

SOLA SCRIPTURA COLLEGE OF THEOLOGY

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INSTITUTIONAL INFORMATION

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1. INTRODUCTION OF THE COLLEGE

1.1 The establishment of the college

The history of the college dates back to 1976. Until the change of the communist regime, it operated in an unrecognized status. The college offers part-time (correspondent) training since 1986. The reorganization of the college took place in 1992. At that time, by the 1027/1992. (V.12) Government Resolution, the college gained public recognition. Full-time theological training also began in 1992, at the Theology (Pastoral training) course of the college.

1.2 Mission statement

The college regards the maintenance and further development of the Biblical spirit of the 'sola Scriptura' ('by Scripture alone') as its academic task.

The academic purpose of the full-time and part-time (regular and correspondent) Theology course, as well as the postgraduate specialized training course and the free college course is: theological education – irrespective of denominational affiliation and without denominational nature – for all who wish to acquire higher education in theology based on the principle of 'sola Scriptura' and wish to use their knowledge as Bible instructors or leaders of Bible circles in the framework of any denomination, school or cultural organization.

1.3 Name

The name of the college: Sola Scriptura Teológiai Főiskola

English name: Sola Scriptura College of Theology

The principle of 'sola Scriptura' ('by Scripture alone') was formulated during the 16th century Reformation. It is suitable for indicating the theological direction that the college wishes to represent on a professional basis. This means that the Bible is considered to be a source of divine revelation and its famous principle is believed in: 'all Scripture is given by inspiration of God'. In the Bible's research, the college considers it important to have scientific precision and sophistication, and to use linguistic and historical auxiliary sciences for this purpose. However, the ultimate goal and essence is considered to be the exploration and teaching of the thought contents of the Scriptures on the basis of correct explanatory principles.

1.4 Location and the campus

The seat of the college: 2051 Biatorbágy, Patak u. 34/A.

The place of trainings: 2051 Biatorbágy, Patak u. 34/A.

The institutional ID of the college: FI70788

1.5 Organizational structure

The college has the following departments:

- Department of Old Testament Studies
- Department of New Testament Studies
- Department of Systematic Theology
- Department of Practical Theology
- Department of Church and Religious History
- Department of the Bible and the Arts

Institutional service units of the college:

- Library
- Dormitory
- IT Department
- Foreign Language Working Group

Functional organizational units of the college:

- Economic Directorate
- Rector's Office
- Registrar's Office

1.6 Library

The library promotes the teaching and educational work at the college, and supports the work of full-time and part-time students and teachers. It is under continuous development. Its intended use is governed by the organizational and operational rules of the library, available at <https://sola./konyvtar> web address.

The library of the college collects, records, processes and provides documents related to the disciplines taught and researched at the college. The primary task of the library is to provide the literature content and library information services necessary for the teaching, research and academic work of the college, through the acquisition and professional exploration of the traditional and electronic (digital) documents.

1.7 Dormitory

On the upstairs level of the educational center, a well-equipped, 18-bed dormitory provides full-time students with accommodation and relaxed atmosphere for learning. A study room suitable for three people equipped with desktop computers, printer and internet access, lounge-hallway, kitchenette, laundry room, linen storage and ironing room is available for the students. The wi-fi network is available on the entire territory of the dormitory. The safety of the residents is served by a 24-hour telephone service and a magnetic card access system. There is a fee for the provision of housing and the related basic services, the amount of which is determined by the Dormitory Committee, as of 1st January each year. The dormitory offers the opportunity to organize events suitable for the profile of the college and to receive guests, the authorization of which is the responsibility of the dormitory's director. The operational rules and policies of the dormitory is available at the following website: <https://sola.hu/alapdokumentumok>.

1.8 Sporting opportunities

The college provides both off- and on-campus sporting opportunities for its students in the Kolozsvári street sports center of the Viadukt Sports Association of Biatorbágy and in the gym at the basement of the educational center.

2. SCHEDULE OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR

First semester (2019/20.)

Consultation dates:

Theology course, part-time schedule:

8 September 2019	22 September 2019
13 October 2019	27 October 2019
10 November 2019	24 November 2019
8 December 2019	15 December 2019

Biblical counseling postgraduate specialized training course:

1 September 2019
6 October 2019
3 November 2019
1 December 2019

Free college course:

1 September 2019
3 November 2019

Period of training (Semester I.):

Term-time: 1st September 2019. – 15th December 2019.

Examination period: 16th December 2019. – 31st January 2020.

Second semester (2019/20.)

Consultation dates:

Theology course, part-time schedule:

9 February 2020	23 February 2020
8 March 2020	22 March 2020
19 April 2020	26 April 2020
10 May 2020	17 May 2020

Biblical counseling postgraduate specialized training course:

2 February 2020
1 March 2020
5 April 2020
3 May 2020

Period of training (Semester II.):

Term-time: 2nd February – 17th May 2020.

Examination period: 18th May – 3rd July 2020.

