

BETHEL UNIVERSITY

EXTENSION STUDIES

Bachelor of Arts in Ministry Leadership
Biblical Studies Track

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Ministry Leadership degree program incorporates in-depth Bible and theological study, while focusing on the practical skills needed to minister in today's contemporary, diverse culture. As students engage in coursework, the goal is for them to experience deeper personal spiritual growth that will enable them to provide Christ-centered leadership to meet a variety of needs. The degree offers students the flexibility to tailor their studies to emphasize biblical studies, youth ministry, or pastoral studies.

PROGRAM FEATURES

- Accelerated courses lasting seven weeks
- Earn a Bethel accredited degree at an extension site in your community
- A structured learning environment with flexible schedules allowing students to maintain employment
- A hybrid model of online and in person
- Affordable flat-rate tuition
- On-site mentoring of students
- Practical field-related experience (practicums and internships)
- Personalized support for financial aid, enrollment, and academic planning

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Complete a brief application at your BU^x location.
- Complete an application at BethelUniversity.edu/Admission-Aid/Apply-Now/BU-X.
- Meet with Student Services regarding admission.
- Bethel University requires an official, final transcript from your high school and SAT/ACT test scores. They can be mailed in a sealed envelope or sent electronically to Admission@BethelUniversity.edu.
- Complete FAFSA and contact Financial Aid at 574.807.7326 if you are seeking federal student loans.

TUITION/FEES

- \$10,500 per year (\$5,250 per semester)
- Students must remain full time to receive this tuition price
- Full time = 15 credit hours
- Practicums have an additional \$30 per credit hour fee.

FINANCIAL AID

- Financial aid is available. For more information, contact the Financial Aid Office at 574.807.7415 or FinAid@BethelUniversity.edu.
- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Bethel's federal school code is 001787



ABOUT BETHEL

Bethel University, located in Indiana, is a Christian liberal arts university accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and affiliated with the Missionary Church.

CONTACT US

Please contact your local extension site for more information.

To see a complete list of BU-X sites, visit:

BUX.BethelUniversity.edu

If you have questions, please email BU-X@BethelUniversity.edu.



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BA in Ministry Leadership

Below is a GUIDE only. Advisors will assist each student with actual schedules.

Biblical Studies Track*

FRESHMAN

FALL			SPRING		
COL 100	College Studies	1	FA 170	Perspectives in Fine Arts	3
BIBL 216	New Testament Literature	3	MATH 109	Excursions in Math (or MATH107)	3
THEO 110	Exploring Christian Faith	3	ENGL 102	Written Comm III	3
ENGL 101	Written Comm II	3	SOC 151	Principles of Sociology	3
PSYC 182	General Psychology	3	MINP 151	Extension Studies Practicum	3
MINP 151	Extension Studies Practicum I	3			
Credit hours = 16			Credit hours = 15		

SOPHOMORE

FALL			SPRING		
LIT ____	LIT251 Global Literature (or COMM352)	3	NS 110	Environmental Science	4
HIST ____	HIST 243 or HIST 246	3	LANG ---	LANG 101 or Language Course	3
PHIL 250	Intro to Philosophy	3	COMM 171	Speech Communication	3
BIBL 215	Old Testament Literature	3	MIN 215	Foundations of Christian Ministry	3
MINP 251	Extension Studies Practicum II	3	MINP 251	Extension Studies Practicum II	3
Credit hours = 15			Credit hours = 16		

JUNIOR

FALL			SPRING		
MIN 310	Evangelism and Discipleship	3	BIBL220	Introduction to Biblical Literature	3
BIBL 218	Invitation to Scripture Studies	3	BIBL224	New Testament Book Study	2
THEO 310	Systematic Theology I	3	THEO313	Systematic Theology II	3
BIBL 331	Pentateuch & Historical Books	3	MIN441	Homiletics	3
-----	Elective	3	MINP 351	Extension Studies Internship I	3
Credit hours = 15			Credit hours = 14		

SENIOR

FALL			SPRING		
BIBL332	Poetic Books and Wisdom	3	BIBL333	Old Testament Prophetic Books	3
BIBL341	Jesus and the Gospels	3	BIBL342	Acts and Pauline Epistles	3
BIBL343	General Epistles and Revelation	3	BIBL423	Biblical Theology	3
-----	Elective	3	-----	Elective	3
-----	Elective	3	MINP 451	Extension Studies Internship II	3
Credit hours = 15			Credit hours = 15		

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS = 121

**It is strongly recommended that students in the Biblical studies track take either Greek or Hebrew to fulfill their language requirement.*



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