

# Postgraduate Certificate

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- » Modality: online
- » Duration: 6 weeks
- » Certificate: TECH Technological University
- » Dedication: 16h/week
- » Schedule: at your own pace
- » Exams: online

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# 01

# Introduction

The Bible represents for Christians the Holy Scriptures. It is considered a manual of faith and worship for anyone who professes the Catholic religion. To avoid misinterpretations in its reading, it is essential to take into account its historical and current context. Thanks to this program, the teachers will be able to learn how to interpret the Bible in the correct way in order to show it to their students. This comprehensive program covers the history of the Bible, its structure, integrity and archaeology, among others. In this way, at the end of the program, the graduates will have obtained optimal knowledge that they will be able to pass on to their own students. In addition, this program is taught 100% online and through an educational experience that will allow you to access the information at any time and from anywhere, using a mobile device with an Internet connection.



*Genesis*

*beginning*

*In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. <sup>2</sup>Now the earth was<sup>a</sup> formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.*

*<sup>3</sup>And God said, "Let there*

*"seas." And God saw that it was good.*

*<sup>11</sup>Then God said, "Let the earth produce vegetation: seed-bearing plants and trees on the land that bear fruit with seed in it, and let them be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth."*



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*The Bible is the most read and least understood book in the history of literature, thanks to this Postgraduate Certificate, you can make a difference in its teaching"*

In a world where Catholic Education is a fundamental requirement of education due to the high demand of students who request it, it is indispensable to receive an efficient instruction such as the one offered by this program. Every word written in the Bible was inspired by God. Hence the fundamental importance of instilling respect and truthfulness in the transmission of his word. A correct interpretation of it is essential for this purpose. This Postgraduate Certificate was created to train the professionals by providing them with the specific knowledge to correctly decipher the Holy Scriptures. Being a teacher of Catholic Religion implies a specific preparation, since mere knowledge or belief is not enough. It entails a great responsibility, since it depends on the teachers to transmit to their students not only the faith, but also the critical capacity to evaluate and interpret the word that has been inspired by the Lord.

Therefore, the teachers require a constant improvement of their competencies and skills, which they will obtain through a complete education with theoretical and audiovisual content, such as the one offered by this program. You will be able to consolidate the concepts, as well as the way in which they can be disseminated or greater transcendence. The syllabus selected by TECH includes high-quality multimedia materials that cover both the historical context of the Bible and the modern educational approach to its teaching. Therefore, this program is the best investment for teachers who want to optimize their results as teachers and in this way specialize in an area as vocational as it is intellectual. The theoretical set presented, added to an eminently practical vision, will give the educators the necessary impulse to position themselves in prestigious positions, contributing to their professional improvement and elevating their abilities to the highest level.

Accordingly, TECH has designed this Postgraduate Certificate with an effective, simple and efficient methodology that leads the graduate to specialize and become an elite professional in Catholic Education through the latest educational technology 100% online. In addition, it has enriched all its contents with the most complete and up-to-date information in order to deepen and broaden the knowledge of the graduate who chooses this program along a didactic, entertaining and empowering path.

This **Postgraduate Certificate in The Bible and Its Context** contains the most complete and up-to-date educational program on the market. Its most notable features are:

- ♦ The development of case studies presented by experts in the Bible and its Context
- ♦ The graphic, schematic, and practical contents with which they are created, provide practical information on the disciplines that are essential for professional practice
- ♦ Practical exercises where the self-assessment process can be carried out to improve learning
- ♦ Its special emphasis on innovative methodologies
- ♦ Theoretical lessons, questions to the expert, debate forums on controversial topics, and individual reflection work
- ♦ Content that is accessible from any fixed or portable device with an Internet connection



*The Postgraduate Certificate in The Bible and Its Context offers the most complete program on the market that will help you grow personally and professionally"*

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*With this program you will gain the security of an expert and the knowledge of a scholar in The Bible and Its Context. Don't miss this unique opportunity to achieve your goals"*

The program's teaching staff includes professionals from the sector who contribute their work experience to this educational program, as well as renowned specialists from leading societies and prestigious universities.