3. STUDENT AFFAIRS

3.1 Opening hours of the Registrar's Office

Opening hours: Monday 9.00-12.00
Wednesday: 12.00-16.00
Tuesday, Thursday: 9.00-11.00 (only phone)

Contact information:

- Address: 2051 Biatorbágy, Patak u. 34/A.
- Postal address: 2051 Biatorbágy, Patak u. 34/A.
- Phone number: (06-23) 820-830
- Mobile number: (06-20) 379-6260
- E-mail address: sola@sola.hu

Name, contact details and activities of the coordinator for students with disabilities:

Name: Zsófia Budai

E-mail address: budai.zsofia@sola.hu

The coordinator for students with disabilities facilitates the provision of full, accurate and accessible information for students with disabilities in order to start and continue their studies, to develop their academic schedule, to use the training opportunities and capacities available in the higher education institution; and to receive care appropriate to their condition, personal qualities and disabilities.

Name, contact details and activities of the coordinator for student mobility:

Name: Andrea Kiss, secretary-general

E-mail address: kiss.andrea@sola.hu

The mobility coordinator provides students with information on the content, terms and conditions of participation in foreign part-time trainings, the rules of credit recognition and helps the students to choose by presenting the foreign institution involved in the cooperation.

3.2 Academic regulations for students

The academic regulations for students is part of the organizational and operational regulations of the college. The academic regulations for students provides guidance on the following topics and regulates the following areas:

- the admission procedure (rules of admission);
- the procedures for exercising student rights, fulfilling obligations, as well as the procedure for the evaluation of requests submitted concerning student status and the order of appeals;
- the procedure for the academic schedule of the students and the procedure for the acquisition and control of knowledge, skills and abilities (study and examination regulations, credit transfer regulations);
- the procedure for determining the students' payment obligations and their fulfillment, the procedure for the distribution of student benefits (regulations of tuitions and grants);

- the regulations for the prevention of accidents and the regulations to be followed in the event of accidents (safety regulations);
- the procedure for the assessment of student disciplinary and compensation cases (disciplinary and compensation regulations).

The **academic regulations for students** is available on the college website, at the following web address:

<https://sola.hu/alapdokumentumok>

A short information note on **admission** procedure and the application form can be downloaded from the following web address:

<https://sola.hu/felveteli-tajekoztato>

The procedure for **final examination** application, and the parts of the final examination are included in the '*General information on final examination and list of topics*' document.

Web access: <https://sola.hu/letoltheto-anyagok>.

The **study and examination regulations** is Chapter III/A of the academic regulations for students. It includes the description of the registration and sign-up procedures, the procedure for the academic affairs of students, as well as the assessment of the knowledge acquired. The study and examination regulations are available on the college website at the following web address:

<https://sola.hu/alapdokumentumok>

3.3 Student tuition fees

The amount of tuition fee to be paid:

Theology course – undergraduate training:

In case of trainings started before 2016.: 45.000 HUF / semester,

In case of training started from 2016/2017. academic year: 50.000 HUF / semester

Biblical counseling - postgraduate specialized training: 30.000 HUF / semester

4. RULES OF LEGAL REMEDIES FOR STUDENTS

The student may appeal against the decision or action of the college or its failure to take action (hereinafter together referred to as: decision), except for decisions related to the evaluation of studies. A procedure can also be initiated against decisions related to the evaluation of studies if the decision is not based on the requirements accepted by the college, or the decision is in contradiction with the organizational and operational regulations of the college, or the regulations for organizing the exam have been violated.

An appeal against the decision may be filed in written form within fifteen days from the date of notification, or, in the absence of thereof, when the information came to the person's attention, at the appeals committee exercising the right of appeal.

The detailed rules of legal remedy procedures are included in the academic regulations for students, in the procedures for exercising student rights, fulfilling obligations, which can be downloaded from the college website (<https://sola.hu/alapdokumentumok>).

5. COURSE SYLLABI

1. Undergraduate training (240 credits):

- a) Theology BA course – full-time training
- b) Theology BA course – part-time (correspondent) training

2. Postgraduate specialized training:

Biblical counseling - part-time (correspondent) training

The college also offers a so-called **free college course**, by which we would like to make it possible for graduates and the broader audience to obtain higher education knowledge of the Bible without examination obligations. The instructors of the college participate in the course with topics related to their own research area, followed by an open discussion. There is no entrance examination for the free college course, only registration. The registration entitles the participants to attend lectures and access study materials. The college issues a certificate of completion of the course for those participants who proved to have attended twenty lectures, completed a test related to the lectures' topics and prepared a 3-5-page essay on one of the topics.

The length of the training and the required credits for each training course and postgraduate specialized training course:

- a) The full-time and part-time Theology BA course is eight semesters, 240 credits. Graduate students will receive a degree in theology.
- b) The part-time (correspondent) Biblical counseling postgraduate specialized training course is two semesters, 60 credits.

