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INTRODUCTION

Welcome to **SEM International institute**. The name SEM is an Abbreviation of **Samuel Enos Memorial**. We hope that as you carefully read this prospectus, you will get a clear picture of our mission, the values we stand for, and how God has called us to influence and train a generation of men and women to be lights for Jesus Christ throughout our globe. our calling and central vision clear. God's hand of guidance and His continued provision paved the way for us to continue to expand His ministry in quality and quantity and all for His glory alone.

This prospectus will give you a detailed description of the courses we offer, and the opportunities that we make available for our students so they can excel in their service for God and His Kingdom.

Statements of Faith

We believe that the Bible is the only inspired, infallible and inerrant, authoritative Word of God. It is the only true standard for the believer's life and practice. The Bible contains all things necessary for the salvation of all peoples of the world.

We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in the three Persons; Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ; His virgin birth, His sinless life, His miracles, His vicarious and atoning death, His bodily resurrection, His ascension to the right hand of the Father and His personal return in power and glory.

We believe that man was created in the image of God, that he was tempted by Satan and fell, and that the Bible clearly states that all following Adam have sinned and become sinful. Repentance toward God, faith in Jesus Christ, and regeneration by the Holy Spirit are absolutely necessary for salvation.

We believe that every believer is called to sanctification through identification with Jesus Christ in his death and resurrection. Through the indwelling of the Holy Spirit every believer is illumined, enlightened and enlivened and through His guidance and strengthening he/she is fully consecrated to the will of God and receives power for holy living and effective service.

We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling empowering and gifting the Christian is enabled to live a life of godliness, a life of pure, noble and lofty ethical values and moral standards, a life of effective service.

We believe in the resurrection of the saved and the lost, those who are saved unto the resurrection of life and those who are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.

We believe that all believers should live lives of faith of whole hearted consecration to Christ, and continual prayer and consecration for the fulfilling of the Great Commission to go into the world to make disciples of all nations.

OUR PURPOSE

SEMII was founded to train leaders who would transform local churches, and the communities beyond the church to reflect the values of Jesus Christ and His Kingdom. The focus of our ministry is aimed specifically towards the cultural, religious, and social world of the Asian peoples. To reach this goal, our students are provided with an integrated programme of instruction which includes:

- Sound biblical knowledge covering the essential elements of Christian faith and doctrine
- Commitment to the New Testament scriptures as the norm for the life, mission and ministry for the Christian and the church today.
- Genuine Christian spiritual formation and discipleship leading to a deeper love for God and a desire to please Him in every area of life
- Training to serve the Christian community as well as the world around us by imitating the Spirit of Jesus Christ, our Master, in sincere humility and loving sacrifice
- Developing contextual, culturally-sensitive approaches in ministry that will enable Asian societies to experience the world-transforming power of the kingdom of God
- Holistic leadership skills to create and manage formal Christian churches and agencies for the glory of God

SEM is committed to continually enhance the quality and reach of her ministry to inspire many more leaders to give their best to exalt Christ as the light of His church and His world.

today world has scores of Bible colleges and seminaries in everywhere of the land. Then what makes SEM unique? While sharing the common values of any theological institution, SEM also offers students some distinctive features which enhance the quality of their training. Some of the most noteworthy characteristics are –

- **Academic Excellence:** SEM enjoys a very high academic reputation. Our faculty use creative, innovative methods to help students reach their highest potential. On graduation, a SEM student is equipped to handle with confidence a wide range of ministry challenges.
- **Practical Ministry Emphasis:** Being servants of Christ, every student is expected to commit to a specific ministry appropriate to his gifts and calling.
- **Discipleship:** In line with our mission, SEMI believes that discipleship can occur in various forms: one-on-one mentoring, life-changing small groups, and in larger assemblies through preaching and worship. In exploring innovative models of discipleship, students are encouraged to partner with organizations to become more effective agents of spiritual and social transformation.
- **Strategic Partnerships:** SEM International institute enjoys several important partnerships with innovative agencies around the Globe. These partnerships propel our students into new areas of holistic ministry like Media, Social Justice, Business, Counselling, Education, and Social Entrepreneurship. These ventures help them to gain a wider vision of God's work in His kingdom in the world.
- **Spiritual Formation:** Apart from regular, formal events like Mission Focus and Seek-the-Spirit Day, true Christian spiritual formation happens through godly relationships. Coming from diverse cultural backgrounds, our students learn that Christ must be formed both personally and communally!

