



Certificate-Level Programs

Seminario Bíblico Anabautista Hispano de la Iglesia de los Hermanos, SeBAH-COB

SeBAH-COB es un programa de certificación básica en español para entrenamiento ministerial coordinado por el Instituto Teológico de la Iglesia de Los Hermanos (en inglés, The Brethren Academy) conjunto con los distritos y las Instituciones Menonitas de Educación Superior.

elegibles para el estatus ministerial de ordenación. Office contacto: su oficina de distrito.

SeBAH-COB is a certificate-level Spanish-language ministry training program coordinated by the Brethren Academy in partnership with the districts as well as the Mennonite Education Agency's Hispanic Pastoral and Leadership Education Office. Contact your district office for more information.

Educación para un Ministerio Compartido en la Iglesia de los Hermanos, EPMC

Education for a Shared Ministry está también disponible en la lengua Española. Office contacto: su oficina de distrito.

Education for a Shared Ministry is also available in the Spanish language. Contact your district office for more information.



Master of Divinity Degree, MDiv

WHO?

- ➔ Individuals with a bachelor's degree
- ➔ interest in vocational ministry

WHAT?

- ➔ Three-year graduate program coordinated through the Richmond, Indiana, campus (72 credits)
- ➔ MDiv Connections distance program, including courses online and through synchronous video
- ➔ Courses in six areas:
 - Biblical studies
 - Historical studies
 - Ministry studies
 - Ministry Formation (two experiences)
 - Peace and intercontextual studies
 - Theological studies
 - Electives
- ➔ Minimum of four courses must be taken at Richmond campus
- ➔ Approved for distance education in forty-nine states and Puerto Rico

HOW?

Contact: Admissions Office
 ☎ 800-287-8822, ext. 1832, or 765-983-1832
 ✉ admissions@bethanyseminary.edu

Approved Ministry Training Options in the Church of the Brethren



Master of Divinity



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Opciones de formación
ministerial aprobadas por la
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Training in Ministry, TRIM

WHO?

Individuals with

- ➔ a high school diploma, capable of college level work
- ➔ interest in vocational ministry
- ➔ a need for flexibility in a training program

WHAT?

- ➔ Nonresidential program
- ➔ TRIM classes online and/or onsite:
 - Ten to be completed in Biblical/ Historical Theological Studies
 - Ten to be completed in Ministry Studies
 - Selected Bethany classes qualify
- ➔ Supervised ministry internship
- ➔ Experiences in Church Life and Mission

HOW?

Contact your district office for registration information.

Contact the Brethren Academy for program information:

☎ 800-287-8822, ext. 1824

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Education for a Shared Ministry, EFSM

WHO?

- ➔ Churches developing ministerial leadership within their congregation through one of four tracks:
 - Small Congregation
 - Specialized Ministry
 - Team Ministry
 - Spanish Language
- ➔ Minister(s) in training working with a team of lay leaders

WHAT?

- ➔ Congregation-based education
- ➔ Four learning units in Bible and Theology; four learning units in Ministry Skills
- ➔ Work with a trained supervisor
- ➔ Monthly training group meetings,

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Academy Certified Training Systems, ACTS

WHO?

- ➔ Individuals seeking ministry training but unable to enroll in an MDiv program, TRIM, or EFSM

WHAT?

- ➔ Regionally-based programs comprising classes and training events certified by the Brethren Academy for Ministerial Leadership
- ➔ Program requirements vary, but all require coursework, ministry formation, and a supervised ministry internship.

HOW?

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Continuing Education Opportunities

All TRIM and ACTS and most Bethany graduate courses are available for continuing education and/or personal growth.