



The General Conference Session:
A Unique Event

The 62nd General Conference Session will take place July 3–12, 2025, in St. Louis, Missouri. Held every five years, this gathering will welcome 2,800 delegates and more than 60,000 attendees from across the globe. Over ten days, participants will engage in inspiring worship, fellowship, and an unforgettable celebration of mission and ministry.

Why is this event so significant?

- 1. **Global Decision-Making.** Delegates will vote on major church matters, including policy and the election of leaders for the General Conference and its 13 world divisions.
- 2. **Worldwide Unity.** This is a rare opportunity to come together as a global Adventist family, representing more than 200 countries, all under one roof.
- 3. **Ministry Showcase.** Attendees can reconnect with friends and colleagues, while exploring hundreds of interactive booths and exhibits highlighting the diversity and impact of Adventist ministries around the world.
- 4. **Spiritual Enrichment.** Be moved by powerful sermons, uplifting music, informative seminars, and the vibrant Parade of Nations, celebrating global cultures, mission stories, and church growth.

Make plans to attend to be inspired and reconnected. Do stop by the Andrews University booth, where the Seminary will be proudly represented.

--Fernando Ortiz, DMin

IMPORTANT DATES

JUN 9	Term 2: Registration- Classes Begin
JUN 19	Juneteenth Holiday No Classes
JULY 3	Last day of classes for Term 2
JULY 3-12	62 nd General Conference of SDA Session; St. Louis, Missouri

[View the full Important Dates Calendar here.](#)

MDIV INSTAGRAM!

HEY you! The MDiv program has an Instagram. Give it a follow at @andrews_mddiv to see fun videos and photos of life here at the MDiv program. Better yet, share the profile with some friends and get them to follow it!
https://www.instagram.com/andrews_mddiv/

Hebrew Placement Examinations

All present or prospective students wanting to meet the Hebrew Language requirements at the SDA Theological Seminary at Andrews University without taking a class can do so by signing up for the Hebrew Placement Exam. The exam is called “placement” exam because the results will determine whether you have passed all Hebrew language requirements or are placed into an OTST551 (Hebrew I) or OTST552 (Hebrew II) course. For additional information and to register to take an exam, use the following QR code:



or go to—

https://learner.bible/help/show_help/AU_qualifier_hebrew.

New Students

Welcome to all new students joining the Master of Divinity program here at the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary at Andrews University.

We are delighted that you are here- whether in-person or online, be it synchronously or asynchronously, we keep you in our prayers as you embark on this journey, to self-discovery, learning more about God, and impacting the world.

Welcome to the place where we become **World Changers!**

Welcome to all new students who have been registered and are enjoying our classes.



Congratulations to our 2025 MDiv Graduates!

As we welcome our new students, we pause to say bon voyage to our recent graduates. We pray for God's direction on their new journey!



GRADUATE ASSISTANT POSITION AVAILABLE Join the MDiv Office Team | 15–20 Hours/Week

The MDiv Office is seeking a dependable and motivated Graduate Assistant to support our team for up to 20 hours per week.

We're looking for someone who:

- Is new to the seminary or currently in their first year of studies
- Lives in the Berrien Springs area
- Communicates fluently in English, both written and spoken
- Is organized, detail-oriented, and has strong people skills
- Is comfortable using computers, especially Excel and Google Sheets

If this sounds like you, we'd love to hear from you!

To apply, please send your resume to Dr. Ortiz at:

ortizl@andrews.edu

Malawi for Christ, 2025

With over 24 sites, students and faculty were engaged in an evangelistic series in Lilongwe, Malawi in collaboration with the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.



GENERAL MDIV

2025-2026 COURSE SCHEDULES

Use these schedules for reference for Summer Session semesters. Fall schedule is currently being worked on, you can view the pending schedule below. You can meet with Keila or Mona to plan a full year of registration in your checksheet.

Summer 2025 Schedule

Fall 2025 Schedule

NEED ADVISING HELP?

First-year students, write to Keila:
mdivadmissions@andrews.edu

Those beyond first year, write to Mona:
mdiv@andrews.edu

To schedule an advising appointment, use [this link.](#)

THE MDIV TEAM

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Monday-Thursday:
10am-12pm, 2pm-5pm
Friday:
9am-12pm