

## **Philosophy & Worldviews Minor**

The Philosophy and Worldviews program of study prepares students to pursue graduate studies in a broad range of fields such as Philosophy, Ministerial Studies and many other graduate programs. Students from this major regularly find themselves studying Law or Medicine among other things.

### **The Philosophy and Worldviews Discipline**

The Philosophy and Worldviews Major is housed within the Bible and Ministry Department and offers either a Bachelor of Science or a Bachelor of Arts depending on the interests and direction of the student. This program is designed to prepare students to enter theological seminaries or graduate schools in multiple fields of study. This major requires a senior thesis and provides a balance of instruction in Biblical studies, philosophy, and worldview studies from the perspective of a *Reformational* worldview.

### **Why Study Philosophy and Worldviews at Montreat College?**

Montreat College provides a unique mentoring environment that facilitates interaction between students and faculty both in and outside the classroom context. The department's commitment to exploring the relationship between faith and learning, and the relevance of the Christian faith for all disciplines of study, provides the student with a rich liberal arts experience and a solid foundation for graduate study or a wide range of occupations. The departmental faculty challenges students academically, assisting them in wrestling with the spiritual and practical implications of the subject matter. The full-time faculty is complemented by part-time and adjunct faculty who share the College's and department's mission, providing specific expertise to enhance the educational experience.

### **Requirements for a Minor in Philosophy and Worldviews (18 credits)**

#### Required Minor Courses

- IS 202 Modern Secular/Christian Worldviews (3)
- PH 201 Introduction to Philosophy (3)
- PH 210 Logic (3)
- PH 301 Ethics (3)

#### **Required Minor Electives**

Choose 6 additional hours from the following:

- HS 371 History of Political Philosophy (3)
- PH 321 Contemporary Theologies (3)
- PH 403 Philosophy of Religion & Apologetics (3)