

# LEAD

**Schedule, Scope, & Sequence**

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In the following packet you will find our explanation of the LEAD training program. We are rejoicing that The National Office of the Christian and Missionary Alliance has approved The LEAD Program to fulfill licensing requirements of the movement.

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We want you to know that our goal is to raise up the next generation of ministry leaders from the harvest for the harvest.

Thank you for answering the call to LEAD.

Your Kingdom Partners,

Two handwritten signatures in black ink. The first signature is "Clint Bieri" and the second is "Josh Franks".

Clint Bieri & Josh Franks

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## THE CALL

"In every generation, there must be men and women who choose to walk deeply with God, embrace His mission as their own, and, fully aware of the rigors of the higher path, choose to pour out their lives so that the Kingdom may advance unhindered into the future."

- Dr. Dan Scarrow

## THE PROCESS

LEAD is a two-and-a-half year program committed to equipping men and women to be ministry leaders. Each month students will be trained, equipped, and then held accountable in some aspect of deepening your Intimacy with Christ, Missional Living, and Disciple-Making Discipleship. The LEAD Program is a Spiritual Formation process that also meets academic requirements for licensing within the Christian and Missionary Alliance.

## THE FOCUS

Everything is connected with your intimacy with Christ. When we hang out with Jesus long enough our heart will beat like his. And as you embrace the mission of God as your own, you grow in being a disciple-making disciple. We believe this is how the Kingdom of God is advanced.



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## PARTNERSHIPS

We are thankful for our many partnerships that make every aspect of LEAD better. The following colleges, universities, Seminaries and graduate programs will articulate credit hours to LEAD program graduates.

Nyack College 30 hours, undergrad

Crown College 30 hours, undergrad

Simpson University - 30 hours, undergrad

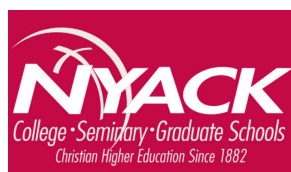
The following seminaries will articulate graduate credits:

Tozer Seminary - 12 hours, graduate

Alliance Theological Seminary - 6 hours, graduate

Crown College - 6 hours, graduate

Toccoa Falls College - coming 2021







# SCOPE & SEQUENCE

SEMESTER	THEMES	DETAILS
ONE	<b>Intimacy with Christ</b> Loving God, Overview of Theology and Bibliology	<p>The first semester will focus on your relationship with God through Christ, in prayer and Bible study. You will take some assessments to help you determine who you are in Christ.</p> <p>Your course work will include Bible Study Methods and surveys of Theology, the Old and New Testaments. Bible memory work will focus on bibliology.</p>
TWO	<b>Missional Living</b> Christ our Savior, Condition of Mankind, Justification, Missional Living and Evangelism Training	<p>The second semester will focus on building relationships with others and having a Kingdom impact on their lives. You will learn to share your faith and be able to equip others in evangelism.</p> <p>Your course work will focus on some specific books of the Old and New Testaments. Bible memory work will focus on salvation, justification, man and sin.</p>
THREE	<b>Disciple-making Discipleship</b> Christ our Sanctifier, How to Walk in the Spirit	<p>The third semester will focus on understanding the crisis and progression of Sanctification. You will learn how to communicate this truth to others more effectively in a larger group setting.</p> <p>Your course work will deal with sanctification and public speaking. Bible memory work will focus on sanctification and the Christ-life.</p>
FOUR	<b>Kingdom Leadership</b> Christ our Healer & Coming King, The Church - The Bride of Christ	<p>The fourth semester will focus on the church, the Bride of Christ. When is our Lord coming for her and until His Kingdom comes, what are some of the functions of His Bride, the church?</p> <p>Your course work will include one class on the church and two seminars, one on church growth and one on church planting. Bible memory work will focus on the church.</p>



## FIVE

### Kingdom Leadership

Perspectives on World  
Missions,  
International  
Missions Trip

The fifth semester will focus on the mission of the church.

You will enroll in the 15 week college level course, *Perspectives on World Missions*. You may choose to take this online or on site.

You will participate in a LEAD international, cross-cultural missions experience. Preferably outside of your country of origin.