5.1 Theology BA course – 240 credits

5.1.1. Training and graduation requirements – Theology BA course (240 credits)

1. **Name of the BA course:** Theology

2. **Level of qualification of the undergraduate course and name of qualification in the diploma**

- level of qualification: bachelor (baccalaureus; abbreviated: BA) degree
- English name of qualification: Theologian

3. **Training area:** religious studies

4. **Length of the training in semesters:** 8 semesters

5. **Total number of credits to be obtained for BA level:** 240 credits

6. **The objective of the training**

The objective of the Bachelor's training program is to train theologians who have comprehensive understanding of the ideological system of the Bible, the ancient source of Christianity, in its historical embeddedness and with its connections to cultural history, complemented with knowledge of church history, religious history and history of philosophy. They are well-oriented in the world of religious belief systems, they can see their connections with the history and cultural history of mankind. The training also establishes the attitude and behavior that respects the religion, ideology and conscience of others. Graduates have the opportunity to find employment according to their qualifications, to participate in activities of religious organizations, as well as to utilize their knowledge in many secular professions and to continue their studies in master's programs.

7. Language requirements

To obtain the BA degree, state accredited, intermediate level (B2), complex language examination from at least one foreign language or equivalent secondary school leaving certificate or diploma is required.

8. Provisions relevant to the training

According to the specific provisions on the operation of ecclesiastical higher education institutions of Act CCIV. of 2011 on National Higher Education, the content of the training is determined by the ecclesiastical legal person.

9. Main areas of study and their proportions in the training

Total credit value of the entire training program: 330 credits

Of which minimum compulsory credits: 240 credits

Total credit value of the compulsory study unit: 192 credits

Total credit value of elective and optional subjects: 138 credits

(a minimum of 48 credits is required, i.e. a minimum of 2 subjects / semester)

a) Core curriculum: 255 credits

Basic knowledge: 24 credits

Professional core module: 141 credits

Credits related to the thesis: 27 credits

Elective subject (differentiated professional knowledge): 63 credits

b) Optional, complementary professional knowledge: 75 credits

10. Professional competences to be acquired:

a) Basic knowledge on all theological disciplines.

b) Comprehensive knowledge on the Bible's contents, as well as on the history of the Bible and on Biblical history, connecting points with secular history.

c) The systematic theological approach to the basic teachings of Christianity, with special regard to Christian ethics.

d) Basic knowledge and solid understanding about universal religious history.

e) The Bible's connection to universal cultural history, with particular regard to the relationship between the Bible and the arts.

f) Basic skills to navigate in comparative religious history.

g) Introductory level of knowledge on the main areas of practical theology.

h) Acquiring basic skills to explore literature relevant to given fields of expertise, evaluate religious ideas and navigate in universal cultural history. The use of Christian ethics in practical, everyday life, respecting the religion and conscience of others.

11. Knowledge testing system

Compliance with the examination requirements of the curriculum: obtaining practical grades, taking examinations, comprehensive examinations and the final examination, preparation and defense of the thesis.

Parts of the final examination:

- thesis defense
- complex oral examination covering the core curriculum of the training.

12. Qualification of the diploma

The arithmetic average of the grades received for comprehensive examinations during the training, the grade of the final examination and the thesis.

Annexes to the training and graduation requirements:

1. Cumulative curriculum
2. Prerequisites order
3. Sample curriculum

5.1.2. Cumulative curriculum – Theology BA course

Compulsory study units

Subject	Requirement	Credits	Course supervisor/ Instructor involved in training	Subject code
The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 1.	K ¹	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i> <i>Péter Holló</i>	TKR ₁₁
Biblical ethics and anthropology 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i>	TKR ₁₃
Gospel of John	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i> <i>Péter Kocsis</i>	TKÚ ₁₁
History of Israel 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i> <i>Viktória Nagy</i>	TKÓ ₁₈
History of religions 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel</i> <i>Péter Buda</i>	TKE ₁₇
The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 2.	SZ ²	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i> <i>Péter Holló</i>	TKR ₁₂
Biblical ethics and anthropology 2.	SZ	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i>	TKR ₁₄
Genesis	K	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i> <i>Szandra Prancz</i>	TKÓ ₁₂
History of Israel 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i> <i>Viktória Nagy</i>	TKÓ ₁₉

