Nebraska Wesleyan University

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Course:

RELIG 4260 Christian Theology from the Enlightenment to the Mid-Twentieth Century

3 hours

Majors, Minors & Degrees:

Majors

Philosophy and Religion (B.A.)

Minors

Philosophy and Religion

Departments/Programs:

Philosophy and Religion

This course examines the beginnings of modern theological reflection, following the Reformation, and moves forward, following historical developments in Christian theology, into the first half of the twentieth century. The impact of the Enlightenment on theology characterizes the first third of the course. The rise of nineteenth century liberal theology and varied responses to it characterize the second, while the last third of the course takes up neo-orthodoxy, process, and secular theologies.