OUR ACCREDITATION

While we hold firmly to the conviction that the true accrediting of the Christian worker comes from God Himself, SEM also enjoys the benefits of human recognition

All Bachelor's, Master's, Professional & Honorary Doctorates are accredited by: International Association for Educational Accreditation **(IAEA)**

Since, beginning SEM international institute Governed and run BY: International Association for Educational Accreditation **(IAEA)** the premier international accrediting agency for Christian educational institutions.

SEM also enjoys close affiliations with several universities and seminaries in the United States, Canada & UK. Faculty from these universities provide Guidance and evaluation for SEM Student's

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

SEM offers Following theological programmes.

| Bachelor's | Master's | Doctorate |
|--|--|------------------|
| B.A (Christian Counselling & Psychology) | M.Div. | D.Min |
| B.A (Bible) | M.A (Christian Counselling & Psychology) | D.Miss |
| B.A (Min.) | M.A (Christian Education) | Th.D. |
| B.Th. | M.Th. | Ph. D |
| BBA (Biblical Administration) | MBA (Biblical Administration) | Honorary |

Admission Requirements – An Overview:

A. B.A / B. Th. Degree (IAEA Accredited: 3 years recognized)

1. PUC II Pass / Hr. Secondary / Intermediate Pass
2. SSLC pass + Diploma in Theology pass with B Grade (or above)

B. M. Div. Degree (IAEA Accredited: 3 years recognized)

1. B.A. / B.Sc. / B.Com. Degree pass
2. B.Th. degree from non-accredited colleges and seminaries
3. Complete a Qualifying Course:

- a. Biblical Studies
- b. Theological Studies
- c. Christian Ministries

C. M.A / M. Div. Degree (Accredited by IAEA – 2 years)

- 1. B.Th. Degree with B Average (or above) from ATA / Senate of Serampore accredited colleges & seminaries

D. M.Th. Degree: 2 – 3 years (Master of Theology in Missiology & Theology)

- 1. M.Div. with B+ from ATA or Senate of Serampore accredited colleges & seminaries
- 2. M.A. / M.Sc. / M.Com. Pass + Entrance Examination

E. D. Min/ D. Miss / Th.D. (Min 2 Years – Max 5 Years)

- 1. Successful completion of M.Th. /Master of Divinity degree from a recognized institution or its equivalent from a recognized college with a B+ grade or a high second division
- 2. Five years of experience in ministry are required

F. Ph.D. (Doctorate of Philosophy) (Min 3 Years – Max 5 Years)

- 1. Successful completion of M.Th. / M.Phil. from a recognized institution or its equivalent from a recognized college or universities with a B+ grade or a high second division

G. Honorary Doctorate

- 1. Must be at least 35 years old
- 2. Write a one-to-two-page statement listing your qualifications and why you believe or the candidate should be awarded an Honorary Doctorate Degree.
- 3. Produce substantial evidence that you are a licensed and ordained Minister of the Gospel.
- 4. Verify that you have had at least 15 or more years of ministerial experience.

Note: This ecclesiastical degree is not intended to compete with a traditional academic or professional doctorate.

Fees Structure

1. For Bachelor Programs: **Rs. 50,000/-** for 3 years
2. For Master, (M.Div./ M.A) Program: **Rs. 65,000/-** for 2-3 Years
3. For Master of Theology (M.Th.) Program: **Rs. 75,000/-** for 2 Years
4. For Doctoral Degree (D. Min/ D. Miss / Th.D.) **Rs. 1,60,000/-** for 3 -5 Years
5. For Ph.D. (Doctorate of Philosophy) **Rs. 2,20,000/-** for 3- 5 Year
6. Honorary Doctorate **Rs. 60,000/-**

SYLLABUS OF COURSES

Bachelor of Theology (B.Th.)