¹ Examination

² Comprehensive examination

History of religions 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel</i> <i>Péter Buda</i>	TKE18
The system of Bible teachings 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i>	TKR15
The world of the Old Testament	K	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i> <i>Viktória Nagy</i>	TKÓ13
History of Israel 3.	SZ	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i> <i>Viktória Nagy</i>	TKÓ20
The life of Jesus 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i>	TKÚ12
Book of Psalms	K	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i> <i>Szandra Prancz</i>	TKÓ17
The system of Bible teachings 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i>	TKR16
Thesis preparatory seminar	GY ³	3	<i>Péter Holló</i> <i>Sándor Nagy</i>	TKS10
The life of Jesus 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i>	TKÚ13
History of New Testament times	K	3	<i>Dr. Sándor Szathmáry</i> <i>Péter Holló</i>	TKÚ18
Epistle to the Romans	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i> <i>Péter Kocsis</i>	TKÚ14
Old Testament books of wisdom	K	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i>	TKÓ16
The system of Bible teachings 3.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i>	TKR17
The parables of Jesus 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i> <i>Annamária Ágoston</i>	TKÚ15
Church history 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel</i> <i>Péter Holló</i>	TKE19
Thesis preparatory consultation 1.	GY	6	<i>Institutional supervisor:</i> <i>Péter Holló</i>	TKS11
Pastoral theology 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i> <i>Sándor Nagy</i>	TKG3
Books of the greater prophets 1. (Daniel)	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i> <i>Péter Buda</i>	TKÓ14
The system of Bible teachings 4.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i>	TKR18
The parables of Jesus 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i> <i>Annamária Ágoston</i>	TKÚ16
Thesis preparatory consultation 2.	GY	6	<i>Institutional supervisor:</i> <i>Péter Holló</i>	TKS12
Church history 2.	SZ	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel</i> <i>Péter Holló</i>	TKE20
Pastoral theology 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i> <i>Sándor Nagy</i>	TKG4
Pauline letters 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i> <i>Péter Kocsis</i>	TKÚ19
Book of Revelation	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i>	TKÚ17
Messianic prophecies 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i> <i>Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó</i>	TKÓ21
Systematic theology seminar 1.	GY	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i>	TKR19
History of philosophy 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Zoltán Prancz</i>	TKS8
Thesis preparatory consultation 3.	GY	6	<i>Institutional supervisor:</i> <i>Péter Holló</i>	TKS13
Pauline letters 2. seminar	GY	3	<i>Péter Kocsis</i>	TKÚ20
Books of the greater prophets 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Tamás Csabai</i>	TKÓ15

³ Practical grade

(Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel)			Péter Buda	
Messianic prophecies 2.	K	3	Dr. Tamás Csabai Dr. Zsuzsanna Vankó	TKÓ22
Systematic theology seminar 2.	GY	3	Dr. Zoltán Prancz	TKR20
History of philosophy 2.	K	3	Dr. Zoltán Prancz	TKS9
Thesis preparatory consultation 4.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Péter Holló	TKS14
Theology workshop (practice) 1.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Szandra Prancz	TKS9
Theology workshop (practice) 2.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Szandra Prancz	TKE10
Theology workshop (practice) 3.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Szandra Prancz	TKE11
Theology workshop (practice) 4.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Szandra Prancz	TKE12
Theological workshop (practice) 5.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Szandra Prancz	TKE13
Theological workshop (practice) 6.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Szandra Prancz	TKE14
Theology workshop (practice) 7.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Szandra Prancz	TKE15
Theology workshop (practice) 8.	GY	6	Institutional supervisor: Szandra Prancz	TKE16

Elective study units

(at least 2 study units from each of the three subject groups must be selected)

Arts study units				
The Bible and literature 1.	K	3	Dr. Éva Kocziszky Zsófia Budai	TVS50
The Bible and literature 2. (seminar)	GY	3	Dr. Éva Kocziszky Zsófia Budai	TVS51
The Bible and the history of music 1.	K	3	Dr. Éva Kocziszky Judit Tóth	TVS52
The Bible and the history of music 2. (seminar)	GY	3	Dr. Éva Kocziszky Judit Tóth	TVS53
The Bible and fine arts 1.	K	3	Dr. Éva Kocziszky	TVS54
The Bible and fine arts 2. (seminar)	GY	3	Dr. Éva Kocziszky	TVS55
Theology study units				
Homiletics 1.	K	3	Péter Holló Annamária Ágoston	TVG29
Homiletics 2. (seminar)	GY	3	Péter Holló Annamária Ágoston	TVG30
The people of the Bible	K	3	Dr. Zoltán Prancz Viktória Nagy	TVÓ27

Hermeneutics workshop (practice) 1.	GY	3	<i>Institutional supervisor: Viktória Nagy</i>	TVH1
Hermeneutics workshop (practice) 2.	GY	3	<i>Institutional supervisor: Viktória Nagy</i>	TVH2
Hermeneutics workshop (practice) 3.	GY	3	<i>Institutional supervisor: Viktória Nagy</i>	TVH3
Hermeneutics workshop (practice) 4.	GY	3	<i>Institutional supervisor: Viktória Nagy</i>	TVH4
Hermeneutics workshop (practice) 5.	GY	3	<i>Institutional supervisor: Viktória Nagy</i>	TVH5
Hermeneutics workshop (practice) 6.	GY	3	<i>Institutional supervisor: Viktória Nagy</i>	TVH6
Hermeneutics workshop (practice) 7.	GY	3	<i>Institutional supervisor: Viktória Nagy</i>	TVH7
Hermeneutics workshop (practice) 8.	GY	3	<i>Institutional supervisor: Viktória Nagy</i>	TVH8
History study units				
Church history in Hungary 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel Dr. Tamás Csabai</i>	TVE9
Church history in Hungary 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel Dr. Tamás Csabai</i>	TVE10
History of denominations 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel Péter Holló</i>	TVE11
History of denominations 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel Péter Holló</i>	TVE12

