UNDERGRADUATE COURSE DESCRIPTION

Term: Fall 2015
Instructor: Dr. Joseph Ogbonnaya
Course #: THEO 1001
Sections: 119, 121
Course Title: INTRODUCTION TO THEOLOGY

Description:

The growth Christianity in non-Western contexts showcases the diversity of cultural forms with which people appropriate the Christian faith. For this reason it becomes imperative to pay attention to the cultural pluralism embedded within Christian faith, doctrine and traditions. This course introduces theology in the light of plurality of cultural forms. Using reflections drawn from Chinua Achebe’s novel Things Fall Apart, and diverse theological viewpoints, central themes of Christian faith is presented from the perspective of African, Eurocentric and North American cross-cultural perspectives. Methodologically, the course is purely discussion based and student’s active participation is required.