

Portland Campus Spring 2025 Curriculum Announcements

Every Other Year Courses to be offered Spring 2025

Juniors and Seniors, if any of these courses are required under your track, please take the course(s) this semester. They will not be offered again until Spring 2025.

Building Leaders and Teams – Pa 416

Ken Malmin, 2 Credits

A study in the development of leadership as it applies to both individuals and teams. Emphasis will be placed on principles & methods of training leaders as well as understanding & developing the dynamics of leadership teams.

Advanced Counseling – Psy 312

Mark Daniels, Now 1 Credit instead of 2

An advanced treatment of counseling and guidance, particularly as it relates to the function of leadership in dealing with various problem areas. *Prerequisite: Intro to Counseling, Counseling Techniques.* If you are taking Counseling Techniques this semester, you can take this course simultaneously.

Intro to Missions – Is 102

Jason Prosser, 2 Credits

This course is meant to be an introduction to a variety of issues and concerns that all missionaries will encounter over the course of their cross-cultural assignment. The course will deal with a variety of subject material from ministry issues, to family issues, to personal issues, as well as some philosophical issues. Through this course the student's awareness level and scope of mission work will be greatly increased giving the student the ability to make wiser decisions. In addition the student will become aware of many issues that would have blindsided them before they actually encounter them on the mission field.

All Students

Ministry Apprenticeship/Practicum – Pt106-406/Pt308,408

Jeff Jaquith, 1-2 Credits

All full-time students are required to register for either Practicum or Apprenticeship.

Worship Apprenticeship/Practicum – Mu142,242/Mu336,426

Jeff Jaquith, 1-2 Credits

All full-time music and Worship Ministry Emphasis program students are required to register for either Worship Practicum or Worship Apprenticeship. If this is your first spring semester in either of these degree programs, it will be your first time registering for a separate Worship Practicum course. Any questions, please contact Joy King.

Music Students + All students are welcome to join

Creative Arts Production II – Graphic Design – Mu252

Federico Serrano, 2 Credits

This course is designed to give foundational knowledge for visual media and graphic design. Included with be instruction on branding and building visual assets and identity.

Changes to Degree Audit:

Evangelism: This course will now be offered in the Fall. On the degree audit it will be listed as Pt215 Evangelism, a Sophomore Fall course instead of a Freshman Spring course. If you are a Sophomore who needs this course to graduate and due to our schedule conflict you are not able to take it this Spring, we will waive this as a requirement.

Speech Communications: This course will now be offered only in the Spring. On the degree audit it has moved from a Sophomore Fall course to a Freshman Spring course Co 106 Speech Communications.

Spirit Filled Life: This course will now replace Holy Spirit. Th 110 Spirit-Filled Life is now a 3 credit course instead of the 2 credits with Holy Spirit.

Purpose and Calling: This course requirement will be waived by all students who have already taken Holy Spirit. It is being incorporated into the new Spirit-Filled Life course.



SPRING 2025 IMPORTANT DATES

Jan 15 – Enrollment Deadline / Down-payment Due

Jan 25 – Dorm Move-In Day

Jan 27 – New Student Orientation / International Student Orientation

Jan 28 – PDX Classes Begin

Jan 31 – Opening Chapel

Feb 11 – Last Day to Add/Drop a Course

Feb 17 – Presidents Day – No class

Feb 20-22 – ONE Conference

Mar 24-29 – Spring Break

Apr 29 – Last Day to Withdraw Passing

May 12-16 – Finals Week

May 16 – Final Chapel & PBC Banquet in evening

May 17 - Graduation