Optional study units

The church, the state and freedom of conscience 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel</i>	TVR3
The church, the state and freedom of conscience 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel</i>	TVR4
The book of Daniel (supplementary course) seminar	GY	3	<i>Péter Buda</i>	TVÓ22
The Gospel of John (supplementary course) seminar	GY	3	<i>Péter Kocsis</i>	TVÚ24
Epistle to the Romans (supplementary course) seminar	GY	3	<i>Péter Kocsis Dr. Tamás Csabai</i>	TVÚ23
Book of Revelation (supplementary course) seminar	GY	3	<i>Péter Kocsis Dr. Tamás Csabai</i>	TVÚ25
History of the Apostolic Age seminar	GY	3	<i>Péter Holló</i>	TVÚ30
New Testament Greek language 1.	GY	3	<i>Dr. Éva Kocziszky</i>	TVÚ31
New Testament Greek language 2.	GY	3	<i>Dr. Éva Kocziszky</i>	TVÚ32

New Testament Greek language 3.	GY	3	<i>Dr. Éva Kocziszky</i>	TVÚ33
New Testament Greek language 4.	GY	3	<i>Dr. Éva Kocziszky</i>	TVÚ34
New Testament Greek language 5. (hermeneutics practice)	GY	3	<i>Annamária Ágoston</i> <i>Dr. Éva Kocziszky</i>	TVÚ35
New Testament Greek language 6. (hermeneutics practice)	SZ	3	<i>Annamária Ágoston</i> <i>Dr. Éva Kocziszky</i>	TVÚ36
New Testament Greek language 7. (hermeneutics practice)	GY	3	<i>Annamária Ágoston</i> <i>Dr. Éva Kocziszky</i>	TVÚ37
New Testament Greek language 8. (hermeneutics practice)	GY	3	<i>Annamária Ágoston</i> <i>Dr. Éva Kocziszky</i>	TVÚ38
Old Testament Hebrew language 1.	GY	3	<i>Zoltán Bödör</i>	TVÓ28
Old Testament Hebrew language 2.	GY	3	<i>Zoltán Bödör</i>	TVÓ29
Old Testament Hebrew language 3.	GY	3	<i>Zoltán Bödör</i>	TVÓ30
Old Testament Hebrew language 4.	GY	3	<i>Zoltán Bödör</i>	TVÓ31
Old Testament Hebrew language 5. (hermeneutics practice)	GY	3	<i>Zoltán Kovács</i> <i>Zoltán Bödör</i>	TVÓ532
Old Testament Hebrew language 6. (hermeneutics practice)	GY	3	<i>Zoltán Kovács</i> <i>Zoltán Bödör</i>	TVÓ33
Old Testament Hebrew language 7. (hermeneutics practice)	GY	3	<i>Zoltán Kovács</i> <i>Zoltán Bödör</i>	TVÓ34
Old Testament Hebrew language 8. (hermeneutics practice)	GY	3	<i>Zoltán Kovács</i> <i>Zoltán Bödör</i>	TVÓ35
History of the Advent movement 1.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel</i> <i>Sándor Nagy</i>	TVE13
History of the Advent movement 2.	K	3	<i>Dr. Szilvia Köbel</i> <i>Sándor Nagy</i>	TVE14

5.1.3. Prerequisites order - Theology BA course

CODE	STUDY UNIT	CREDITS	CONDITION OF REGISTRATION ⁴	EXAM TYPE	NOTES
TKÓ12	Genesis	3	–	examination	
TKÓ13	The world of the Old Testament	3	History of Israel 2.	examination	
TKÓ14	Books of the greater prophets 1. (Daniel)	3	History of Israel 3.	examination	
TKÓ15	Books of the greater prophets 2. (Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel)	3	Books of the greater prophets 1.	examination	
TKÓ16	Old Testament books of wisdom	3	–	examination	
TKÓ17	Book of Psalms	3	–	examination	
TKÓ18	History of Israel 1.	3	–	examination	
TKÓ19	History of Israel 2.	3	History of Israel 1.	examination	
TKÓ20	History of Israel 3.	3	History of Israel 2.	comprehensive examination	From study materials of 1., 2., 3.
TKÓ21	Messianic prophecies 1.	3	–	examination	
TKÓ22	Messianic prophecies 2.	3	Messianic prophecies 1.	examination	
TKÚ11	Gospel of John	3	–	examination	
TKÚ12	The life of Jesus 1.	3	–	examination	
TKÚ13	The life of Jesus 2.	3	The life of Jesus 1.	examination	
TKÚ14	Epistle to the Romans	3	Biblical ethics and anthropology 2.	examination	
TKÚ15	The parables of Jesus 1.	3	–	examination	
TKÚ16	The parables of Jesus 2.	3	The parables of Jesus 1.	examination	
TKÚ17	Book of Revelation	3	Books of the greater prophets 1. (Daniel)	examination	
TKÚ18	History of New Testament times	3	–	examination	
TKÚ19	Pauline letters 1.	3	The system of Bible teachings 2.	examination	
TKÚ20	Pauline letters 2. (seminar)	3	Pauline letters 1.	practical grade	

⁴ Study unit(s) to be completed beforehand or simultaneously for the registration of the marked study unit.

