



Bethesda University
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STATEMENT OF ACCREDITATION:

The programs of Bethesda University listed below are accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education Commission on Accreditation (COA). The last comprehensive review of accredited programs was conducted by the COA in February 2016. The next comprehensive team visit will be conducted in the spring of 2025, followed by a COA review for reaffirmation of accreditation in February 2026. Current accreditation status expires February 28, 2026.

Programmatic accreditation applies to the following programs:

- Bachelor of Arts in Religion (Biblical Studies)
- Bachelor of Arts in Religion (Pastoral Ministry)
- Bachelor of Arts in Religion (Christian Education)
- Bachelor of Arts in Religion (Missions)
- Master of Arts in Biblical Studies
- Master of Divinity
- Doctor of Ministry

Programmatic accreditation was granted to these individual programs on the basis that the accredited program evidences substantial compliance with ABHE's Programmatic Accreditation Standards, including documentation of the appropriateness, rigor, and achievement of the stated student learning outcomes. In the COA's judgment, the accredited programs had no significant deficiencies in satisfying the Programmatic Accreditation Standards or the related Essential Elements within the Standards. The institution's programs are currently in good standing with the ABHE Commission on Accreditation, and no sanctions (warning, probation, show cause why accreditation should be continued) are in effect.

SANCTIONS:

NONE

ACCREDITATION TYPE	Programmatic
INITIAL ACCREDITATION GRANTED	2001
LAST REAFFIRMATION	2016
NEXT COMMISSION REVIEW	2026

The Association for Biblical Higher Education Commission on Accreditation is a national faith-related accrediting organization and is recognized by the United States Department of Education (USDE) and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA). The ABHE Commission on Accreditation is an institutional and programmatic accreditor. Institutions that are institutionally accredited have been examined as a whole. Institutions that are programmatically accredited have specific programs that have been reviewed in light of ABHE standards. This statement of accreditation information is the Commission's official statement of an institution's accredited status.