Its multimedia content, developed with the latest educational technology, will allow the professional a situated and contextual learning, that is, a simulated environment that will provide an immersive training programmed to train in real situations.

The design of this program focuses on Problem-Based Learning, in which the professional will have to try to solve the different professional practice situations that will arise throughout the academic course. This will be done with the help of an innovative system of interactive videos made by renowned experts.

*Strengthen your knowledge and acquire an in-depth update to become the professional expert you have always wanted to be.*

*Invest only 150 hours of your time and obtain the skills of a specialist thanks to this Postgraduate Certificate.*



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# Objectives

This Postgraduate Certificate is designed for teachers who seek to understand in depth how the Bible was written, analyzing its origin, development and cultural context. In this way, the student will acquire cross-cutting skills and specific competencies even before the end of the program. In this way, and after successfully completing the program, the graduates will be able to present the keys to an excellent reading and understanding of the Bible, as well as to guide their students in the study of the Bible.





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*Having the most complete information on the market on the Bible and its Context throughout history gives you an unparalleled advantage when it comes to becoming a high-level teacher"*



### General Objective

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- To delve into the field of teaching Catholic religion, in order to achieve educational and teaching skills in the religion classroom in the different school cycles



*Exceptional professionals can only be achieved through elite education. Don't think twice and opt for a program that exceeds your expectations"*





## Specific Objectives

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- Knowing the Bible
- Addressing the cultural and religious influence of the Bible
- Understand the value of the Bible as a literary work
- Understand and know the influence of cultures in the configuration of the Bible
- Understand biblical thought
- Analyze historical contexts

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## Structure and Content

During the didactic program offered by this Postgraduate Certificate, the student will learn with a theoretical-practical approach. In this way, you will find in the virtual classroom multimedia resources, case studies, simulated scenarios, motivational videos and a wealth of valuable information that will give you unique skills in Bible knowledge. For this reason, TECH has designed a highly capacitating program thanks to which graduates will be able to enhance their teaching skills and update their knowledge in the deep domain of biblical interpretation in Christianity. All of this, 100% online and over 6 weeks.





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*With TECH's innovative Relearning methodology, the graduate will not have to invest extra hours in memorizing, but will learn naturally and progressively"*

## Module 1. The Bible and Its Context

- 1.1. History
  - 1.1.1. Writing of the Bible
  - 1.1.2. Constitution of the Bible
  - 1.1.3. What is the Bible for Christians?
  - 1.1.4. Old and New Testament
- 1.2. Structure
  - 1.2.1. Parts of the Bible
  - 1.2.2. The Hebrew Bible
  - 1.2.3. The Jewish Bible
  - 1.2.4. The Christian Bible
- 1.3. Biblical Canons
  - 1.3.1. What Does Canon Mean?
  - 1.3.2. Books that Compose the Bible
- 1.4. The Christian Bible in History
  - 1.4.1. The Judaism of the Second Temple. Galilee and Judea
  - 1.4.2. The Historical Figure of Jesus in the Judaism of the Second Temple
  - 1.4.3. The Literary Impact on the First Generation
  - 1.4.4. The Literary Impact on the Second Generation
- 1.5. Integrity of the Bible
  - 1.5.1. The Nicene Creed
  - 1.5.2. Findings that Reject the Idea that the Bible has Not Undergone Changes
- 1.6. Archaeology
  - 1.6.1. What is Biblical Archaeology?
  - 1.6.2. The Historical Testimony
  - 1.6.3. Events Corroborated by Archaeology
- 1.7. Biblical Criticism
  - 1.7.1. What is Biblical Criticism?
  - 1.7.2. Criticism of the Old Testament
  - 1.7.3. New Testament Criticism
  - 1.7.4. The Synoptic Gospels
  - 1.7.5. The Critical Movement within the Church
  - 1.7.6. The Reaction Against Criticism





