

Course Sequence and Residential/Online Delivery Chart  
 PhD in Theology  
 Oral Roberts University  
 (Effective from Fall 2021)

Courses	39
GHPE	1
Assessments	2
Dissertation	9
Total Required Hours	51

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Mode of Delivery	Professor
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**FIRST YEAR**

**Fall**

PRFT 949	Research Methods	3	Modular	Dr Isgrigg
GTHE 951	History of Christian Doctrine	3	Modular	Dr Newberg

**Spring**

GTHE 962	Doing Theology in the Global Christian Context	3	Modular	Dr W Ma
GTHE 965	History of Global Spirit-Empowered Movements	3	Modular	Dr. Newberg

**Summer**

GTHE 967	Contemporary Issues in Spirit-Empowered Christianity	3	Online	Dr Newberg
GBIB 921	Seminar in New Testament Theology	3	Online	Dr Lamp
PRFT 910	Entry-Level Assessment†	1		Dr Newberg

**SECOND YEAR**

**Fall**

GBIB 911	Seminar in Old Testament Theology	3	Modular	Dr W Ma
GBIB 931	Spirit Hermeneutics	3	Modular	Dr Lamp

**Spring**

GTHE 961	History and Methods of Contextual Theology	3	Modular	Dr Althouse
GTHE 972	Theology of Spirit-Empowered Mission	3	Modular	Dr J Ma

**Summer**

GTHE 981	Integrated Seminar in Contextual Theology 1	3	Online	Dr. Althouse
	Elective (select one of the following)			
GTHE 978	Global Pentecostalism and Social Engagement	3	Online	
GTHE 974	Christian Theology and Other Religions	3	Online	
GTHE 971	History and Theology of Missions	3	Online (2022)	Dr J Ma

GTHE 976	Contextual Leadership Development	3	Online (2023)	Dr Thompson
GTHE 980	Independent Study	3	Online	
GHPE 903	Health Physical Education (online)	1		

### THIRD YEAR

#### Fall

GTHE 982	Integrated Seminar in Contextual Theology 2	3	Online	Dr Althouse
PRFT 990	Comprehensive Exams	0		
PRFT 920	Mid-Level Assessments†	1		

#### Spring

GTHE 930	Candidacy Level Assessment†	0		
GTHE 990	Dissertation††	3		

#### Summer

GTHE 990	Dissertation††	3		
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### FOURTH YEAR ONWARDS

#### Fall

GTHE 990	Dissertation††	3		
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#### Until the completion of Dissertation

GTHE 995	Dissertation Continuation*	1		
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#### Upon the completion of Dissertation

GTHE 905	Dissertation Defense	0		
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† Required artifact for PhD Program.

†† Rubric required for Assessment.

\*GTHE 990 Dissertation and GTHE 995 Dissertation Continuation are full-time.

\*\* If dissertation is not completed during GTHE 990 enrollment then GTHE 995 registration is required semester until the completion of the dissertation.

In order to remain in the PhD Program, students must earn a grade no lower than "B" for each course throughout the program. See the Program Handbook for details.

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