



## **LABI COLLEGE SUMMER 2021 ON-LINE CLASS SCHEDULE**

<b>Course</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Instructor</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>ONLINE: Day/Time</b>
MIN270	A Spirit Empowered Church: An Acts 2 Model	Rev. Adam Najar	3	Asynchronous
THE400	Contextual Theology	Dr. Rodolfo Estrada	3	Asynchronous
BIB295	Romans	Rev. Ruben Mora	3	Thursdays, 6pm-9pm
SOC240	Introduction to Sociology	Prof. Austin Martinez	3	Asynchronous
MIN400	Cross Cultural Ministry	Rev. Rebekah Loufik	3	Asynchronous Hybrid

## COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

### **MIN270 A Spirit Empowered Church: An Acts 2 Model (3)**

A biblical, comprehensive, and strategic plan requires the empowerment of the Spirit to produce spiritual fruit and a flourishing church. The strategic plan is based on Acts 2 and focuses on developing Spirit-empowered disciples who will be involved in five functions found there: connect, grow, serve, go, and worship. Assessment tools are used to identify areas where changes are needed, and the strategic plan is used to focus on God's vision for each local church.

### **THE400 Contextual Theology (3) Prerequisite: THE103, THE124**

A study of the way local communities and culture groups receive the Christian faith, apply its message to their life contexts, and voice its relevance through writings and traditions. The course also will consider roles and methods of the persons who participate in contextualizing theology, including those who contribute from the outside. Areas of special focus will be: Theological approaches and disciplinary rationales for doing contextual theology; models and criteria for contextual theologies; understanding how to respond to multiple expressions of the Christian faith within the one worldwide church, and; case studies in contextual theology.

### **BIB295 Romans (3) Prerequisite: BIB110, BIB120**

This course is designed to introduce the student with Paul's epistle with consideration of his doctrinal teachings. Special emphasis is in learning the historical, linguistic, and Jewish context of the first century.

### **SOC240 Introduction to Sociology (3)**

The course is designed for those with an interest in Sociology, or anyone with a desire to further their understanding of human group behavior and the organization of society. The student, using several theoretical points of view, will study and analyze the organization of social life, problems of inequality, social class and life style, the basic social institutions such as family, religion, and economics.

### **MIN400 Cross Cultural Ministry (3) Prerequisite: MIN122, MIN161, MIN172, MIN173, MIN199**

This course seeks to expose students to the models of cross cultural ministry. Students will learn how to minister in multi-cultural settings, understand cultural boundaries, learn how to communicate the gospel in diverse settings, and appreciate the value of cross cultural ministry.