Welcome!

Modular Orientation Luncheon
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Introductions

- Dr. Vinson Synan, Interim Dean
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• ORU Information Technology student guide
  o Explains ORU single sign-on
  o Includes important technological information

To contact ORU IT for technical help:
• Phone: 918-495-6321
• Email: studenthelpdesk@oru.edu
• Twitter: @ORU_IT
• Website: http://it.oru.edu

Link on class pages or go to
http://www.oru.edu/pdfs/information-technology/ORU%20IT%20Student%20Guide.pdf
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## ORU Graduate School of Theology and Ministry

**Modular/Distance Education Program**

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- An ORU campus map is posted on Class Pages.
- A map of the classrooms in CityPlex Towers, where Modular classes are held on the 21st floor, is also available on Class Pages.

3.6 WHEN AND WHERE DO MY BLENDED CLASSES MEET?
- Unless otherwise indicated, Modular courses are held on the 21st floor of the CityPlex Towers, located across 81st street from ORU. (Building Y on the ORU campus map).
- Signs on the 21st floor of CityPlex Towers will direct you to the proper classroom. (See floor map of 21st floor of CityPlex Towers)
- See “Course Information, Blended Courses” below for more details.

3.7 WHERE CAN I PARK WHEN ATTENDING BLENDED COURSES?
- Students should park in the East parking lot at the CityPlex Towers, or if the gate arms are up, inside the North lot parking area.
- Students will also receive a parking pass the first day of class.
- See map on Class Pages > New Students > CityPlex.

3.8 WHAT TIME DO MY CLASSES BEGIN AND END?
- You will need to be at the CityPlex Towers to begin your class at 8:30 am on Monday morning for a Blended A course.
- Blended B courses begin on Wednesday with chapel at 10:50 a.m. (at Christ Chapel on the main ORU campus) in the fall and spring semesters.
- In the summer semester, blended B courses begin at 12:30 p.m when students bring their lunches to the Modular/Orientation luncheon, in the Fenimore Alumni Room (2nd floor) in the Hammer Alumni-Student Center (see campus map).

3.9 WHAT MATERIALS SHOULD I BRING TO CLASS FOR THE ON-CAMPUS INTENSIVE WEEK?
- Contact your course professors by email to get their recommendations
Systems

- Facebook.com/orumod
Systems

- Desire 2 Learn (D2L)
  Online Course Management System

Single Sign-On  login.oru.edu

Welcome to ORU’s new Single Sign-On website!
This site allows you to use your ORU network username and password to log in to select ORU websites.

ORU Network Username:
  Username

ORU Network Password:
  Password

Login before logging in

LOGIN  Clear

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My Courses

Role: Teaching Assistant  Department subadmin

Last 20 Accessed Courses

- 2014-12966 - PRM 669 (Blended A) Practice Preaching and Lab (Fall 2014, Ekdal)
  (201430) Fall 2014, full semester, Theology
- 2014-30435 - GBB 507 (NCCL) Biblical Hermeneutics (Summer 2014, Iverson)
  (201421) Summer 2014, 1st session, Theology
- 2012-17171 - PRFT 056 (Directed Study) Entry-Level Assessment (Fall 2012, Breckenridge)
  (201230) Fall 2012, full semester, Theology
- 2014-17328 - PRFT 058 (NCCL) Candidacy-Level Assessment Audit (Fall 2014, Breckenridge)
  (201430) Fall 2014, full semester, Theology
- 14725 - GBB 581 (Blended B) New Testament Greek Hermeneutics and Exegesis (Fall 2014, Lamp)
  (201410) Fall 2014, full semester, Theology
- ePortfolio - PRFT 059 Whole Person Assessment

Access through D2L
Use direct links to submit ePortfolio course artifacts in D2L.
• Enrollment steps should be completed prior to arrival on campus

• ORU Wi-Fi connection: ORU-Student

• ORU Eagle Card (I.D.) – LRC 3rd floor; needed to access the library after 6 p.m.
• D2L:

✓ Policies in syllabi regarding due dates, required ePortfolio artifact assignments, and attendance are strictly enforced.
Important Items

• Chapel:
  ✓ Mandatory chapel attendance
  ✓ Do not swipe I.D. card
  ✓ Attendance taken at orientation luncheon
Important Items

- Modular floor food policy
Important Items

• ORU e-mail

✓ ORU administration is required by law (FERPA) to use only university email to correspond with students

✓ Students must always use ORU email account for all ORU correspondence

✓ For issues, contact student help desk at 918.495.6321 or studenthelpdesk@oru.edu
Scholarship Opportunities

http://www.oru.edu/financial_assistance/graduate/graduate_scholarships_theology.php
• Procedures for:
  ✓ Grading
  ✓ Course evaluation
  ✓ Student directory
  ✓ Student information
Important Items

• Additional traditional Modular class(es) in Fall/Spring semesters
  ✓ Pre-course work
  ✓ 1 week in class on campus
  ✓ Post-course work
  ✓ 3 credit hours
• GTHE 517 Seminar in Theological Research is available in the one-week modular format beginning summer 2016 (5th session).
  ✓ Pre-course work
  ✓ 1 week in class on campus
  ✓ Post-course work
  ✓ 3 credit hours

