TBA – Krapina, Croatia

**SZ102: OT Survey IV – Wisdom Literature**

Course Catalog Description

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| a. Course #:SZ102 | b. Course Title**Survey of the OT –****Wisdom Literature** | c. # & type units: units**3 sem hours** | d. Academic Level: **Bachelor’s degree –** **Introductory Level** | e. TMAI site(s) where taught: **Krapina, CROATIA** |
| f. Delivery Format:**Residential** | g. Target Audience:**Students who have desire and intention to serve in the local church** |
| h. Primary Language(s) of Target Audience: **Croatian**  | i. Primary Instructional Language:  **Croatian** | j. If languages are different,  is a translation provided? YES | Has this course received external accreditation, & if so, by whom? **NO** |
| k. Course Description: **This course is designed to provide an overview of the Wisdom literature of the OT (Job-Song of Songs). It will focus on recognizing and understanding Wisdom literature genre and how to preach this genre.** |
| l. Learning Outcomes: By the end of this course, the student will be able to: 1. “Talk” through each book (except the Psalms), citing themes and key passages.
2. Identify the classification and types of psalms that comprise the Psalter.
3. Understand the hermeneutical process for wisdom literature.
4. Be familiar with the various literary devices that are incorporated in the Wisdom literature.
5. Demonstrate a proficiency of expository preaching from each book of the Wisdom literature.
6. Understand the life of Solomon, which informs the context of Song of Songs, Proverbs and Ecclesiastes.
7. Understand the role of Wisdom literature within the framework of the Old Testament.
8. Demonstrate a proficiency to “talk” through both books and explain the main themes.
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| m. Student Time Allocation:  |
| Videos, lectures, class-time  | Reading & response  | Other homework assignments | Course papers & projects  | Exam preparation & taking | Total student time |
| **48 hr.**  | **40 hr.**  | **15 hr.** | **40 hr.**  | **12 hr.**  | **155 hr.** |
| n. Number of pages of reading required and typical titles assigned. 1. Total Number of Pages Required Reading: 460
2. Pertinent pages from the MacArthur Bible Handbook
3. Job 2xs
4. Psalms 2xs
5. Proverbs 2xs
6. Ecclesiastes 2xs
7. Song of Songs 2xs
8. 50 pages from an approved commentary by the professor
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| o. Brief description of major course projects/papers: 1. One sermons chosen from the “sermons” found in Proverbs 1-9
2. Tracing of the term “hebel” in Ecclesiastes
3. One sermon from Song of Songs
4. Analysis of where Job was right and wrong in Job
5. One sermon chosen from the different classifications of psalms in the Psalter
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