

UNDERGRADUATE



LIFE PACIFIC
UNIVERSITY

Associate of Arts in **PRACTICAL MINISTRY**



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Associate of Arts in Practical Ministry is a two-year program designed to equip individuals with a strong foundation in biblical knowledge, theology, and hands-on ministry skills. Students grow not only in academic understanding, but also through practical ministry experience, character development, and personal spiritual formation.

This program is ideal for emerging church leaders, volunteers, and those beginning their journey toward pastoral ministry, missions, or continued theological education. Through a balance of general studies, Bible and theology courses, and active service in the local church, students are prepared to communicate the gospel clearly and serve effectively in their communities.

The AA in Practical Ministry provides an accessible entry point into higher education while building confident, healthy, and grounded Christian leaders.

ABOUT LPU

SCHOOL TYPE

Private, four-year, Biblical University

DENOMINATIONAL AFFILIATION

International Church of the
Foursquare Gospel

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Semester

ACCREDITATION

WSCUC & ABHE

COST & AID (2026-27)

APPLICATION FEE

\$0

TUITION

\$160 (unit)

ESTIMATED TUITION

\$ 12,600

*Scholarships & Financial Aid Available

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YEAR ONE

Writing and Composition	3 units	Missions and Evangelism	3 units
Fundamentals of Christian Leadership	3 units	Apologetics	3 units
Fundamental Biblical Doctrines	3 units	Public Communication and Presentations	3 units
Life Design & Discovering your Gifts	3 units	New Testament Overview	4 units
Ministry Culture/Membership	3 units	Old Testament Overview	6 units

Ministerial Formation in Practical Ministry

YEAR TWO

Systematic Theology I	3 units	Systematic Theology II	3 units
Literature	3 units	Working in a Team	3 units
Emotionally Healthy Leader	3 units	Biblical Interpretation and Outline Development	3 units
History of Christianity	3 units	History of Ancient Civilizations	3 units
Introduction to Ethics	3 units	Principles of Economics and Finance	3 units

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