

**Bible and Theology Department**  
"Shaping Servant-Leaders"

— Syllabus —

<p><b>HIS/MOD/MHT 556 World Christianity</b> <b>CREDIT HOURS:</b> 3 Fall 2020 Sept 25-26; Oct 23-24; Nov 20-21; Fridays 2-9:30 PM; Saturdays 9-5 PM <b>LOCATION: AGTS 116</b></p>	<p><b>INSTRUCTOR:</b> G. Vincent Medina, STM, PhD <b>PHONE:</b> 417.865.2815 EX.8873 <b>OFFICE:</b> AGTS 228 <b>EMAIL:</b> <a href="mailto:medinav@evangel.edu">medinav@evangel.edu</a> <b>OFFICE HOURS:</b> By Appointment</p>
<p><b><u>REQUIRED TEXT:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Textbooks:</u></b> For information on textbook pricing, go to <a href="http://www.bkstr.com/evangelstore/home">http://www.bkstr.com/evangelstore/home</a>.</p> <p><b>Required:</b></p> <p>Burgess, Stanley M., <i>Christian Peoples of the Spirit: A Documentary History of Pentecostals Spirituality from the Early Church to the Present</i>. NYU Press. 2011 ISBN 9780814799987</p> <p>Gonzales, Justo L. <i>The Story of Christianity, Volume I: The Early Church to the Dawn of the Reformation</i>. 2nd Revised and Updated Edition. Harper One, 2010. ISBN 9780061855887</p> <p>Jenkins, Philip, <i>The Lost History of Christianity</i>. Harper One, 2008. ISBN 9780061472800</p> <p>Olson, Roger. <i>The Story of Christian Theology</i>. InterVarsity Press, 1999. 9780830877362</p> <p>Payton, James R. <i>Light from the Christian East</i>. IVP Academic, 2009. 9780830825943</p> <p><b><u>REQUIRED CLASS SUPPLIES:</u></b> <i>Electronic devices can be used on a regular basis in this class. While not required, such a device can aid in note-taking, and researching relevant topics that are discussed in class.</i></p>	

**COURSE ASSIGNMENTS:**

1. Class Attendance and participation
2. Two midterm exams and a final take-home exam
3. A 3,000-3,500 word research paper
4. A 30 minute classroom presentation of research paper
5. Three 1500 word book reviews

Details on the requirements and an extended bibliography will be a part of the syllabus, which will be available a week prior to class through course commons.