

Accreditation

The School is accredited by the Commission on Accrediting of the Association of Theological Schools. The Commission contact information is:

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The following degree programs are approved by the Commission on Accrediting: MDiv, MTS, MA (Theology).

Student complaints in areas related to the accrediting standards of the Commission should be directed to the Dean of Theology. A record of such formal student complaints is maintained in the Office of the Dean.

Statement of Educational Effectiveness

In a changing church and world, completing a degree program at the Faculty of Theology is no guarantee of employment. Recent graduates of our MDiv degree program have found full- or part-time employment in parish ministry after graduation, serve the church in other fashions, and go on to further studies; Half of the recent graduates from our MTS program have gone on to further studies; graduates of our MA in theology program have been accepted into doctoral programs in theology or other graduate programs, are using their MA to teach at the secondary and post-secondary level, or are pursuing other careers that benefit from the research skills and knowledge gained as a result of completing the degree program.

Master of Divinity

Average time to graduation: 3.2 years

Average at graduation (2012-2014): 81.9%

Ratio of admissions/applications (2011-2014) 85%

Ratio of registrations/applications (2011-2014) 74%

Post-graduation occupation of graduates (2012-2014): ordained ministry: 57%; 22% further studies; 21% other

Master of Theological Studies

Average time to graduation: 3.4 years

Average at graduation (2012-2014): 79.7%

Ratio of admissions/applications (2011-2014) 89%

Ratio of registrations/applications (2011-2014) 66%

Post-graduation occupation of graduates (2012-2014): Further studies, 50%; 50% other/retired

Master of Arts (Theology)

Average time to graduation (2011-2014): 2.2 years

Average at graduation (2011-2014): 83.5%

Ratio of admissions to applications (2011-14): 78%

Ratio of registrations/applications (2011-14): 66%

Post-graduation occupation of graduates: Further studies, 43%; teaching, 7%; ministry, 29%; other, 21%