TKR11	The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 1.	3	-	examination	
TKR12	The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 2.	3	The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 1. and Biblical ethics and anthropology 1.	comprehensive examination	Combined comprehensive examination from the study materials of Biblical ethics and anthropology 1., 2. and The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 1., 2.
TKR13	Biblical ethics and anthropology 1.	3	-	examination	
TKR14	Biblical ethics and anthropology 2.	3	The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 1. and Biblical ethics and anthropology 1.	comprehensive examination	Combined comprehensive examination from the study materials of Biblical ethics and anthropology 1., 2. and The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 1., 2.
TKR15	The system of Bible teachings 1.	3	Biblical ethics and anthropology 2.	examination	
TKR16	The system of Bible teachings 2.	3	The system of Bible teachings 1.	examination	
TKR17	The system of Bible teachings 3.	3	The system of Bible teachings 2.	examination	
TKR18	The system of Bible teachings 4.	3	The system of Bible teachings 3.	examination	
TKR19	Systematic theology seminar 1.	3	-	practical grade	
TKR20	Systematic theology seminar 2.	3	Systematic theology seminar 1.	practical grade	
TKG3	Pastoral theology 1.	3	--	examination	
TKG4	Pastoral theology 2.	3	Pastoral theology 1.	examination	
TKE17	History of religions 1.	3	-	examination	
TKE18	History of religions 2.	3	History of religions 1.	examination	
TKE19	Church history 1.	3	-	examination	
TKE20	Church history 2.	3	Church history 1.	comprehensive examination	From study materials of 1., 2.
TKS8	History of philosophy 1.	3	Church history 1.	examination	
TKS9	History of philosophy 2.	3	History of philosophy 1. Church history 2.	examination	
TKS10	Thesis preparatory seminar	3	-	practical grade	
TKS11	Thesis preparatory consultation 1.	6	Thesis preparatory seminar	practical grade	
TKS12	Thesis preparatory consultation 2.	6	Thesis preparatory consultation 1.	practical grade	

TKS13	Thesis preparatory consultation 3.	6	Thesis preparatory consultation 2.	practical grade	
TKS14	Thesis preparatory consultation 4.	6	Thesis preparatory consultation 3.	practical grade	
TVÓ16	Old Testament Hebrew language 1.	3	-	practical grade	
TVÓ17	Old Testament Hebrew language 2.	3	Old Testament Hebrew language 1.	practical grade	
TVÓ18	Old Testament Hebrew language 3.	3	Old Testament Hebrew language 2.	practical grade	
TVÓ19	Old Testament Hebrew language 4.	3	Old Testament Hebrew language 3.	practical grade	
TVÓ20	Old Testament Hebrew language 5.	3	Old Testament Hebrew language 4.	practical grade	
TVÓ21	Old Testament Hebrew language 6.	3	Old Testament Hebrew language 5.	practical grade	
TVÓ23	Old Testament Hebrew language 7.	3	Old Testament Hebrew language 6.	practical grade	
TVÓ24	Old Testament Hebrew language 8.	3	Old Testament Hebrew language 7.	practical grade	
TVÓ27	The people of the Bible	3	The history of Israel 2.	examination	
TVÚ15	New Testament Greek language 1.	3	-	practical grade	
TVÚ16	New Testament Greek language 2.	3	New Testament Greek language 1.	practical grade	
TVÚ17	New Testament Greek language 3.	3	New Testament Greek language 2.	practical grade	
TVÚ18	New Testament Greek language 4.	3	New Testament Greek language 3.	practical grade	
TVÚ19	New Testament Greek language 5.	3	New Testament Greek language 4.	practical grade	
TVÚ20	New Testament Greek language 6.	3	New Testament Greek language 5.	practical grade	
TVÚ21	New Testament Greek language 7.	3	New Testament Greek language 6.	practical grade	
TVÚ22	New Testament Greek language 8.	3	New Testament Greek language 7.	practical grade	
TVÚ23	Epistle to the Romans (supplementary course) seminar	3	Epistle to the Romans	practical grade	
TVÚ24	The Gospel of John (supplementary course) seminar	3	Gospel of John	practical grade	
TVÚ25	Book of Revelation (supplementary course) seminar	3	Book of Revelation	practical grade	
TVÓ22	The book of Daniel (supplementary course) seminar	3	Books of the greater prophets 1.	practical grade	
TVÚ30	History of the Apostolic Age seminar	3	-	practical grade	
TVR3	The church, the state and freedom of conscience 1.	3	-	examination	
TVR4	The church, the state and freedom of conscience 2.	3	The church, the state and freedom of conscience 1.	examination	
TVG11	Homiletics 1.	3	-	examination	
TVG12	Homiletics seminar 2.	3	Homiletics 1.	practical grade	
TVH1	Hermeneutics workshop 1.	3		practical grade	
TVH2	Hermeneutics workshop 2.	3	Hermeneutics workshop 1.	practical grade	

