

A student may enroll in only one undergraduate program of study at a time. In the event a student fulfills the requirements for two or more programs of study at the same time, recognition is awarded for the most advanced level only.

## UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS OF STUDY

Global University Independent-Study Textbooks are developed by qualified faculty and instructional design specialists. Learning and teaching principles derived from educational research are incorporated into the design of Global University instructional materials. More than eighty-five undergraduate courses are available for study. Global University curriculum is under constant evaluation, and revisions or additions are made in keeping with the goal of providing the best possible learning experience for students.

### Definition of Course and Subject

Global University uses the terms *course* and *subject* interchangeably. For example, BIB 3013 *Genesis* is a three-credit degree program course or subject. Courses (subjects) are the fundamental units of the curriculum. Satisfactory completion of a program is recognized by the awarding of certain certificates, diplomas, or degrees.

Although Global University does not use a standard semester for enrollment, for international transfer its credits are considered semester credit hours. In a traditional semester system, a 3-credit course would require three one-hour lectures per week for at least fifteen weeks. A full-time study program would be equivalent to 12–18 credits per semester. For United States VA students desiring full-time status, a minimum of 18 credit hours per six months is required.

### Course Sequences and Prerequisites

The following pages provide the suggested sequence for taking undergraduate courses for each degree program.

It is highly recommended that students follow the suggested sequence. If a course has a prerequisite, a notation is made in the course description section of this catalog. For example, BIB 4143 *Undergraduate Greek I* must be taken before BIB 4153 *Undergraduate Greek II*.

### Numbering System for Undergraduate Program Courses

A key to interpreting course numbers follows. Course numbers should be used with the subject names on all order forms, subject enrollment forms (SEFs), and other academic records.

1. The first three letters indicate the academic content area of the course:

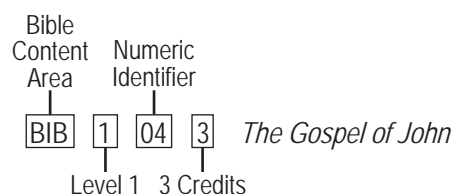
|     |                                  |     |                           |
|-----|----------------------------------|-----|---------------------------|
| BIB | Bible                            | HSC | Health Science            |
| THE | Theology                         | LDR | Leadership and Management |
| MIN | Church Ministries                | LIT | Literature                |
| MIS | Missions / Intercultural Studies | MTH | Mathematics               |
| BUS | Business                         | MUS | Music                     |
| COM | Communications                   | PHL | Philosophy / Ethics       |
| CSC | Computer Science                 | PSY | Psychology                |
| EDU | Education                        | REL | Religion                  |
| ENG | English                          | SOC | Sociology                 |
| GSC | General Science                  | SPN | Spanish                   |
| HIS | History                          |     |                           |

2. The first digit indicates the level of the course.

3. The second and third digits serve as numerical identifiers.

4. The final digit indicates the credit value.

An example is BIB 1043 *The Gospel of John*:



### General Education

#### Curricular Philosophy and Objectives

Global University's curriculum gives students the learning experiences that lead not only to depth of knowledge and skill in the major area of study but also to a complementary breadth of learning. Consequently, the institution designs every degree program to require the student to complete three components: (1) a comprehensive Bible and theology core, (2) a selected major, and (3) a broad general education core. The Bible and theology core provides a basic biblical education for all students. The selected major allows students to prepare themselves according to their individual interests, abilities, and sense of calling. The general education core

helps students understand the contemporary world and how to relate to it.

Global University values general education as a foundational, broad-based educational complement to the professional, theological training component. The university recognizes that an understanding of one's own and other cultures and an ability to relate both interculturally and cross-culturally in the contemporary world are crucial to effective ministry. The general education program prepares students for such ministry by facilitating their enculturation into the global context in which they live and serve and by helping them to understand and appreciate the individual within a complex and culturally diverse world.

The learning experiences offered by the Global University general education program allow students to prepare themselves according to their individual interests and sense of calling, to integrate breadth of learning with the Christian worldview across many disciplines, to develop communication and critical thinking skills, and to cultivate a desire for disciplined personal growth and lifelong learning.

### **Content Areas**

General education courses at Global University are divided into four broad areas: Humanities and Arts, including history, culture, and philosophy; Language and Communication Arts; Natural Sciences and Mathematics, including the health sciences and technology; and Social and Behavioral Sciences, including education, sociology, and psychology.

### **Broad Program Goals**

Global University's faculty believes the general education program should enable students to achieve the following goals:

- Demonstrate mastery of mathematical and quantitative skills necessary for everyday life.
- Use information technology effectively.

- Demonstrate effective written and oral communication skills.
- Describe the historical, sociological, and cultural influences and contexts of the world.
- Demonstrate the ability to derive conclusions from complex information (thereby showing the ability to think critically and analytically).
- Differentiate among the various humanities and artistic expressions of diverse cultures.
- Describe the natural and physical world in which we live.
- Practice the pursuit, evaluation, and application of knowledge throughout life.
- Compare and contrast one's own worldview with the worldviews of others.

Global University offers more than thirty courses in the various areas of general education. Additional courses are being added each year. Students are required to study specific courses in each area and are able to choose other courses as electives. This selection of general education courses exposes students to the disciplines deemed necessary for professional and social interaction. Thus, a practical need drives the general education requirement.

This general education component demonstrates breadth and coherence through variety and promotes critical thinking and creativity through its system of formative and summative evaluation, course projects, collateral reading assignments, and service learning requirements. The institution recognizes the importance of the general education content areas to the development of historical perspective, communication, critical thinking, and quantitative reasoning skills necessary to life in a global society.

# BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE PROGRAMS

The curricula for the Bachelor of Arts degrees requires a minimum of 120 credits. At least 30 credits must be enrolled through Global University, 15 of which must be in the student's major. Students who plan to continue their studies in graduate school or seminary are strongly advised to complete Greek courses.

## Four-Year BA Degree in Bible and Theology

The Bachelor of Arts in Bible and Theology is designed to provide the biblical and theological knowledge necessary for students to carry out Christian ministry in the local church and/or to pursue advanced academic studies. After successfully completing this curriculum, students will be able to properly interpret the Bible, demonstrate a working knowledge of the history and application of Christian theology, preach and teach the gospel in a local cultural setting, conduct programs in their local churches that will facilitate the ongoing vitality of the Christian faith, and pursue advanced academic studies.

### Bible

Choose one of the following:

|                        |  |           |
|------------------------|--|-----------|
| BIB 1033               | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <b>or</b> |           |
| BIB 1073               | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3         |
| BIB 2043               | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                | 3         |
| BIB 3013               | Genesis  | 3         |
| BIB 3073               | The Book of Acts                                     | 3         |
| BIB 4133               | Wisdom Literature                                    | 3         |
| LIT 1213               | Old Testament Literature: His Story                  | 3         |
| LIT 1313               | The New Testament as Literature                      | 3         |
| Bible Elective Courses |  | 6         |
| <b>Total:</b>          |  | <b>27</b> |

### Theology

THE 1013 Pneumatology

Choose one of the following:

|                          |  |           |
|--------------------------|--|-----------|
| THE 1033                 | God and Angels <b>or</b>                     |           |
| THE 1043                 | Man and Sin                                  | 3         |
| THE 2013                 | The Bible and the Church                     | 3         |
| THE 3013                 | Apologetics                                  | 3         |
| THE 4033                 | Christology: Jesus, Son of God in the Spirit | 3         |
| Theology Elective Course |  | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>            |  | <b>18</b> |

### Church Ministries/Intercultural Studies

|   |  |           |
|---|--|-----------|
| COM 3103  | Cross-Cultural Communications          | 3         |
| MIN 1103  | Great Commission Strategies            | 3         |
| MIN 3043  | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages | 3         |
| MIS 2013  | The Bible and Missions                 | 3         |
| Church Ministries or Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course |  | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>   |  | <b>15</b> |

### General Education

|   |   |           |
|---|---|-----------|
| COM 1023  | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication      | 3         |
| CSC 1023  | Introduction to Computers*                                | 3         |
| ENG 1023  | Introductory Writing                                      | 3         |
| ENG 1103  | Writing Better English                                    | 3         |
| GUO 1011  | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup>  | 1         |
| Choose one of the following:                    |   |           |
| HIS 2503  | Civilization Past and Present I or                        |           |
| HIS 2603  | Civilization Past and Present II                          | 3         |
| Choose one of the following:                    |   |           |
| HIS 2203  | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation or          |           |
| HIS 2303  | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Courses       |   | 5         |
| Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Courses |   | 6         |
| Quantitative Literacy Elective Course           |   | 3         |
| Natural Sciences Elective Course                |   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>                                   |   | <b>36</b> |

### General Electives

|                           |  |            |
|---------------------------|--|------------|
| Courses from any Division |  | 24         |
| <b>Total:</b>             |  | <b>24</b>  |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |  | <b>120</b> |

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**Note:** This program is offered as a Bachelor of Biblical Studies or Bachelor of Theology in some countries.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete an undergraduate capstone requirement. The capstone consists of four activities: (1) a Bible and Theology posttest, (2) a written essay, (3) a verbal communication recording, and (4) the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. All four capstone components are required for students graduating with a full BA or second BA. It is recommended that students begin working on the essay and verbal components of their capstone within six months of graduating. The posttest and Graduate Follow-Up Survey should be completed during their last course. Students should submit all four capstone components before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

**Thesis option available.** Students who plan to continue their education in graduate school or seminary may study this program with a thesis option to better prepare themselves for studies at that level. A 6-credit thesis and two 3-credit Undergraduate Greek courses can be selected to replace an equal number of elective credits in this program. For more information, contact a degree audit specialist for advisement at 800.443.1083 or by email: [degreeaudit@globaluniversity.edu](mailto:degreeaudit@globaluniversity.edu).