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|-----------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------|
| NT Survey I | 3 | NT Survey II | 3 |
| Systematic Theology I | 3 | Systematic Theology II | 3 |
| Church History I | 3 | Church History II | 3 |
| English I | 2 | English II | 2 |
| Praise & Worship | 2 | World Church History | 3 |
| Life of Christ | 2 | Outreach Ministry | 2 |
| Church Ministry | 2 | Teaching Method | 2 |
| Personal Evangelism | 2 | Comparative Religion | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|-----------------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------|
| OT Survey I | 3 | OT Survey II | 3 |
| Systematic Theology III | 3 | Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Contemporary Church History | 3 | India Church History | 3 |
| Christian Evidence | 2 | Christian Ethics | 3 |
| English III | 2 | English IV | 2 |
| Poetical Books | 3 | History of Israel | 3 |
| Epistles | 3 | Prison Epistles | 2 |
| Sunday School & VBS | 2 | Hermeneutics | 3 |

(Third Year)

| SEMESTER V | Credit hour | SEMESTER VI | Credit hour |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| OT Interpretation | 3 | NT Interpretation | 3 |
| Doctrine of God & Man/Holy Spirit | 3 | Eschatology | 3 |
| Early Church History | 3 | Medieval Church History | 3 |
| Biblical Foundation of Mission | 2 | Youth Ministry | 2 |
| Sunday School Ministry | 2 | World Mission | 2 |
| Homiletics I | 3 | Homiletics II | 3 |
| Bible Geography | 2 | Practical Ministry | 3 |
| Research Methodology | 3 | Thesis Writing (B.Th.) | 3 |

Bachelor of Arts (Christian Counselling & Psychology)

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|---------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Introduction: Psychology | 3 | Biblical Counselling | 3 |
| Theological Foundation | 3 | Pastoral Counselling | 3 |
| Church History I | 3 | Church History II | 3 |
| English I | 2 | English II | 2 |
| Counselling Methodology I | 2 | Counselling Methodology II | 3 |
| Life of Christ | 2 | Outreach Ministry | 2 |
| Church Ministry | 2 | Teaching Method | 2 |
| Christian Counselling | 2 | Christian Lay Counselling/Care | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Theology of Counselling I | 3 | Theology of Counselling II | 3 |
| "Theology & Psychology" | 3 | Psychology & Spirituality | 3 |
| Contemporary Church History | 3 | Personality Theory & Research | 3 |
| Christian Evidence | 2 | Christian Ethics | 3 |
| Biblical View of Individuals | 2 | Relationships & Research | 2 |
| Biblical view of Marriage | 3 | Christian Psychiatry & Psychology | 3 |
| Biblical View of Family | 3 | Pastoral care | 2 |
| Family System Theory | 2 | Counselling: Culture and Context | 3 |

(Third Year)

| SEMESTER V | Credit hour | SEMESTER VI | Credit hour |
|---|--------------------|--|--------------------|
| Cognitive Theoretical Framework | 3 | Affective, Relational and Emotional Theories and Therapies | 3 |
| Doctrine of God & Man/Holy Spirit | 3 | Stress Management | 3 |
| | 3 | Mental Health Education | 3 |
| Characteristics of effective counsellors | 2 | Special Group Counselling | 2 |
| Counselling processes | 2 | Issues of Christian Counselling | 2 |
| Behaviour and Cognitive-Behaviour Therapies | 3 | Counselling Skills | 3 |
| Foundations Of Social Behaviour | 2 | Case studies in Psychological Research & Apologetics | 3 |
| Research Methodology | 3 | Thesis Writing (B.A.) | 3 |

Bachelor of Arts in Bible (B.A. Bible.)

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| Introduction to Bible | 3 | General Epistle | 3 |
| History of NT Bible | 3 | Pentateuch | 3 |
| NT Survey I | 3 | NT Survey II | 3 |
| English I | 2 | English II | 2 |
| Gospel and Acts | 2 | Biblical Foundation of Gospel | 3 |
| Systematic Theology I | 2 | Systematic Theology II | 2 |
| OT Survey I | 2 | OT Survey II | 2 |
| History of OT Bible | 2 | Teaching Method | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Doctrine of the Bible | 3 | Synoptic Gospel | 3 |
| Systematic Theology III | 3 | Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Historical Book | 3 | Pauline Epistle and Hebrew | 3 |
| Poetical Book | 2 | Analysis of Roman | 3 |
| English III | 2 | English IV | 2 |
| Prophetical Books | 3 | Five Megillot / Scroll | 3 |
| Book of Revelation | 3 | Literature and Arts of Bible | 2 |
| Bible Geography OT | 2 | Bible Geography NT | 3 |

(Third Year)

| SEMESTER V | Credit hour | SEMESTER VI | Credit hour |
|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| OT Interpretation | 3 | NT Interpretation | 3 |
| OT Apocryphal Books | 3 | NT Apocryphal Books | 3 |
| Versions & Translation | 3 | Cultural Anthropology | 3 |
| Archaeological Evidence | 2 | Development of Christianity | 2 |
| Biblical Criticism | 2 | Spiritual Formation | 2 |
| Homiletics I | 3 | Homiletics II | 3 |
| Christian Apologetics | 2 | Practical Ministry | 3 |
| Research Methodology | 3 | Thesis Writing (B.A. Bible) | 3 |

Bachelor of Arts in Ministry - B.A. (Min.)

