



THEOLOGY

BACHELOR OF ARTS (B.A.)

“God is simply too important to us not to talk about.” Theology means talking about God. It dares to speak about what is ultimately significant about existence, explores the mystery of God, and proposes the meaning of the Christian wisdom about God for a good and happy life.

At King’s, one can study theology as a major, or to complement one’s primary major or profession as a second major or minor. With individualized attention from a dedicated theology faculty, our students ask their own questions about reality and God, encounter the great thinkers and wisdom traditions of Christian history, and practice theology’s unique methods of reasoned faith. Students will discover the powerful meaning and moral implication of ancient doctrinal debates for our modern context and as related to one’s own vocational, relational, and professional lives.

OPPORTUNITIES AT KING’S COLLEGE

Theological topics and methods often intersect with those of other disciplines, especially philosophy and history, but also literature, professional writing, political science, or sociology. Our programs are flexible and interdisciplinary, allowing students to pair a theology major or minor with other fields of study. Here's what makes our theology program unique:

Flexible and individualized: with small classes, close mentorship, and a welcoming community, students in the theology program also choose elective courses, and many pursue an independent study.

Transformative community: we introduce the Catholic tradition and live out its deep commitment to ecumenical and interfaith dialogue. Some graduates have found religious vocations beyond graduation.

Pathways to success: our program enhances critical thinking, deepens your understanding of human history and hope, and strengthens your oral and written communication skills.



JUSTINE KELLEY '14, LCPC, NCC
Mental Health Counselor,
Genesis Solutions and Consulting

"Studying theology develops a unique discipline that reveals purposeful living. This discipline calls us to live committed to truth, community, and justice so that the world may also see the purpose of humanity."



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

All professions can benefit from theology's complex thinking and profound concern for human beings and communities. Theology connects with history, philosophy, and literature to understand human aspirations across cultures. Professional fields like medicine, law, business, and communications seek those trained in theological reflection to address pressing issues of justice and ethics. Theology majors and minors pursue a wide range of careers and vocations, including education, social work, psychology, counseling, ministry, and many other service-oriented careers.

A degree in theology from King's College enhances preparation for graduate study in the humanities and social sciences and supports careers in counseling, journalism, business, and public service. Graduates of the program can find careers as:

- clergy, parish administrators, religious educators, and youth ministers
- religion teachers and theology professors
- counselors and social workers
- community leaders and social justice advocates

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Below is a sample of courses offered in this program. For a complete list of programs and courses, see our Degree Requirements online.

THEO 151	Biblical Sources: Old Testament
THEO 152	Biblical Sources: New Testament
THEO 150	Catholic Theological Perspectives
THEO 154	Mystery of God: Belief and Unbelief
THEO 155	The Church
THEO 157	Who Is Jesus?
THEO 158	Spiritual Practices/Spiritual Quests
THEO 159	Topics in Systematic Theology
THEO 160	Christian Ethics
THEO 163	Christian Marriage
THEO 164	Christian Social Ethics
THEO 165	Environmental Ethics
THEO 168	Theology and Service
THEO 169	Topics in Moral Theology
THEO 270	Worship
THEO 271	Protestant Christianity
THEO 272	Eastern (Orthodox) Christianity
THEO 273	Jewish Life and Thought
THEO 288	Bioethics
THEO 350	Historical Theology: Early and Medieval
THEO 450	Historical Theology: Modern & Contemporary



Fr. Michael Boris '18, S.T.B., M.Div.
Priest of the Diocese of Scranton

"In studying theology at King's College, I more fully realized the deep riches of my Christian faith and fell more in love with Christ. At King's, I was set on fire with a desire to serve God as a Catholic priest."

SIMILAR MAJORS

Philosophy B.A.

If you find yourself thinking about the meaning of life, God, and human existence itself, philosophy provides an insight to learning critical reflection.

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