**MINOR IN PASTORAL COUNSELING** (15 credit hours) Students who are interested in doing further study in the area of Christian counseling may choose to complete a minor in Pastoral Counseling. The following courses may be taken in order to satisfy the requirements. These courses will be counted as part of the 24 General Electives credits. At least four of the five courses required for the minor must be completed through Global University.

|          |  |   |          |                           |   |
|----------|--|---|----------|---------------------------|---|
| MIN 1093 | Introduction to Pastoral Counseling            | 3 | MIS 4103 | Cross-Cultural Counseling | 3 |
| MIN 2023 | Christian Counseling                           | 3 | LDR 4103 | Managing Conflict         | 3 |
| MIS 2063 | Marriage Counseling: A Cross-Cultural Approach | 3 |          |                           |   |

### **Recommended Course Sequence for a Four-Year BA Degree in Bible and Theology**

#### **Sequence One**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup> | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story                      | 3         |
| G             | ENG 1023 | Introductory Writing                                     | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature                          | 3         |
| G             | CSC 1023 | Introduction to Computers*                               | 3         |
| G             | ENG 1103 | Writing Better English                                   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

#### **Sequence Two**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
| B             | BIB 1033 | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |           |
| B             | BIB 1073 | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3         |
| G             | COM 1023 | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
| M             | MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                               | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>15</b> |

#### **Sequence Three**

|               |  |   |           |
|---------------|--|---|-----------|
| B             | BIB 2043                                 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T             | THE 1033                                 | God and Angels <u>or</u>                                  |           |
| T             | THE 1043                                 | Man and Sin   | 3         |
| T             | THE 2013                                 | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2203                                 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G             | HIS 2303                                 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| G             | Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Course |   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  |   | <b>15</b> |

#### **Sequence Four**

|               |   |   |           |
|---------------|---|---|-----------|
| G             | HIS 2503  | Civilization Past and Present I <u>or</u> |           |
| G             | HIS 2603  | Civilization Past and Present II          | 3         |
| G             | Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Course                            |   | 2         |
| B             | Bible Elective Course   |   | 3         |
| G             | Natural Sciences Elective Course                                    |   | 3         |
| T             | Church Ministries or Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course |   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |   |   | <b>14</b> |

#### **Sequence Five**

|               |  |  |           |
|---------------|--|--|-----------|
| B             | BIB 3013                                       | Genesis                                | 3         |
| M             | MIN 3043                                       | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages | 3         |
| G             | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course |  | 3         |
| G             | Quantitative Literacy Elective Course          |  | 3         |
| B             | Bible Elective Course                          |  | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  |  | <b>15</b> |

#### **Sequence Six**

|               |  |                               |           |
|---------------|--|-------------------------------|-----------|
| M             | COM 3103                                       | Cross-Cultural Communications | 3         |
| B             | BIB 3073                                       | The Book of Acts              | 3         |
| T             | THE 3013                                       | Apologetics                   | 3         |
| G             | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course |                               | 3         |
| T             | Theology Elective Course                       |                               | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  |                               | <b>15</b> |

#### **Sequence Seven**

|               |                          |                   |           |
|---------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| B             | BIB 4133                 | Wisdom Literature | 3         |
| G             | General Elective Courses |                   | 12        |
| <b>Total:</b> |                          |                   | <b>15</b> |

#### **Sequence Eight**

|                           |                          |  |            |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|--|------------|
| T                         | THE 4033                 | Christology: Jesus, Son of God in the Spirit | 3          |
| G                         | General Elective Courses |  | 12         |
| <b>Total:</b>             |                          |  | <b>15</b>  |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |                          |  | <b>120</b> |

## Four-Year BA Degree in Christian Education

The Bachelor of Arts in Christian Education is designed to provide the student with the knowledge and skills necessary to serve in the teaching ministry of the local church. While NOT a teacher certification program, the successful completion of this degree may qualify the student to teach courses in some Christian or private schools and/or administer programs in Christian education. After successfully completing this curriculum, students will be able to interpret the Bible properly, demonstrate a working knowledge of the history and application of Christian theology, preach and teach the gospel in a local cultural setting, conduct programs in their local churches that will facilitate the ongoing vitality of the Christian faith, teach courses in schools and/or administer programs in education, and pursue advanced academic studies.

### Christian Education

|  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| COM 3103   | Cross-Cultural Communications                 | 3 |
| EDU 3103   | Principles of Teaching                        | 3 |
| EDU 3113   | Competency and Proficiency in Teaching        | 3 |
| EDU 3213   | Foundations of Educational Psychology         | 3 |
| EDU 3613   | Instructional Media                           | 3 |
| EDU 4133   | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context | 3 |
| LDR 3013   | Guidelines for Leadership                     | 3 |
| MIN 1103   | Great Commission Strategies                   | 3 |
| MIN 2013   | Human Relations                               | 3 |
| MIN 3043   | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages        | 3 |
| MIN 3063   | The Church's Educational Task                 | 3 |
| Church Ministries, Missions/Intercultural Studies <u>or</u><br>Leadership and Management Elective Course |   | 3 |
| <b>Total:</b>  | <b>36</b>                                     |   |

### Bible

|                       |                                       |   |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| BIB 2043              | Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 3 |
| BIB 3073              | The Book of Acts                      | 3 |
| LIT 1213              | Old Testament Literature: His Story   | 3 |
| LIT 1313              | The New Testament as Literature       | 3 |
| Bible Elective Course |                                       | 3 |
| <b>Total:</b>         | <b>15</b>                             |   |

### Theology

|   |                          |   |
|---|--------------------------|---|
| THE 1013                                | Pneumatology             | 3 |
| THE 2013                                | The Bible and the Church | 3 |
| Upper Division Theology Elective Course |                          | 3 |
| <b>Total:</b>                           | <b>9</b>                 |   |

### General Education

|   |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| COM 1023  | Public Speaking: The Art of<br>Meaningful Communication      | 3 |
| CSC 1023  | Introduction to Computers*                                   | 3 |
| ENG 1023  | Introductory Writing   | 3 |
| ENG 1103  | Writing Better English                                       | 3 |
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| HIS 2603  | Civilization Past and Present II                             | 3 |
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| HIS 2303  | The Church: From the Reformation<br>Through the 20th Century | 3 |
| Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Courses       |  | 5 |
| Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Courses |  | 6 |
| Quantitative Literacy Elective Course           |  | 3 |
| Natural Sciences Elective Course                |  | 3 |
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|                           |            |    |
|---------------------------|------------|----|
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|          |                                     |   |          |  |   |
|----------|-------------------------------------|---|----------|--|---|
| MIN 1053 | The Work of the Pastor              | 3 | MIS 2063 | Marriage Counseling: A Cross-Cultural Approach | 3 |
| MIN 1093 | Introduction to Pastoral Counseling | 3 | LDR 4103 | Managing Conflict                              | 3 |
| MIN 2023 | Christian Counseling                | 3 |          |  |   |

**Recommended Course Sequence for a Four-Year BA Degree in Christian Education**

**Sequence One**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| G | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University† | 1         |
| B | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story          | 3         |
| G | ENG 1023 | Introductory Writing                         | 3         |
| B | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature              | 3         |
| G | CSC 1023 | Introduction to Computers*                   | 3         |
| G | ENG 1103 | Writing Better English                       | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                | <b>16</b> |

**Sequence Two**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| M | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
| G | COM 1023 | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication | 3         |
| T | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
| M | MIN 2013 | Human Relations                                      | 3         |
| B | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Three**

|   |          |   |           |
|---|----------|---|-----------|
| T | THE 2013 | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G | HIS 2203 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G | HIS 2303 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| G | EDU 3103 | Principles of Teaching                                    | 3         |
| M | MIN 3063 | The Church's Educational Task                             | 3         |
| G |          | Natural Sciences Elective Course                          | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>   | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Four**

|   |          |   |           |
|---|----------|---|-----------|
| G | HIS 2503 | Civilization Past and Present I <u>or</u> |           |
| G | HIS 2603 | Civilization Past and Present II          | 3         |
| G |          | Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Course  | 5         |
| G | EDU 3113 | Competency and Proficiency in Teaching    | 3         |
| G | LDR 3013 | Guidelines for Leadership                 | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                             | <b>14</b> |

**Sequence Five**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| M | COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications                  | 3         |
| M | MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages         | 3         |
| G |          | Quantitative Literacy Elective Course          | 3         |
| G | EDU 3213 | Foundations of Educational Psychology          | 3         |
| G |          | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                  | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Six**

|   |          |   |           |
|---|----------|---|-----------|
| B | BIB 3073 | The Book of Acts  | 3         |
| G | EDU 3613 | Instructional Media   | 3         |
| G |          | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course                  | 3         |
|   |          | M/G Church Ministries, Missions/Intercultural Studies <u>or</u> |           |
|   |          | Leadership and Management Elective Course                       | 3         |
| B |          | Bible Elective Course   | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>   | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Seven**

|   |          |   |           |
|---|----------|---|-----------|
| G | EDU 4133 | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context | 3         |
| G |          | General Elective Courses                      | 12        |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                 | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Eight**

|   |  |   |            |
|---|--|---|------------|
| T |  | Upper Division Theology Elective Course | 3          |
| G |  | General Elective Courses                | 12         |
|   |  | <b>Total:</b>                           | <b>15</b>  |
|   |  | <b>Total for Program:</b>               | <b>120</b> |

## Four-Year BA Degree in Intercultural Studies

The Bachelor of Arts in Intercultural Studies is designed to provide the biblical and theological knowledge and the cross-cultural skills necessary for ministry across various cultures. After successfully completing this curriculum, students will be able to preach and teach the Word of God within varying and diverse people groups and cultures, interpret the Bible properly, demonstrate a working knowledge of the history and application of Christian theology, and conduct programs in local churches that will facilitate the ongoing vitality of the Christian faith in and among congregations with diverse membership.

### Intercultural Studies

|          |  |           |
|----------|--|-----------|
| COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications                          | 3         |
| EDU 4133 | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context          | 3         |
| MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                            | 3         |
| MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages                 | 3         |
| MIN 3073 | Communicating Christian Faith in a Pluralistic Society | 3         |
| MIS 1023 | Introduction to Missions                               | 3         |
| MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                                 | 3         |
| MIS 3023 | Introduction to Islam                                  | 3         |
| MIS 4013 | Christian Ministry in a Muslim Context                 | 3         |
| MIS 4053 | Philosophy of Missions*                                | 3         |
| REL 2013 | People and Their Beliefs                               | 3         |
|          | Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course         | 3         |
|          | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>36</b> |

### Bible

|          |                                       |           |
|----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 3         |
| BIB 3073 | The Book of Acts                      | 3         |
| LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story   | 3         |
| LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature       | 3         |
|          | Bible Elective Course                 | 3         |
|          | <b>Total:</b>                         | <b>15</b> |

### Theology

|          |   |          |
|----------|---|----------|
| THE 1013 | Pneumatology                            | 3        |
| THE 2013 | The Bible and the Church                | 3        |
|          | Upper Division Theology Elective Course | 3        |
|          | <b>Total:</b>                           | <b>9</b> |

### General Education

|          |   |           |
|----------|---|-----------|
| COM 1023 | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication      | 3         |
| CSC 1023 | Introduction to Computers <sup>†</sup>                    | 3         |
| ENG 1023 | Introductory Writing                                      | 3         |
| ENG 1103 | Writing Better English                                    | 3         |
| GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>‡</sup>  | 1         |
|          | Choose one of the following:                              |           |
| HIS 2503 | Civilization Past and Present I <b>or</b>                 |           |
| HIS 2603 | Civilization Past and Present II                          | 3         |
|          | Choose one of the following:                              |           |
| HIS 2203 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <b>or</b>   |           |
| HIS 2303 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
|          | Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Courses                 | 5         |
|          | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Courses           | 6         |
|          | Quantitative Literacy Elective Course                     | 3         |
|          | Natural Sciences Elective Course                          | 3         |
|          | <b>Total:</b>   | <b>36</b> |

### General Electives

|  |                           |            |
|--|---------------------------|------------|
|  | Courses from any Division | 24         |
|  | <b>Total:</b>             | <b>24</b>  |
|  | <b>Total for Program:</b> | <b>120</b> |

\* Directed Reading

<sup>†</sup> Students who have strong computer skills have the option to request a computer competency exam. Those passing the exam may substitute another General Education course in place of CSC 1023. Please contact your enrollment office for fees and other information.

