

Faculty of Theology and Philosophy 2024 Unit Offerings

Master of Professional Studies in Theology

Unit Code Specialisation Groups

THBS – Biblical Studies

THCT - Christian Thought and Tradition

BETH - Bioethics

THLS – Liturgical Studies

THMM – Mission and Ministry

THSP - Spirituality

PHIL - Philosophy

NOTE: units may sit across multiple specialisation areas

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500 LEVEL UNITS

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)

Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 1

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THBS501	Biblical Studies		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS502 and THBS562 and THMM502	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THBS562	Introducing the Scriptures	Melbourne	Multi-mode	Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS501, THEO562	10	On campus dates: 2 March and 27 April 2024 Zoom online session dates: 23 March and 11 May 2024	Attendance is required for all sessions. All sessions are on Saturday's.
THCT500	Foundations of Christian Faith		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT563	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCT503	The Early Christian World		Online Scheduled		10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCT563	Introducing Theology		Online Unscheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEO563, THCT500/THEO558	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)

Semester 1 (Continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCP514 Replaced with THLS501	Foundations of Liturgy		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCP514	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)

Professional term 5

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCT500	Foundations of Christian Faith	Strathfield	On Campus	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT563	10	1 – 2 and 4 – 5 July 2024 (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday) 9:00am – 4:00pm	Intensive

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)**Inc:** Incompatible unit(s)**Semester 2**

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Notes (Additional Information)	Intensive Dates
THBS501	Biblical Studies		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS502 and THBS562 and THMM502	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THBS562	Introducing the Scriptures		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS501, THEO562	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCT500	Foundations of Christian Faith		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT563	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCT501	Jesus the Christ		Online Scheduled	Pre: THCT500 or THCT563	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCT563	Introducing Theology	Melbourne	Multi-mode	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEO563, THCT500/THEO558	10	On campus dates: 17 August and 14 September 2024 Zoom online session dates: 31 August and 19 October 2024	Attendance is required for all sessions. All sessions are on Saturday's.
THBS502 Replaced with THMM502	Interpreting the Bible for Leadership and Mission		Online Scheduled	Pre: NIL; Inc: THBS501, THBS502, THBS562	10	1 August, 19 September, 10 October and 31 October 2024 (Thursdays – 7:00pm – 8:30pm)	COHORT SPECIFIC ONLY

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600 LEVEL UNITS

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)**Inc:** Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 1

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
PHIL621	The Problem of Evil		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THBS603	Pauline Literature		Online Scheduled	Pre: THBS501 or THBS562	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THBS605 Replaced with THBS609	The Gospel of the Liturgical Year B: Mark	Adelaide Leadership Centre	Attendance	Pre: Nil	10	1 - 2 March and 5 - 6 April 2024 (Friday – Saturday)	Intensive
THCT600	Creation, Grace and Salvation		Online Scheduled	Pre:THCT500 or THCT563; Inc:THCT630	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCT604	Becoming Church Today: Nature and Mission		Online Scheduled	Pre:THCT500 or THCT563	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)**Inc:** Incompatible unit(s)**Professional term 5**

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCP613 Replaced with THLS606	Celebrating Liturgy Today: Exploring the Ritual Enactment of Faith		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCP514 or THLS501 or THCP613	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)

Professional term 6

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCT608	Theology of Marriage and Holy Orders		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil	10	3 – 4 and 17 – 18 August 2024 (Saturday – Sunday)	Intensive

Professional term 7

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCT605	Enhancing Catholic Identity: Introducing the Leuven Project	Brisbane	On Campus	Pre: THBS501 or THBS562, THCT500 or THCT563	10	2 – 6 September 2024 (Monday – Friday)	Intensive

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)**Inc:** Incompatible unit(s)**Semester 2**

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Notes (Additional Information)	Intensive Dates
THBS602	New Testament Christology		Online Scheduled	Pre:THBS501 or THBS562	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCT601	Fundamentals in Theology		Online Scheduled	Pre: THCT500 or THCT563	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCT610	Australian Catholic History and Identity		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)
THCP602 Replaced with THCT613	Foundations of Social Justice		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)**Inc:** Incompatible unit(s)**Semester 2 (continued)**

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Notes (Additional Information)	Intensive Dates
THEL640	Special Studies in Theology B	Ballarat, Brisbane, Canberra, Melbourne, Strathfield	Multi-mode	Pre: Nil Inc: THEO633 and THEL633	10	Course Coordinator Permission required. Please note: if you have previously undertaken a THEL620 unit you must enrol in THEL640. If you are not sure of which unit code to enrol in, please contact mailto:FTP.PG@acu.edu.au	
THEL620	Special Studies in Theology A	Ballarat, Brisbane, Canberra, Melbourne, Strathfield	Multi-mode	Pre: Nil Inc: THEO633 and THEL630	10	Course Coordinator Permission required. Please note: if you have previously undertaken a THEL620 unit you must enrol in THEL640. If you are not sure of which unit code to enrol in, please contact mailto:FTP.PG@acu.edu.au	

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Research units

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)

Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 1

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THEL619	Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research		Online Scheduled	Pre: NIL	10		Standard semester (12 weeks)

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)

Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 1 / Semester 2

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite / Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THEL623	Theology Project C	National	Multimode	Pre: THEL619 & successful completion of at least four units of Theology at Masters level with a minimum credit average.	20		Permission of the Course Coordinator required

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