## READING

You can find links to all our books by going to [leadcma.org/books](http://leadcma.org/books)

- *Beyond Ordinary*, by Justin and Trisha Davis
- *The Cure: What if God isn't who you think He is and neither are you?*, by Bruce Thrall and Bill McNicol
- *Celebration of Discipline*, by Richard J Foster
- *Communicating for a Change*, by Andy Stanley
- *Experiencing the Holy Spirit* by E.M. Bounds
- *The Gospel of Healing*, by A.B. Simpson
- *Members of One Another*, by Dennis McCallum
- *Ordinary Hero*, by Neil Cole
- *Strengths Based Leadership*, by Tom Rath and Barry Conchie (Don't buy used; need code)
- *Tangible Kingdom Primer*, by Matt Smay and Hugh Halter
- *Wholly Sanctified*, by A.B. Simpson
- *Systematic Theology*, by Wayne Grudem

## GRADING

Each month, the student will be taking courses from [thidmill.org](http://thidmill.org). Each course has graded discussion questions and activities. There will be memory work of certain passages of Scripture that will lay a firm foundation of basic theological concepts. Six papers of approximately 6-8 pages will be written on five of the major doctrines of the Bible. Each month, the student will be writing about his/her intimacy with Christ, missional opportunities, development of



others, and their own Kingdom leadership. All of the assignments will be worked on / completed / submitted through the student's Canvas instance at [canvas.instructure.com](https://canvas.instructure.com).

Each of these assignments will be graded out of an assigned number of points. A passing grade for the LEAD Program coursework is 70%. However, these grades will be weighted as follows:

Assignment	Grade Percentage	Assignment	Grade Percentage
Christian Courses Quiz	10	Christian Courses Essay	10
Ministry Essay	10	Memory Work	10
Papers	10	Polity Course	10
Assigned Books Read	10	Practicums	30

## ATTENDANCE

Students are required to attend 80% of all Cohort Gatherings each semester 4 out of 5.

Students are required to attend 80% of all Coaching appointments each semester 4 out of 5.

*\*If students miss more than 1 Cohort Gathering or more than 1 Coaching call in a semester (unexcused) they will be recommended for removal from The LEAD Program.*

## INTERNATIONAL TRIPS

Every student is *required* to participate in a LEAD international, cross-cultural missions experience. Preferably outside of their country of origin. LEAD International trips are to be rigorous, intentional, and a capstone experience of The LEAD Program in the 5th Semester. The LEAD Program proudly works with Envision (a short-term missions & leader development ministry of the Christian & Missionary Alliance) sites all over the globe. For more information on Envision please visit [weareenvision.com](https://weareenvision.com)

Trip information about overseas missions trips can be found online at: <http://www.leadcma.org/events/category/overseas-trip/>.



## MONTHLY COHORT REPORT

Each month, in cohort as well as in monthly coaching sessions, four primary questions will be answered by the LEAD student.

- Share at least one way that the course content affected your intimacy with God.
- Share at least one way that the course content impacted your missional living.
- Share at least one way that the course content impacted how you lead others to be disciples of Jesus.
- Share at least one way that the course content has impacted your leadership in the Kingdom

By focusing both the cohort gathering and coaching sessions with these questions we hope to ingrain in each of our leaders that they are to focus first on their own walk with Jesus, then their life on mission, how they lead others as disciples of Jesus, and how they lead in a servant posture.







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## SEMESTER 1

COHORT MEETING	ASSIGNMENTS	SOURCE	SCRIPTURE MEMORY
Semester 1, Cohort Gathering 1	Apostles Creed	Thirdmill.org	
Cohort Launch Retreat	Read <i>The Cure</i> by Thrall and McNicol		Psalms 18:30 Hebrews 4:12
Semester 1, Cohort Gathering 2	Building Your Theology	Thirdmill.org	
	Develop a plan for ongoing intimacy with Christ	Present Reality/Future ideal handout	2 Timothy 3:16 2 Peter 1:20-21
	Read: <i>Systematic Theology</i> - Introduction and Part 1: The Doctrine of the Word of God		
Semester 1, Cohort Gathering 3	Building Systematic Theology	Thirdmill.org	Deuteronomy 6:4 Leviticus 19:2
	Read and complete <i>Tangible Kingdom Primer</i> Chapters 5-8		
Semester 1, Cohort Gathering 4	Building Biblical Theology	Thirdmill.org	Matthew 3:16, 17 Matthew 28:18-20
	Read and complete <i>Tangible Kingdom Primer</i> Chapters 5-8		
Semester 1, Cohort Gathering 5	We Believe in God	Thirdmill.org	
	Read <i>Cultivating a Life For God</i> by Neil Cole		Psalms 139:1-8
	Read: <i>Systematic Theology</i> - Part 2: The Doctrine of God	Life Transformation Group Practicum	
Semester 1 Break	Begin a Life Transformation Group		



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## SEMESTER 2

COHORT MEETING	ASSIGNMENTS	SOURCE	SCRIPTURE MEMORY
Semester 2, Cohort Gathering 1	The Pentateuch Evangelism Exercise	Thirdmill.org	Genesis 1:26 Psalms 51:3-5
Semester 2, Cohort Gathering 2	The Gospels Evangelism Exercise	Thirdmill.org	Romans 5:12 Revelation 20:15
<i>Evangelism Training</i>			
Semester 2, Cohort Gathering 3	The Book of Acts Evangelism Practicum: 4 Conversations Read: <i>Systematic Theology</i> - Part 3: The Doctrine of Man	Learning Activity: Mapping the spread of Good News	Ephesians 2:8, 9 John 3:3, 5
Semester 2, Cohort Gathering 4	Alliance Distinctives: Jesus Our Savior Read <i>Four-Fold Gospel</i> by A.B. Simpson Read: <i>Systematic Theology</i> - Part 4a: The Doctrine of Christ	Thirdmill.org Explore Potential International Trip sites (weareenvision.com)	Romans 3:23-26 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