<sup>‡</sup> Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

**Note:** This program is offered as a Bachelor of Intercultural Studies in some countries.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete an undergraduate capstone requirement. The capstone consists of four activities: (1) an Intercultural Studies posttest, (2) a written essay, (3) a verbal communication recording, and (4) the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. All four capstone components are required for students graduating with a full BA or second BA. It is recommended that students begin working on the essay and verbal components of their capstone within six months of graduating. The posttest and Graduate Follow-Up Survey should be completed during their last course. Students should submit all four capstone components before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

**Thesis option available.** Students who plan to continue their education in graduate school or seminary may study this program with a thesis option to better prepare themselves for studies at that level. A 6-credit thesis and two 3-credit Undergraduate Greek courses can be selected to replace an equal number of elective credits in this program. For more information, contact a degree audit specialist for advisement at 800.443.1083 or by email: [degreeaudit@globaluniversity.edu](mailto:degreeaudit@globaluniversity.edu).

**MINOR IN PASTORAL COUNSELING** (15 credit hours) Students who are interested in doing further study in the area of Christian counseling may choose to complete a minor in Pastoral Counseling. The following courses may be taken in order to satisfy the requirements. These courses will be counted as part of the 22 General Electives credits. At least four of the five courses required for the minor must be completed through Global University.

|          |                                     |   |          |                           |   |
|----------|-------------------------------------|---|----------|---------------------------|---|
| MIN 1053 | The Work of the Pastor              | 3 | MIS 4103 | Cross-Cultural Counseling | 3 |
| MIN 1093 | Introduction to Pastoral Counseling | 3 | LDR 4103 | Managing Conflict         | 3 |
| MIN 2023 | Christian Counseling                | 3 |          |                           |   |

**Recommended Course Sequence for a Four-Year BA Degree in Intercultural Studies**

**Sequence One**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| G | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup> | 1         |
| B | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story                      | 3         |
| G | ENG 1023 | Introductory Writing                                     | 3         |
| B | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature                          | 3         |
| G | CSC 1023 | Introduction to Computers <sup>†</sup>                   | 3         |
| G | ENG 1103 | Writing Better English                                   | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>16</b> |

**Sequence Two**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| M | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
| G | COM 1023 | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication | 3         |
| T | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
| M | MIS 1023 | Introduction to Missions                             | 3         |
| B | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Three**

|   |          |   |           |
|---|----------|---|-----------|
| T | THE 2013 | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G | HIS 2203 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G | HIS 2303 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| M | MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                                    | 3         |
| G | REL 2013 | People and Their Beliefs                                  | 3         |
| G |          | Natural Sciences Elective Course                          | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>   | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Four**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| G | HIS 2503 | Civilization Past and Present I <u>or</u>              |           |
| G | HIS 2603 | Civilization Past and Present II                       | 3         |
| G |          | Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Courses              | 5         |
| M | MIS 3023 | Introduction to Islam                                  | 3         |
| M | MIN 3073 | Communicating Christian Faith in a Pluralistic Society | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>14</b> |

**Sequence Five**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| M | COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications                  | 3         |
| M | MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages         | 3         |
| G |          | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course | 3         |
| G |          | Quantitative Literacy Elective Course          | 3         |
| M |          | Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                  | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Six**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| B | BIB 3073 | The Book of Acts                               | 3         |
| M | MIS 4013 | Christian Ministry in a Muslim Context         | 3         |
| G |          | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course | 3         |
| B |          | Bible Elective Course                          | 3         |
| G |          | General Elective Course                        | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                  | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Seven**

|   |          |   |           |
|---|----------|---|-----------|
| G | EDU 4133 | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context | 3         |
| M | MIS 4053 | Philosophy of Missions*                       | 3         |
| G |          | General Elective Courses                      | 9         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                 | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Eight**

|   |  |   |            |
|---|--|---|------------|
| T |  | Upper Division Theology Elective Course | 3          |
| G |  | General Elective Courses                | 12         |
|   |  | <b>Total:</b>                           | <b>15</b>  |
|   |  | <b>Total for Program:</b>               | <b>120</b> |



# THREE-YEAR BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE PROGRAMS

*(For students in a qualifying international education system)*

The typical North American high school curriculum prepares college-bound students for a four-year bachelor's degree program. However, many international school systems prepare qualified high-school students for the three-year bachelor's degree program. For this reason, Global University offers three 3-year bachelor of arts programs through network offices: Bible and Theology, Christian Education, and Intercultural Studies. The student should contact his or her network office to find out if the three-year program is offered in his or her country.

To be accepted into one of these three-year bachelor's programs, the student must (a) complete the application process, (b) have graduated from a qualifying international educational system that endorses the three-year bachelor's degree program, and (c) have "A"-level certificates or the equivalent.

The curricula for the three-year Bachelor of Arts degrees requires a total of 90 credits. A minimum of 30 credits must be enrolled through Global University, 15 of which must be in the student's major.

## Three-Year BA Degree in Bible and Theology

### Bible

Choose one of the following:

|                        |  |           |           |
|------------------------|--|-----------|-----------|
| BIB 1033               | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels     | <u>or</u> |           |
| BIB 1073               | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans |           | 3         |
| BIB 2043               | Principles of Biblical Interpretation          |           | 3         |
| BIB 3013               | Genesis  |           | 3         |
| BIB 3073               | The Book of Acts                               |           | 3         |
| BIB 4133               | Wisdom Literature                              |           | 3         |
| LIT 1213               | Old Testament Literature: His Story            |           | 3         |
| LIT 1313               | The New Testament as Literature                |           | 3         |
| Bible Elective Courses |  |           | 6         |
| <b>Total:</b>          |  |           | <b>27</b> |

### Theology

THE 1013 Pneumatology

Choose one of the following:

|                          |  |           |           |
|--------------------------|--|-----------|-----------|
| THE 1033                 | God and Angels                               | <u>or</u> |           |
| THE 1043                 | Man and Sin                                  |           | 3         |
| THE 2013                 | The Bible and the Church                     |           | 3         |
| THE 3013                 | Apologetics                                  |           | 3         |
| THE 4033                 | Christology: Jesus, Son of God in the Spirit |           | 3         |
| Theology Elective Course |  |           | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>            |  |           | <b>18</b> |

### Church Ministries/Intercultural Studies

|   |  |  |           |
|---|--|--|-----------|
| COM 3103  | Cross-Cultural Communications          |  | 3         |
| MIN 1103  | Great Commission Strategies            |  | 3         |
| MIN 3043  | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages |  | 3         |
| MIS 2013  | The Bible and Missions                 |  | 3         |
| Church Ministries or Missions/Intercultural Studies |  |  |           |
| Elective Course                                     |  |  | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>                                       |  |  | <b>15</b> |

### General Education

|   |   |           |           |
|---|---|-----------|-----------|
| GUO 1011  | Essentials of Learning at Global University*              |           | 1         |
| Choose one of the following:                                |   |           |           |
| HIS 2503  | Civilization Past and Present I                           | <u>or</u> |           |
| HIS 2603  | Civilization Past and Present II                          |           | 3         |
| Choose one of the following:                                |   |           |           |
| HIS 2203  | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation             | <u>or</u> |           |
| HIS 2303  | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century |           | 3         |
| 4956 Thesis in major subject area (or two 3-credit courses) |   |           | 6         |
| <b>Total:</b>   |   |           | <b>13</b> |

### General Electives

|                           |  |  |           |
|---------------------------|--|--|-----------|
| Courses from any Division |  |  | 17        |
| <b>Total:</b>             |  |  | <b>17</b> |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |  |  | <b>90</b> |

\* Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete an undergraduate capstone requirement. The capstone consists of four activities: (1) a Bible and Theology posttest, (2) a written essay, (3) a verbal communication recording, and (4) the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. All four capstone components are required for students graduating with a full BA or second BA. It is recommended that students begin working on the essay and verbal components of their capstone within six months of graduating. The posttest and Graduate Follow-Up Survey should be completed during their last course. Students should submit all four capstone components before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

## **Recommended Course Sequence for a Three-Year BA Degree in Bible and Theology**

### **Sequence One**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University*         | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story                  | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature                      | 3         |
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
| B             | BIB 1033 | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |           |
| B             | BIB 1073 | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

### **Sequence Two**

|               |          |   |           |
|---------------|----------|---|-----------|
| M             | MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                                    | 3         |
| B             | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T             | THE 1033 | God and Angels <u>or</u>                                  |           |
| T             | THE 1043 | Man and Sin   | 3         |
| T             | THE 2013 | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2203 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G             | HIS 2303 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |   | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Three**

|               |   |   |           |
|---------------|---|---|-----------|
| G             | HIS 2503  | Civilization Past and Present I <u>or</u> |           |
| G             | HIS 2603  | Civilization Past and Present II          | 3         |
| B             | BIB 3013  | Genesis                                   | 3         |
| M             | Church Ministries or Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course |   | 3         |
| B             | Bible Elective Course   |   | 3         |
| M             | MIN 3043  | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages    | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |   |   | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Four**

|               |                          |                               |           |
|---------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| M             | COM 3103                 | Cross-Cultural Communications | 3         |
| B             | BIB 3073                 | The Book of Acts              | 3         |
| T             | THE 3013                 | Apologetics                   | 3         |
| B             | Bible Elective Course    |                               | 3         |
| T             | Theology Elective Course |                               | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |                          |                               | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Five**

|               |                         |  |           |
|---------------|-------------------------|--|-----------|
| B             | BIB 4133                | Wisdom Literature                            | 3         |
| T             | THE 4033                | Christology: Jesus, Son of God in the Spirit | 3         |
| G             | General Elective Course |  | 9         |
| <b>Total:</b> |                         |  | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Six**

|                           |   |  |           |
|---------------------------|---|--|-----------|
| G                         | General Elective Courses                                    |  | 8         |
|                           | 4956 Thesis in major subject area (or two 3-credit courses) |  | 6         |
| <b>Total:</b>             |   |  | <b>14</b> |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |   |  | <b>90</b> |