TVH3	Hermeneutics workshop 3.	3	Hermeneutics workshop 2.	practical grade	
TVH4	Hermeneutics workshop 4.	3	Hermeneutics workshop 3.	practical grade	
TVH5	Hermeneutics workshop 5.	3	Hermeneutics workshop 4.	practical grade	
TVH6	Hermeneutics workshop 6.	3	Hermeneutics workshop 5.	practical grade	
TVH7	Hermeneutics workshop 7.	3	Hermeneutics workshop 6.	practical grade	
TVH8	Hermeneutics workshop 8.	3	Hermeneutics workshop 7.	practical grade	
TVE7	History of denominations 1.	3	-	examination	
TVE8	History of denominations 2.	3	History of denominations 1.	examination	
TVE9	Church history in Hungary 1.	3	-	examination	
TVE10	Church history in Hungary 2.	3	Church history in Hungary 1.	examination	
TVE11	History of the Advent movement 1.	3	--	examination	
TVE12	History of the Advent movement 2.	3	History of the Advent movement 1.	examination	
TKE9	Theological workshop 1.	6		practical grade	
TKE10	Theological workshop 2.	6	Theological workshop 1.	practical grade	
TKE11	Theological workshop 3.	6	Theological workshop 2.	practical grade	
TKE12	Theological workshop 4.	6	Theological workshop 3.	practical grade	
TKE13	Theological workshop 5.	6	Theological workshop 4.	practical grade	
TKE14	Theological workshop 6 .	6	Theological workshop 5.	practical grade	
TKE15	Theological workshop 7.	6	Theological workshop 6.	practical grade	
TKE16	Theological workshop 8.	6	Theological workshop 7.	practical grade	
TVS50	The Bible and literature 1.	3	-	examination	
TVS51	The Bible and literature 2. (seminar)	3	The Bible and literature 1.	practical grade	
TVS52	The Bible and the history of music 1.	3	-	examination	
TVS53	The Bible and the history of music 2. (seminar)	3	The Bible and the history of music 1.	practical grade	
TVS54	The Bible and fine arts 1.	3	-	examination	
TVS55	The Bible and fine arts 2. (seminar)	3	The Bible and fine arts 1.	practical grade	

5.1.4. Sample curriculum- Theology BA course

FIRST SEMESTER								
NR.	FIRST YEAR	CRE-DITS	SECOND YEAR	CRE-DITS	THIRD YEAR	CRE-DITS	FOURTH YEAR	CRE-DITS
Compulsory study units (6 study units/semester)								
(1)	The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 1.	3	The system of Bible teachings 1.	3	The system of Bible teachings 3.	3	History of philosophy 1.	3
(2)	Biblical ethics and anthropology 1.	3	History of Israel 3.	3	The parables of Jesus 1.	3	Pauline letters 1.	3
(3)	Gospel of John	3	The world of the Old Testament	3	Thesis preparatory seminar	3	Messianic prophecies 1.	3
(4)	History of Israel 1.	3	The life of Jesus 1.	3	Church history 1.	3	Systematic theology seminar 1.	3
(5)	History of religions 1.	3	Book of Psalms	3	Pastoral theology 1.	3	Book of Revelation	3
(6)	Theology workshop 1.	6	Theology workshop 3.	6	Theology workshop 5.	6	Theology workshop 7.	6
(7)					Thesis preparatory consultation 1.	6	Thesis preparatory consultation 3.	6
Elective and optional study units (min. 2 study units/semester)								
(8)	New Testament Greek language 1.	3	New Testament Greek language 3.	3	The church, the state and freedom of conscience 1.	3	Homiletics 1.	3
(9)	The Bible and literature 1.	3	New Testament studies 1.	3	History of denominations 1.	3	The book of Daniel (supplementary course)	3
Σ		27		27		33		33
SECOND SEMESTER								
NR.	FIRST YEAR	CRE-DITS	SECOND YEAR	CRE-DITS	THIRD YEAR	CRE-DITS	FOURTH YEAR	CRE-DITS
Compulsory study units (5 study units/semester)								
(1)	The origin and hermeneutics of the Bible 2.	3	The system of Bible teachings 2.	3	The system of Bible teachings 4.	3	History of philosophy 2.	3
(2)	Biblical ethics and anthropology 2.	3	The life of Jesus 2.	3	The parables of Jesus 2.	3	Pauline letters 2.	3
(3)	Genesis	3	History of New Testament times	3	Church history 2.	3	Messianic prophecies 2.	3
(4)	History of Israel 2.	3	Epistle to the Romans	3	Pastoral theology 2.	3	Systematic theology seminar 2.	3
(5)	History of religions 2.	3	Old Testament books of wisdom	3	Books of the greater prophets 1. (Daniel)	3	Books of the greater prophets 2. (Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel)	3
(6)	Theology workshop 2.	6	Theology workshop 4.	6	Theology workshop 6.	6	Theology workshop 8.	6
(7)					Thesis preparatory consultation 2.	6	Thesis preparatory consultation 4.	6
Elective study units example (min. 2 study units/semester)								
(8)	New Testament Greek language 2.	3	New Testament Greek language 4.	3	The church, the state and freedom of conscience 2.	3	Homiletics seminar 2.	3
(9)	The Bible and literature 2.	3	New Testament studies 2.	3	History of denominations 2.	3	Book of Revelation (supplementary course)	3
Σ		27		27		33		33

5.2 Biblical counseling postgraduate specialized training course

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5.2.1 Training and graduation requirements – Biblical counseling

