



LUTHER RICE

COLLEGE & SEMINARY

COURSE SCHEDULE PLANNER Fall 2017



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“And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.” Colossians 3:17, ESV

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Fall 2017

<i>August</i>	21	Doctoral Module (8/21-8/25)
	28	Doctoral Module (8/28-9/1)
<i>September</i>	4	Fall Semester Online Full Term Classes Begin Late Registration for Full Term Classes (Late Fees Apply 9/4-9/11) Labor Day Holiday-Offices Closed
	5	Fall Semester On-campus Classes Begin
	11	Last Day to Drop Full Term Classes with "WD"
	25	Recommended Date by Which to Apply for Financial Aid for Fall Mini-Term II Classes
<i>October</i>	23	Fall Semester Online Mini-Term II Classes Begin
	25	Last Day to Drop Mini-Term II Classes with "WD"
<i>November</i>	1	Graduation Application Deadline for May 2018
	12	Last Day to Drop Fall Classes with "WP" or "WF"
	22-24	Thanksgiving Holidays-Offices Closed
<i>December</i>	17	Fall Semester Online Full Term and Mini-Term II Classes End
	18	Recommended Date by Which to Apply for Financial Aid for Spring Semester Fall Semester On-campus Classes End
	25-29	Christmas Holidays-Offices Closed

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Academic Advising

Need help deciding which courses to take this semester? Do not unknowingly take a course that is unnecessary for your degree program. Contact an Academic Advisor for guidance with your course selections and degree progress. Call or visit your Academic Advising Office during normal operating hours. You may also contact an advisor via email to AAO@lutherrice.edu

Tuition Payment Plans

Take advantage of convenient payment plans by using the Nelnet option on the Method of Payment screen as your complete course registration on the Class Browser.

- No interest charged
- \$25.00 enrollment fee per semester (not per course)
- Payment is by automatic bank draft (ACH) or automatic Credit/Debit card charge
- Simple steps to enroll:
 - Go to www.LutherRice.edu
 - Sign into your Luther Rice account
 - Click Student Services/My Account/Enroll in a Nelnet Payment Plan
- For more details of the payment plans, enrollment dates, and due dates, visit www.MyCollegePaymentPlan.com/lutherrice

Textbooks

Students can find and purchase course textbooks online at www.lutherricebooks.com. The textbooks for Fall 2017 courses will become available in the online bookstore thirty (30) days prior to the start of the semester. Please make sure you select the appropriate term when you search and order. Required textbooks vary from semester to semester.

Students may purchase textbooks from any provider but should consider the following advantages of using www.lutherricebooks.com:

- ❖ Book Vouchers: Financial Aid students can now use vouchers for books.
- ❖ Integrated Open Marketplace: Instant access to thousands of professional sellers allows students to save an average of 60%--and even use financial aid vouchers to buy used books.
- ❖ Quick Delivery: 2-day delivery available on most orders.
- ❖ Online Buybacks: Online buyback is available 24/7, with millions of buyers.
- ❖ One-Stop Shopping: New, used, and hard-to-find textbooks, eBooks, rentals.

Frequently Asked Questions

When and how should I register?

You can register for the fall semester now through the first day of class.

What courses should I take?

All of our programs have core courses. We highly recommend that you complete these courses before you take electives. Taking English, history, and other general education courses will benefit you more if you complete them early in your program. Also, remember to sequence your coursework appropriately by taking introductions and surveys of a discipline before taking more intensive studies of a subject. Most courses do not have pre-requisites, but some do. So make sure to check the catalog descriptions for those. As always, your Office of Academic Advising can help you decide which courses are right for you each semester. Contact them if you have any questions at AAO@lutherrice.edu or 770-484-1204.

How many courses should I attempt in a semester?

Since most of our students are adult learners, they have many responsibilities outside of school: full-time employment, church ministry, children at home, and aging parents. These responsibilities sometimes conflict with the effort to complete a program of study, which requires a significant amount of work. Some students, eager to complete their degree as soon as possible, load up on courses only to later find that they must drop some of them because of life circumstances, or they realize that they overestimated their ability and availability. While our online program is quite flexible and allows you to complete your degree from home, there are typically coursework deadlines each week that require diligence.

We recommend that you start out slowly with one or two courses, and see how well you can handle the extra load in your particular situation in life. A full-time load for undergraduate students is 12 hours; for graduate students, it is 9 hours.

Will the published schedule change?

The schedule is subject to change. However, we will do our best to keep the classes that we have listed. The most likely changes that could take place are changing the assigned professors and adding courses.

Who do I talk to if I have a problem?

Please talk first to an Academic Advisor. Our Academic Advisors are trained, prepared, and eager to help you succeed in school. If you have issues that an advisor cannot resolve, please contact the Office of Student Development.

Dates and Times of Class Meetings

Online Classes

2017 fall term courses meet for fifteen weeks. An academic workweek is Monday through Sunday at 11:59pm. For example, the first academic work week for Fall 2017 is Monday 9/4/2017 through Sunday 9/10/2017 at 11:59pm. Each course requires weekly assignments that serve as an attendance check-in.