## Three-Year BA Degree in Christian Education

### Christian Education

|  |   |           |
|--|---|-----------|
| COM 3103   | Cross-Cultural Communications                 | 3         |
| EDU 3103   | Principles of Teaching                        | 3         |
| EDU 3113   | Competency and Proficiency in Teaching        | 3         |
| EDU 3213   | Foundations of Educational Psychology         | 3         |
| EDU 3613   | Instructional Media                           | 3         |
| EDU 4133   | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context | 3         |
| LDR 3013   | Guidelines for Leadership                     | 3         |
| MIN 1103   | Great Commission Strategies                   | 3         |
| MIN 2013   | Human Relations                               | 3         |
| MIN 3043   | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages        | 3         |
| MIN 3063   | The Church's Educational Task                 | 3         |
| Church Ministries, Missions/Intercultural Studies <u>or</u><br>Leadership and Management Elective Course |   | 3         |
|  | <b>Total:</b>                                 | <b>36</b> |

### Bible

|                       |                                       |           |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| BIB 2043              | Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 3         |
| BIB 3073              | The Book of Acts                      | 3         |
| LIT 1213              | Old Testament Literature: His Story   | 3         |
| LIT 1313              | The New Testament as Literature       | 3         |
| Bible Elective Course |                                       | 3         |
|                       | <b>Total:</b>                         | <b>15</b> |

### Theology

|   |                          |          |
|---|--------------------------|----------|
| THE 1013                                | Pneumatology             | 3        |
| THE 2013                                | The Bible and the Church | 3        |
| Upper Division Theology Elective Course |                          | 3        |
|   | <b>Total:</b>            | <b>9</b> |

### General Education

|                              |  |           |
|------------------------------|--|-----------|
| GUO 1011                     | Essentials of Learning at Global University*                 | 1         |
| Choose one of the following: |  |           |
| HIS 2503                     | Civilization Past and Present I <u>or</u>                    |           |
| HIS 2603                     | Civilization Past and Present II                             | 3         |
| Choose one of the following: |  |           |
| HIS 2203                     | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>      |           |
| HIS 2303                     | The Church: From the Reformation<br>Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| 4956                         | Thesis in major subject area (or two 3-credit courses)       | 6         |
|                              | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>13</b> |

### General Electives

|                           |                           |           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| Courses from any Division |                           | 17        |
|                           | <b>Total:</b>             | <b>17</b> |
|                           | <b>Total for Program:</b> | <b>90</b> |

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Capstone requirement. This program requires students to complete an undergraduate capstone requirement. The capstone consists of four activities: (1) a Christian Education posttest, (2) a written essay, (3) a verbal communication recording, and (4) the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. All four capstone components are required for students graduating with a full BA or second BA. It is recommended that students begin working on the essay and verbal components of their capstone within six months of graduating. The posttest and Graduate Follow-Up Survey should be completed during their last course. Students should submit all four capstone components before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

## **Recommended Course Sequence for a Three-Year BA Degree in Christian Education**

### **Sequence One**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University* | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story          | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature              | 3         |
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                  | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology                                 | 3         |
| M             | MIN 2013 | Human Relations                              | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

### **Sequence Two**

|               |          |   |           |
|---------------|----------|---|-----------|
| B             | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T             | THE 2013 | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2203 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G             | HIS 2303 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| G             | EDU 3103 | Principles of Teaching                                    | 3         |
| M             | MIN 3063 | The Church's Educational Task                             | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |   | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Three**

|               |          |   |           |
|---------------|----------|---|-----------|
| G             | HIS 2503 | Civilization Past and Present I <u>or</u> |           |
| G             | HIS 2603 | Civilization Past and Present II          | 3         |
| G             | EDU 3113 | Competency and Proficiency in Teaching    | 3         |
| G             | LDR 3013 | Guidelines for Leadership                 | 3         |
| M             | COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications             | 3         |
| M             | MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages    | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |   | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Four**

|               |          |                                       |           |
|---------------|----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| G             | EDU 3213 | Foundations of Educational Psychology | 3         |
| B             | BIB 3073 | The Book of Acts                      | 3         |
| G             | EDU 3613 | Instructional Media                   | 3         |
| B             |          | Bible Elective Course                 | 3         |
| G             |          | General Elective Course               | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |                                       | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Five**

|               |          |   |           |
|---------------|----------|---|-----------|
| G             | EDU 4133 | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context                   | 3         |
|               |          | M/G Church Ministries, Missions/Intercultural Studies <u>or</u> |           |
|               |          | Leadership and Management Elective Course                       | 3         |
| G             |          | General Elective Courses  | 9         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |   | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Six**

|               |   |   |           |
|---------------|---|---|-----------|
| T             | Upper Division Theology Elective Course |   | 3         |
| G             |   | General Elective Courses                                    | 5         |
|               |   | 4956 Thesis in major subject area (or two 3-credit courses) | 6         |
| <b>Total:</b> |   |   | <b>14</b> |

**Total for Program: 90**

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### Intercultural Studies

|  |  |           |
|--|--|-----------|
| COM 3103                                       | Cross-Cultural Communications                          | 3         |
| EDU 4133                                       | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context          | 3         |
| MIN 1103                                       | Great Commission Strategies                            | 3         |
| MIN 3043                                       | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages                 | 3         |
| MIN 3073                                       | Communicating Christian Faith in a Pluralistic Society | 3         |
| MIS 1023                                       | Introduction to Missions                               | 3         |
| MIS 2013                                       | The Bible and Missions                                 | 3         |
| MIS 3023                                       | Introduction to Islam                                  | 3         |
| MIS 4013                                       | Christian Ministry in a Muslim Context                 | 3         |
| MIS 4053                                       | Philosophy of Missions*                                | 3         |
| REL 2013                                       | People and Their Beliefs                               | 3         |
| Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course |  | 3         |
|  | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>36</b> |

### Bible

|                       |                                       |           |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| BIB 2043              | Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 3         |
| BIB 3073              | The Book of Acts                      | 3         |
| LIT 1213              | Old Testament Literature: His Story   | 3         |
| LIT 1313              | The New Testament as Literature       | 3         |
| Bible Elective Course |                                       | 3         |
|                       | <b>Total:</b>                         | <b>15</b> |

### Theology

|   |                          |          |
|---|--------------------------|----------|
| THE 1013                                | Pneumatology             | 3        |
| THE 2013                                | The Bible and the Church | 3        |
| Upper Division Theology Elective Course |                          | 3        |
|   | <b>Total:</b>            | <b>9</b> |

### General Education

|                              |   |           |
|------------------------------|---|-----------|
| GUO 1011                     | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup>  | 1         |
| Choose one of the following: |   |           |
| HIS 2503                     | Civilization Past and Present I <u>or</u>                 |           |
| HIS 2603                     | Civilization Past and Present II                          | 3         |
| Choose one of the following: |   |           |
| HIS 2203                     | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| HIS 2303                     | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| MIS 4956                     | Thesis in major subject area (or two 3-credit courses)    | 6         |
|                              | <b>Total:</b>   | <b>13</b> |

### General Electives

|                           |                           |           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| Courses from any Division |                           | 17        |
|                           | <b>Total:</b>             | <b>17</b> |
|                           | <b>Total for Program:</b> | <b>90</b> |

\* Directed Reading

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**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete an undergraduate capstone requirement. The capstone consists of four activities: (1) an Intercultural Studies posttest, (2) a written essay, (3) a verbal communication recording, and (4) the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. All four capstone components are required for students graduating with a full BA or second BA. It is recommended that students begin working on the essay and verbal components of their capstone within six months of graduating. The posttest and Graduate Follow-Up Survey should be completed during their last course. Students should submit all four capstone components before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

## **Recommended Course Sequence for a Three-Year BA Degree in Intercultural Studies**

### **Sequence One**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup> | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story                      | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature                          | 3         |
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                              | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
| M             | MIS 1023 | Introduction to Missions                                 | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

### **Sequence Two**

|               |          |   |           |
|---------------|----------|---|-----------|
| B             | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T             | THE 2013 | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2203 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G             | HIS 2303 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| M             | MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                                    | 3         |
| G             | REL 2013 | People and their Beliefs                                  | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |   | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Three**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| M             | MIN 3073 | Communicating Christian Faith in a Pluralistic Society | 3         |
| M             | MIS 3023 | Introduction to Islam                                  | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2503 | Civilization Past and Present I <u>or</u>              |           |
| G             | HIS 2603 | Civilization Past and Present II                       | 3         |
| M             | COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications                          | 3         |
| M             | MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages                 | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Four**

|               |  |  |           |
|---------------|--|--|-----------|
| B             | BIB 3073                                       | The Book of Acts                       | 3         |
| M             | MIS 4013                                       | Christian Ministry in a Muslim Context | 3         |
| M             | Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course |  | 3         |
| B             | Bible Elective Course                          |  | 3         |
| G             | General Elective Course                        |  | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  |  | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Five**

|               |                          |   |           |
|---------------|--------------------------|---|-----------|
| G             | EDU 4133                 | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context | 3         |
| M             | MIS 4053                 | Philosophy of Missions*                       | 3         |
| G             | General Elective Courses |   | 9         |
| <b>Total:</b> |                          |   | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Six**

|                           |   |  |           |
|---------------------------|---|--|-----------|
| T                         | Upper Division Theology Elective Course                     |  | 3         |
| G                         | General Elective Courses                                    |  | 5         |
|                           | 4956 Thesis in major subject area (or two 3-credit courses) |  | 6         |
| <b>Total:</b>             |   |  | <b>14</b> |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |   |  | <b>90</b> |

## SECOND BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE PROGRAMS

Students who have already completed an undergraduate degree may enroll with Global University to study for a second bachelor of arts degree. Please note the admission requirements for this program stated in the Undergraduate Program "Objectives and Design" section.

