

**(HOUSTON BAPTIST UNIVERSITY DEGREE PROGRAM PLAN
MASTER OF ARTS
THEOLOGICAL STUDIES (MATS)- BIBLICAL STUDIES TRACK**

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CATALOG YEAR: **2021/2022** DATE: _____

To earn a Master of Arts in Theological Studies-Biblical Studies Track, 36 semester hours are required.

Degree Requirements		HOURS
	Core	
Methods		
CHRI 5305	Theological Inquiry	6
CHRI 5300 or CHRI 6330	Introduction to Biblical Texts (or) Christian Readings	
Candidate must take CHRI 5300 if they have no previous academic work in Theology and Bible		
Biblical Studies		
CHRI 5310 or CHRI 6315	Christian Scriptures I (Pentateuch and Wisdom Literature) (or) Christian Scriptures III (Prophets)	3
CHRI 5315 or CHRI 6320	Christian Scriptures II (Gospels and Acts) (or) Christian Scriptures IV (Paul and His Letters; Hebrews to Revelation)	3
CHRI 5360 or CHRI 5350	Old Testament Theology (or) New Testament Theology	3
Theological Studies		
CHRI 5330 CHRI 5311 CHRI 5340	History of Christianity Hermeneutics Systematic Theology	9
Biblical Studies Track (Track courses cannot overlap with the MA core courses.)		
Old Testament		
CHRI 5310 or CHRI 6315	Christian Scriptures I (Pentateuch) (or) Christian Scriptures II (Prophets)	3
CHRI 5360 or CHRI 6335	Old Testament Theology (or) Christian Readings in Old Testament	3
New Testament		
CHRI 5315 or CHRI 6320	Christian Scriptures II (Gospels) (or) Christian Scriptures IV (Paul)	3
CHRI 5350 or CHRI 6345	New Testament Theology (or) Christian Readings in the New Testament	3
	Optional: Up to 6 hours of thesis credit (must be at the invitation and direction of a professor).	
TOTAL HOURS		36

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION:

No more than 6 semester hours on transfer from another college or university.
No grade below "C"
Overall GPA of 3.00 or above.
Candidate must take CHRI 5300 if they have no previous academic work in Theology and Bible

Advisor DATE

Dean, School of Christian Thought DATE

I HAVE READ AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY ALL REQUIREMENTS ON THE DEGREE PLAN

STUDENT SIGNATURE DATE

THIS DEGREE PLAN IS NOT VALID UNTIL RECEIVED & PROCESSED BY THE OFFICE OF ACADEMIC RECORDS PROCESSED BY _____ DATE _____