



Resources for faith formation and leadership development

Academic programs

AMBS serves the church as a learning community with an Anabaptist vision, educating followers of Jesus Christ to be leaders for God's reconciling mission in the world. Our programs integrate academics, spiritual formation and practice. Join us — whether in person or at a distance — and deepen your understanding of Scripture, faith and Anabaptist theology!

- **Study at a distance**
 - **Master of Divinity Connect** (online and hybrid courses)
 - **Master of Arts: Theology and Global Anabaptism** (fully online)
 - **Graduate Certificate in Theological Studies** (fully or partially online; customizable)
- **Study on campus**
 - **Master of Divinity Campus**
 - **Master of Arts in Christian Formation**
 - **Master of Arts: Theology and Peace Studies**
 - **Graduate Certificate in Theological Studies**
ambs.edu/academics
- **Financial aid:** AMBS offers generous need-based financial aid, grants and scholarships to help make your education affordable. ambs.edu/financialaid
- **Want to explore seminary study?** Take an online, campus or hybrid class, even if you're not yet admitted to AMBS, and your first class is 50 percent off! Check out our upcoming offerings: ambs.edu/onecourse
- **Experience AMBS:** Visit our campus to learn more about all that AMBS has to offer. ambs.edu/visit

Lifelong learning

AMBS's Church Leadership Center offers various non-degree options for you to continue your education and strengthen your leadership skills:

- **Online short courses:** Join the forum discussions in these annual six-week online courses and dig into Anabaptist history, thought and witness. No grades, no papers!
 - Exploring Anabaptist History and Theology
 - Exploring Peace and Justice in the Bible
 - Understanding Anabaptist Approaches to Scripture
 - Transforming Congregational Conflict and Communicationambs.edu/shortcourses

AMBS students from IMMC

- Belmont: Rodney Deaton, Marisa Smucker
- Berkey Ave: Elisabeth Barahona, Jacob Curtis, Stephanie Wieand
- College: Madeline Maldonado, Karen Martinez, Luis Tapia, Talashia Keim Yoder
- Fellowship of Hope: Salomé Haldemann, Andrew Hudson, Rianna Isaak-Krauss
- Kern Rd: Jen Shenk, Cathy Stoner
- North Goshen: Becky Helmuth
- Prairie St: Esther Muhagachi
- Sunnyside: Amy Kratzer, Yeshie Muleta

Journey participants/mentors from IMMC

- Kern Rd: Merv Reist/Harold Yoder
- Prairie St: Ellen Morey/Eleanor Kreider

AMBS statistics (2019–20)

- Graduate students: 58 U.S., eight Canadian and 22 international
- Journey: 24 participants are enrolled in Canada, Southeast Asia, Tanzania and the U.S.

- **Pastors and Leaders 2021** (March 1–4)
- **Leadership Clinics** (March 1, 2021)
ambs.edu/pastorsandleaders
- **Journey: A Missional Leadership Development Program:** This three-year nondegree program offers mentor-mentee partnerships, distance-learning opportunities and community support.
ambs.edu/journey
- **Invite AMBS!** Faculty and staff are available to come to you and speak on a variety of topics, including intercultural competence and undoing racism, Reading the Bible with Jesus workshops, improvisational leadership, healthy boundaries and more. ambs.edu/invite
- **Spiritual Direction Seminars:** Cultivate your ministry of spiritual direction through this supervised program. ambs.edu/seminars
- **!Explore: A Theological Program for High School Youth:** Students can explore ministry and develop their leadership gifts in this annual summer program. Tap a shoulder! ambs.edu/explore