Global University assumes the previous major will normally have been in a field unrelated to Christian ministry. However, if the student's educational background includes some courses in Bible, theology, intercultural studies, or church ministry relevant to the selected major, it may be possible to transfer some of these credits. Second Bachelor of Arts degrees require a minimum of 55 credits. At least 30 credits must be enrolled through Global University, 15 of which must be in the student's major.

### Second BA Degree in Bible and Theology

The Second Bachelor of Arts in Bible and Theology is designed to provide the biblical and theological knowledge necessary for students to carry out Christian ministry in the local church and/or to pursue advanced academic studies. After successfully completing this curriculum, students will be able to properly interpret the Bible, demonstrate a working knowledge of the history and application of Christian theology, preach and teach the gospel in a local cultural setting, conduct programs in their local churches that will facilitate the ongoing vitality of the Christian faith, and pursue advanced academic studies.

|                              |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|--|--|--|
| <b>Bible</b>                 |  | <b>Church Ministries/Intercultural Studies</b> |  |
| Choose one of the following: |  | COM 3103                                       | Cross-Cultural Communications 3                |
| BIB 1033                     | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> | MIN 1103                                       | Great Commission Strategies 3                  |
| BIB 1073                     | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans 3     | MIN 3043                                       | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages 3       |
| BIB 2043                     | Principles of Biblical Interpretation 3              |  | <b>Total: 9</b>                                |
| BIB 3013                     | Genesis 3  | <b>General Education</b>                       |  |
| BIB 3073                     | The Book of Acts 3                                   | GUO 1011                                       | Essentials of Learning at Global University* 1 |
| BIB 4133                     | Wisdom Literature 3                                  |  | <b>Total: 1</b>                                |
| LIT 1213                     | Old Testament Literature: His Story 3                |  | <b>Total for Program: 55</b>                   |
| LIT 1313                     | The New Testament as Literature 3                    |  |  |
| Bible Elective Courses       | 6  |  |  |
|                              | <b>Total: 27</b>                                     |  |  |
| <b>Theology</b>              |  |  |  |
| THE 1013                     | Pneumatology 3                                       |  |  |
| Choose from the following:   |  |  |  |
| THE 1033                     | God and Angels <u>or</u>                             |  |  |
| THE 1043                     | Man and Sin 3  |  |  |
| THE 2013                     | The Bible and the Church 3                           |  |  |
| THE 3013                     | Apologetics 3  |  |  |
| THE 4033                     | Christology: Jesus, Son of God in the Spirit 3       |  |  |
| Theology Elective Course     | 3  |  |  |
|                              | <b>Total: 18</b>                                     |  |  |

\* Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete an undergraduate capstone requirement. The capstone consists of four activities: (1) a Bible and Theology posttest, (2) a written essay, (3) a verbal communication recording, and (4) the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. All four capstone components are required for students graduating with a full BA or second BA. It is recommended that students begin working on the essay and verbal components of their capstone within six months of graduating. The posttest and Graduate Follow-Up Survey should be completed during their last course. Students should submit all four capstone components before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

### Students Studying for Assemblies of God Credentials (USA)

If you are studying this second bachelor of arts degree to satisfy an educational requirement for ministerial credentials with the Assemblies of God (USA), the following course is required by the General Secretary's Office: HIS 3123 *Assemblies of God History, Missions, and Governance*. This course does not appear in the program above but can be taken as a general elective. For further information, please call 800.443.1083, option 4.

**Recommended Course Sequence for a Second BA Degree in Bible and Theology**

**Sequence One**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| G | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University*         | 1         |
| B | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story                  | 3         |
| B | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature                      | 3         |
| M | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
| B | BIB 1033 | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |           |
| B | BIB 1073 | Paul's Salvation Letters:<br>Galatians and Romans    | 3         |
| T | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>16</b> |

**Sequence Two**

|   |          |                                       |           |
|---|----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| T | THE 1033 | God and Angels <u>or</u>              |           |
| T | THE 1043 | Man and Sin                           | 3         |
| B | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 3         |
| T | THE 2013 | The Bible and the Church              | 3         |
| B | BIB 3013 | Genesis                               | 3         |
| B | BIB 3073 | The Book of Acts                      | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                         | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Three**

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| T | THE 3013 | Apologetics                                  | 3         |
| M | MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages       | 3         |
| M | COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications                | 3         |
| B | BIB 4133 | Wisdom Literature                            | 3         |
| T | THE 4033 | Christology: Jesus, Son of God in the Spirit | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                | <b>15</b> |

**Sequence Four**

|   |  |                           |           |
|---|--|---------------------------|-----------|
| B |  | Bible Elective Courses    | 6         |
| T |  | Theology Elective Course  | 3         |
|   |  | <b>Total:</b>             | <b>9</b>  |
|   |  | <b>Total for Program:</b> | <b>55</b> |



## Second BA Degree in Christian Education

The Second Bachelor of Arts in Christian Education is designed to provide the student with the knowledge and skills necessary to serve in the teaching ministry of the local church. While NOT a teacher certification program, the successful completion of this degree may qualify the student to teach courses in some Christian or private schools and/or administer programs in Christian education. After completing this curriculum, students will be able to interpret the Bible properly, demonstrate a working knowledge of the history and application of Christian theology, preach and teach the gospel in a local cultural setting, conduct programs in their local churches that will facilitate the ongoing vitality of the Christian faith, teach courses in schools and/or administer programs in education, and pursue advanced academic studies.

### Christian Education

|   |   |           |
|---|---|-----------|
| COM 3103  | Cross-Cultural Communications                 | 3         |
| EDU 3103  | Principles of Teaching                        | 3         |
| EDU 3113  | Competency and Proficiency in Teaching        | 3         |
| EDU 3213  | Foundations of Educational Psychology         | 3         |
| EDU 3613  | Instructional Media                           | 3         |
| EDU 4133  | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context | 3         |
| LDR 3013  | Guidelines for Leadership                     | 3         |
| MIN 1103  | Great Commission Strategies                   | 3         |
| MIN 2013  | Human Relations                               | 3         |
| MIN 3043  | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages        | 3         |
| MIN 3063  | The Church's Educational Task                 | 3         |
| Church Ministries, Missions/Intercultural Studies <u>or</u> |   |           |
| Leadership and Management Elective Course                   |   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>   |   | <b>36</b> |

### Bible

|               |                                       |           |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| BIB 2043      | Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 3         |
| BIB 3073      | The Book of Acts                      | 3         |
| LIT 1213      | Old Testament Literature: His Story   | 3         |
| LIT 1313      | The New Testament as Literature       | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |                                       | <b>12</b> |

### Theology

|                          |              |          |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|
| THE 1013                 | Pneumatology | 3        |
| Theology Elective Course |              | 3        |
| <b>Total:</b>            |              | <b>6</b> |

### General Education

|               |  |          |
|---------------|--|----------|
| GUO 1011      | Essentials of Learning at Global University* | 1        |
| <b>Total:</b> |  | <b>1</b> |

**Total for Program: 55**

\* Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete an undergraduate capstone requirement. The capstone consists of four activities: (1) a Christian Education posttest, (2) a written essay, (3) a verbal communication recording, and (4) the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. All four capstone components are required for students graduating with a full BA or second BA. It is recommended that students begin working on the essay and verbal components of their capstone within six months of graduating. The posttest and Graduate Follow-Up Survey should be completed during their last course. Students should submit all four capstone components before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

### Students Studying for Assemblies of God Credentials (USA)

If you are studying this second bachelor of arts degree to satisfy an educational requirement for ministerial credentials with the Assemblies of God (USA), the following course is required by the General Secretary's Office: HIS 3123 *Assemblies of God History, Missions, and Governance*. This course does not appear in the program above but can be taken as a general elective. For further information, please call 800.443.1083, option 4.

### Recommended Course Sequence for a Second BA Degree in Christian Education

#### Sequence One

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University* | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story          | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature              | 3         |
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                  | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology                                 | 3         |
| M             | MIN 2013 | Human Relations                              | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

#### Sequence Two

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| B             | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation  | 3         |
| M             | MIN 3063 | The Church's Educational Task          | 3         |
| G             | EDU 3103 | Principles of Teaching                 | 3         |
| G             | EDU 3113 | Competency and Proficiency in Teaching | 3         |
| G             | LDR 3013 | Guidelines for Leadership              | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>15</b> |

#### Sequence Three

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| M             | MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages | 3         |
| B             | BIB 3073 | The Book of Acts                       | 3         |
| G             | EDU 3213 | Foundations of Educational Psychology  | 3         |
| G             | EDU 3613 | Instructional Media                    | 3         |
| M             | COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications          | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>15</b> |

#### Sequence Four

|  |   |   |           |
|--|---|---|-----------|
| G  | EDU 4133  | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context | 3         |
| T  | Theology Elective Course                                    |   | 3         |
| M/G  | Church Ministries, Missions/Intercultural Studies <u>or</u> |   |           |
| Leadership and Management Elective Courses |   |   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>                              |   |   | <b>9</b>  |
| <b>Total for Program:</b>                  |   |   | <b>55</b> |

## Second BA Degree in Intercultural Studies

The Second Bachelor of Arts in Intercultural Studies is designed to provide the biblical and theological knowledge and the cross-cultural skills necessary for ministry across various people groups and cultures. After completing this curriculum, students will be able to preach and teach the Word of God, interpret the Bible properly, demonstrate a working knowledge of the history and application of Christian theology, and conduct programs that will facilitate the ongoing vitality of the Christian faith in and among congregations with diverse membership.

| Intercultural Studies                          |  | Bible            |                   |  |                              |
|--|--|------------------|-------------------|--|------------------------------|
| COM 3103                                       | Cross-Cultural Communications                          | 3                | BIB 2043          | Principles of Biblical Interpretation        | 3                            |
| EDU 4133                                       | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context          | 3                | BIB 3073          | The Book of Acts                             | 3                            |
| MIN 1103                                       | Great Commission Strategies                            | 3                | LIT 1213          | Old Testament Literature: His Story          | 3                            |
| MIN 3043                                       | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages                 | 3                | LIT 1313          | The New Testament as Literature              | 3                            |
| MIN 3073                                       | Communicating Christian Faith in a Pluralistic Society | 3                |                   |  | <b>Total: 12</b>             |
| MIS 1023                                       | Introduction to Missions                               | 3                | Theology          |  |                              |
| MIS 2013                                       | The Bible and Missions                                 | 3                | THE 1013          | Pneumatology                                 | 3                            |
| MIS 3023                                       | Introduction to Islam                                  | 3                |                   | Theology Elective Course                     | 3                            |
| MIS 4013                                       | Christian Ministry in a Muslim Context                 | 3                |                   |  | <b>Total: 6</b>              |
| MIS 4053                                       | Philosophy of Missions*                                | 3                | General Education |  |                              |
| REL 2013                                       | People and Their Beliefs                               | 3                | GUO 1011          | Essentials of Learning at Global University† | 1                            |
| Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course |  | 3                |                   |  | <b>Total: 1</b>              |
|  |  |                  |                   |  | <b>Total for Program: 55</b> |
|  |  | <b>Total: 36</b> |                   |  |                              |

