



LUTHER RICE

COLLEGE & SEMINARY

COURSE SCHEDULE PLANNER

Fall 2021



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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 2021

August	23-27	Doctoral Module (8/23-8/27)
	29	Last Day to Drop the Doctoral Module with "WD"
	30-31	Doctoral Module (8/30-9/3)
September	1-3	Doctoral Module (8/30-9/3)
	5	Last Day to Drop the Doctoral Module with "WD"
	6	Fall Semester Online Full-Term Classes Begin Late Registration for Full Term Classes (Late Fees Apply 9/6-9/12) Labor Day Holiday-Offices Closed
	7	Fall Semester On-campus Classes Begin
	12	Last Day to Drop Full Term Classes with "WD" Recommended Date by Which to Apply for Financial Aid for Fall Mini-Term II
	26	Classes
October	25	Fall Semester Online Mini-Term II Classes Begin
	31	Last Day to Drop Mini-Term II Classes with "WD"
November	5	Graduation Application Deadline for May 2022
	14	Last Day to Drop Fall Classes with "WP" or "WF"
	24-26	Thanksgiving Holidays-Offices Closed
December	16	Fall Semester On-campus Classes End
	19	Fall Semester Online Full Term and Mini-Term II Classes End Recommended Date by Which to Apply for Financial Aid for Spring Semester
	22-28	Christmas Holidays-Offices Closed
	31	New Year's Holiday-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 your Academic Advising Office during normal operating hours. You may also contact an advisor via email at AAO@lutherice.edu

Tuition Payment Plans

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

- No interest charged.
- \$30.00 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 the "MyCampus" portal
 - Click 'Account' and select 'Enroll in Nelnet'
- For more details of the payment plans, enrollment dates, and due dates, visit www.MyCollegePaymentPlan.com/lutherice

Textbooks

Students can find textbook information and purchase textbooks through the Order Textbooks link in the MyCampus portal or at www.luthericebooks.com.

The textbooks for fall 2021 courses will become available in the online bookstore forty (40) 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.luthericebooks.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. The 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 place are the assigned professors and addition of 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 (StudentServices@lutherrice.edu).

Dates and Times of Class Meetings

For-credit and Not-for-credit Certificate Programs

Luther Rice College and Seminary is introducing an undergraduate certificate in biblical studies (9 credit hours), graduate certificate in biblical studies (9 credit hours), and a not-for-credit certificate in biblical studies.

The undergraduate and graduate certificates consist of undergraduate and graduate online courses that extend over the typical length of the semester (i.e., 15 weeks).

The not-for-credit certificate consists of three online courses, each of which is four weeks in length. The not-for-credit courses will be offered at the following times:

BI 0200-How to Study and Interpret the Bible	4 weeks (September 6-October 3, 2021)
OT 0200-Understanding the Old Testament	4 weeks (October 11-November 7, 2021)
NT 0200-Understanding the New Testament	4 weeks (November 15-December 12, 2021)

Online Classes

2021 fall term courses meet for fifteen weeks. An academic work week is Monday through Sunday at 11:59pm. For example, the first academic work week for fall 2021 is Monday 9/6/2021 through Sunday 9/12/2021 at 11:59pm. Each course requires weekly assignments that serve as an attendance check-in.

On Campus Classes

Undergraduate Classes

As we move towards completely re-opening campus, the fall 2021 on-campus courses will consist of two undergraduate courses and will be offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the following times:

	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>
<i>Morning*</i>	8:30am-11:30am	N/A
<i>Afternoon</i>	N/A	1:30pm-4:30pm

** On days that the school holds chapel service, morning classes will end at 12:30pm.*

Doctoral Modules

The fall 2021 Doctoral Module will meet from 8:30am to 5:00pm on-campus and via Zoom on the following weeks:

August 23, 2021-August 27, 2021
August 30, 2021-September 3, 2021

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

FALL 2021 SCHEDULE

**Undergraduate and Graduate Certificate Courses start September 6th and end December 19th.
Not-for-credit Certificate Courses are four weeks in length and offered as scheduled below.**