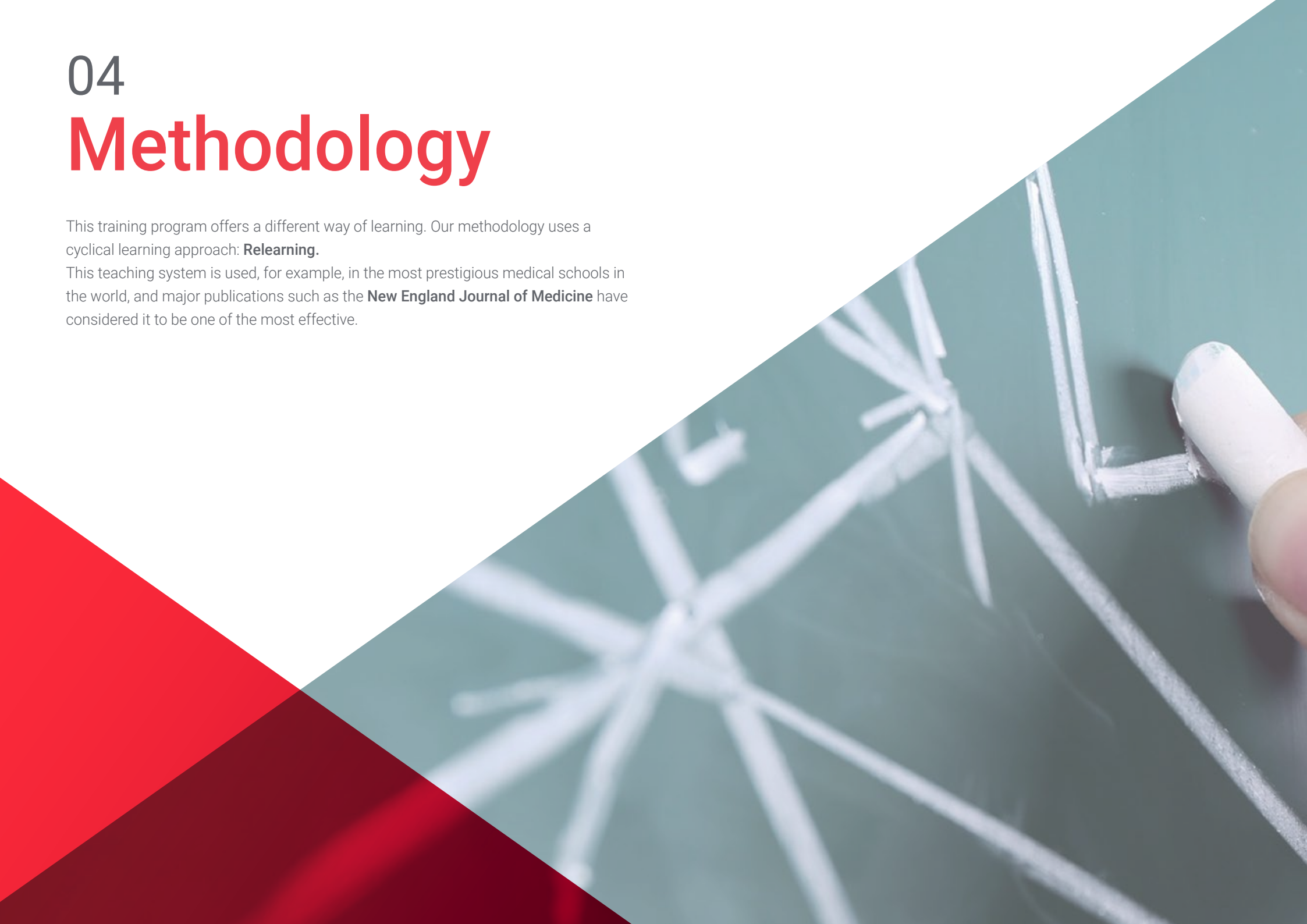
- 1.8. The Bible and the Different Languages
  - 1.8.1. The Hebrew Bible
  - 1.8.2. The Greek Bible
  - 1.8.3. The Latin Bible
  - 1.8.4. Translations of the Bible
- 1.9. The Bible in Today's Cultures
  - 1.9.1. The Meanings of the Bible. The Biblical Interpretation in the Christianity of the Antiquity
  - 1.9.2. Uses and Abuses of the Biblical Interpretation Until the. Century. 19th Century
  - 1.9.3. Theory of the Reading and the Meaning of the Texts (Semiotic Analysis and Interpretation of the Bible)
  - 1.9.4. Meaning and Truth of the Biblical Text
  - 1.9.5. Symbolic Hermeneutics and the Bible: Universal Symbols and Archetypes in the Biblical Texts
  - 1.9.6. The Survival of the Bible in Western culture
  - 1.9.7. The Bible in Literature and The Bible in the Cinema
- 1.10. The Land of the Bible
  - 1.10.1. Fundamental Features of the Physical Geography of the Syro-Palestinian Region
  - 1.10.2. Fundamental Features of the Human Geography of the Area in the Different Historical Periods
  - 1.10.3. History of the Archaeological Discipline of the Region
  - 1.10.4. Main Archaeological Sites and their Contribution to the History of the Region as a Contextual Framework for the Understanding of the Biblical Text
  - 1.10.5. Travel and Pilgrimage in Antiquity. Ancient Testimonies of Early Travelers and Other Authors