\* Directed Reading

† Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete an undergraduate capstone requirement. The capstone consists of four activities: (1) an Intercultural Studies posttest, (2) a written essay, (3) a verbal communication recording, and (4) the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. All four capstone components are required for students graduating with a full BA or second BA. It is recommended that students begin working on the essay and verbal components of their capstone within six months of graduating. The posttest and Graduate Follow-Up Survey should be completed during their last course. Students should submit all four capstone components before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

### Students Studying for Assemblies of God Credentials (USA)

If you are studying this second bachelor of arts degree to satisfy an educational requirement for ministerial credentials with the Assemblies of God (USA), the following course is required by the General Secretary's Office: HIS 3123 *Assemblies of God History, Missions, and Governance*. This course does not appear in the program above but can be taken in addition to the program requirements listed. For further information, please call 800.443.1083, option 4

### Recommended Course Sequence for a Second BA Degree in Intercultural Studies

#### Sequence One

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| G | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University† | 1         |
| B | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story          | 3         |
| B | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature              | 3         |
| M | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                  | 3         |
| T | THE 1013 | Pneumatology                                 | 3         |
| M | MIS 1023 | Introduction to Missions                     | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                | <b>16</b> |

#### Sequence Two

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| M | MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                                 | 3         |
| G | REL 2013 | People and their Beliefs                               | 3         |
| B | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                  | 3         |
| M | MIS 3023 | Introduction to Islam                                  | 3         |
| M | MIN 3073 | Communicating Christian Faith in a Pluralistic Society | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>15</b> |

#### Sequence Three

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| M | MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages | 3         |
| B | BIB 3073 | The Book of Acts                       | 3         |
| M | COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications          | 3         |
| M | MIS 4013 | Christian Ministry in a Muslim Context | 3         |
| M | MIS 4053 | Philosophy of Missions*                | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                          | <b>15</b> |

#### Sequence Four

|   |          |  |           |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| G | EDU 4133 | Christian Adult Education in Cultural Context  | 3         |
| T |          | Theology Elective Course                       | 3         |
| M |          | Missions/Intercultural Studies Elective Course | 3         |
|   |          | <b>Total:</b>                                  | <b>9</b>  |
|   |          | <b>Total for Program:</b>                      | <b>55</b> |

# ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE PROGRAMS

The curricula for the Associate of Arts requires a minimum of 60 credits. At least 15 credits must be enrolled through Global University.

## AA Degree in Bible and Theology

The Associate of Arts in Bible and Theology provides the basic educational background and training in biblical studies, theology, and Christian ministry. After successfully completing this curriculum, students will be able to serve in a variety of capacities in Christian ministry.

### Bible

Choose one of the following:

|                       |  |           |
|-----------------------|--|-----------|
| BIB 1033              | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |           |
| BIB 1073              | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3         |
| BIB 2043              | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                | 3         |
| LIT 1213              | Old Testament Literature: His Story                  | 3         |
| LIT 1313              | The New Testament as Literature                      | 3         |
| Bible Elective Course |  | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>         |  | <b>15</b> |

### Theology

|                          |                          |          |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| THE 1013                 | Pneumatology             | 3        |
| THE 2013                 | The Bible and the Church | 3        |
| Theology Elective Course |                          | 3        |
| <b>Total:</b>            |                          | <b>9</b> |

### Church Ministries/Intercultural Studies

|               |                             |          |
|---------------|-----------------------------|----------|
| MIN 1103      | Great Commission Strategies | 3        |
| MIS 2013      | The Bible and Missions      | 3        |
| <b>Total:</b> |                             | <b>6</b> |

### General Education

|   |   |           |
|---|---|-----------|
| COM 1023  | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication      | 3         |
| CSC 1023  | Introduction to Computers*                                | 3         |
| ENG 1023  | Introductory Writing                                      | 3         |
| ENG 1103  | Writing Better English                                    | 3         |
| GUO 1011  | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup>  | 1         |
| Choose one of the following:                              |   |           |
| HIS 2203  | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| HIS 2303  | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Course                  |   | 2         |
| Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course            |   | 3         |
| Quantitative Literacy or Natural Sciences Elective Course |   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>   |   | <b>24</b> |

### General Electives

|                           |  |          |
|---------------------------|--|----------|
| Courses from any Division |  | 6        |
| <b>Total:</b>             |  | <b>6</b> |

**Total for Program: 60**

\* Students who have strong computer skills have the option to request a computer competency exam. Those passing the exam may substitute another General Education course in place of CSC 1023. Please contact your enrollment office for fees and other information.

<sup>†</sup> Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

**Note:** This program is offered as an Associate in Biblical Studies or Diploma in Bible and Theology in some countries.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete a Bible and Theology posttest and the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. Students should submit the posttest and survey before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

## Recommended Course Sequence for AA Degree in Bible and Theology

### Sequence One

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup> | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story                      | 3         |
| G             | ENG 1023 | Introductory Writing                                     | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature                          | 3         |
| G             | CSC 1023 | Introduction to Computers*                               | 3         |
| G             | ENG 1103 | Writing Better English                                   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

### Sequence Two

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
| B             | BIB 1033 | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |           |
| B             | BIB 1073 | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3         |
| G             | COM 1023 | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
| M             | MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                               | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>15</b> |

### Sequence Three

|               |  |   |           |
|---------------|--|---|-----------|
| B             | BIB 2043                                 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T             | THE 2013                                 | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2203                                 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G             | HIS 2303                                 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| B             | Bible Elective Course                    |   | 3         |
| G             | Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Course |   | 2         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  |   | <b>14</b> |

### Sequence Four

|                           |   |           |
|---------------------------|---|-----------|
| G                         | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course            | 3         |
| G                         | Quantitative Literacy or Natural Sciences Elective Course | 3         |
| T                         | Theology Elective Course                                  | 3         |
| G                         | General Elective Courses                                  | 6         |
| <b>Total:</b>             |   | <b>15</b> |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |   | <b>60</b> |

## AA Degree in Christian Education

The Associate of Arts in Christian Education provides the basic educational background for service in the field of Christian education. This program is NOT a teacher certification program. Successful completion of this program may allow the student to teach in some Christian or private schools or to administer programs in Christian education.

### Christian Education

|               |  |           |
|---------------|--|-----------|
| EDU 3103      | Principles of Teaching                 | 3         |
| EDU 3113      | Competency and Proficiency in Teaching | 3         |
| EDU 3213      | Foundations of Educational Psychology  | 3         |
| MIN 1103      | Great Commission Strategies            | 3         |
| MIN 3063      | The Church's Educational Task          | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  | <b>15</b> |

### Bible

|               |                                       |          |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|----------|
| BIB 2043      | Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 3        |
| LIT 1213      | Old Testament Literature: His Story   | 3        |
| LIT 1313      | The New Testament as Literature       | 3        |
| <b>Total:</b> |                                       | <b>9</b> |

### Theology

|               |                          |          |
|---------------|--------------------------|----------|
| THE 1013      | Pneumatology             | 3        |
| THE 2013      | The Bible and the Church | 3        |
| <b>Total:</b> |                          | <b>6</b> |

### General Education

|          |  |   |
|----------|--|---|
| COM 1023 | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication     | 3 |
| CSC 1023 | Introduction to Computers*                               | 3 |
| ENG 1023 | Introductory Writing                                     | 3 |
| ENG 1103 | Writing Better English                                   | 3 |
| GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup> | 1 |

Choose one of the following:

|               |   |           |
|---------------|---|-----------|
| HIS 2203      | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| HIS 2303      | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
|               | Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Course                  | 2         |
|               | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course            | 3         |
|               | Quantitative Literacy or Natural Sciences Elective Course | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |   | <b>24</b> |

### General Electives

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Courses from any Division | 6        |
| <b>Total:</b>             | <b>6</b> |

**Total for Program: 60**

\* Students who have strong computer skills have the option to request a computer competency exam. Those passing the exam may substitute another General Education course in place of CSC 1023. Please contact your enrollment office for fees and other information.

<sup>†</sup> Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete a Christian Education posttest and the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. Students should submit the posttest and survey before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

## Recommended Course Sequence for AA Degree in Christian Education

### Sequence One

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University <sup>†</sup> | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story                      | 3         |
| G             | ENG 1023 | Introductory Writing                                     | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature                          | 3         |
| G             | CSC 1023 | Introduction to Computers*                               | 3         |
| G             | ENG 1103 | Writing Better English                                   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

### Sequence Two

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
| G             | COM 1023 | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
| M             | MIN 3063 | The Church's Educational Task                        | 3         |
| G             | EDU 3103 | Principles of Teaching                               | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>15</b> |

### Sequence Three

|               |  |   |           |
|---------------|--|---|-----------|
| B             | BIB 2043                                 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T             | THE 2013                                 | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2203                                 | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G             | HIS 2303                                 | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| G             | Humanities and Fine Arts Elective Course |   | 2         |
| G             | EDU 3113                                 | Competency and Proficiency in Teaching                    | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  |   | <b>14</b> |

### Sequence Four

|                           |   |                                       |           |
|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| G                         | Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective Course            | 3                                     |           |
| G                         | Quantitative Literacy or Natural Sciences Elective Course | 3                                     |           |
| G                         | EDU 3213  | Foundations of Educational Psychology | 3         |
| G                         | General Elective Courses                                  | 6                                     |           |
| <b>Total:</b>             |   |                                       | <b>15</b> |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |   |                                       | <b>60</b> |

## AA Degree in Church Ministries

The Associate of Arts in Church Ministries provides the basic educational background and training in ministry, Bible, and theology required for more effective church ministry. This program is optimized to help fulfill the education requirements for certification and licensing with the Assemblies of God (though students should always consult first with their district or network leadership for full requirements). After successfully completing the program, the student will be able to serve in a variety of church ministry positions.

