GRADUATE COURSE DESCRIPTION

Term: Fall 2010
Instructor: Ralph Del Colle
Course #: THEO 8517
Course Title: Christology

Content:

This course is an investigation of systematic Christology. After an initial examination of the quest for the historical Jesus and its relevance for Christology we shall concentrate on the Christology of Chalcedon and its implications for understanding the nature of the hypostatic union including iterations within the tradition. We shall then query contemporary issues in Christology including contextuality and soteriology.

Format:

Seminar approach. Initial lectures by Professor and student presentations with discussion.

Assignments and/or Examinations:

- A series of 2-3 presentations and 20 page term paper

Language Pre-requisites:

- Area Requirements are helpful (German, French and Latin) but assigned texts will be in English