UNDERGRADUATE COURSE DESCRIPTION

Term: Spring 2017
Instructor: Dr. Joseph Ogbonnaya
Course #: THEO 1001
Section: 123
Course Title: Introduction to Theology
Topic: Cross-cultural perspective

Description:

Theology as faith activity reflects on common grounds of human existence: meanings, truths, and values, uncovering the universal in the particular that provides unity and intelligibility to life through its transcendental analysis. It permeates different aspects of human existence as it remains relevant for the understanding of the social history of various Christian epochs. In the light of revelation contained in the Scripture and explicated in the Sacred Tradition, this course introduces Christian theology from cross-cultural perspective. It explores the theology in the now generally understood Christian, modern, post-Christian era with strong emphasis on the role of culture and history. Themes to be covered include: the Old and the New Testament of the Bible; the Book of Revelation to the Reformation; Religion, Science and the age of Reason; Contemporary Theology; Liberation, Development and Social Doctrine of the Church, etc.