

# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN MISSIONS

## REQUIRED CORE COURSES (13 hours)

Exploring the Old Testament	3
Exploring the New Testament	3
Systematic Theology 1*	3
Systematic Theology 2*	3
NOBTS, SBC, and Cooperative Program**	1

## CORE COURSE DESIGNATED ELECTIVES (2-3 hours)

Choose ONE of the following:

Pastoral Ministry	3
Worship Leadership	3
Proclaiming the Bible	3
Servant Leadership	2
Interpersonal Relationship Skills	3
Baptist Heritage	3
Introduction to Christian Ethics	3
Spiritual Formation 1 and 2	2
Christian Apologetics	3

## MISSIONS/EVANGELISM REQUIRED COURSES (5 hours)

Introduction to Christian Missions	3
Life and Work of the Missionary	2

## MISSIONS/EVANGELISM DESIGNATED ELECTIVES (4 hours)

Choose ONE of the following:

Biblical Principles & Practices of Evangelism+	2
Vital Signs of a Healthy Church+	2

Choose ONE of the following missions electives:

Contemporary Mission Methods & Movements	2
Chronological Bible Storying	2
Anthropology for Missionaries	2
World A	2
Transcultural Communication of the Gospel	2
Regional Studies	2
Introduction to Urban Missions	2
Alternative field-based course+	2

## TOTAL REQUIRED: 24–25 HOURS

\*Studies in Christian Doctrine and Baptist Heritage may be substituted with approval.

\*\*All graduate students must take this course during orientation in their first semester. Students will receive one credit hour but will not be charged for the course.

+These courses could be taken on the mission field with approval of IMB regional leadership.

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