• GTHE 517 is also available as an online course.
Course name changes (numbers stay the same)

- PRM 511 Intro to Missions
  Ministering Cross-culturally
- PRM 575 Missionary Anthropology
  Anthropology for Ministry
- PRM 661 Preaching & Healing Ministry
  Introduction to Preaching
Scheduling of Assessment courses (fall/spring):

✓ PRFT 056 Entry Level Assessment
  o 1st semester
  o 0.5 credit hours

✓ PRFT 059 ePortfolio: Whole Person Assessment
  o 1st semester
  o (Creation of grad theology ePortfolio; not an actual course)
  o 0 credit hours
  o Summer enrollment available
Scheduling of Assessment Courses (fall/spring)

- PRFT 057 Mid-Program Assessment Audit
  - Mid-way through program
  - 0 credit hours

- PRFT 058 Candidacy Level Assess. (fall/spring)
  - Last semester
  - 0.5 credit hours
• PRFT 059 ePortfolio: Whole Person Assessment

✓ Electronic submission/assessment of artifact assignments throughout degree program

✓ Students who had an ORU undergraduate ePortfolio should contact Brandon Collins, the assistant registrar, at brcollins@oru.edu to enroll in graduate ePortfolio without a fee
ePortfolio: See course syllabi for ePortfolio requirements

Note: Some syllabi say "None" (no ePortfolio requirements)

Failure to submit a required ePortfolio artifact will result in an Incomplete grade for the course.

2. Whole Person Assessment Requirements
   a. All students entering the seminary are required to enroll in PRF 059 ePortfolio: Whole Person Assessment, which provides specific training to develop the skills needed to create an ePortfolio.
   b. Whole Person Assessment requirements for this course:
      1. All students, regardless of degree program, must submit the exegetical research paper for GBIB 561 to the course professor on ePortfolio, on the same date the assignment is also due in class.
      2. Failure to correctly submit designated artifact assignments on time to the course professor on ePortfolio will result in an Incomplete grade for the course. When a student submits the missing artifact to the professor on ePortfolio, he or she may fill out a Change of Grade Request with all relevant information and submit it to the course professor for approval and final grade change.
Important Items

- ORU Library Access

Link on Class Pages to Distance Learner Resources
Important Items

- ORU Library Access

http://oru.libguides.com/library
ATS Online Entering Student Questionnaire

- All students entering the Seminary are required to complete the ATS Entering Student Questionnaire.
- Access through D2L course shell for PRFT 056 Entry Level Assessment.
Important Items

ATS Online Entering Student Questionnaire

The questionnaire will open in a new window. If you are having difficulty beginning the questionnaire please click here for instructions, including how to disable popup blockers.
Important Items **ATS Online Entering Student Questionnaire**

- Save the completion page and upload to the appropriate D2L dropbox by given date.

- **NOTE**: After you have finished the questionnaire, it may show as less than 100% complete; that is normal, depending on your answers.
Important Items

- Need HPE proctor besides regular proctor (handout in folder)

- Degree plans (first time advisement):
  Group Advisement: Wednesday 5:30 p.m., each Modular Intensive week

- International Students: Check in with Lisa Edwards, Admissions Administrative office, room GC 3 ½ East (918.495.6529; ledwards@oru.edu)
ISRAEL STUDY TRIP: May 19 - June 4, 2017

• GBIB 648 Israel Study Abroad Seminar (5TH session)
• Contact Dr. William McDonald at wmcdonald@oru.edu
• Submit Petition for Policy Exception gradtheoacademics@oru.edu
• Itinerary & registration form on Class Pages
• Everyone welcome! You do not have to be a student to go!
The GSTM Hooding Ceremony is on Friday, May 5, 2017, in Christ Chapel.

The ORU Graduation Ceremony is on Saturday, May 6, 2017, in the Mabee Center.

Detailed information about these events will be posted on Class Pages in March.
1. Graduate Theology candidates must fill out the online Graduation Application on VISION and submit a printout of the form.
   a. Student Services & Financial Aid
   b. Student Records
   c. Apply to Graduate
Graduating Students

2. Submit completed **Graduation Checklist** (on Class Pages)
3. Complete the online **ATS Graduating Student Questionnaire** on Class Pages and submit a printout of completion page.
Graduating Students

• All graduation documents were due in the Dean’s office by December 4, 2016.

• Graduate candidates must complete a degree audit with the registrar’s office.

• More information on the GSTM hooding ceremony and graduation will be posted on Class Pages mid-semester.

• Contact Judy Cope for questions on hooding and graduation: jcope@oru.edu
ORDERING REGALIA (cap, gown, hood)

- Graduate candidates must order their regalia from the ORU bookstore: 918.495.6589 or oru@bkstr.com

- Students who are not on campus can have regalia shipped to them (with shipping fee)

- Regalia can also be purchased on campus through the morning of graduation.
Questions?