

BACHELOR IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

The Bachelor in Interdisciplinary Studies (BIS) is a flexible, interdisciplinary program designed for students who want a degree tailored to their specific career goals integrating diverse coursework and culminating in a capstone project. The major offers a versatile academic track that allows students to explore various academic disciplines of study while earning a unified degree. It accommodates individuals whose career aspirations or intellectual pursuits span multiple disciplines, empowering them to craft a customized major. Emphasizing vocational exploration and skill development, this program equips graduates with leadership, analytical, and relational skills essential for the workplace. This degree serves as a foundation for both professional endeavors and future graduate studies. Some areas where graduates of the interdisciplinary studies program commonly pursue further education include: law, public administration, social sciences, education, business administration, healthcare administration, environmental studies, international relations, media and communications, and creative arts.

A bachelor's degree in interdisciplinary studies opens up a diverse range of career paths. Here are some potential career options:

- Project Coordinator
- Nonprofit Program Manager
- Community Outreach Coordinator
- Research Analyst
- Environmental Consultant
- Policy Analyst
- Education Program Coordinator
- Entrepreneur

These are just a few examples. The versatility of interdisciplinary studies means graduates can pursue careers in various industries and sectors.

Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs) for the Bachelor's Degree in Interdisciplinary Studies

Graduates of the Bachelor's degree in Interdisciplinary Studies program will be able to:

- **PLO 1:** Demonstrate the ability to integrate biblical concepts and principles with inter-concentration specific topics and domains.
- **PLO 2:** Develop professional competencies in two concentrations and in the integration of those concentrations.
- **PLO 3:** Demonstrate effective written communication skills.
- **PLO 4:** Analyze inter-concentration specific issues, practices, and trends using appropriate research concepts and processes.
- **PLO 5:** Demonstrate critical thinking and creative problem-solving skills.
- **PLO 6:** Apply principles of Christian ethics in response to ethical dilemmas and issues within inter-concentration contexts.
- **PLO 7:** Demonstrate effective oral communication skills.