

DOCTOR OF THEOLOGY AND MINISTRY (V6A282)

1. Location: Durham City.
2. Duration: full-time (36 months), part-time (72 months).

Admissions

3. Admissions criteria:
 - a. Candidates proceeding by full-time study must normally have at least two years of recent Christian ministerial experience.
 - b. Candidates must normally have successfully completed a master's degree in Theology and Religious Studies or a related subject.

Programme Structure: Year 1 (full-time); Years 1-2 year (part-time)

4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Practical Theology: Engagement and Evaluation	THEO42530	30
Social Scientific Methods in the Study of Religion	THEO41330	30
Advanced Research Methods in Practical Theology	THEO50190	90

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 30 credits **List A:**

List A:		Credit value
Practical Theology: Context, Practice and Methodology #	THEO42330	30
Supervised Independent Study in Practical Theology	THEO42230	30
Specialised Aspects of Practical Theology ¥	THEO42430	30
Advanced Hebrew Texts	THEO53230	30
Advanced Aramaic	THEO53430	30
Middle Egyptian	THEO42830	30
Advanced Hebrew Text and Exegesis *	THEO42730	30
The Dead Sea Scrolls and the New Testament	THEO53830	30
The New Testament and the Social Sciences	THEO41430	30
Paul and his Interpreters	THEO40130	30
Theological Interpretation of Scripture	THEO54130	30
Transformative Listening	THEO41730	30
Patristic Ecclesiology	THEO43230	30
Christian Northumbria 600-800	THEO57630	30
Worship and Reform in Britain 1530-62	THEO41530	30
Anglican Perspectives on God and the Human Condition *	THEO40530	30
The Anglican Theological Vision	THEO41930	30
Liturgy and Sacramentality	THEO40630	30
Conceiving Change in Contemporary Catholicism	THEO40230	30
Twentieth-Century Catholic Theology	THEO41630	30

Theology and Asceticism in the Ancient Catholic Tradition	THEO42030	30
The Practice of Theology in the Catholic Tradition 400-1900 *	THEO42130	30
Christian Gender	THEO41030	30
Principles of Theological Ethics	THEO41230	30
Theology, Ethics and Medicine *	THEO56930	30
Social Scientific Methods in the Study of Religion	THEO41330	30
Religion, Modernity and Identity	THEO40730	30
Ritual, Symbolism and Belief in the Anthropology of Religion *	THEO56730	30
Spirituality, Anthropology, Life and Death	THEO43030	30
Literature and Religion	THEO55130	30
Christian Formation, Faith Development and Critical Education	THEO55730	30
The Public Understanding of Science and Religion	THEO40430	30

Programme Structure: Years 2-3 (full-time); Years 3-6 year (part-time)

6. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

List C:	Credit value
Doctoral Thesis (60,000 words)	360

Assessment, progression and award

7. Modules marked with * are not available in 2011-2012
8. Modules marked with ¥ require approval of the Board of Studies in Theology and Religion.
9. Modules marked with # require the approval of the Programme Director of the validated MA in Theology and Ministry and Board of Studies in Theology and Religion.
10. Before proceeding to the doctoral thesis stage, candidates are required to have passed all taught modules in the taught phase. At the end of the taught phase candidates will have preliminary registration on the Thesis while awaiting confirmation of results by the Board of Examiners. Only on the successful completion of all 4 taught modules will the registration be confirmed.
11. If the Level 5 taught module **THEO50190** is failed or if the candidate chooses not to proceed to the doctoral thesis stage, the candidate may be re-registered for the module at Level 4 (**THEO40190**) and the work assessed against the outcomes for this module and awarded a mark in accordance with the Core Regulations for Professional Doctorates. In cases where Board of Examiners deems the module to have been passed at Level 4, the candidate will be allowed to exit the programme with an award, as described in paragraph 12.
12. Candidates may leave the programme with a named lower award subject to the following restrictions:
 - a. MA in Practical Theology and Research (V6K207): candidates must obtain a mark of 50% or more in 180 credits;
 - b. Postgraduate Diploma in Practical Theology and Research (V6K212): candidates must obtain a mark of 50% or more in at least 120 credits.
 - c. Postgraduate Certificate in Practical Theology and Research (V6K214): candidates must obtain a mark of 50% or more in at least 60 credits.