

<b><u>CORE COURSES (30 hours)</u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
APOL 500	Introduction to Apologetics	3	_____	_____
APOL 520	History of Christian Apologetics	3	_____	_____
APOL 550	Faith & Reason	3	_____	_____
APOL 610	Miracles	3	_____	_____
APOL 620	Evil, Suffering & Hell	3	_____	_____
APOL 630	Current Issues in Apologetics	3	_____	_____
NBST 610	Hermeneutics	3	_____	_____
NBST 640	Apologetics & the New Testament	3	_____	_____
OBST 640	Apologetics & the Old Testament	3	_____	_____
RTCH 500	Research, Writing & Ministry Preparation <sup>1</sup>	3	_____	_____
<b><u>THESIS COURSES (6 hours)</u></b>				
RTCH 680	Research Methods <sup>2</sup>	3	_____	_____
THES 690	Thesis Defense	3	_____	_____
		<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>36</b>	

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 36 hours

A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

3.0 GPA

No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)

No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)

Degree must be completed within 5 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Offered in Resident and Online Format**

**Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*

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*Suggested Course Sequence on Second Page*

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

First Semester

APOL 500	3
RTCH 500 <sup>1</sup>	3
APOL 520	3
NBST 610	<u>3</u>
Total	12

Second Semester

APOL 550	3
NBST 640	3
APOL 610	3
OBST 640	<u>3</u>
Total	12

Third Semester

THES 690	3
APOL 620	3
RTCH 680 <sup>2</sup>	3
APOL 630	<u>3</u>
Total	12

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