I. Name of the postgraduate specialized training course: Biblical counseling

II. FIR code of the postgraduate specialized training course: 70788

III. File number of the decision authorizing the establishment: OH FRKP/ 17565/2007

IV. Name of the establishing institution: Sola Scriptura College of Theology

V. Training and graduation requirements of the postgraduate specialized training course:

1. Name of the postgraduate specialized training course: Biblical counseling postgraduate specialized training course
2. Name of qualification in the diploma of the postgraduate specialized training course: Biblical counselor
3. Training area of the postgraduate specialized training course: religious studies
4. Condition for admission: at least BA level degree attesting higher education, in any field
5. Total number of credits to be obtained for the qualification: 60 credits.
6. Length of the training in semesters: 2 semesters.
7. Competences, knowledge elements, knowledge to be acquired during the training, personal qualities, skills, application of the qualification in a specific environment, system of activities

7.1 Professional competences to be acquired:

The training provides advanced level of counseling qualification, for spiritual care based on Biblical principles, in line with Christian spirituality. At the same time, an important aspect for the graduates of the postgraduate specialized training course is to become counselors who can help any person with the application of the sound principles of Biblical counseling, regardless of religious and ideological beliefs, while respecting their freedom of conscience.

Life today is overstretched, with spiritual conflicts and a variety of mental illnesses. A large number of counselors are needed. Not only professional experts, but also trained helpers who are prepared to serve in their personal environment and their natural everyday personal relationships at all times.

7.2 Knowledge elements, knowledge to be acquired:

- Basic knowledge: Biblical anthropology / psychological basics, personality of the counselor – ethical requirements
- Knowledge on the basics of pastoral care: pastoral care for families, for the sick and the elderly, pastoral care for the dying and grieving
- Knowledge of special cases of pastoral care: providing care for people suffering from spiritual conflicts and illnesses, pastoral care for people with disabilities, pastoral care for addicts and their families
- Knowledge useful in counseling practice: basic principles of a healthy lifestyle, sociological, social and legal basics

7.3 *Personal characteristics:*

- Empathy;
- Responsibility, dedication, commitment;
- Good communication skills;
- Openness, tolerance, discretion;
- Ethical behavior;
- Observing and analytical skills;
- Conflict-solving skills;
- Motivational skills;
- Decision-making ability;
- Endurance, capable of hard work.

7.4 *The application of the qualification in a specific environment and system of activities:*

In the possession of the knowledge acquired during the postgraduate specialized training, student will be prepared in their work-related or personal relationships to recognize the essence and typical symptoms of those psychological conflicts or illnesses they encounter. They will be able to judge whether these can be handled by personal counseling, assistance, or those who have problems should be directed to a specialist. They can help effectively with the most common mental discomposures and perplexities.

8. Main areas of knowledge that are relevant to the qualification and their credit values:

Basic knowledge – 8 credits

(Biblical anthropology / psychological basics, personality of the counselor – ethical requirements)

Professional knowledge– 32 credits

(Knowledge on basic and special cases of pastoral care)

Knowledge useful in the practice of pastoral care – 8 credits

(Basic principles of a healthy lifestyle, sociological, social and legal basics)

9. Credit value of the thesis: 12 credits.

5.2.2 Sample curriculum - Biblical counseling

NR.	FIRST SEMESTER	CREDITS
(1)	Principles of Biblical counseling – The Biblical image of man	4
(2)	Ethical requirements of counselors	4
(3)	Basic principles of life and health	4
(4)	Pastoral care for the sick and the elderly	4
(5)	Family counseling 1. (Biblical marriage ethics)	4
(6)	Counseling for addicts and their family members 1.	4
(7)	Thesis preparatory consultation 1.	6
Σ		30
NR.	SECOND SEMESTER	CREDITS
(1)	Basics on sociology and social law	4
(2)	Counseling for people with disabilities	4

(3)	Counseling for the dying and the grieving	4
(4)	Counseling for people suffering from spiritual conflicts and illnesses	4
(5)	Family counseling 2. (Biblical principles of child raising)	4
(6)	Counseling for addicts and their family members 2.	4
(7)	Thesis preparatory consultation 2.	6
Σ		30

Thesis: 12 credits

Total credits to be acquired during the training: 60

6. COURSE DESCRIPTIONS, MATERIALS

Brief course programs and recommended literature are included in the course descriptions. Study materials and books necessary for the courses can be purchased at the college's bookstore or downloaded from the institution's website (www.sola.hu/letoltheto-anyagok). Course descriptions are available in the Electronic Academic System and on the college's website (www.sola.hu/letoltheto-anyagok).

7. ACADEMIC COUNSELING SERVICE

The academic counsellor

- assists the students in selecting their subjects;
- provides information about the prerequisites order;
- provides information on the interpretation of certain points of the Study and Examination Regulations and Credit Regulations;
- assists the students on issues related to the thesis / final examination / language examination;
- assists the students in the development of individual academic schedules.

The basic condition for the operation of the Academic Counseling Service is that the academic counselor is kept up-to-date on issues, regulations and procedures concerning students.

The primary task of the Academic Counseling Service is to prepare students for problems they may encounter during their studies, to provide information regularly on study opportunities, to provide advice on course registration issues at the beginning of the semesters and to provide counseling in case of individual problems throughout the academic year.

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