ST PATRICK'S PONTIFICAL UNIVERSITY, MAYNOOTH -SEMESTER ONE 2023 - 2024 AVAILABLE THEOLOGY MODULES TO MU INTERNATIONAL AND ERASMUS STUDENTS

Code	Module Name	Programme	Year	Credits	Sem	Day and Time	Venue	Module Description (Further information is available at : https://sppu.ie/courses/bachelors-in-theology-and-arts- bath)
MR129	INTRODUCTION TO CHISTIAN ETHICS	BA in Theology and Arts	1	5	1	<u>Friday</u> 9:05-9:55 and 12:05-12:55	Top Loftus	To explore the current moral landscape; understand more fully the sources of moral wisdom available within the Christian tradition and consider the application of the above to specific moral issues such as ecology, climate justice and social justice.
SC136	INTRODUCTION TO THE BIBLE & ITS WORLDS	BA in Theology and Arts	1	5	1	<u>Tuesday</u> 10:05-10:55 and <u>Wednesday</u> 14:05- 14:55	Top Loftus	Introduction to the academic study and methodology of the Bible, to the critical issues which emerge in the study, interpretation, and actualisation of Christian Scriptures; understanding of the worlds and contexts from which the Bible emerged
ST116	INTRODUCTION TO CHRISTIANITY	BA in Theology and Arts	1	5	1	<u>Monday</u> 11.10 - 11:55 and <u>Tuesday</u> 17:05 - 17:55	Top Loftus	To introduce the theological study of the beliefs and practices of the Christian faith, providing students with a general overview of the major themes of Christian theological reflection.
EH250	HISTORY OF EARLY CHRISTIANITY	BA in Theology and Arts	2	5	1	<u>Tuesday</u> 15:05-15:55 and <u>Thursday</u> 09:05-09:55	Homiletics	Fundamental history of the early Church (Jerusalem to 500 AD), history of Christianity in early medieval Ireland (400-900), development of Church doctrine and structure over time placed in historical context
LI204	THE CELEBRATING CHURCH	BA in Theology and Arts	2	5	1	<u>Tuesday</u> 12:05-12:55 and <u>Wednesday</u> 12:05-12:55	<u>Tuesday</u> - Homiletics <u>Wednesday</u> - Seomra Na Cullachta	Introduction to the liturgy of the Catholic Church; explore the liturgy's historical development and theological grounding; emphasis on the ritual nature of liturgical celebration, role of public prayer in the life of the Church, and an introduction to the Sacraments of Christian Initiation
L1302	CHRISTIAN SACRAMENTS	BA in Theology and Arts	2&3	5	1	<u>Thursday</u> 12:05- 12:55 and <u>Friday</u> 12:05-12:55	Middle Loftus	Based on a foundational understanding of the Church as mystery, communion and mission, this module will study the sacraments from both a historical and theological perspective.
PT201	FAITH & PRACTICE IN EVERYDAY LIVING	BA in Theology and Arts	2	5	1	<u>Tuesday</u> 15:05-15:55 and <u>Thursday</u> 09:05- 09:55	Dunboyne	Provides students with the skills to undertake the descriptive-empirical task of practical theological interpretation. Also exploring the use of qualitative research methods as a systematic and disciplined way of attending to the faith perspectives, life experiences, and particularities of people, in order to improve pastoral understanding and practice. It will enable students to integrate cross- disciplinary knowledge and empirical data into the theological enterprise, by completing a pilot study in an are of pastoral concern.
SC243	PAUL APOSTLE TO THE NATIONS	BA in Theology and Arts	2	5	1	<u>Tuesday</u> 12:05-12:55 and <u>Wednesday</u> 12:05-12:55	<u>Tuesday</u> - First Divinity <u>Wednesday</u> - Top Loftus	Explore early Christian theology through the critical study of the Acts of the Apostles and the letters of Paul against their Jewish and Hellenistic backgrounds and within an Imperial Roman context and to develop exegetical skills
SC336	THE HUMAN GOD	BA in Theology and Arts	3	5	1	<u>Wednesday</u> 12:05- 12:55 and <u>Thursday</u> 15:05- 15:55	Middle Loftus	Explore the Christology, eschatology, and theology of god in the Gospel of Mark in a way that values the narrative character of the gospels; study the historical, narrative, theological, and cultural dimensions of the Gospel of Mark
ST120	THEOLOGICAL ANTHROPOLOGY	BA in Theology and Arts	3	5	1	<u>Tuesday</u> 12:05-12:55 and <u>Thursday</u> 09:05-09:55	Middle Loftus	To develop an integrated understanding of the Christian themes of Creation and the Fall, grace and eschatology.

Register by clicking on either of the following links:

<u>https://forms.office.com/e/bd</u> 6Kppg5pc

Notes: 5 credits modules have two one hour lectures per week

2.5 credit modules have one one hour lecutres per week

All lectures will take place in Loftus Halls, South Campus