB 1033†	Life of Christ	3	G	COM 1012	How to Speak in Public	2
G	ENG 1023	Introductory Writing	3	G	HIS 2202	The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation	2
G	LIT 1213†	Old Testament Literature: His Story	3	G	PHL 2013	Introduction to Philosophy	3
G	MTH 1103/1203	College Algebra	3	G	REL 2013	People and their Beliefs	3
		Electives	2			Electives	3
		<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>			<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>
Sequence Two		Sequence Six					
G	CSC 1023	Introduction to Computers	3	G	SOC 2013	Introduction to Sociology	3
G	ENG 1103	Writing Better English	3	G	HIS 2302	The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century	2
T	THE 1013†	Pneumatology	3	B	BIB 3013†	Genesis	3
G	LIT 1303†	New Testament Literature	3	T	THE 2013†	The Bible and the Church	3
B	BIB 1073†	Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans	3	M	MIN 3043	Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages	3
		Electives	2	M	MIS 3022	Introduction to Islam	2
		<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>			<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>
Sequence Three		Sequence Seven					
B	BIB 2033†	A Study in the Book of Hebrews	3	M	MIS 3033	The Bible and Missions	3
T	THE 1033†	God and Angels	3	B	BIB 3073†	The Book of Acts	3
G	GSC 1103	Studies in Physical Science	3	G	COM 3103	Cross-Cultural Communications	3
G	GSC 1121	Experiments in Physical Science: A Laboratory Manual	1	G	EDU 3103	Principles of Teaching	3
G	HIS 1013	Civilization Past and Present I	3			Electives	3
		Electives	3			<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
		<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	Sequence Eight			
Sequence Four		B	BIB 4053†	Corinthians		3	
T	THE 1043†	Man and Sin	3	B	BIB 4133†	Wisdom Literature	3
G	PSY 1023	Introduction to Psychology: A Christian Perspective	3	G	EDU 3213	Foundations of Educational Psychology	3
G	HIS 1023	Civilization Past and Present II	3	G	LDR 3013	Guidelines for Leadership	3
M	MIN 1053	The Work of the Pastor	3			Electives	3
		Electives	5			<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
		<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>			<b>Total for Program</b>	<b>128</b>

† designates courses in the major concentration

**Note:** This program is offered as a Bachelor of Biblical Studies, Bachelor of Theology, or Bachelor of Divinity in some countries.

This program requires students to complete a Bible and Theology Pretest and a General Education Pretest as well as posttests in the same two areas. The pretests must be completed before students request the final exam for their first course. The capstone requirement that includes the posttests will be completed when students are within six months of graduating and submitted before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

**Thesis option available.** Students who plan to continue their education in graduate school or seminary may study this program with a thesis option to better prepare themselves for studies at that level. A 6-credit thesis and two 3-credit New Testament Greek courses can be selected to replace an equal number of elective credits in this program. For more information, contact a Degree Audit Specialist for advisement at 800-443-1083 or by e-mail: [degreeaudit@globaluniversity.edu](mailto:degreeaudit@globaluniversity.edu)