### Church Ministries

|          |  |           |
|----------|--|-----------|
| MIN 1063 | Ministerial Ethics                     | 3         |
| MIN 1093 | Introduction to Pastoral Counseling    | 3         |
| MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies            | 3         |
| MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages | 3         |
|          | Church Ministries Elective Course      | 3         |
|          | <b>Total:</b>                          | <b>15</b> |

### Bible

|                              |  |          |
|------------------------------|--|----------|
| Choose one of the following: |  |          |
| BIB 1033                     | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |          |
| BIB 1073                     | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3        |
| BIB 2043                     | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                | 3        |
| BIB 3073                     | The Book of Acts                                     | 3        |
|                              | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>9</b> |

### Theology

|                              |                          |          |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| THE 1013                     | Pneumatology             | 3        |
| Choose one of the following: |                          |          |
| THE 1033                     | God and Angels <u>or</u> |          |
| THE 1043                     | Man and Sin              | 3        |
| THE 2033                     | Eschatology              | 3        |
|                              | <b>Total:</b>            | <b>9</b> |

### General Education

|                              |   |           |
|------------------------------|---|-----------|
| BUS 2102                     | Church Business   | 2         |
| COM 3103                     | Cross-Cultural Communications                             | 3         |
| ENG 1023                     | Introductory Writing                                      | 3         |
| Choose one of the following: |   |           |
| ENG 1103                     | Writing Better English <u>or</u>                          |           |
| COM 1023                     | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication      | 3         |
| GUO 1011                     | Essentials of Learning at Global University*              | 1         |
| LIT 1213                     | Old Testament Literature: His Story                       | 3         |
| LIT 1313                     | The New Testament as Literature                           | 3         |
| LDR 4103                     | Managing Conflict   | 3         |
| Choose one of the following: |   |           |
| HIS 2203                     | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| HIS 2303                     | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
|                              | <b>Total:</b>   | <b>24</b> |

### General Electives

|  |                           |           |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|
|  | Course from any Division  | 3         |
|  | <b>Total:</b>             | <b>3</b>  |
|  | <b>Total for Program:</b> | <b>60</b> |

\* Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

**Note:** This program is offered as an Associate in Church Ministries or Diploma in Church Ministries in some countries.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete a Bible and Theology posttest and the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. Students should submit the posttest and survey before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

## Recommended Course Sequence for AA Degree in Church Ministries

### Sequence One

|   |               |  |           |
|---|---------------|--|-----------|
| G | GUO 1011      | Essentials of Learning at Global University*         | 1         |
| B | LIT 1213      | Old Testament Literature: His Story                  | 3         |
| G | ENG 1023      | Introductory Writing                                 | 3         |
| B | LIT 1313      | The New Testament as Literature                      | 3         |
| G | ENG 1103      | Writing Better English <u>or</u>                     |           |
| G | COM 1023      | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication | 3         |
| G | MIN 1103      | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
|   | <b>Total:</b> |  | <b>16</b> |

### Sequence Two

|   |               |  |           |
|---|---------------|--|-----------|
| B | BIB 1033      | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |           |
| B | BIB 1073      | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3         |
| M | MIN 1063      | Ministerial Ethics                                   | 3         |
| T | THE 1033      | God and Angels <u>or</u>                             |           |
| T | THE 1043      | Man and Sin  | 3         |
| M | MIN 1093      | Introduction to Pastoral Counseling                  | 3         |
| T | THE 1013      | Pneumatology   | 3         |
|   | <b>Total:</b> |  | <b>15</b> |

### Sequence Three

|   |                                   |   |           |
|---|-----------------------------------|---|-----------|
| B | BIB 2043                          | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T | THE 2033                          | Eschatology   | 3         |
| G | HIS 2203                          | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G | HIS 2303                          | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| M | Church Ministries Elective Course |   | 3         |
| G | BUS 2102                          | Church Business   | 2         |
|   | <b>Total:</b>                     |   | <b>14</b> |

### Sequence Four

|   |                           |  |           |
|---|---------------------------|--|-----------|
| G | COM 3103                  | Cross-Cultural Communications          | 3         |
| M | MIN 3043                  | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages | 3         |
| B | BIB 3073                  | The Book of Acts                       | 3         |
| G | LDR 4103                  | Managing Conflict                      | 3         |
| G | General Elective Courses  |  | 3         |
|   | <b>Total:</b>             |  | <b>15</b> |
|   | <b>Total for Program:</b> |  | <b>60</b> |

# DIPLOMA PROGRAMS

Global University offers two diploma programs: a two-year Diploma in Ministry (60 credits minimum) and a three-year Diploma in Bible and Theology (90 credits minimum). At least one quarter of the program (or 15 credits and 23 credits respectively) must be enrolled through GU. The Diploma programs are an ALTERNATIVE to the AA and BA degrees. They are not meant to be a pathway to an AA or BA degree. Though diploma courses may apply to degree programs, be advised that this approach may result in students taking additional credits beyond the minimum required.

## Diploma in Bible and Theology

The Diploma in Bible and Theology is focused on biblical/theological education. It offers basic training for practical Christian service. After completing this curriculum, the student will be able to function effectively in a practical or specialized ministry context.

|                 |  |           |  |  |           |
|-----------------|--|-----------|--|--|-----------|
| <b>Bible</b>    |  |           | <b>Church Ministries/Intercultural Studies</b> |  |           |
| BIB 1033        | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels     | 3         | COM 3103                                       | Cross-Cultural Communications                                | 3         |
| BIB 1073        | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans | 3         | MIN 1053                                       | The Work of the Pastor                                       | 3         |
| BIB 2033        | A Study in the Book of Hebrews                 | 3         | MIN 1103                                       | Great Commission Strategies                                  | 3         |
| BIB 2043        | Principles of Biblical Interpretation          | 3         | MIN 3043                                       | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages                       | 3         |
| BIB 3013        | Genesis  | 3         | MIS 2013                                       | The Bible and Missions                                       | 3         |
| BIB 3073        | The Book of Acts                               | 3         |  | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>15</b> |
| BIB 4053        | Corinthians                                    | 3         | <b>General Education</b>                       |  |           |
| BIB 4133        | Wisdom Literature                              | 3         | GUO 1011                                       | Essentials of Learning at Global University*                 | 1         |
| LIT 1213        | Old Testament Literature: His Story            | 3         | HIS 2203                                       | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation                | 3         |
| LIT 1313        | The New Testament as Literature                | 3         | HIS 2303                                       | The Church: From the Reformation<br>Through the 20th Century | 3         |
|                 | <b>Total:</b>                                  | <b>30</b> | REL 2013                                       | People and Their Beliefs                                     | 3         |
| <b>Theology</b> |  |           |  | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>10</b> |
| THE 1013        | Pneumatology                                   | 3         | <b>General Electives</b>                       |  |           |
| THE 1033        | God and Angels                                 | 3         | Courses from any Division                      |  |           |
| THE 1043        | Man and Sin                                    | 3         |  | <b>Total:</b>  | <b>17</b> |
| THE 2013        | The Bible and the Church                       | 3         |  | <b>Total for Program:</b>                                    | <b>90</b> |
| THE 3013        | Apologetics                                    | 3         |  |  |           |
| THE 4033        | Christology: Jesus, Son of God in the Spirit   | 3         |  |  |           |
|                 | <b>Total:</b>                                  | <b>18</b> |  |  |           |

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**Note:** This program is offered as a Diploma in Christian Theology in some countries.

**Capstone requirement.** This program requires students to complete a Bible and Theology posttest and the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. Students should submit the posttest and survey before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

## **Recommended Course Sequence for a Diploma in Bible and Theology**

### **Sequence One**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University* | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story          | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature              | 3         |
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                  | 3         |
| B             | BIB 1033 | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels   | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology                                 | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

### **Sequence Two**

|               |          |   |           |
|---------------|----------|---|-----------|
| B             | BIB 2043 | Principles of Biblical Interpretation             | 3         |
| B             | BIB 1073 | Paul's Salvation Letters:<br>Galatians and Romans | 3         |
| T             | THE 1033 | God and Angels                                    | 3         |
| M             | MIN 1053 | The Work of the Pastor                            | 3         |
| T             | THE 1043 | Man and Sin                                       | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |   | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Three**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| B             | BIB 2033 | A Study in the Book of Hebrews                   | 3         |
| T             | THE 2013 | The Bible and the Church                         | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2203 | The Church: From Pentecost<br>to the Reformation | 3         |
| M             | MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                           | 3         |
| G             | REL 2013 | People and Their Beliefs                         | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Four**

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | HIS 2303 | The Church: From the Reformation<br>Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| B             | BIB 3013 | Genesis  | 3         |
| M             | MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages                       | 3         |
| B             | BIB 3073 | The Book of Acts   | 3         |
| M             | COM 3103 | Cross-Cultural Communications                                | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>15</b> |

### **Sequence Five**

|               |                          |             |           |
|---------------|--------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| T             | THE 3013                 | Apologetics | 3         |
| B             | BIB 4053                 | Corinthians | 3         |
| G             | General Elective Courses |             | 8         |
| <b>Total:</b> |                          |             | <b>14</b> |

### **Sequence Six**

|                          |                          |  |           |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|-----------|
| T                        | THE 4033                 | Christology: Jesus, Son of God in the Spirit | 3         |
| B                        | BIB 4133                 | Wisdom Literature                            | 3         |
| G                        | General Elective Courses |  | 9         |
| <b>Total:</b>            |                          |  | <b>15</b> |
| <b>Total for Program</b> |                          |  | <b>90</b> |

## Diploma in Ministry

The Diploma in Ministry provides basic and practical training in biblical studies, theology, and church ministry. After successfully completing this curriculum, the student will be able to function successfully in a church ministry context.

| Bible                        |  |           | General Education            |   |                           |
|------------------------------|--|-----------|------------------------------|---|---------------------------|
| BIB 1073                     | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans | 3         | GUO 1011                     | Essentials of Learning at Global University*            | 1                         |
| BIB 2033                     | A Study in the Book of Hebrews                 | 3         | Choose one of the following: |   |                           |
| BIB 2043                     | Principles of Biblical Interpretation          | 3         | HIS 2203                     | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u> |                           |
| BIB 3013                     | Genesis  | 3         | HIS 2303                     | The Church: From the Reformation                        |                           |
| BIB 3073                     | The Book of Acts                               | 3         |                              | Through the 20th Century                                | 3                         |
| LIT 1213                     | Old Testament Literature: His Story            | 3         |                              | <b>Total:</b>   | <b>4</b>                  |
| LIT 1313                     | The New Testament as Literature                | 3         | <b>General Electives</b>     |   |                           |
|                              | <b>Total:</b>                                  | <b>21</b> | Courses from any Division    |   |                           |
|                              |  |           |                              |   | 11                        |
| <b>Theology</b>              |  |           |                              |   | <b>Total:</b>             |
| THE 1013                     | Pneumatology                                   | 3         |                              |   | <b>11</b>                 |
| Choose one of the following: |  |           |                              |   | <b>Total for Program:</b> |
| THE 1033                     | God and Angels <u>or</u>                       |           |                              |   | <b>60</b>                 |
| THE 1043                     | Man and Sin                                    | 3         |                              |   |                           |
| THE 2013                     | The Bible and the Church                       | 3         |                              |   |                           |
|                              | <b>Total:</b>                                  | <b>9</b>  |                              |   |                           |

### Church Ministries/Intercultural Studies

|          |  |           |
|----------|--|-----------|
| MIN 1053 | The Work of the Pastor                 | 3         |
| MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies            | 3         |
| MIN 3013 | Introduction to Church Music           | 3         |
| MIN 3043 | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages | 3         |
| MIS 2013 | The Bible and Missions                 | 3         |
|          | <b>Total:</b>                          | <b>15</b> |

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**Capstone requirement:** This program requires students to complete a Bible and Theology posttest and the Graduate Follow-Up Survey. Students should submit the posttest and survey before requesting the final exam for their last course. There is no cost for these assessments.

