

United Theological Seminary

459 men and women are being equipped as faithful, fruitful pastors and Christian leaders for the Church:ⁱ

292 Masters Students

167 Doctoral Students

Third largest United Methodist seminary in the United Statesⁱⁱ

Founded nearly 150 years ago by Bishop Milton Wright, father of famed aviators Wilbur and Orville Wright, United has continued that spirit of innovation through:

Online degrees:

98% of master's students have taken one or more course online while studying at United.

United students live in 39 different states.

Week-long intensives fulfill UMC residency requirements.

Live Interactive Virtual Education (LIVE):

New grant brings the latest technology in virtual education.

Participate in on-campus courses via webcam and enjoy live lectures and real-time discussion with faculty and peers.

Doctor of Ministry Degree:

Become a doctor for the Church, addressing a real problem or challenge in your church or community.

Study under a mentor who is an expert in their field and learn alongside a small group of dedicated peers.

3-year program that allows you to complete project as you go, leading to a 78% program graduation rate in 2017 (vs. 54% average among other seminaries)ⁱⁱⁱ

Practical education designed to resource the Church:

The majority of United faculty have pastored churches.

91% of entering United students are already serving in ministry, bringing that context to the classroom.

A focus on Church Renewal:

165 Course of Study students^{iv}

42 students in the Hispanic Christian Academy (3-year Spanish online course of ministry program for Hispanic lay pastors and leaders)^{iv}

Certificates in Church Planting, Disability Ministry, and Supervision

Academic AND Spiritual Growth:

95% of students say the United community supports both their academic and spiritual growth.^v

Diverse Christian Views:

Over 30 different denominations

19 international students from 15 different countries

96% of students feel their views are respected in the classroom/seminary community and say they have been taught to respect the views of others.

47% of students who reported are African-American, 43% Caucasian and 10% represent other ethnicities

We thank God for the men and women coming to United because God has called them to serve the least and the lost. We pray as the Lord Jesus instructed his disciples saying, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest" (Luke 10:2).

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ⁱ Data represents Fall 2018 headcount enrollment, unless otherwise specified.

ⁱⁱ ATS 2017-2018 Annual Data Tables. Data represents Fall 2017 headcount enrollment.

ⁱⁱⁱ ATS 2017-2018 Strategic Information Report for United Theological Seminary. Graduation rates represent the percentage of students who were able to complete their chosen degree within a specified period of time which approximates two times the normal length of the degree.

^{iv} Data represents unduplicated headcount enrollment in the 2017-2018 academic year.

^v United Theological Seminary 2017-2018 Student Satisfaction Survey, in which 30% of students responded.