



ERSKINE

THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

SUMMER TERM 2023 (THM)



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TH 090 (Online) Research Methodologies

8 weeks, Summer 1: 5/15-7/8; non-credit course, required for 1st year ThM students

This non-credit seminar provides advanced guidance on the tasks of choosing and narrowing a research topic, conducting theological research, using technology in research, analyzing one's findings and articulating their significance, and organizing and writing academic-level theological papers or theses.



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ST 801 (Online) Seminar in Historical Studies (The Life & Theology of B.B. Warfield)

4 Mondays: 9:00am-5:00pm; 6/5, 6/26, 7/17, 8/7; live video conference only

This course explores the writings and legacy of Benjamin Breckinridge Warfield, who taught at Princeton Seminary from 1887-1921. Students will do original research into Warfield's scholarly books, essays, and published sermons, while investigating the secondary historiography on Warfield and Old Princeton Seminary. Students will participate in class discussions on assigned readings and lead discussion on their papers from their research. Warfield's relevance for pastoral ministry and the life of the Church will be of special concern.



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BI 801 (CO&Online) Seminar in Biblical Studies (Intertextuality & Interpretation)

4 Saturdays: 9:00am-5:00pm; 5/20, 6/10, 7/29, 8/12; in-person and live video conference for distance students

The focus of this seminar is the phenomenon of inner-biblical allusion, often referred to as biblical intertextuality. Students will study both Old and New Testament authors' use of Old Testament texts and will consider the implications for biblical exegesis and contemporary hermeneutics. Different types of allusion as well as the interpretive methods common within Second Temple Judaism and the Greco-Roman world will be examined. The book of Esther will form a frequent starting point for discussion of inner-biblical allusion within the biblical canon. The seminar format includes lectures, student presentations, classroom discussion, and exegesis of selected texts.