Paul's Prison Epistles

Thirdmill.org

Semester 2,  
Cohort  
Gathering 5

*Organization-  
al Leadership  
Training*

Read *Strengths Based Leadership* and take the StrengthsFinder assessment with the code in your book

SDI 2.0 Assessment

John 1:1, 2, 14  
John 14:6

Take the online APEST test

Fivefoldsurvey.com

Semester 2  
Break

**BREAK**



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## SEMESTER 3

COHORT MEETING	ASSIGNMENTS	SOURCE	SCRIPTURE MEMORY
Semester 3, Cohort Gathering 1	Read Beyond Ordinary		
Relational Leadership Retreat	What is man? SDI Training	Thirdmill.org Prepare-Enrich Counseling Session	Ephesians 4:30 1 Thessalonians 5:19
Semester 3, Cohort Gathering 2	Jesus Our Savior paper due	See LEAD Paper Instructions	
How to Share Your Story Training	Kingdom Covenants	thirdmill.org	Acts 5:3-4 John 16:8-11
Semester 3, Cohort Gathering 3	<i>Read Wholly Sanctified</i> by A.B. Simpson	Share your story 4 times	
	Alliance Distinctives: Jesus Our Sanctifier	Read Coach Your Champions by <i>Eric Foley</i>	2 Thessalonians 2:13 John 16:13-16
Walking in the Spirit Training	Systematic Theology - Part 4b: The Doctrine of the Holy Spirit	1st Draft of International Trips Support Letter	
Semester 3, Cohort Gathering 4	We Believe In The Holy Spirit	Thirdmill.org	
	Christ Our Sanctifier paper due	See LEAD Paper Instructions handout	Romans 7:24 Galatians 2:20





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Walking in the  
Spirit Review

Systematic Theology - Part 5:  
Application of Redemption

Read Experiencing The Holy Spirit  
by E.M. Bounds

Thirdmill.org

Read Communicating for a  
Change by Stanley

Semester 3,  
Cohort  
Gathering 5

Preach/Teach #1 to be evaluated  
by your Cohort Director

Have 3 or more people  
present evaluate your preaching/  
teaching.

At least one evaluator must be  
the opposite gender as the stu-  
dent.

Evaluators must use the  
Sermon Evaluation Form

Ephesians  
5:15-20

Semester 3  
Break



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## SEMESTER 4

COHORT MEETING	ASSIGNMENTS	SOURCE	SCRIPTURE MEMORY
Semester 4, Cohort Gathering 1	Read <i>The Gospel of Healing</i> by A.B. Simpson  Jesus Our Healer paper due	See LEAD Paper Instructions	Isaiah 53:4-5 Matthew 8:14-17 James 5:14-16
Semester 4, Cohort Gathering 2	Survey of Church History (Lessons 4-8, 10, 13, 18, 19)  Alliance Distinctives: Jesus Our Coming King	Thirdmill.org  Learning Activity: Graphic Organizer of Millennial and Tribulation Views	Acts 2:42-47
Semester 4, Cohort Gathering 3	Read <i>Renovation</i> by Dr. Dwight Smith  Jesus Our Coming King paper due	Renovation Course  See LEAD Paper Instructions	Matthew 16:27 Matthew 24:14
Semester 4, Cohort Gathering 4	Systematic Theology - Part 7: The Doctrine of the Future  Alliance Distinctives: Jesus' Body The Church	Preach / Teach #2 to be evaluated by your cohort director and posted on social media	Matthew 22:37-40
	Read <i>Members of One Another</i> by McCallum		



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Semester 4, Cohort Gathering 5	The Heart of Paul's Theology		Thirdmill.org	1 Corinthians 12:11 Ephesians 4:12-13
	Jesus' Body: The Church paper due	See LEAD Paper Instructions		
	Systematic Theology - Part 6: The Doctrine of the Church	Church Multiplication Training		
Semester 4 Break	BREAK			



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## SEMESTER 5

COHORT MEETING	ASSIGNMENTS	SOURCE	SCRIPTURE MEMORY
Semester 5 Cohort Gathering 1	International Trip Experience  Perspectives In World Missions	Trip Donor Celebration Letter  perspectives.org	
Semester 5 Cohort Gathering 2	Alliance Distinctives: Completing Jesus' Mission  Completing Christ's Mission paper due	See LEAD Paper Instructions	