On Campus Classes

Doctoral Modules

The Fall 2017 Doctoral Modules will meet from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm on the following weeks:

August 21, 2017-August 25, 2017
August 28, 2017-September 1, 2017

Weekday Classes

Luther Rice will offer eight weekday classes during the fall semester. Weekday classes meet once each week for 15 weeks on the following dates at the following times:

Tuesday	Thursday
Morning (8:30 am to 11:30 am)	Morning (8:30 am to 11:30 am)
Afternoon (1:30 pm to 4:30 pm)	Afternoon (1:30 pm to 4:30 pm)
Evening (6:30 pm to 9:30 pm)	-

Saturday Classes

Luther Rice will offer four Saturday classes during the fall semester. Saturday classes meet five times throughout the fall semester and will meet from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm on the following dates:

Saturday On-Campus 1

Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session5
9/9/2017	9/23/2017	10/7/2017	11/4/2017	12/9/2017

Saturday On-Campus 2

Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session5
9/16/2017	9/30/2017	10/14/2017	11/11/2017	12/16/2017

UNDERGRADUATE FALL 2017 SCHEDULE

Undergraduate

Online Full Term

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
AP 3901	World Views	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Tim Skinner
AP 3902	Introduction to Christian Thought	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Evan Posey
AP 4904	Defending the Christian Faith	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Tim Skinner
BH 1200	Biblical Interpretation	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Joshua Stewart
BU 2500	Personal Finance	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Pete Rocket
CO 2700	Introduction to Biblical Counseling	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Sharon Atkins
CO 2701	Theological Foundations in Biblical Counseling	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Ann Kerlin
CO 3702	Methodology in Biblical Counseling	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Sharon Atkins
EN 1101	English Composition I	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Thomas Mapes
EN 1102	English Composition II	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Thomas Mapes
EN 2103	Public Speech	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Michael Brooks
EN 2104	World Literature	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Thomas Mapes
EN 2105	British Literature	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Thomas Mapes
EV 3402	Personal Evangelism	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Rick Stubbs
HI 1101	World Civilizations I	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Jonathan Henderson
HI 1102	World Civilizations II	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Jonathan Henderson
HI 2300	Church History	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Bill Jaggar
MA 1500	Applications of Fundamental Mathematics	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Marisa May
MI 2400	Survey of Christian Missions	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Howard Owens
MP 1401	Preparing for Christian Service	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Dennis Dieringer
MP 4403	Christian Service Practicum	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Dennis Dieringer
MP 4404	Christian Service Practicum for Biblical Counseling	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Sharon Atkins
NT 1200	New Testament Survey	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Brad Arnett
NT 2201	Life of Christ	ONLINE	15 Weeks	William Wilson
NT 2204	Gospel of John	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Tim Skinner
NT 3206	Romans	ONLINE	15 Weeks	William Wilson
NT 4219	Hebrews	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Brad Arnett
NT 4227	Revelation	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Tim Skinner
OT 1200	Old Testament Survey	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Casas
OT 2201	Genesis	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Casas
OT 3228	Minor Prophets (Hosea-Malachi)	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Casas
OT 4214	Chronicles	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Casas

PA 3401	Foundations of Pastoral Ministry	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Scott Moody
PA 4403	Principles of Church Administration	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Bill Coleman
PH 1900	Critical Thinking	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Russ Crawford
PY 2703	Principles of Psychology	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Ann Kerlin
SC 1501	General Physical Science	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Julie Davis
SO 2603	Principles of Sociology	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Jeff McCann
TH 3301	Survey of Theology I	ONLINE	15 Weeks	James Kinnebrew
TH 3302	Survey of Theology II	ONLINE	15 Weeks	James Kinnebrew
TH 4305	The Doctrine of Creation	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Evan Posey

Online Mini-Term II

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
AP 4905	Christianity and Culture	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Tim Skinner
CO 4703	Marriage and Family Counseling	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Sharon Atkins
NT 2205	Acts of the Apostles	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Brad Arnett
OT 2206	Joshua-Judges	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	David Casas
PA 3404	Leadership	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Scott Moody
PA 4402	Principles of Biblical Exposition	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Bill Coleman
PH 2901	Contemporary Ethics	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Scott Henderson

On-Campus

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
OT 2201	Genesis	On-Campus	Tuesday Evening	David Casas
CO 2700	Introduction to Biblical Counseling	On-Campus	Tuesday Morning	Sharon Atkins
MP 1401	Preparing for Christian Service	On-Campus	Thursday Afternoon	Dennis Dieringer
TH 3302	Survey of Theology II	Saturday On-campus 1	(9/9; 9/23; 10/7; 11/4; 12/9)	Tim Skinner
EN 2104	World Literature	Saturday On-campus 2	(9/16; 9/30; 10/14; 11/11; 12/16)	Thomas Mapes

