

*Inspiring the Minds
that Inspire the World*



Yale DIVINITY SCHOOL



Graduating students and Dean Greg Sterling celebrate at the university-wide Commencement ceremony on Yale's main campus.

Yale Divinity School educates and inspires the scholars, ministers, and leaders of the global future. Students from a full spectrum of backgrounds and Christian denominations come together at YDS to develop their faith and intellect while beginning a lifetime of ministry, scholarship, and service to church and world.

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90% of YDS students receive financial aid. For more on tuition and aid, see divinity.yale.edu/admissions-aid/tuition-and-financial-aid

DEGREES

Master of Divinity

Master of Arts in Religion

Master of Sacred Theology

PARTNERS ON THE QUAD

Berkeley Divinity School,
The Episcopal Seminary at Yale

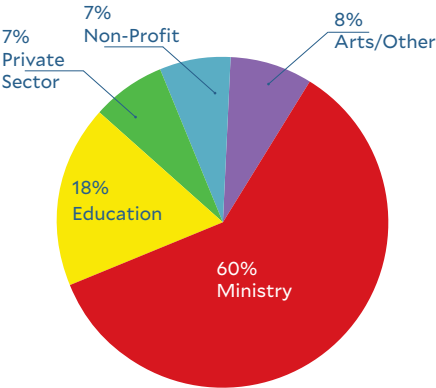
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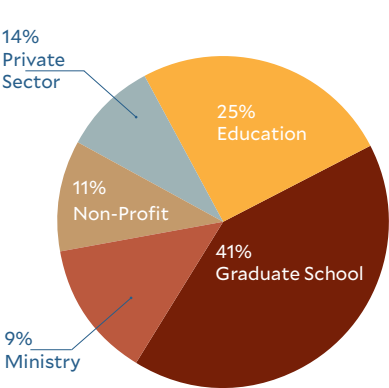
WHAT YDS GRADUATES DO AFTER GRADUATION

2016-present

M.Div. Graduates



M.A.R. Graduates



YDS fulfills a critical role preparing leaders at a time of dramatic shifts in the global theological landscape. The student body represents cultures, ethnicities, and faith communities from around the world. They are taught by a world-class faculty of scholars and teachers eager to prepare students for the new global century. Our daily ecumenical worship services in Marquand Chapel reflect the great variety of theological and worship traditions represented here.

For more on Yale Divinity School’s mission and history, visit divinity.yale.edu/about-yds



Eboni Marshall Turman
Assistant Professor
*Theology and African
American Religion*



ABOVE: Students study in the Trowbridge Reading Room in the Divinity Library



John Hare
Professor
Philosophical Theology

DEGREE PROGRAMS SNAPSHOT

Master of Divinity (3 years) The degree of Master of Divinity (M.Div.) certifies completion of a program of theological studies designed primarily, although not exclusively, to prepare the candidate for ordination to the Christian ministry.

Master of Arts in Religion (Comprehensive, 2 years) The degree of Master of Arts in Religion (M.A.R.) certifies either completion of a comprehensive program of study in preparation for one of the many forms of lay ministry or service, or completion of one of the concentrated programs of advanced study.

Master of Arts in Religion (Concentrated, 2 years) The concentrated M.A.R. program offers the opportunity to pursue advanced work in one of the disciplines of theological study.

- Asian Religions
- Black Religion in the African Diaspora
- Ethics
- Hebrew Bible
- History of Christianity
- Latinx and Latin American Christianity
- Liturgical Studies
- New Testament
- Philosophical Theology
- Practical Theology
- Religion and Ecology
- Religion and the Arts
- Second Temple Judaism
- Theology
- Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
- World Christianity/Missions

Master of Sacred Theology Graduates of theological schools of recognized standing who have obtained an M.Div. degree may be admitted to a program of studies leading to the Master of Sacred Theology (S.T.M.) degree. YDS also offers an S.T.M. for ministry professionals requiring only one semester in residency.

JOINT DEGREE PROGRAMS

- Religion & Ecology (Yale School of the Environment)
- Religion & Law (Yale Law School)
- Religion & Management (Yale School of Management)
- Religion & Medicine (Yale School of Medicine)
- Religion & Nursing (Yale School of Nursing)
- Religion and Public Health (Yale School of Public Health)
- M.Div./University of Connecticut School of Social Work
- M.Div./Yeshiva University, Wurzweiler School of Social Work, N.Y.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

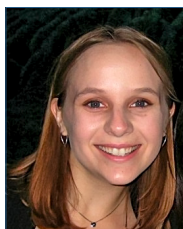
- Westcott House, Cambridge, U.K.
- Baden-Württemberg Exchange, Universities of Heidelberg, Freiburg, Tübingen
- Divinity School of Chung Chi College, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- Trinity Theological College, Singapore

CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

- Black Church Studies
- Catholic Lay Ministerial Studies
- Educational Leadership Ministry Program
- Lutheran Studies
- Reformed Studies
- United Methodist Studies

OTHER PROGRAMS

- Cooperative M.Div. with Hartford Seminary
- Transformational Leadership



Erika Helgen
Associate Professor
*Latin American and
Latinx Christianity*



Almeda Wright
Associate Professor
Religious Education



Bruce Gordon
Professor
Ecclesiastical History



Yii-Jan Lin
Assistant Professor
New Testament



Donyelle McCray
Assistant Professor
Homiletics



Linn Tonsstad
Associate Professor
*Theology, Religion, and
Sexuality*

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Willie Jennings, Associate Professor
of Systematic Theology and Africana Studies



Clifton Granby, Assistant Professor of
Ethics and Philosophy



Joyce Mercer, Professor of Pastoral Care and
Practical Theology

FRONT COVER: Marquand Chapel, the site of
daily ecumenical worship services

APPLICATION DEADLINES

January 15 *Priority application*

February 1 *Standard application*

March 1 *Financial aid application deadline*

March 15 *Decisions release*

April 15 *Student reply deadline*

