



“Our purpose is to connect the church and academia at the deepest and best levels. Ministry practitioners can truly benefit from taking time to reflect theologically and ministerially on what they are doing.”

PREBEN VANG, PH.D.
PROFESSOR OF CHRISTIAN SCRIPTURES
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Doctor of Ministry

Expand your ministry vision
Extend your missional reach
Enrich your theological reflection
Ignite your spiritual passion



ABOUT TRUETT SEMINARY

Located in Waco, Texas, on the beautiful campus of Baylor University, Truett Seminary is a community of learners committed to the Lordship of Christ and the authority of Scripture. Truett regards character formation as essential to ministerial development and equips students to be responsible, faithful stewards and servants. Truett graduates currently serve in 41 states across the nation and in 24 countries around the globe.

ADMISSIONS

Admission to the Doctor of Ministry program requires a Master of Divinity degree (or its equivalent) and a minimum of three years of practical ministry experience. For more information on application requirements, please visit baylor.edu/truett/dmin.



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BIBLICAL, RELATIONAL, PRACTICAL, MISSIONAL

Baylor's Doctor of Ministry is a Kingdom-purposed degree that connects missional passion to serious academic research in ministry practice. Seminars are kept small to allow for high-quality discussion and deep spiritual relationships within cohorts and with faculty.



“The classroom experience at Baylor’s DMin is incredible! Spending two weeks in a small seminar setting, interacting with some of the brightest theologians and pastor-scholars in the country has been indescribably beneficial to me.”

KENNY HIBBARD, CURRENT DMIN STUDENT
LEAD PASTOR, TEAM CHURCH, MATTHEWS,
NORTH CAROLINA

PROGRAM PILLARS

Baylor's three-year Doctor of Ministry degree is built around four intensive two-week, Kingdom-focused seminars and an individually guided study process that culminates in a dissertation project uniquely suited for your specific ministry context and interest.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION: THE SCARLET THREAD

Every student is involved in a spiritual formation group that meets daily during the seminars and monthly via video throughout the program. This creates a fresh pattern for a daily time with God in addition to generating life-long ministry partnerships.

INDIVIDUALLY GUIDED, RELATIONSHIP-INSPIRED STUDIES

You will work individually with three personal mentors — a professor who becomes your academic advisor and resource, a ministry practitioner who inspires and guides your practical reflections during the learning process, and a sociologist from Baylor's Institute for the Study of Religion (ISR) who directs the development of your individual project design.

“I chose Baylor’s DMin program because I was leading much but not learning enough. Gifted people I trust and respect challenge me, and the structure of this program allows me to grow in my theology and its application for our local church.”

JASON SHEPPERD, CURRENT DMIN STUDENT
PASTOR, CHURCH PROJECT, HOUSTON, TEXAS