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|-----------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------|
| NT Survey I | 3 | NT Survey II | 3 |
| Systematic Theology I | 3 | Systematic Theology II | 3 |
| Church History I | 3 | Church History II | 3 |
| English I | 2 | English II | 2 |
| Praise & Worship | 2 | World Church History | 3 |
| Life of Christ | 2 | Outreach Ministry | 2 |
| Church Ministry | 2 | Teaching Method | 2 |
| Personal Evangelism | 2 | Comparative Religion | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|-------------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------|
| OT Survey I | 3 | OT Survey II | 3 |
| Systematic Theology III | 3 | Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Church History | 3 | Christian Education | 3 |
| Christian Evidence | 2 | Christian Ethics | 3 |
| English III | 2 | English IV | 2 |
| Spiritual Formation | 3 | Youth Ministry | 3 |
| Praise and Worship | 3 | Academic Ministry | 2 |
| Sunday School & VBS | 2 | Hermeneutics | 3 |

(Third Year)

| SEMESTER V | Credit hour | SEMESTER VI | Credit hour |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| OT Interpretation | 3 | NT Interpretation | 3 |
| Doctrine of God & Man/Holy Spirit | 3 | Foundation of Biblical Leadership | 3 |
| Community Development | 3 | Social Work | 3 |

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|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|---|
| Biblical Foundation of Mission | 2 | The Call for Church to Mission | 2 |
| Sunday School Ministry | 2 | World Mission | 2 |
| Homiletics I | 3 | Homiletics II | 3 |
| Pastoral Ministry | 2 | Practical Ministry | 3 |
| Research Methodology | 3 | Thesis Writing (B.A.-Min.) | 3 |

Bachelor of Biblical Administration - B.B.A.

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|-------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| NT Survey | 3 | OT Survey | 3 |
| Systematic Theology I | 3 | Systematic Theology II | 3 |
| Church History I | 3 | Church History II | 3 |
| English I | 2 | English II | 2 |
| Effective Communication | 2 | Microeconomics | 3 |
| World Church History | 2 | Environmental management | 2 |
| Church Ministry | 2 | Administrative Method | 2 |
| Essentials of Bible | 2 | Christian Ethics | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| Human Behaviour | 3 | Church Management | 3 |
| Systematic Theology III | 3 | Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Macro Economies | 3 | Christian Education | 3 |
| Christian Evidence | 2 | Human Resource Management | 3 |
| English III | 2 | English IV | 2 |
| Biblical Operation research | 3 | Strategic Management | 3 |
| Church Leadership | 3 | Administrative Law | 2 |
| Relationship Management | 2 | Organizational Behaviour | 3 |

(Third Year)

| SEMESTER V | Credit hour | SEMESTER VI | Credit hour |
|--------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Personality Development | 3 | Financial Management | 3 |
| Doctrine of God & Man | 3 | Administrative counselling | 3 |
| Community Development | 3 | Social Work | 3 |
| Biblical Foundation of Finance | 2 | Creative Writing & Public Speaking | 2 |
| Conversational Skill | 2 | Risk Management | 2 |
| Sociology | 3 | Social Responsibility | 3 |
| Psychology | 2 | Practical Management | 3 |
| Research Methodology | 3 | Thesis Writing (B.B.A.) | 3 |

Note: All Bachelor Program Total = 125 Credit Hours / in 3 Years

Master of Divinity (M.Div.)

