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Application for Admission (Please print or type all information in black ink)

Return your completed application, along with a \$25 non-refundable application fee, to: Student Services Coordinator, Anderson University School of Theology, 1100 E. 5th St., Anderson, IN 46012-3495

If you are applying for the Online MACM or Doctor of Ministry programs, do not use this form. For the Online MACM, go online to www.anderson.edu/sot/academics/onlinemts. For the Doctor of Ministry, go to www.anderson.edu/sot/academics/dmin, send e-mail to jwlewis@anderson.edu, or call toll-free (800) 428-6414.

For what term are you applying? Sem. I (Aug.) Sem. II (Jan.) Summer Year _____

What will your enrollment status be during your first term? Full time (12+ hours) Part time (5-11 hours) Less than 5 hours

Name _____ LAST FIRST MIDDLE MAIDEN

Date of birth ____/____/____ SSN (optional) ____-____-____

Home address _____ STREET CITY STATE ZIP

E-mail _____ Home phone (____) _____

Work phone (____) _____ Cell phone (____) _____

Educational History (Please list all colleges and professional schools attended. Use additional paper if necessary.)

NOTE: All applicants must have a four-year baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution.

NAME OF INSTITUTION LOCATION YEAR(S) ATTENDED DIPLOMA/DEGREE

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NOTE: Request two official transcripts from each school to be mailed to Connie Allbaugh at the address on the front of this form.

Which degree program do you intend to pursue?

NOTE: This is not an official declaration of degree; you will declare a degree at a later time.

MDiv MTS MA in Intercultural Service

Gender Male Female

Marital Status (optional) Married Single Divorced Separated Widowed Prefer not to answer

Ethnicity (*optional*)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American | <input type="checkbox"/> White | <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic (Any Race) | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two or more races | <input type="checkbox"/> Nonresident alien | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

Citizenship

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. citizen by birth | <input type="checkbox"/> Naturalized U.S. citizen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Citizen of a country other than the United States (<i>please list</i>) _____ | |

Home church _____ **Pastor's name** _____

Church address _____
STREET CITY STATE ZIP

Have you been licensed? Yes No

Have you been ordained? Yes No *If yes, by what church?* _____

What provisions have you made for health insurance for yourself and your family while in seminary? _____

Biographical information: *On a separate sheet, list your name, today's date, and the following details, with dates and places if known.*

- Academic or special honors received
- Secular occupations in which you have engaged, including summer jobs
- Work and volunteer experience in Christian and church-related environments
- Involvement with student or community organizations
- Special interests or hobbies

Write an essay (*minimum of 500 words*) **following this outline:**

- Describe your academic journey (include your assessment of your strengths, limitations, and particular interests).
- Describe a significant event in your life which you see as a turning point for you.
- Explain why you want to come to seminary (your goals/intentions/interests). Tell us something about the future you envision for yourself, and how seminary fits into that future.

Our Commitment to You . . .

The mission of Anderson University School of Theology is to educate at the graduate professional level both men and women for Christian ministry. To this end, we are committed to being a community of scholars who are church-related and in whose character and servanthood the following are vitally linked: biblical faith, academic integrity, Christian spirituality, love for people, and a responsible relation with the created order and all humankind.

And Your Agreement with Us

If admitted to Anderson University School of Theology, I will:

- Earnestly seek to grow intellectually and spiritually.
- Strive to uphold, in both spirit and letter, the regulations and standards of the university as set forth in the *Student Handbook*.
- Strive to make a positive contribution to the university community.
- Attend the regular chapel services.
- Refrain from possessing or participating in the use of alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, tobacco products in any form, gambling, sexual misconduct, foul language, theft, or any conduct considered inconsistent with the goals and traditions of the institution.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

Anderson University School of Theology does not discriminate on the basis of race, ethnic background, national origin, sex, age, veteran status, marital status, or disability in admission or access to its programs.



School of Theology

Personal Reference *(From a Member of the Applicant's Local Church)*

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Applicant's Statement

Applicant's name _____

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Date _____

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We are seeking to admit students who will participate with us in fulfilling this mission. Your comments regarding this individual are important to us as we evaluate his or her application for admission.

Referent's name _____

Please use the reverse side of this form for your comments regarding this individual. In your comments, it would be helpful to answer the following questions:

- 1) How long have you known this person?
- 2) In what settings have you known this person?
- 3) What is your opinion of this person's potential for graduate study and the ministry?
- 4) Are there any general impressions you have of this person?
- 5) Is there anything specific we should know about this person?

Check this box if you would prefer to discuss your comments by phone.

Please list a telephone number where you may be reached: () _____



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