

2023-2024 Course Schedule

Fall 2023 Aug 28-Dec 17	Course	Instructor	Format
Fall Modules Aug 28 – Sep 2 on campus	NT515 NT Survey	N. Majors	Distance
Fall - 2023	Course	Instructor	Format
(15-weeks) Aug 28-Dec 17	BLH501 Biblical Hebrew I	N. Majors	Distance
	BLG501 Biblical Greek I	F. Weiland	Distance
	AP901 Apologetic Methodologies	W. Roach	Distance
	AP907 Apologetics & the Art of Persuasion	B. Henson	Distance
	AP906/AP508 Adv. Resurrection of Christ	J. Holden	Distance
	AP909/910 Apologetics for Contemporary Issues: Bioethics	M. Endara	Distance
	CH580 History of the Church	C. Allers	Distance
	PH520 History of Philosophy I	M. Hanna	Distance
	IS507 Apologetics and Polemics	J. Smith	Distance
Fall 1-2023	Course	Instructor	Format
(7-weeks) Aug 28 – Oct 15	TH560 Anthropology, Hamartiology, Soteriology	W. Roach	Distance
	OT509 1&2 Samuel	N. Majors	Distance
	AP515 Cultural and Social Apologetics	W. Roach	Distance
	PM560 Teaching Scripture	C. Allers	Distance
Fall 2 -2023	Course	Instructor	Format
(15-weeks) 10/23- 2/4/23 (7-weeks) October 23 – December 17	IS508 Christology	P. Blackham	Distance
	RE504 World Religions	B. Henson	Distance
Spring Modules - 2024	Course	Instructor	Format
(15-weeks) 10/23-5/21	AP501 Christian Apologetics <i>In Residence 10/23-28 (based on enrollment)</i>	J. Holden	Hybrid
Spring 1 - 2024	Course	Instructor	Format
(7-weeks) 1/29-3/17	TH520 Hermeneutics	W. Roach	Distance
	TH540 Theology Proper & Creation	J. Holden	Distance
	PM510 Christian Leadership Principles	C. Allers	Distance
(15 – Weeks)	IS509 Bibliology	Smith/Janosik	Distance
Spring - 2024	Course	Instructor	Format
(15-weeks) 1/29-5/20	BLG502 Biblical Greek II	F. Weiland	Distance
	BLH502 Biblical Hebrew II	N. Majors	Distance
	OT515 Old Testament Survey	N. Majors	Distance
	AP904 Adv. World Religions	B. Henson	Distance
	AP908 Advanced Cultural and Social Apologetics	W. Roach	Distance
	AP902 Advanced Scientific Apologetics	D. Deal	Distance
	AP504 Christian Ethics and Moral Philosophy	M. Hanna	Distance
	PH501 Intro to Philosophy	W. Roach	Distance
	AP507 Problem of Evil	M. Hanna	Distance
Spring 2 - 2024	Course	Instructor	Format
(7-weeks) 4/1-5/20	NT501 Gospel Literature	D. Farnell	Distance
	TH570 Eschatology and Ecclesiology	W. House	Distance
	TH530 Prolegomena & Bibliology	J. Holden	Distance
	OT502 Deuteronomy	N. Majors	Distance
(15 - weeks) 4/1-7/14	IS510: Methodology of Ministry to Muslims	Smith/Janosik	Distance
Summer Modules 2024	Course	Instructor	Format
(15 - weeks) June 17-Sept 29	AP905 New Religious Movements	W. Roach	Distance
	RE505 Contemporary Cults	W. Roach	Distance
Summer Term 2024	Course	Instructor	Format
June 17 –August 4 4/1-5/20	OT511 1&2 Kings	N. Majors	Distance
	PH1045 Ancient and Medieval Philosophy	W. Roach	Distance
	PH515 Philosophy of Religion	M. Hanna	Distance
	PH550 Epistemology	B. Roach	Distance

	FC510 Gospel and Culture	D. Farnell	Distance
Summer Term - 2024	Course	Instructor	Format
(15-weeks)	BLH503 Exegesis in the Old Testament	N. Majors	Distance
June 17-Sept 29	BLG503 Exegesis in the New Testament	F. Weiland	Distance
	IS501: Islam in the 21st Century	Smith/Janosik	Distance
	AR621B Historical and Cultural Synchronisms	J. Bulot	Distance

Notes:

All BA and DMin (with Concentrations) courses are arranged only. Electives or a remaining class you need to graduate not on the schedule can be arranged upon request.

Module courses are subject to change to a distance ed format depending on residential enrollments.

* MA/PhD Archaeology long-term and short-term schedules are available at: <https://viu.ves.edu/semester-schedules/>.

* For Bachelors required general education and elective courses, visit <http://viu.ves.edu/bachelor-of-arts-in-christian-studies/>. These are all arranged courses.

* Students have the option to take residential courses, when offered, (corresponding to their degree program) on campus or through distance education via live stream or video lectures.

* Arranged Courses (via distance education) are available upon request a minimum of 30-days prior to proposed start date (registrar@ves.edu).

* All modules meet on campus in the evening (except Saturday) for six consecutive days (Mon-Sat). Then 14 additional weeks follow in which students complete their coursework at home. Total course length is 15-weeks. Those who are distance students in different time zones may view the saved Zoom lectures the following day.

Fall Semester Dates

Final Registration & Orientation: Aug 28

Fall courses begin: Aug 28

Last Day to Officially Drop 15-wk courses: Sep 11

Last Day to Drop DE Term 1 (7-wk) Courses: Sep 4

DE Fall 2 Registration: Oct 16-22

DE Fall 2 Courses Begin: Oct 23

Thanksgiving Break: Nov 22-24

Last Day to Drop DE Term 2 Courses: Oct 30

Last day of Fall course: Dec 17

Fall Graduation: (if needed) Dec 21

Spring Semester Dates

Spring final registration: Jan 8-28

Spring Courses Begin: Jan 29

Last Drop Day of Spring Term (15-wk) Feb 12

Last Drop Day of Spring Term 1 (7-wk): Feb 5

Spring Term 2 final registration Mar 25-31

Spring Term 2 Begins: April 1

Last Drop Day of Spring 2: Apr 8

Easter Break: March 25-29

Last Day of Classes: May 20

Spring Graduation: May 23

Summer 2024

Summer 15 - Week June 17-Sep 29

Summer 7 - week June 17-Aug 4