



Messenger OnLine Information

OVERVIEW

The Messenger OnLine program is an innovative and highly effective method of delivering quality college instruction to produce learning reasonably equivalent to study in a residency program. To accomplish this, most courses are delivered in slides including text and graphics, with course outline information and voice. Compared to video type delivery, this method produces a higher rate of retention for relevant information, providing a direct link between the lecture and the graphic image.

The lecture of courses will vary with the nature of the course and learning outcomes planned. Some use less lecture and more projects, study and written responses. Others are centered around lecture. A limited number use video.

STRUCTURE

The structure of the Messenger Online program is developed around three semesters per year: Spring, Summer and Fall. Each of these is 16 weeks in length, and then divided into two 8-week terms. Thus, every course produced will be available six times per year. OnLine study does require discipline and reservation of sufficient time to complete the work, but the time chosen for this is left to the student. All course material is available seven days a week, 24 hours per day. You set your own schedule.

ADMISSION PROCESS

No student may be admitted to study until officially admitted as a student of the College. Sufficient time should be allowed after the initial application for completion of all the required documents. For ministers holding credentials with any of the PCCNA organizations, a copy of the current ministerial proof may be used instead of the requested references. No application may be considered until the \$35 application fee is received by the College. Inactive enrollments of two years or more will require a new application for readmittance to studies.

College transcripts from other colleges attended will be needed for degree planning but will not be required for initiation of studies.

COURSE COMPLETION

Students are expected to complete the studies within the assigned time. Extension of times must be

cleared with the supervising faculty member and accompanied by a fee. Each extension will be limited to two weeks, with a maximum of three extensions for any course. In some cases of crisis, an entire program of study may be placed on suspension, but the time for this is limited, and should be carefully considered in any enrollment.

FINANCIAL

As an accredited program, all courses offered by Messenger College are eligible for Federal Title IV programs such as Pell Grants. Information on this may be obtained from the Messenger College Office of Admissions.

TRANSFER CREDITS

All reputable schools control the admissibility of credits from other schools or sources. Messenger College accepts credits from other accredited colleges and university where those courses have a reasonable similarity to courses included in the Messenger College degree plans. Non-accredited courses may be considered based on a student's performance in Messenger College courses of similar content. Life Experience credit may be granted for mature students where the experience can be documented to be reasonably equivalent to the specific Messenger College course to which it is applied.

RECOGNITIONS

Messenger College degrees are accepted by a variety of national graduate institutions such as AGTS, Church of God Seminary, Liberty University, Regent University and Oral Roberts University. Students should understand, however, that transferability of credits is always at the option of a receiving institution.

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