# POSTGRADUATE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES AT THE FACULTY OF THEOLOGY

People consider postgraduate studies in Theology\* for various reasons – to be ordained as a minister in their church, to specialize in a field of their interest or to follow a second career. The Faculty of Theology has many highly qualified supervisors, specialists in their academic fields, to guide a student on this journey.

## POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN THEOLOGY

Requirements	Duration	Presentation	Progression
<ul> <li>A professional BDiv degree (NQF level 8);</li> <li>or a Bacehor's degree in Theology;</li> <li>or an Advanced Diploma in Theology (NQF level 7);</li> <li>or equivalent cognate qualification.</li> </ul>	1 year	Structured	Upon successful completion a student can apply to enroll for cognate Master's degrees in Theology, subject to admission requirements and departmental selection.

### BACHELOR HONOURS IN THEOLOGY

Requirements	Duration	Presentation	Progression
<ul> <li>An applicable Bachelor degree at NQF level 7;</li> <li>or a cognate Advanced Diploma in Theology.</li> </ul>	2 years part-time, 1 year full time	Structured	Upon successful completion a student can apply to enroll for a Master's degree in Theology, subject to admission requirements and departmental selection.

\*(Requirements and information may be subject to change. The student must make sure about the latest information.)

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## MASTER'S DEGREES

#### MASTER OF DIVINITY; MASTER OF THEOLOGY; MASTER OF RECONCILIATION AND SOCIAL COHESION

Requirements	Duration	Presentation	Progression
<ul> <li>Professional BDiv (NQF level 8),</li> <li>or BTh (NQF level 8),</li> <li>or an applicable Honour's degree (NQF level 8),</li> <li>or a Postgraduate Diploma in Theology (NQF level 8).</li> <li>Obtained a weighted average of at least 60%, or at least 60% in the modules in which he/she wants to proceed.</li> <li>Have completed (or are still to complete) a module (or equivalent) in Theological Research Methodology at NQF level 8.</li> </ul>	2 years part-time, 1 year full time	Structured and non-structured programmes	Upon successful completion a student may apply to enroll for a Doctoral degree in Theology, subject to admission requirements and departmental selection.

## DOCTORAL DEGREES / DOCTOR OF THEOLOGY; DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN THEOLOGY

Requirements: Applicable Master's degree (NQF level 9). Obtained a weighted average of at least 65%, or at least 65% in the modules in which he/she wants

to proceed. The department in which the student wishes to specialize may require a written research proposal.

## RESEARCH FIELDS IN THE FACULTY OF THEOLOGY

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# **ENQUIRIES**

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