



ERSKINE

THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

SUMMER TERM 2021 (DMin & THM)

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DR 901 Theological Foundations for Ministry

Week Long Intensive; July 12 - 16; 9:00am - 5:00pm

This seminar is designed to help students clarify and articulate a theology of ministry in light of their own theological tradition, in conversation with a wide range of theological perspectives. Students read and discuss significant theological thinkers on the doctrine of the church and its ministry. The course culminates with a final Theology of Ministry paper, in which students describe their own theological perspective on ministry.

Dr. Gore recently retired as an Army Chaplain (Colonel) after twenty-nine years of Active and Reserve service. He has been the pastor of a small church and has held many leadership roles in his presbytery and denomination. He has authored two books, contributed to a volume of sermons from Operation Iraqi Freedom, and has published numerous articles in various journals and periodicals. He is a minister in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.



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DR 902 Ministry in Context

Week Long Intensive; July 19 - 23; 9:00am - 5:00pm

In this seminar, students examine the practice of ministry through the church in the world, in light of the theological foundations of ministry. Special emphasis is given to the careful study of one's ministry context, planning and implementing ministry, conducting research in ministry, and evaluating effectiveness in ministry.

Dr. Melton's broad experience in the church, gracious manner, and excellent teaching have made him a favorite of many students. As the Director of Erskine's Doctor of Ministry program, he has guided countless students through ministry projects that have sharpened their skills and strengthened the church. He is a minister in the Southern Baptist Convention.



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DC 945: Exploring the Missional Church (June 21 - August 13)

This course analyzes the biblical theme of mission and its significance for the development of a missional ecclesiology. Students explore missional church models of ministry and consider implications of the models for 21st century church ministry.



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DN 932: The Fourth Gospel

This course surveys the background, contents, and unique features of the Gospel of John, and gives attention to the history of interpretation of John. Students assess the value of John's approach in light of the contemporary challenge of bearing witness to Jesus's coming.



Bee Kirk, Adjunct Professor
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DN 951: Christian Leadership (June 32 - August 13)

This course explores the biblical and theological basis for Christian leadership. The principal aspects of Christian leadership – character, competency, and change – are examined in relationship to one another and to their practice in the church and in society.



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ST 801 The Seventeenth Century **(Seminar in Theology/Historical Studies)** 5 Mondays, 6/14, 6/28, 7/12, 7/26, 8/9; 9:00am - 5:00pm

In a seminar format, students will investigate a specific topic in the realm of systematic theology or period in the history of the church. Students will analyze primary and secondary sources, conduct independent research, and present their findings in both papers and oral presentations.