

Courses at Uniting College

Undergraduate Certificate in Divinity

A great and flexible place to start Higher Education study if you've not done any before or would like to start at the beginning with things theological. Choose any four units with our Course Advisor that take your interest and study them part-time or full-time.

From 2024 we have three units focused on Community Ministry specifically available for those training as Chaplains, UCA Deacons, and/or in engaging in the wider community. Team them up with a unit of your choice.

Also from 2024 you can study the Undergraduate Certificate concentrating on Leadership units, by studying through our partnership with Arrow Leadership. Interested? Talk with us.

Diploma in Ministry

Keen to study a Diploma in units that will give you a good foundation for ministry contexts? Four are required in Biblical, practising Ministry, Mission, and Spirituality and Discipleship and then you can choose any other four units with our Course Advisor. Study full-time or part-time.

Diploma in Theology

This Diploma opens up the opportunity to study units that will give you a good foundation in theological understanding of your own and other traditions. Four units focus on Biblical Studies and Christian Thought and History. For another four units you can choose your emphasis. Study full-time for a year or part-time.

Advanced Diploma in Theology and Ministry

This course of study is the equivalent of two full-time years of units (but can be studied part-time if you prefer). After a year of building foundations in Biblical Studies, Theology, Christian History, Mission and Ministry (eight units) you can choose eight more units in topics that interest you.

Bachelor of Ministry

A three-year full-time equivalent qualification in applied theology that prepares you for ministry contexts. It can be studied part-time, and is built of a range of units in Biblical Studies, Theology, Christian History, Mission and Ministry (twenty-four altogether). The BMin also contains two units that focus on formation in real-life ministry contexts and a final capstone inviting you to reflect on best practice, drawing from all that you have been learning.

From 2024 you can study a BMin and, completion of particular identified units over the course, qualifies you to be accepted into a Master of Social Work at Flinders University. Talk to us about this option!

Bachelor of Theology

Keen to delve deeply into critically examining life and faith through the study of scriptures, theological traditions and historical contexts, develop your research and communication skills and engage what you learn with contemporary contexts? Then this three year equivalent course (that can also be studied part-time) is for you.

Graduate Certificate in Divinity and Graduate Certificate in Theology

Already have a degree in theology, ministry or a different area altogether but are keen to engage deeper with Christian spirituality and faith? The gift of these courses is that you can choose any units that fascinate you. It also offers a great gateway to possible further postgraduate study. The graduate certificate can be studied full-time over six months or part-time over a longer period.

Graduate Diploma in Divinity

This course is an opportunity for people with undergraduate theological study OR a Bachelor's in any discipline to explore multiple areas of interest in theology and ministry or to engage with one or two, in depth. Full-time this course is a year of study but it can be studied part-time. It opens a path to higher levels of postgraduate study.

Master of Theological Studies

This course is a Masters option for students who start their theological study at postgraduate level (i.e. who do not hold an undergraduate degree in Theology or Ministry) and who would like to strengthen their application of theology and faith to their professional practice. It can be studied entirely by coursework or students can choose to finish with a short thesis, engaging in resource or human research.

Master of Theology

This course is a Masters for those who already hold an undergraduate degree in Theology or Ministry. It is an opportunity to dig deeper into theological application and research. It can be studied entirely by coursework or students can choose to finish with a short thesis, engaging in resource or human research.

Doctor of Professional Practice

Interested in doctoral level study but keen for a combination of high-level coursework alongside a research project focused on weaving applied practice with theology and spirituality? This is an equivalent three-year full-time course that can also be studied part-time. Join a community of practitioners from across Australia and be supervised by a combination of academic and industry scholar-practitioners.

Doctor of Divinity

Ready for a PhD? Got a big, original angle on a topic you are passionate about? The University of Divinity PhD is an opportunity to engage in a deep research project across three years equivalent (part-time or full-time). Talk to us about possible supervision and enjoy the wealth of resources and community across the University of Divinity.

Other Study Options

Individual units are available for personal interest, deepening faith and professional development. There is an option to take units without any assignments or assessments. Spark your passion. Invest in your skills. Cross-institutional study options are also available.

FEE-HELP is available for all Higher Education courses. All courses can be studied face-to-face, synchronously or asynchronously online.

Study postgraduate qualifications in Spirituality and Spiritual Direction through our partnership with Dayspring (Western Australia). Ask us about the **Graduate Diploma in Spiritual Direction**, and the **Master of Spiritual Direction**.