

Master of Arts in Theology

B. H. Carroll offers the Master of Arts in Theology with concentrations in ***Scripture and Witness, Faith and Heritage, Ministry and Formation, and Worship and Mission***. The prerequisites are the same for each of the clusters concentrations with the exception of *Ministry and Formation.

Purpose of the Master of Arts in Theology Program

The Master of Arts in Theology is a one year, post-baccalaureate, program in theological studies designed for general educational purposes or to provide a basic mastery of a particular theological discipline that would lead to further advanced study.

Admission Requirements

In addition to the general admission requirements described in the catalog, the following prerequisites and requirements are necessary for admission into the program:

- Applicants must have completed a bachelor's degree with a major in Religion or its equivalent from a regionally-accredited college or university. In some cases, admission with deficiencies is possible with fulfillment of those deficiencies at B. H. Carroll Theological Institute.
- Applicants must have maintained a grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale in the undergraduate major. Alternative evaluation is sometimes possible, as is admission status that will permit the applicant to demonstrate the ability to do post-baccalaureate work.

Prerequisites for the Master of Arts in Theology: With a Concentration in Scripture and Witness or Faith and Heritage

The applicant should note the following prerequisites for admission to the Master of Arts in Theology: Concentration in Scripture and Witness, Faith and Heritage, and Worship and Missions.

- 2 years of undergraduate Greek (or a satisfactory score on B. H. Carroll Theological Institute's proficiency exam)
- 1 year of undergraduate Hebrew (or a satisfactory score on B. H. Carroll Theological Institute's proficiency exam)
- 2 courses in undergraduate theology
- 4 courses in undergraduate Bible

Prerequisites for the Master of Arts in Theology: With a Concentration in Ministry and Formation

The applicant should note the following prerequisites for admission to the Master of Arts in Theology: Concentration in Ministry and Formation.

- 2 courses in Pastoral Care and/or Religious Education
- 2 courses in Management and/or Leadership
- 2 courses in Psychology or Sociology or Cross-Cultural Studies
- 2 courses in undergraduate theology
- 4 courses in undergraduate Bible

Prerequisites for the Master of Arts in Theology: With a Concentration in Worship and Mission

The applicant should note the following prerequisites for admission to the Master of Arts in Theology: Concentration in Worship and Mission

- 2 courses in Worship or Ministry Studies
- 4 courses in Missions or Sociology Studies or extensive intercultural experience
- 2 courses in undergraduate theology
- 4 courses in undergraduate Bible

Or

- 4 courses in Worship or Ministry Studies
- 2 courses in Leadership or Sociology Studies
- 2 courses in undergraduate theology
- 4 courses in undergraduate Bible