

Saint Vincent Seminary



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Admission Checklist

Master of Arts

The following is a list of documents/requirements which are required before an applicant can be referred to the Admissions Committee. Please keep this list and note when various documents have been sent to the Seminary. Only after all documents have been received and all requirements met, will a student be considered by the Admissions Committee.

Name _____

- _____ Admission Application
- _____ Three letters of recommendation, at least two of which must be from people who know the academic ability of the applicant.
- _____ The score of a recent Graduate Record Examination if requested.
- _____ Official Transcripts
This means official copies of transcripts sent by the College/University directly to the Academic Dean
- _____ Admission Fee (\$34.00)
- _____ Personal Interview

FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

All of the above plus that which is required by the INS and other related requirements:

- _____ Letter of total financial support
- _____ TOEFL score

NOTE: All documents MUST be sent to the ACADEMIC DEAN.

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Application for Admission

(Please Print or Type the Following Information)

Name _____ Sex _____

(First)

(Middle)

(Last)

Age _____ Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Home Telephone No. _____ Social Security No. _____

Party responsible for expenses related to tuition, room and board _____

Please check all that apply.
I wish to apply for the:

Master of Divinity Degree Program

Master of Arts Degree Program

Sacred Scripture

Systematic Theology

Monastic Studies

Ecclesial Ministry

I wish to take courses on a non-degree basis

I wish to take courses on a continuing education basis

I am a: U.S. Citizen Permanent Resident

My country of citizenship is: _____ Visa Status: _____

The information requested below is to comply with the U.S. Department of Education reporting procedures. Strictly voluntary, it will in no way effect consideration of your application. It will be used only for government required statistical data collection.

Please indicate

Hispanic/Latino

Race and ethnicity unknown

Ethnic Background:

American Indian or Alaska Native

Asian

Black/African American (not Hispanic)

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

White (not Hispanic)

Two or more races

Marital Status _____ Religious Preference _____

Please enclose a check for \$34 to cover application fee. M.A. candidates must supply 3 letters of recommendation. Those studying for the Permanent Diaconate must submit a letter of sponsorship from their diocese. All applications should be returned to the Academic Dean at the address on the top of this form.

(Student Signature)

(Date)

Saint Vincent Seminary does not discriminate on the basis of sex, age, race, religion or creed.

Student Information and Publicity Record

Date _____

Name _____
(Title) (First) (Middle) (Last)

Current residence _____ E-mail _____

Father's Name _____
(Please indicate if deceased)

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Mother's Name _____
(Please indicate if deceased)

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Hometown/Diocesan Newspapers _____ City of Publication _____

Note: This form will be used to supply information to your hometown, abbey or diocesan paper on your activities at Saint Vincent Seminary. Examples of publicity include scholarship announcements, graduation announcements and announcements of new and returning students at the start of the school year. If you have any questions about student publicity, please contact the Seminary Public Relations Office at 724-805-2601.

If you DO NOT want publicity, please sign below:
Although I have supplied this information for the record, I request that no information be released for publication.

Name _____ Date _____

Educational Information

High School _____

City _____ State _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Dates attended _____ Date of graduation _____

College _____

City _____ State _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Dates attended _____ Major/Minor _____

Degree _____ Grade Point Average _____

Graduate School _____

Dates attended _____ Major/Minor _____

Degree _____ Grade Point Average _____

(Please attach information regarding all colleges and graduate schools attended.
If there is not enough room on this form you may use an additional sheet.)

(Please have official transcripts forwarded directly to Saint Vincent Seminary, c/o Academic Dean)

Have you ever been dismissed or suspended from any school or college? If yes, please explain.

Have you ever applied to Saint Vincent College or Seminary before? _____ Year _____

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FACT SHEET

Founded in 1846, Saint Vincent Seminary is the fourth oldest Roman Catholic Seminary in the United States.

In 1847 Charles Geyerstanger, O.S.B., was the first priest to be ordained from the Seminary. More than 2,506 diocesan and religious priests have been ordained from Saint Vincent.



The Seminary was officially established August 24, 1855 through an apostolic brief of Pope Pius IX.

On April 18, 1870 the Pennsylvania State Legislature incorporated the school, empowering it to grant degrees.

Since 1873 Saint Vincent Seminary has awarded 1,247 graduate level degrees in theology.

In 1921 Saint Vincent became a charter member of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. Saint Vincent Seminary received full accreditation from the Association and this accreditation has been maintained.

Among its distinguished alumni, there are 21 bishops, archbishops and cardinals and 49 abbots and archabbots.

Saint Vincent Seminary currently serves fifteen dioceses and archdioceses, five Benedictine monasteries, and other religious congregations.

Saint Vincent Seminary became a full member of the Association of Theological Schools in 1983 and this accreditation has been maintained.

During 2009-2010, there are 70 men preparing for the priesthood with a total enrollment of 87 students.



The Seminary has offered the Bachelor of Sacred Theology degree since the Fall Semester, 2000.





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Tuition and Fees 2011-2012

Tuition Full-Time Students (12-19 credits per semester) Flat Rate: \$10,868
Tuition Part-Time Students (per credit under 12 credits) \$722
Room (per semester) \$2,730
Board (per semester) \$2,643

Other Fees

Audit Fee (per credit) \$361
One-Time Non-Refundable Admission Fee \$34
S.T.B. Candidate Degree Fee (per semester) \$149
Transcript of Credits \$5
Fee for Finalizing "G" Grades \$35
Parking and Vehicle Registration \$65