GRADUATE FALL 2017 SCHEDULE

Graduate

Online Full Term

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
AP 5901	Foundations of Apologetics	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Scott Henderson
AP 5902	Faith and Reason	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Bill Gordon
AP 5903	Science and Faith	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Mapes
AP 5905	Biblical Apologetics	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Scott Henderson
AP 6908	God, Evil, and Miracles	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Bill Gordon
AP 6911	Apologetics Capstone	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Scott Henderson
BE 7404	Preparing an Expository Message	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Scott Moody
BE 7405	Delivering an Expository Message	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Scott Moody
BH 5201	Introduction to Biblical Hermeneutics	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Mapes
CM 7402	The Work of Ministry	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Scott Moody
CM 7407	Ministry Practicum	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Bill Coleman
CO 5701	Introduction to Psychology and Counseling	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Ann Kerlin
CO 5702	Foundations of Biblical Counseling	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Ron Cobb
CO 5704	Marriage and Family Counseling	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Max Mills
CO 6705	Issues, Ethics, and Legal Concerns for Counselors	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Ron Cobb
CO 6707	Methodology for Biblical Counseling	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Ron Cobb
CO 6708	Biblical Counseling Practicum	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Ann Kerlin
EV 7401	Personal and Church Evangelism	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Jeff Meyers
GR 5201	Greek Grammar I	ONLINE	15 Weeks	William Wilson
HE 6204	Hebrew Exegesis	Independent Study Contact AAO	15 Weeks	Joshua Stewart
HI 5311	Church History I: Early and Medieval	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Bill Jaggar
HI 5312	Church History II: Reformation and Modern	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Bill Jaggar
LD 5802	Organizational Communication	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Rol Erickson
LD 5803	Foundations of Leading and Following	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Jamie Swalm
LD 5804	Organizational Culture	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Rol Erickson
LD 5805	Leader-Follower Development	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Rol Erickson
LD 5806	Assessing Organizations	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Jamie Swalm
LD 6807	Strategic Planning	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Rusty Ricketson
LD 6808	Conflict Resolution	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Rusty Ricketson

LD 6811	Leading in Global Contexts	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Jamie Swalm
LD 6812	Leadership Practicum	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Rusty Ricketson
MI 7403	Christian Missions	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Howard Owens
NT 5200	Introduction to the New Testament	ONLINE	15 Weeks	William Wilson
NT 6204	Gospel of John	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Brad Arnett
NT 6205	Acts of the Apostles	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Brad Arnett
OT 5200	Introduction to the Old Testament	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Joshua Stewart
OT 6201	Genesis	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Phillips
OT 6219	Psalms	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Joshua Stewart
OT 6227	Daniel	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Phillips
PH 5904	Foundations of Ethics	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Scott Henderson
TH 5300	Spiritual Formation	ONLINE	15 Weeks	James Kinnebrew
TH 6301	Systematic Theology I	ONLINE	15 Weeks	James Kinnebrew
TH 6302	Systematic Theology II	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Mapes
TH 6303	Systematic Theology III	ONLINE	15 Weeks	David Mapes

Online Mini-Term II

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
AP 5906	Theological Apologetics	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	James Kinnebrew
AP 6910	Modern Religious Sects	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Bill Gordon
CO 5703	Helping Skills	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Ann Kerlin
LD 5801	Leader and Follower Theories	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Rusty Ricketson
NT 6207	1 Corinthians	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	William Wilson
OT 6218	Job	ONLINE	8 Week Mini-Term II	Joshua Stewart

On-Campus

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
AP 5905	Biblical Apologetics	On-Campus	Tuesday Morning	Scott Henderson
LD 5801	Leader and Follower Theories	On-Campus	Tuesday Afternoon	Rusty Ricketson
CO 5701	Introduction to Psychology and Counseling	On-Campus	Tuesday Evening	Ann Kerlin
OT 5200	Introduction to the Old Testament	On-Campus	Thursday Morning	Joshua Stewart
OT 6223	Isaiah	Saturday On-campus 1	(9/9; 9/23; 10/7; 11/4; 12/9)	David Phillips
TH 6303	Systematic Theology III	Saturday On-campus 2	(9/16; 9/30; 10/14; 11/11; 12/16)	David Mapes

DOCTORAL FALL 2017 SCHEDULE

Doctoral

Module

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
DM 8100	Church Growth	MODULE	8/21/2017-8/25/2017	Rusty Ricketson
DM 8000	Research and Writing for Ministry	MODULE	8/28/2017-9/1/2017	Ron Cobb/Thomas Mapes

Online

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
DM 8500	Ministry Project Design	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Ron Cobb
DM 9200	Relationships in Ministry	ONLINE	15 Weeks	Sharon Atkins

Major Ministry Project

Course No.	Course Title	Instructor
DM 9500*	Ministry Project	Advisor

**Students cannot register for DM 9500—Ministry Project without their advisor's approval.*