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| OT Interpretation | 3 | NT Interpretation | 3 |
| Systematic Theology I | 3 | Systematic Theology II | 3 |
| Early Church History | 3 | Medieval Church History | 3 |
| Biblical Foundation of Mission | 2 | Eschatology | 2 |
| Major Prophets | 2 | Minor Prophets | 2 |
| General Epistle | 2 | Soteriology | 2 |
| Christology | 2 | Pauline Epistles | 2 |
| NT Theology | 3 | Christian Ethics | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|-------------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------|
| Systematic Theology III | 3 | Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Reformation History | 2 | Modern Church History | 3 |
| Christian Apologetics | 2 | Personal Discipleship | 2 |
| Christian Leadership | 2 | Doctrine of God & Man | 2 |
| Ecclesiology | 2 | Pastoral Ministry | 2 |
| Exegesis on Romans | 2 | Wisdom literature | 2 |
| Christian Counselling | 2 | Practical Ministry | 2 |
| Research Methodology | 2 | Thesis Writing | 3 |

Master of Arts (Christian Counselling & Psychology)

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|---------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Systematic Theology I | 3 | Systematic Theology II | 3 |
| Biblical Counselling | 3 | Pastoral Counselling | 3 |
| Counselling Methodology I | 3 | Counselling Methodology II | 3 |
| Christian Counselling | 2 | Christian Lay Counselling/Care | 2 |
| “Theology & Psychology” | 2 | Psychology & Spirituality | 2 |
| Stress Management | 2 | Christian Ethics | 2 |
| Cognitive Theoretical Framework | 2 | Foundations Of Social Behaviour | 2 |
| Emotional Theories | 3 | Counselling Skills | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--|--------------------|
| Systematic Theology III | 3 | Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Counselling Theories and Strategies | 2 | Conflict Management and Resolution | 3 |
| Marriage and Family Therapy | 2 | Personality Theory & Research | 2 |
| Group Counselling Dynamics | 2 | Mental Health Education | 2 |
| counselling ethics | 2 | Issues of Christian Counselling | 2 |
| Counselling processes | 2 | Case studies in Psychological Research & Apologetics | 2 |
| Psychology of Religion | 2 | Practical Ministry | 2 |
| Research Methodology | 2 | Thesis Writing | 3 |

Master of Arts (Christian Education)

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Systematic Theology I | 3 | Systematic Theology II | 3 |
| Religious Education | 3 | Biblical Servant Leadership | 3 |
| Theoretical Foundation of Education | 3 | Cross-Cultural Living and Ministry | 3 |
| Educational Psychology | 2 | Christian Ethics | 2 |
| Human Development | 2 | Teaching and Learning | 2 |
| Educational Philosophy | 2 | Educational Counselling | 2 |
| Sociology | 2 | Spiritual Formation and Worship | 2 |
| Strategies for Missionary Work | 3 | Evangelism, & Missions | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|--|--------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Systematic Theology III | 3 | Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Hermeneutics | 2 | Educational Technology | 3 |
| Writing and Editing for Christian Publishing | 2 | Educational Planning and Management | 2 |
| Social Media and Communication | 2 | Mental Health Education | 2 |
| Student Cultural Issues | 2 | Guidance and Counselling in Education | 2 |
| Christian History and | 2 | Curriculum Planning & | 2 |

| | | | |
|----------------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Heritage | | Development | |
| Special Education | 2 | Practical Ministry | 2 |
| Research Methodology | 2 | Thesis Writing | 3 |

Master of Biblical Administration - M.B.A.

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|-------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| Systematic Theology I | 3 | Systematic Theology II | 3 |
| Personality Development | 3 | Organizational Behaviour | 3 |
| Community Development | 3 | Administrative Law | 3 |
| Sociology | 2 | Administrative counselling | 2 |
| Effective Communication | 2 | Microeconomics | 2 |
| World Church History | 2 | Environmental management | 2 |
| Church Ministry | 2 | Administrative Method | 2 |
| Essentials of Bible | 3 | Christian Ethics | 2 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| Human Behaviour | 3 | Church Management | 3 |
| Systematic Theology III | 2 | Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Macro Economies | 2 | Christian Education | 2 |
| Christian Evidence | 2 | Human Resource Management | 2 |
| Administrative counselling | 2 | Risk Management | 2 |
| Biblical Operation research | 2 | Strategic Management | 2 |
| Church Leadership | 2 | Practical Management | 2 |
| Relationship Management | 2 | Thesis Writing (M.B.A.) | 3 |

Note: All Master's Program Total = 75 Credit Hours / in 2 Years

Master of Theology (M.Th.)