Undergraduate Certificate in Biblical Studies

Online Full Term

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
BI 1200	Survey of Biblical Interpretation	Online	15-weeks	Casey Hough
NT 1200	Survey of the New Testament	Online	15-weeks	Brad Arnett
OT 1200	Survey of the Old Testament	Online	15-weeks	David Casas

Graduate Certificate in Biblical Studies

Online Full Term

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
BI 5201	Introduction to Biblical Interpretation	Online	15-weeks	Casey Hough
NT 5200	Introduction to the New Testament	Online	15-weeks	William Wilson
OT 5200	Introduction to the Old Testament	Online	15-weeks	Joshua Stewart

Not-for-credit Certificate in Biblical Studies

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule
BI 0200	How to Study and Interpret the Bible	Online	4-week Certificate Course (9/6-10/3)
NT 0200	Understanding the New Testament	Online	4-week Certificate Course (11/15-12/12)
OT 0200	Understanding the Old Testament	Online	4-week Certificate Course (10/11-11/7)

UNDERGRADUATE FALL 2021 SCHEDULE

Online full-term courses start September 6th and end December 19th.
 Online mini-term II courses start October 25th and end December 19th.
 On-campus courses start September 7th and end December 16th.

Undergraduate

Online Full Term

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
BI 1200	Survey of Biblical Interpretation	Online	15-weeks	Casey Hough
CO 2700	Principles of Counseling	Online	15-weeks	TBD
CO 4703	Marriage and Family Counseling	Online	15-weeks	TBD
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
EV 3402	Personal Evangelism	Online	15-weeks	Jeff Meyers
HI 1101	World Civilizations I	Online	15-weeks	Jonathan Henderson
HI 1102	World Civilizations II	Online	15-weeks	Jonathan Henderson
HI 2300	Survey of Church History	Online	15-weeks	Bill Jaggard
MA 1600	College Algebra	Online	15-weeks	Marisa May
MI 2400	Survey of Christian Missions	Online	15-weeks	TBD
MP 1401	Preparing for Christian Ministry	Online	15-weeks	Bill Coleman
MP 4403	Christian Ministry Practicum	Online	15-weeks	Bill Coleman
NT 1200	Survey of the New Testament	Online	15-weeks	Brad Arnett
NT 2201	Life of Christ	Online	15-weeks	Matt Solomon
OT 1200	Survey of the Old Testament	Online	15-weeks	David Casas
OT 3228	Minor Prophets	Online	15-weeks	TBD
OT 4214	Chronicles	Online	15-weeks	David Phillips
PH 1900	Philosophy and Critical Thinking	Online	15-weeks	Scott Henderson
PH 1901	Principles of Philosophy	Online	15-weeks	Scott Henderson
PH 2901	Contemporary Moral Philosophy	Online	15-weeks	Scott Henderson
PM 3400	Principles of Ministerial Leadership	Online	15-weeks	Marcus Merritt
PM 3401	Foundations of Pastoral Ministry	Online	15-weeks	Alan Posey
PM 4402	Principles of Biblical Exposition	Online	15-weeks	TBD
PM 4403	Principles of Administration in Ministry	Online	15-weeks	TBD
PY 2703	Principles of Psychology	Online	15-weeks	Danny Dieringer
SC 1501	Physical Science	Online	15-weeks	Brian Papke
TH 3301	Survey of Theology I	Online	15-weeks	Tim Skinner
TH 3302	Survey of Theology II	Online	15-weeks	Tim Skinner

Online Mini-term II

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
AP 3904	Principles of Apologetics	Online	8-week Mini Term II	Bill Gordon
NT 3215	Pastoral Epistles	Online	8-week Mini Term II	Brad Arnett
NT 3206	Romans	Online	8-week Mini Term II	Matt Solomon
OT 2201	Genesis	Online	8-week Mini Term II	David Casas
TH 4303	Christology	Online	8-week Mini Term II	Tim Skinner

