



**“AUREL VLAICU”
UNIVERSITY OF
ARAD, ROMANIA**

*Faculty of Humanities
and Social Sciences*



2019

**FAITH
and LIFE**

*Master in
Public Theology*

**Advancing the integration of
earnest theological reflection,
genuine Christian spirituality
and transformative public
engagement for life**

About the Master Program

The “Faith & Life” Master in Public Theology provides a space within which an integrative understanding and transformative practices of Christian faith, theology, education and mission are advanced with the purpose of leading to authentic human flourishing and the common good. The course draws on resources, insights and values of Christian faith, aiming to develop a holistic biblical and theological understanding of the Gospel, and applies this knowledge to specific contexts and concerns.

This course was designed and is delivered in partnership with the International Fellowship for Mission as Transformation – INFEMIT (<https://infemit.org>) and draws on the global experience and theological richness INFEMIT members have to offer. Lecturers in the program include Dr. Ruth Padilla-DeBorst, Dr. Corneliu Constantineanu, Dr. Marcel V. Măcelaru, Dr. Alina Ionescu, Dr. Corneliu Simuț, Dr. Daniel G. Oprean. Visiting lecturers include Dr. Christopher Wright, Dr. Peter Kuzmič, Dr. Amos Yong, Dr. Al Tizon, Dr. Las Newman, Dr. J. Ayodeji Adewuya, Dr. Gregg A. Okesson.

COURSE CONTENT & DELIVERY

This is a two-years research and reflection oriented program that also includes a taught component. The course content is organised around several core modules: Faith & life; Faith & work; Faith & society; Faith & family; Faith & church; Bible in context; Public Theology; Mission as transformation; Christian witness in the public square; Socio-political dimension of Christian faith; Christian faith, human flourishing and the common good.

These and other key topics are explored during intensive weekend seminars and interactive lectures, organised on a monthly basis, and are further studied by the student under the guidance of course coordinators. In the final segment of the program students must also write a thesis of 25 to 30 thousand words. The program counts as 120 ECTS (European credits). All course work, including delivery, research and assessment is done in English.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS & FEES

All holders of a college degree from an accredited institution are welcomed. Degree certificates issued by institutions outside of the EU must go through certification. Certification is done via the university, is part of the admission process and may take up to 3 months. Therefore, early applications are encouraged.

Academic fees are:

- EU applicants = 500 EURO/year
- Non-EU applicants = 2700 EURO/year

NOTE: Prices above are subject to adjustments reflecting inflation rates and do not include costs of lodgings and meals, admission, and final examinations. Additional costs are incurred if extensions of time and/or extra examinations become necessary.

APPLICATION & CONTACT

For admission in the academic year 2019–2020, applications should be submitted during 10–25 July 2019 and 2–11 September 2019. For further details on the admission process and the required documentation, please visit our website (<https://www.uav.ro/en/admission/how-to-apply>) and/or contact us at: master.public.theology@gmail.com

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