Department of Theology | College of Arts and Sciences

Theology Minor

18 credit hours

A minor in Theology requires 6 courses taken from within the Theology department. In addition to the three required Core-level courses, three electives must be taken at the 300 level. Three courses must be taken at the Core level, and courses must be selected from at least two (2) of the four areas of doctrine listed below.

A. Required Foundations (9 credit hours)

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B. Required 300-level electives (9 credit hours)

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Note: Eligible students may substitute HONR 101/D, THEO 190, or PHIL 190 for THEO 100

Core-Level Courses (choose courses from at least 2 areas):

**Doctrine**
- THEO 100: Intro to Christian Theology
- THEO 265: The Sacraments and the Christian Imagination
- THEO 266: Church and Global Cultures
- THEO 267: Jesus Christ

**Christian Life and Practice**
- THEO 185: Christian Ethics
- THEO 186: Religious Studies
- THEO 192: Moral Problems
- THEO 203: Social Justice and Injustice
- THEO 204: Religious Ethics and the Ecological Crisis
- THEO 293: Christian Marriage

**Biblical Literature**
- THEO 231: Hebrew Bible/ Old Testament

**Religious Traditions and Practices**
- THEO 272: Judaism
- THEO 278: Religion & Gender
- THEO 279: Roman Catholicism
- THEO 281: Christianity Through Time
- THEO 282: Hinduism
- THEO 295: Islam
- THEO 297: Buddhism
- THEO 299: Religions of Asia

Transfer-Student Residency Requirement: At least 9 credit hours of THEO-MINR requirements must be completed at Loyola.

**Double-Dipping Policy:**
This department observes the CAS Double-Dipping Policy regarding unique credits required for each declared major/minor. Additional information about the policy may be found at: https://www.luc.edu/cas/double-dippingpolicy/