



Application for Admission Master of Divinity (MDiv)

☐ Faculty of Theology, USMC

☐ Sheptytsky Institute

PERSONAL INFORMATION: Title: _____ (Mr/Ms/Miss/Mrs/Rev/Fr/Sr)

Names provided herein must be identical to legal documents:

Surname/Family Name: _____

Given Name(s): _____

Previous surname, if changed: _____

Gender ☐ male ☐ female Date of Birth _____
(MM / DD / YY)

Marital Status: ☐ single ☐ married ☐ Other: _____

Religious Denomination: ☐ Roman Catholic ☐ Other: _____

Church Affiliation: _____

If you have been accepted as a candidate for ordination, please name the diocese:

If you are a member of a religious order/congregation, please provide full name:

Country of Citizenship: ☐ Canadian ☐ U.S. ☐ Other: _____

Canadian, please provide Social Insurance No.

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Non Canadian, please indicate status:

☐ Permanent Resident ☐ Student Visa ☐ Other: _____

Correspondence Address:

(Street Address)

(City) (Province/State) (Postal/Zip Cd) (Country)

Permanent Address (if different):

(Street Address)

(City) (Province/State) (Postal/Zip Cd) (Country)

Telephone No. _____
(please also provide country code if outside of Canada and U.S.)

Email Address: _____

If previously enrolled at University of Toronto, please provide student number:

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Disability/special needs: If you have a physical or sensory disability which might in some way affect your studies or may require special facilities or treatment, please provide information:

ADMISSION INFORMATION: Month/Year expecting to start your program: _____

Do you intend to pursue another diploma or certificate program concurrently with this program? ☐ No ☐ Yes, if so, please indicate:

☐ Diploma or ☐ Certificate in Eastern Christian Studies

☐ Certificate of Specialization in Theology & Ecology

☐ Other: _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

List all post secondary educational institutions attended. (If you have not completed an undergraduate degree please complete Supplemental Information Form A)

1. _____
Institution

Dates Attended Degree Obtained

2. _____
Institution

Dates Attended Degree Obtained

3. _____
Institution

Dates Attended Degree Obtained

4. _____
Institution

Dates Attended Degree Obtained

5. _____
Institution

Dates Attended Degree Obtained

List other diplomas, certificates, etc. which you hold:

WORK EXPERIENCE: List your last three salaried positions:

1. _____
Employer

Job Title/Description Dates

2. _____
Employer

Job Title/Description Dates

3. _____
Employer

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE: List significant non-salaried positions and/or involvement in the past three years:

The following documentation is required for admission. Please note that no candidate will be considered until all documentation has been received.

1. A completed application form together with a non-refundable fee of Can\$25 payable to the University of St. Michael's College.
2. A letter of intent (see guidance provided below).
3. Official transcripts from all post secondary colleges and universities attended.
NOTE: Official transcripts and letters of recommendation must be sent directly to the university from the issuing institution. Please also note that electronic submission of these documents is not acceptable.
4. Two letters of recommendation. At least one must be from a present or former instructor or other academic personnel. Candidates for ordination must have one letter from either the Ordinary or Religious Superior.
5. If you do not have a completed undergraduate degree you must fill out Supplemental Information Form A.
6. You may be contacted for a personal interview.

All documentation should be addressed to:

Committee on Admissions and Academic Standing
Faculty of Theology, University of St. Michael's College
81 St. Mary Street, Toronto, ON M5S 1J4

Signature of Applicant : _____

Date of Application: _____

LETTER OF INTENT

In a 1-2 page letter, please be sure to include the following:

- Your name.
- A statement of your motivation, overall goal, and reasons for wanting to pursue the M.Div. degree.
- A brief description of your understanding of ministry in the church and/or society and how you see your place in it. Add details if you have any experience in the practice of social and/or church ministry to date.
- A brief description of your current understanding of the Catholic intellectual tradition and in what ways you want to deepen that understanding.
- A brief description of a few major issues arising in our current cultural context that pose both challenges and opportunities for you in terms of relating cultural context and Christian faith.
- A brief description of your academic, pastoral, and spiritual strengths and how do you want to develop further in each of these areas?

STATISTICAL DATA:

The following data are collected for statistical use only; please complete as much as possible:

How did you first learn about St. Michael's Faculty of Theology?

☐ Personal contact ☐ St. Michael's Grad ☐ St. Michael's student ☐ St. Michael's Professor ☐ Pastor

☐ Other: _____

Advertisement:

☐ Diocesan Newspaper ☐ Radio ☐ TV ☐ Other: _____

Website:

☐ St. Michael's website ☐ Other website: _____ ☐ Search engine (phrase used): _____

Publication:

☐ St. Michael's Magazine ☐ Brochure ☐ Other: _____

Workshop/Seminar: _____

Other:

Which of the following encouraged you to apply to St. Mike's? If it is through a personal contact, please provide his/her name:

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| ☐ St. Mike's Grad | ☐ St. Michael's Faculty | ☐ St. Michael's Program Director | ☐ Friend of St. Michael's (non-alum) |
| ☐ Priest, sister, layperson in pastoral ministry | ☐ Faculty of another school | ☐ Referral | |
| ☐ Endorsement by bishop/superior/pastor | ☐ Campus Visit | ☐ Affordability | ☐ Program |
| ☐ Reputation of the Faculty | ☐ Mailing | ☐ Other: _____ | |

Name of your contact: _____