

FALL ELECTIVES

Authority of the Believer — As believers we have authority. Some of us may not be aware we are walking in it. This course is to help us open God's word on the subject of "Authority" so that as believers we may not only live out our God-given authority, but also begin to see God's perfect plan unfold in our lives on a daily basis. F22

Christian Ethics—In this course, not only will students understand the Biblical philosophy dealing with human conduct, values, and morality but also discuss how the current culture thinks about these same subjects. Students will explore practical application of their Biblical morality in an opposing counter-culture. F22

Church History—The purpose of this course is to help the student become familiar with the periods of Church history, important leaders, significant issues, great movements, and the characteristics of the True Church. F23

Door to the Supernatural—The door to the supernatural is prayer. This course will study prayer, fasting and healing. F22

Gifts of the Spirit—Students will be presented with a teaching based on Romans 12 that identifies seven Creation or Redemptive Gifts and how these individual gifts work in the body of Christ. Then students will focus on the nine Gifts of the Spirit found in 1 Corinthians 12, which are gifts for the entire body. F22

Gospel of John—John's Gospel isn't written like the other three. This will be a detailed study of the Beloved John's account. F22

Leadership Principles—This course will develop a biblical foundation for leadership. Students will discover principles that will help them to develop leadership qualities in their lives. F22

Revival History—Emphasis will be given to the Pentecostal/Charismatic movements in History that have arisen since the book of Acts, and have continued throughout history to the present day. F23

SPRING ELECTIVES

Angelology—This course presents a thorough understanding of the different types of angels and their workings along with the mode of operation of Satan and his demons. S23

Blood Covenant—This course is Biblical study into the covenants, their creation and duration, with particular emphasis on the Blood Covenant and its implications for the believer. This course will examine the old and new covenants, their similarities, and their application today. S23

Christology—The Study of Christ, his life, death and resurrection. S23

Names of God/Jesus—his class will give you an understanding of God's authority and the believer's victory made available through His names. S23

Prison Epistles—This is a class that will focus on the Apostle Paul's writings from prison: Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, and Philemon. S24

Submission & Authority—The student will realize the importance of submission and authority in their daily walk of faith and learn how to be prepared to submit to authority while learning how to walk in God-given authority. S23

Women in Leadership—When Jesus walked the earth, he took the opportunity to correct and establish the Father's purpose for women in ministry. In this course, the focus shall be on Biblical women in leadership, prominent modern-day women in leadership and you, Woman of God! S24

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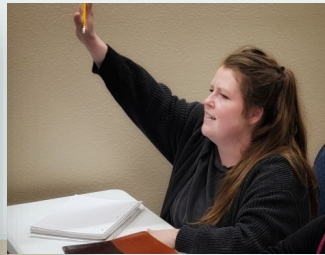
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School of Ministry Course Catalog



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SCHOOL OF MINISTRY

ENTRANCE YEAR CLASSES

Desiring all RIU students to be grounded in the Word regardless of their chosen course of discipline, the entrance year classes will be required as outlined in the School of Ministry.

REQUIRED CLASSES

The following classes are required for the School of Ministry. Class are taken in order by level after the Entrance-Year classes have been completed. Students may take any two consecutive levels in one semester. (Scheduling help is available.)

ELECTED CLASSES

Students are required to complete a minimum of 7 elective classes before graduation. Review class descriptions and student testimonials to preplan elective selection prior to meeting with Registrar or Dean of Students.

ENTRANCE YEAR CLASSES

Bible Doctrine—We will study the core values of what we believe and why based on the Bible as well as exposing false doctrines concerning what we believe. F22

Old Testament Survey—The student will obtain a general knowledge of the theme and contents of each Old Testament book and gain an understanding of the meaning and significance of the historical events and messages of the Old Testament. F22

By the Anointing—Students will learn how the principles of revival and ministry of helps works hand-in-hand in making a successful ministry. Learn how to keep focused on the plan and purpose of God by His anointing. F22

Stewardship—This course will familiarize the student with many scriptures that pertain to finances and stewardship. A foundation is given for personal life as well as equipping with truths needed for preaching on stewardship and giving in ministry. F22

Apologetics—Apologetics by definition is a branch of theology that is concerned with defending or proving the truth of Christian doctrines. This course will help students defend their faith. S23

New Testament Survey—The student will obtain a general knowledge of the theme and contents of each New Testament book and gain an understanding of the meaning and significance of the historical events and messages of the New Testament. S23

Study of the Holy Spirit—A course on the Person and the work of the Holy Spirit. Emphasis is made on foundational truths that will radically change the student's way of thinking. Students will discover what it's like to know the person of the Holy Spirit in a great way – to really know Him as best friend. S23

Soul Winning—This is a course on introducing Christ to others in the workplace, on foreign fields, and local neighborhoods. Each student will experience the joy of leading others to Christ and then follow up with them to make them disciples. S23

REQUIRED CLASSES

LEVEL 2

Harmony of the Gospels—This course will give the students a thorough understanding of the four Gospels, show the life and ministry of Jesus and how he ministered and flowed with the Spirit. S22

Romans—This course will give the students a thorough understanding of the four Gospels, show the life and ministry of Jesus and how he ministered and flowed with the Spirit. S23

Discipleship—After salvation, then what? Discipleship Training in righteousness takes time. The student will gain knowledge on how to ground new converts in their faith. S23

LEVEL 3

Eschatology—Eschatology is the branch of theology that deals with the final consummation of all things. We will cover such subject matter as the rapture, the tribulation, judgment, and the life to come. F22

Preparing for Ministry—Through both lecture and hands-on experience, this course is designed to help the student with the practical and business aspects of ministry and to equip them with the tools needed to begin a ministry. S23

LEVEL 4

Ministry Tools—A class designed to help each student think critically in explaining scripture (exegesis), making accurate interpretations (hermeneutics), and gain confidence in his/her own ability and in the ability of the Holy Spirit to help him/her in pulpit ministry (homiletics). F23

Ministry of Excellence—The purpose of this course is to set forth Biblical principles which will assist the men and women of God in achieving their potential in the realm of their calling to the ministry. The student will obtain a greater understanding of the attitudes, ethics, and integrity that must be operative in the lives of God's servants. S24

Vision—Learn what "vision" is and be instructed how to recognize God's vision for your life and the importance of having patience to wait for the vision to have its perfect work in your life. F23

Ministry Practicum—This course is designed to give students a practical and spiritual overview on the pastoral ministry. It will help equip students with sound, Biblical wisdom on how to handle pastoral matters, such as the practicalities and demands of ministry placed on the minister's family, conflict management, time management and more. S24