

The theology program at Providence College draws upon sacred scripture and the Church's tradition in pursuing scholarly, theological inquiry "from the heart of the Church." Our program provides a foundation of knowledge in the teachings of the Catholic Church and explores the best of contemporary scholarship in Scripture, moral and spiritual theology, liturgy, and systematics. Through this multi-faceted approach, students not only learn about the nature of God and the history of the Church, they also examine the role of Catholic thought and theology in today's world. Our program is also designed to allow students to specialize in a particular area of theology according to their own professional and personal objectives. Whatever their specialty, our graduates leave prepared to make a positive impact on individuals and society as a whole.

### B.A. Theology

Theology courses are designed to provide a balance between study of the historical Catholic theological tradition and exploration of contemporary scholarship in Catholic theology. At the same time, students have the flexibility to specialize in a particular area of theology: biblical theology, systematic and historical theology, spiritual theology, or moral theology. Upon completion of the undergraduate program, students have the opportunity to continue their studies with our graduate program, which leads to a master of arts in theology, biblical studies, or pastoral ministry.

### Minor

A minor in theology allows students in any major to pursue an interest in the study of theology through a structured program of six theology courses. Our graduates have gone on to become teachers in colleges or seminaries, ordained priests and ministers, editors of Catholic newspapers, major religious filmmakers, diocesan and parish directors of religious education, high school and grade school teachers of religion, and pastoral assistants in parishes.



Explore Courses  
of Study  
and More





## PLACES AND PEOPLE

Students have the opportunity to immerse themselves in the traditions and history of the Catholic Church through the PC in Rome program, a semester-long international experience. Students attend classes at the CEA Center in the historic Prati neighborhood near the Vatican. They visit significant sites in and near the Eternal City, including the Vatican Museums, St. Peter's Basilica, and the Catacombs of San Callisto.

The College's distinctive Jewish-Catholic Theological Exchange Committee (JCTE) provides a multitude of colloquia on Jewish-Christian relations and sprang from PC's long history of welcoming students of all faiths.

The department offers students the benefit of a large and diverse faculty of expert theologians. Many have studied other disciplines in addition to theology, offering unique interdisciplinary insight into the role of spirituality and morality on topics such as economics, philosophy, and biology.

### Selected Places of Employment

Archdiocese of Baltimore  
Fordham University  
St. Brigid and Gate of Heaven Catholic Churches  
The Panther Group  
Ursuline Academy

### Selected Graduate Schools

Brandeis University  
Elon University School of Law  
Georgetown University Law Center  
Northeastern University, School of Law  
New York University Steinhardt • Providence College  
University of Connecticut School of Law  
University of Notre Dame • Villanova University

# 100%

of **theology graduates** are employed or attending graduate school

(Providence College classes of 2019 – 2023)