

LICENSE IN HIGHER INSTITUTE OF RELIGIOUS SCIENCES (L.HIRS)

OBJECTIVES OF THE SECOND CYCLE OF HIRS

1. To assist ever increasing interest of the faithful, both lay and religious, in the study of Theology and Sacred Sciences.
2. To enrich their Christian life.
3. To exercise their apostolate fruitfully.
4. To enhance their sacred ministries.
5. To enable them to be spirit filled evangelizers.

SYLLABUS AND ACCREDITATION OF COURSES FOR THE SECOND CYCLE HIRS STUDIES

BIBLICAL STUDIES

(28 Credits)

1. Wisdom Literature	2
2. Psalms	2
3. Prophets	3
4. Formation of the Gospels	1
5. Catholic Epistles	1
6. Pastoral Letters	1
7. Letter to Hebrews	1
8. Johannine Letters	1
9. Biblical Archaeology	1
10. History of the OT	1
11. Theology of OT	2
12. Theology of NT	2
13. Judaism (Palestinian)	1
14. Hellenistic Judaism	1
15. Biblical Theology of Mission	2
16. Biblical Apostolate	1
17. Biblical Geography	1
18. Sociological Approach	1
19. Bible and Media	1
20. Seminar	2

SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY

(16 Credits)

1. Theology of Sacraments	2
2. Pastoral Care & Anointing of the Sick	1
3. Ministry & Ministries	2
4. God-Man-World Theology	2
5. Ecumenism	2
6. Contextual Theology	2

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| 7. Eco – Theology | 1 |
| 8. Theology of the Laity | 2 |
| 9. Instituted Ministries | 2 |

CANON LAW (7 Credits)

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| 1. Temporal Goods of the Church and Sanctions in the Church | 2 |
| 2. Marriage: Canonical Aspects | 2 |
| 3. Process | 2 |
| 4. Missionary Canon Law | 1 |

MISSIOLOGY (33 Credits)

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| 1. Theology of Mission in & after Vatican II (AG, EN, RM) | 2 |
| 2. Mission through Small Christian Communities | 1 |
| 3. Mission to the Refugees | 1 |
| 4. Mission Facing Religious Fundamentalism and Calling for Collaboration | 2 |
| 5. Indian Missions and Methods (North & South India) | 2 |
| 6. Proclamation and Mission | 1 |
| 7. Towards the Church of the Poor in the Third Millennium | 2 |
| 8. New Evangelization in Globalized World | 1 |
| 9. Eucharist as Source and Summit of Mission | 1 |
| 10. The Nature and Necessity of Contextualization in Mission | 1 |
| 11. Pastoral Counseling for Mission | 1 |
| 12. Discipleship and Mission: Being a “Missionary Disciple” | 2 |
| 13. Indian Missionary Spirituality | 1 |
| 14. Mission through Mass Media and Communication | 2 |
| 15. Parish & Evangelization | 1 |
| 16. Dialogue with Culture | 2 |
| 17. Family: The Primary Agent of Mission | 1 |
| 18. Contextual Missiology | 1 |
| 19. Missionary Co-operation | 1 |
| 20. Ecclesiological Perspectives of Mission | 1 |
| 21. <i>Ecclesia In Asia</i> With Special Reference to India | 1 |
| 22. Ecumenism and Evangelization | 1 |
| 23. Hindu Christian Dialogue | 1 |
| 24. Muslim Christian Dialogue | 1 |
| 25. Seminar | 2 |

LANGUAGES (Credits 13)

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| 1. Ancient Languages | |
| i. Latin | 2 |
| ii. Greek | 2 |
| iii. Hebrew | 2 |
| 2. Modern Languages | |

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| i. | English | 2 |
| ii. | Italian/French/German | 5 |

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

(27 Credits)

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| 1. | Fr. Penven Endowment Lectures | 2 |
| 2. | Dissertation | 15 |
| 3. | Comprehensive | 10 |