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|--------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| Bible and Theology | 3 | Comparative Religions | 3 |
| Theological Hermeneutics | 3 | Contemporary Theology | 3 |
| History of Christian | 3 | Contextual Theology | 3 |

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|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|
| Theology | | | |
| Advanced Systematic Theology I | 4 | Advanced Systematic Theology II | 4 |
| Themes and Theology of OT | 3 | Themes and Theology of NT | 3 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|----------------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| Pauline Theology | 3 | Homiletics | 3 |
| Hermeneutics | 3 | Doctrinal Theology: God, Revelation and Creation | 4 |
| Anthropology and Hamartiology | 3 | Advanced Systematic Theology IV | 3 |
| Advanced Systematic Theology III | 4 | Practical Ministry | 3 |
| Research Methodology | 3 | Thesis (M.Th.) | 4 |

Note: M.Th. Program Total = 65 Credit Hours / in 2 Years

D. Min./ D.Miss. (Two Years)

Doctor of Ministry /Doctor of Mission

(First Year)

| SEMESTER I | Credit hour | SEMESTER II | Credit hour |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Homiletic for Mission & Ministry | 4 | Anthropology | 4 |
| Pastoral Care and Counselling | 4 | Evangelism in cross-cultural set up | 4 |
| Current Issues on pastoral Ministries | 4 | Christian Education for social Change | 4 |
| Worship and Preaching | 4 | Research Methodology | 4 |

(Second Year)

| SEMESTER III | Credit hour | SEMESTER IV | Credit hour |
|----------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| Field Research | 8 | Dissertation | 10 |

Note: D.Min. /D.Miss. Program Total = 50 Credit Hours / in 2 Years

About Professional Doctorate *Th.D.* / *Ph.D.*

A ThD/PhD in Theology is an advanced academic degree program designed to provide students with a deep understanding of religious thought and practice. This degree typically requires students to undertake significant research in a specialized area of theological study and to produce a dissertation that makes an original contribution to the field.

The curriculum for a ThD/PhD in Theology can vary depending on the student's area of focus. However, common topics covered in this degree program include Religious History, Philosophy of Religion, Ethics, Biblical Studies, and Systematic Theology.

ThD/PhD Students may work closely with a faculty advisor throughout the research process.

Specialization: The program allows students to specialize in a specific area of theology and conduct original research on a topic that interests them. This allows for a deeper understanding and expertise in a particular field of study.

Research skills: The program provides students with an opportunity to develop strong research skills, including critical thinking, analysis, and evaluation of theological texts and concepts.

Intellectual growth: Pursuing a PhD in Theology requires significant intellectual growth, including the ability to think deeply and critically about complex religious and philosophical ideas.

Contribution to the field: The dissertation produced as part of the program makes an original contribution to the field of theology, advancing knowledge and understanding in a particular area of study.

Interdisciplinary approach: ThD/PhD programs take an interdisciplinary approach, incorporating insights from other fields such as philosophy, sociology, history, and literature, allowing for a broader understanding of theological issues.

Community: Pursuing a ThD/PhD in Theology provides an opportunity to become part of a community of scholars who share a passion for religious studies and who may provide support and collaboration throughout the program and beyond.

ThD/ PhD Eligibility: To be eligible for a PhD in Theology program, applicants typically must have a Master's degree in a related field such as religious studies or theology, and meet any additional requirements set by SEM International institution

ThD / PhD Duration: The duration of a ThD/PhD in Theology program can vary depending on the student's area of focus, but it typically takes between 3 -5 years to complete the program.

ThD / PhD Selection Criteria: Admission to a PhD in Theology program is highly competitive, and selection criteria may include academic achievements, research experience, letters of recommendation, and the applicant's research proposal.

Grading System

The grades assigned to represent student progress are numerically interpreted in accordance with generally accepted system and followed by institutions of higher learning:

| Excellent | Good | Satisfactory | Marginal |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------|
| 97 – 100 A+ = 4.0 | 87–89 B+=3.3 | 77–79 C+=2.3 | 66- 69 |
| 94-96 A = 3.8 | 84 -86 B = 3.0 | 74 -76 C = 2.0 | 60–65 |
| 90–93 A-=3.6 | 80–83 B-=2.7 | 70 -73 C- = 1.7 | 0 -59 |

The grade point system is a simplified means of determining the grade average and class standing of the student.

The admission Committee of SEM International institute requires at least a B (3.0) GPA in all work undertaken at

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