

*The John Leland Center for Theological Studies, Main Campus
Columbia Baptist Church, 103 W Columbia St., Falls Church, VA 22046*

**Theology of Reformations:
Historical Theology III**
HC 3113

Time: Fall, 2009; Thursdays 6:15PM-7.50PM

Credit: 2 credit hours

Instructor:

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Prerequisites: Introduction to Theological Studies, Global Church History, HT I & II

A Description and the Goal of the Course:

This course is an investigation of the main theological issues, theologians, and religious movements from the Catholic Reformation to the Baptist movement, from 16th to 17th century. It focuses on the main theological topics of the period, such as ecclesiology, soteriology, sacraments; on movements, such as Lutheranism and Puritanism; and on confessions, such as, *Schleitheim Articles* and *Westminster Confession*.

Required Texts:

Lindberg, C. *The European Reformations*. London: Blackwell, 1996.

Luther's Small Catechism. Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2001.

A file with primary sources on RESERVE.

Course Requirements:

1. Two exams (multiple choice, short answer, "matching").
2. A 10-page research paper on a selected primary text.