# **MASTER OF ARTS IN THEOLOGY**

## Description

The Master of Arts/theology degree is designed to equip students for service in a supportive role in the local church. Courses include Old and New Testament biblical theology, systematic theology, and apologetics, providing students with a solid theological foundation for ministry. This program requires 60 semester hours of academic credit for graduation.

### **Completion Requirements**

#### **General Requirements**

In order to qualify for graduation from Mid-America Seminary or College, each student seeking the Master of Arts/theology degree must satisfy the General Requirements for Graduation as set forth in this catalog.

### **Course Requirements**

Each student pursuing the Master of Arts/theology degree must complete the 60 semester hours of courses specified in the following chart, including 57 semester hours of required courses and three elective hours. Note: Logos Bible Research Software (Silver edition or above) is recommended for courses in the New Testament Department.

## **Required Courses**

First Year		Hours
OT 5101	Old Testament Survey 1	6
& OT 5102	and Old Testament Survey 2	
CH 6001	The History of Christianity	3
EV 6200	Personal Evangelism	3
PM 7300	Spiritual Formation	3
BH 5100	Hermeneutics	3
CM 7484	Introduction to Christian Ministries	3
AP 6910	Introduction to Apologetics	3
TH 6601	Biblical Old Testament Theology	3
EN 7900	Introduction to Research and Writing	3
	Hours	30
Second Year		
NT 5601	New Testament Survey 1	6
& NT 5602	and New Testament Survey 2	
TH 6701	Systematic Theology 1	6
& TH 6702	and Systematic Theology 2	
Select one of the following:		6
CM 7450	Principles of Teaching 1	
& CM 7452	and Principles of Teaching 2	
HM 7001	Biblical Preaching 1	
& HM 7005	and Biblical Preaching 2	
CN 7103	Introduction to Biblical Counseling	3
CH 6150	The History of the Baptists	3
Theology Elective		3
TH 6602	Biblical New Testament Theology	3
	Hours	30
	Total Hours	60