



Assemblies of God Theological Seminary

Master of Arts in Theological Studies

The following Program Learning Outcomes have been established by Evangel faculty to define the areas of knowledge and skills that students graduating from this major degree program should have developed. At the conclusion of this program, students will be able to:

1. **Revelation and Mission**
Discuss the flow of biblical revelation through the Old and New Testaments, especially as it relates to the redemptive mission of God's people throughout the world.
2. **Bridge the Horizons**
Construct an interpretive paradigm for bridging the horizons between the ancient biblical text and the contemporary world.
3. **Extract Biblical Teaching**
Demonstrate an ability extract and construct the biblical teaching on a given topic or doctrine that respects the progress of revelation within the biblical canon and employs sound principles of biblical interpretation.
4. **Construct Biblical Responses**
Analyze contemporary socio-cultural challenges from society and construct biblically informed, relevant responses to those challenges that are faithful to historic Christian faith.
5. **Issues and People in BTh**
Identify and discuss the major issues and key figures in church history, biblical interpretation and theology in light of the mission of God.
6. **Pentecostalism**
Explain the historical trends and doctrines of Pentecostalism, and assess their contribution to theological developments both past and present.
7. **Critical Methods**
Critique the various methods and critical approaches to biblical interpretation of both the Old and New Testaments and assess their positive contributions and limitations for biblical exegesis.
8. **Application**
Seek to apply biblical/theological foundations and critique to current ministry practices within specific ministry contexts.