### Recommended Course Sequence for a Diploma in Ministry

#### Sequence One

|   |               |  |           |
|---|---------------|--|-----------|
| G | GUO 1011      | Essentials of Learning at Global University*   | 1         |
| B | LIT 1213      | Old Testament Literature: His Story            | 3         |
| B | LIT 1313      | The New Testament as Literature                | 3         |
| M | MIN 1103      | Great Commission Strategies                    | 3         |
| B | BIB 1073      | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans | 3         |
| T | THE 1013      | Pneumatology                                   | 3         |
|   | <b>Total:</b> |  | <b>16</b> |

#### Sequence Two

|   |               |   |           |
|---|---------------|---|-----------|
| T | THE 1033      | God and Angels <u>or</u>                                  |           |
| T | THE 1043      | Man and Sin   | 3         |
| M | MIN 1053      | The Work of the Pastor                                    | 3         |
| B | BIB 2043      | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T | THE 2013      | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G | HIS 2203      | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G | HIS 2303      | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
|   | <b>Total:</b> |   | <b>15</b> |

#### Sequence Three

|   |               |  |           |
|---|---------------|--|-----------|
| M | MIS 2013      | The Bible and Missions                 | 3         |
| B | BIB 2033      | A Study in the Book of Hebrews         | 3         |
| M | MIN 3013      | Introduction to Church Music           | 3         |
| B | BIB 3013      | Genesis                                | 3         |
| M | MIN 3043      | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages | 3         |
|   | <b>Total:</b> |  | <b>15</b> |

#### Sequence Four

|   |                           |                  |           |
|---|---------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| B | BIB 3073                  | The Book of Acts | 3         |
| G | General Elective Courses  |                  | 11        |
|   | <b>Total:</b>             |                  | <b>14</b> |
|   | <b>Total for Program:</b> |                  | <b>60</b> |



# UNDERGRADUATE CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

The undergraduate certificate programs are designed to provide basic knowledge and training in specific areas related to Bible, Theology, Ministry, Missions, and General Studies. Students who want to study for credit but do not want to embark on a full degree program are encouraged to begin with a certificate program of their choice. Certificate courses may be applied to an associate's or bachelor's degree, though individual degree requirements vary. At least 50% of the certificate program must be enrolled with Global University (9 or 15 credits minimum, depending upon the certificate total).

## Certificate in Bible and Theology

The undergraduate certificate in Bible and Theology is designed to provide basic training in biblical, theological, and ministerial competencies. The certificate is a fast-track option to gain foundational knowledge and skills to develop or enhance Christian ministry and service. The courses required for this certificate can be applied toward an associate's or bachelor's degree in Bible and Theology.

### Bible

Choose one of the following:

|               |  |           |
|---------------|--|-----------|
| BIB 1033      | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |           |
| BIB 1073      | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3         |
| BIB 2043      | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                | 3         |
| LIT 1213      | Old Testament Literature: His Story                  | 3         |
| LIT 1313      | The New Testament as Literature                      | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  | <b>12</b> |

### Theology

|               |                          |          |
|---------------|--------------------------|----------|
| THE 1013      | Pneumatology             | 3        |
| THE 2013      | The Bible and the Church | 3        |
| <b>Total:</b> |                          | <b>6</b> |

### Church Ministries/Intercultural Studies

|               |                             |          |
|---------------|-----------------------------|----------|
| MIN 1103      | Great Commission Strategies | 3        |
| MIS 2013      | The Bible and Missions      | 3        |
| <b>Total:</b> |                             | <b>6</b> |

### General Education

GUO 1011 Essentials of Learning at Global University\* 1

Choose one of the following:

|               |   |          |
|---------------|---|----------|
| HIS 2203      | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |          |
| HIS 2303      | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3        |
| <b>Total:</b> |   | <b>4</b> |

### General Electives

Course from any Division 2

**Total:** 2

**Total for Program:** 30

\* Students should not enroll in GUO 1011 *Essentials of Learning at Global University* if they have completed GUO 1002 *Orientation to Global University Learning*. Students enrolling through a Global University network office should enroll in GUO 1001 *Orientation to Global University Learning*.

Note: This program is offered as a Certificate in Urban Ministry or Certificate in Missions in some countries.

## Recommended Course Sequence for Certificate in Bible and Theology

### Sequence One

|               |          |  |           |
|---------------|----------|--|-----------|
| G             | GUO 1011 | Essentials of Learning at Global University*         | 1         |
| B             | LIT 1213 | Old Testament Literature: His Story                  | 3         |
| B             | LIT 1313 | The New Testament as Literature                      | 3         |
| M             | MIN 1103 | Great Commission Strategies                          | 3         |
| B             | BIB 1033 | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels <u>or</u> |           |
| B             | BIB 1073 | Paul's Salvation Letters: Galatians and Romans       | 3         |
| T             | THE 1013 | Pneumatology   | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |          |  | <b>16</b> |

### Sequence Two

|               |                         |   |           |
|---------------|-------------------------|---|-----------|
| M             | MIS 2013                | The Bible and Missions                                    | 3         |
| B             | BIB 2043                | Principles of Biblical Interpretation                     | 3         |
| T             | THE 2013                | The Bible and the Church                                  | 3         |
| G             | HIS 2203                | The Church: From Pentecost to the Reformation <u>or</u>   |           |
| G             | HIS 2303                | The Church: From the Reformation Through the 20th Century | 3         |
| G             | General Elective Course |   | 2         |
| <b>Total:</b> |                         |   | <b>14</b> |

**Total for Program:** 30

## Certificate in Pastoral Counseling

The undergraduate certificate in Pastoral Counseling is designed for students desiring to develop or enhance their knowledge and skills related to counseling in a pastoral or Christian ministry setting. The four core courses provide a foundation for understanding human behavior, social influences, and cultural dynamics related to pastoral counseling with both individuals and families. The two elective courses allow the student to deepen his or her knowledge and skills in specific areas related to the interest of the student in his or her ministry context.

**Note:** This certificate is not designed to meet licensure or certification requirements for the counseling professions.

### Core Courses

|               |  |           |
|---------------|--|-----------|
| MIN 1093      | Introduction to Pastoral Counseling            | 3         |
| MIS 2063      | Marriage Counseling: A Cross-Cultural Approach | 3         |
| PSY 3013      | Introduction to Psychology                     | 3         |
| MIS 4103      | Cross-Cultural Counseling                      | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b> |  | <b>12</b> |

### Elective Courses

|  |                           |           |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|
| Choose any two courses from the following: |                           |           |
| MIN 1063                                   | Ministerial Ethics        | 3         |
| MIN 2013                                   | Human Relations           | 3         |
| MIN 2023                                   | Christian Counseling      | 3         |
| LDR 4103                                   | Managing Conflict         | 3         |
| SOC 2013                                   | Introduction to Sociology | 3         |
| <b>Total:</b>                              |                           | <b>6</b>  |
| <b>Total for Program:</b>                  |                           | <b>18</b> |

### Bible Interpreter Certificate

The Bible Interpreter certificate is designed to develop or enhance basic knowledge and skills related to proper understanding, interpretation, and application of the Bible.

|                           |  |           |
|---------------------------|--|-----------|
| LIT 1213                  | Old Testament Literature: His Story        | 3         |
| LIT 1313                  | The New Testament as Literature            | 3         |
| BIB 1033                  | The Life of Christ in the Synoptic Gospels | 3         |
| BIB 2043                  | Principles of Biblical Interpretation      | 3         |
| THE 2013                  | The Bible and the Church                   | 3         |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |  | <b>15</b> |

### Christian Communicator Certificate

The Christian Communicator certificate is designed to develop or enhance foundational knowledge and skills for writing, speaking, preaching, and teaching in the context of Christian ministry.

|                           |  |           |
|---------------------------|--|-----------|
| ENG 1103                  | Writing Better English                               | 3         |
| MIN 1053                  | The Work of the Pastor                               | 3         |
| COM 1023                  | Public Speaking: The Art of Meaningful Communication | 3         |
| MIN 3043                  | Preparing and Preaching Bible Messages               | 3         |
| MIN 3063                  | The Church's Educational Task                        | 3         |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |  | <b>15</b> |

### Christian Mission Certificate

The Christian Mission certificate is designed to develop or enhance basic knowledge and skills related to intercultural studies and the practice of missions.

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| MIN 1103                  | Great Commission Strategies   | 3         |
| MIS 1023                  | Introduction to Missions      | 3         |
| MIS 2013                  | The Bible and Missions        | 3         |
| REL 2013                  | People and Their Beliefs      | 3         |
| COM 3103                  | Cross-Cultural Communications | 3         |
| <b>Total for Program:</b> |                               | <b>15</b> |

### General Studies Certificate

The General Studies certificate is designed to provide foundational knowledge of introductory general education courses based on a biblical and distinctly Christian perspective.

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| LIT 1213  | Old Testament Literature: His Story | 3         |
| LIT 1313  | The New Testament as Literature     | 3         |
| Choose any 9 credits from the General Education division. |                                     | 9         |
| <b>Total for Program:</b>                                 |                                     | <b>15</b> |

**Note:** If a student intends to transfer credit for any Global University course or certificate to another school, the student should first verify with the school that it will accept the credits for transfer. Transfer of credit is always at the discretion of the receiving school.