On-campus

Course No.	Course Title	Day	Schedule	Instructor
MP 1401	Preparing for Christian Ministry	Tuesday Morning	15-weeks	Dennis Dieringer
TH 3301	Survey of Theology I	Thursday Afternoon	15-weeks	Tim Skinner

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Graduate

Online Full Term

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
AP 5901	Foundations of Apologetics	Online	15-weeks	Bill Gordon
AP 5904	Apologetic Methods	Online	15-weeks	Doug Taylor
AP 6907	Apologetics and Miracles	Online	15-weeks	Doug Taylor
AP 6911	Apologetics Capstone	Online	15-weeks	Doug Taylor
BE 7404	Preparing an Expository Message	Online	15-weeks	Scott Moody
BE 7405	Delivering an Expository Message	Online	15-weeks	Scott Moody
BI 5201	Introduction to Biblical Interpretation	Online	15-weeks	Casey Hough
CM 7402	The Work of Ministry	Online	15-weeks	Alan Posey
CM 7407	Ministry Practicum	Online	15-weeks	Bill Coleman
CO 5701	Introduction to Counseling Theories	Online	15-weeks	Ann Kerlin
CO 5703	Helping Skills	Online	15-weeks	Ann Kerlin
CO 5704	Marriage and Family Counseling	Online	15-weeks	Max Mills
CO 6708	Counseling Practicum	Online	15-weeks	Angela Scruggs
EV 7401	Personal and Church Evangelism	Online	15-weeks	Jeff Meyers
GR 5201	New Testament Greek Grammar I	Online	15-weeks	William Wilson
HE 6204	Old Testament Hebrew Exegesis	Online	15-weeks	Joshua Stewart
HI 5311	Church History I: Early and Medieval	Online	15-weeks	Bill Jaggard
HI 5312	Church History II: Reformation and Modern	Online	15-weeks	Bill Jaggard
LD 5805	Leadership Development	Online	15-weeks	Jamie Swalm
LD 6807	Organizational Strategic Planning	Online	15-weeks	Jamie Swalm
LD 6808	Conflict Resolution for Organizational Leaders	Online	15-weeks	Rusty Ricketson
LD 6812	Leadership Practicum	Online	15-weeks	Rusty Ricketson
MI 7403	Christian Missions	Online	15-weeks	TBD
NT 5200	Introduction to the New Testament	Online	15-weeks	William Wilson
NT 6204	Gospel of John	Online	15-weeks	Matt Solomon
NT 6206	Romans	Online	15-weeks	William Wilson
NT 6227	Revelation	Online	15-weeks	Brad Arnett
OT 5200	Introduction to the Old Testament	Online	15-weeks	Joshua Stewart
OT 6201	Genesis	Online	15-weeks	David Casas
TH 5300	Applied Theology for Spiritual Development	Online	15-weeks	Alan Posey
TH 6301	Systematic Theology I	Online	15-weeks	David Mapes
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
BE 7404	Preparing an Expository Message	Online	8-week Mini Term II	Scott Moody
CO 6707	Methodology for Counseling	Online	8-week Mini Term II	Ann Kerlin
LD 5801	Theories of Organizational Leadership	Online	8-week Mini Term II	Rusty Ricketson
OT 6218	Job	Online	8-week Mini Term II	Joshua Stewart

DOCTORAL FALL 2021 SCHEDULE

Online full-term courses start September 6th and end December 19th.

Doctoral

Online Full Term

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
DM 8500	Doctoral Ministry Proposal Design	Online	15-weeks	Ron Cobb
DM 9200	Relationships in Ministry	Online	15-weeks	Ron Cobb
DM 9500	Doctoral Ministry Project	Online	15-weeks	Ron Cobb

Module

Course No.	Course Title	Mode	Schedule	Instructor
DM 8000	Research and Writing for Ministry	On-campus & Zoom	August 23-27, 2021	Ron Cobb
DM 8100	Evangelism in Contemporary Culture	On-campus & Zoom	August 30-September 3, 2021	Jeff Meyers