

MASTER OF ARTS IN THEOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT

PROGRAM GUIDE

The Master of Arts in Theology of Development integrates Evangelical theology with modern development theory, preparing students to address poverty, inequality, and sustainability challenges through a biblically grounded lens. Core courses integrate Scripture and theology with essential concepts such as sustainable development and social entrepreneurship, offering a comprehensive framework for holistic transformation. Practical training in ethical leadership and project management enables candidates to meet the needs of the world with Christ-centered solutions. Graduates are equipped to serve in churches, NGOs, and public agencies, leading initiatives that deliver long-term community benefit while faithfully advancing the mission of the Gospel.

Our Educational Model: Flexibility and Empowerment

At IUDI, our fully online, asynchronous model allows you to study at your own pace from anywhere. With no fixed schedules or enrollment deadlines, you can start at any time and balance your studies with your personal, family, and professional responsibilities.

A Curriculum Designed for Leaders and Practitioners

Our learner-centered model empowers students to become transformational leaders and effective practitioners. We use a guided independent-learning approach within a flipped-classroom framework: students take responsibility for their own study under the guidance of faculty mentors rather than through traditional lectures. Interactive coursework, case studies, and applied projects develop critical thinking, theological depth, and servant leadership for real-world impact.

Modular Learning for Seamless Progression

The curriculum is organized into modules that build specific competencies. Students may begin with any course in a module; completing all courses unlocks the next module. Tuition is paid one module at a time, providing flexibility and financial control.

Moodle: Our Digital Campus

Moodle is IUDI's online learning platform and serves as your central hub for accessing course materials, participating in discussions, submitting assignments, and tracking your progress.

Our Accreditation

IUDI is accredited by the Association of Independent Christian Colleges and Seminaries (AICCS) in the United States. Its Theology programs are also accredited by the Conseil des Initiatives Théologiques en Afrique (CITAF).



PROGRAM OUTLINE: THEOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT

Module	Course	Credit Units	Tuition	Tuition with Academic Scholarship	Tuition with Daidanso Scholarship
Orientation	Orientation to IUDI	0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Foundations	How to Learn	5	\$450	\$405	\$225
	Academic French/English	5			
	Survey of Post-Colonial Africa	5			
Core	Old Testament Survey	5	\$450	\$405	\$225
	New Testament Survey	5			
	Biblical Interpretation	5			
Advanced	Introduction to Development	5	\$750	\$675	\$375
	Contours of Culture	5			
	Managing Development Projects	5			
	Theology of Culture	5			
	Entrepreneurship	5			
Application	Practical Theology	5	\$750	\$675	\$375
	Christian Apologetics	5			
	Development Integration	5			
	Effective Communication	5			
	Ethical Leadership	5			
Research	Citation Styles and Formatting	5	\$300	\$270	\$150
	Ethical Research	5			
Capstone	Thesis	30	\$900	\$810	\$450
Total		120	\$3,600	\$3,240	\$1,800