



Religion and Philosophy

Why study religion or philosophy at Mount Union?

A diverse and innovative curriculum.
One-on-one personal attention.
Cultural understanding and appreciation.
Flexible skills that translate to many career fields.

Because Mount Union is where *exceptional* begins.

“I chose to major in philosophy because it tackles the big questions in life.”

Dekota Toot '15
Philosophy and psychology major

Proven Success

Employers of Our Religion and Philosophy Alumni
Churches and social service agencies in the U.S. and abroad, Peace Corps

Graduate Schools of Our Religion and Philosophy Alumni
Boston University School of Theology, Case Western Reserve University, Kent State University, Ohio University, Purdue University, Talbot School of Theology, University of Cincinnati, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

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Philosophy

Program | major, minor

Careers | law, medicine, government, business, science, technology

Philosophy is a unique major. It emphasizes skills relative to any field, including logic, creativity and research, and it particularly offers exceptional preparation for further study in law, medicine or business, as well as a host of other fields. Our program provides the fundamentals – the ability to objectively analyze, efficiently organize, competently communicate and thoroughly research. These skills, enhanced by our focus on personal attention from professors trained at world-class colleges and universities, will contribute to your marketability, especially in a day and age when frequent career change is the tendency.

Visit | mountunion.edu/philosophy

Pre-Ministry Studies

Program | pre-professional program, minor

Careers | ministry, service, social work, counseling

Prepare for professional ministry in a variety of contexts including congregational ministry, missionary work and faith-based social service agencies through our pre-professional program in ministry. A well-supervised

internship experience provides the hands-on experience necessary for further personal discernment. You will benefit from the guidance of an advisor who understands denominational requirements and seminary options. This collaborative program not only offers preparation for further study in the ministry, but it is also an exceptional complement to many majors and career fields.

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Religious Studies

Program | major, minor

Careers | government, business, service, law, medicine, ministry

The nature and place of religion in human experience – this is the foundation of our program in religious studies. In wrestling with religion's role in human life, you will examine the scriptural, historical, theological and ethical traditions of the world's religions and grow your understanding of the cultures of the world through knowledge of their spiritual beliefs. A flexible curriculum and the opportunity to pair classroom studies with hands-on experiences through work with churches, service organizations and trips abroad is what makes our program unique.

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Non-Discrimination Statement

The University of Mount Union prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, gender, gender identity or expression, sex, sexual orientation, religion, age, color, creed, national or ethnic origin, veteran status, marital or parental status, pregnancy, disability, or genetic information in student admissions, financial aid, educational or athletic programs, or employment as now or may hereafter be required by university policy and federal or state law. Inquiries regarding compliance may be directed to Pam Newbold, director of human resources and employee development, Beeghly Hall, (330) 829-6560, newbolph@moundunion.edu.

Consumer Information Disclosures

As a prospective student, federal regulations stipulate that you have the opportunity to access various types of consumer information.

If you wish to obtain a copy of the Campus Crime Report, please contact the Office of Admission. This report is published annually and includes information about campus security policies, procedures, and practices; and statistics for the occurrence, during the prior three calendar years,

of criminal offenses that were reported to local police agencies or to a campus security authority.

If you wish to obtain a copy of the Equity in Athletics Disclosure Act Report, please contact the Office of Admission. This report, which contains athletic program participation rates and financial support data, is compiled annually and available to the public.

Higher Education Report Card

The Higher Education Report Card is a federal requirement of Title II for all colleges and universities offering teacher preparation. The University of Mount Union is proud to announce that in the 16th year of reporting, the 2014-2015 academic class of new teachers met the statewide pass rate in the summary total of Ohio Assessment for Educator tests in which the University prepares teachers. This information will continue to serve as a benchmark as the University continues to build upon its rich tradition of preparing new educators.

Accreditations and Affiliations

The University of Mount Union is accredited by the following organizations: the Higher Learning Commission (www.hlcommission.org) as a Degree-Granting Institution; Department of Education of the State of Ohio; University Senate of the United Methodist Church; Ohio Board of Nursing; National Collegiate Athletic Association; Ohio College Association; Ohio Board of Regents (Certificate of Authorization); Ohio Athletic Association; Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Ohio; National Association of Schools of Music; Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant, Inc. (ARC-PA); and National Association of Sport and Physical Education-North American Society for Sport Management (NASPE-NASSM). The athletic training program is approved by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE); Mount Union's teacher education program is approved by the Ohio Department of Education and accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE); and Mount Union's Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry is approved by the American Chemical Society (ACS).