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# Methodology

This training program offers a different way of learning. Our methodology uses a cyclical learning approach: **Relearning**.

This teaching system is used, for example, in the most prestigious medical schools in the world, and major publications such as the **New England Journal of Medicine** have considered it to be one of the most effective.







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*Discover Relearning, a system that abandons conventional linear learning, to take you through cyclical teaching systems: a way of learning that has proven to be extremely effective, especially in subjects that require memorization"*

## At TECH Education School we use the Case Method

In a given situation, what should a professional do? Throughout the program students will be presented with multiple simulated cases based on real situations, where they will have to investigate, establish hypotheses and, finally, resolve the situation. There is an abundance of scientific evidence on the effectiveness of the method.

*With TECH, educators can experience a learning methodology that is shaking the foundations of traditional universities around the world.*



*It is a technique that develops critical skills and prepares educators to make decisions, defend their arguments, and contrast opinions.*

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*Did you know that this method was developed in 1912, at Harvard, for law students? The case method consisted of presenting students with real-life, complex situations for them to make decisions and justify their decisions on how to solve them. In 1924, Harvard adopted it as a standard teaching method”*

The effectiveness of the method is justified by four fundamental achievements:

1. Educators who follow this method not only grasp concepts, but also develop their mental capacity, by evaluating real situations and applying their knowledge.
2. The learning process is solidly focused on practical skills that allow educators to better integrate the knowledge into daily practice.
3. Ideas and concepts are understood more efficiently, given that the example situations are based on real-life teaching.
4. Students like to feel that the effort they put into their studies is worthwhile. This then translates into a greater interest in learning and more time dedicated to working on the course.



## Relearning Methodology

At TECH we enhance the case method with the best 100% online teaching methodology available: Relearning.

Our University is the first in the world to combine case studies with a 100% online learning system based on repetition, combining a minimum of 8 different elements in each lesson, which represent a real revolution with respect to simply studying and analyzing cases.



*Educators will learn through real cases and by solving complex situations in simulated learning environments. These simulations are developed using state-of-the-art software to facilitate immersive learning.*

At the forefront of world teaching, the Relearning method has managed to improve the overall satisfaction levels of professionals who complete their studies, with respect to the quality indicators of the best online university (Columbia University).

With this methodology we have trained more than 85,000 educators with unprecedented success in all specialties. All this in a highly demanding environment, where the students have a strong socio-economic profile and an average age of 43.5 years.

*Relearning will allow you to learn with less effort and better performance, involving you more in your specialization, developing a critical mindset, defending arguments, and contrasting opinions: a direct equation to success.*

In our program, learning is not a linear process, but rather a spiral (learn, unlearn, forget, and re-learn). Therefore, we combine each of these elements concentrically.

The overall score obtained by our learning system is 8.01, according to the highest international standards.



This program offers the best educational material, prepared with professionals in mind:



#### Study Material

All teaching material is produced by the specialist educators who teach the course, specifically for the course, so that the teaching content is really specific and precise.

These contents are then applied to the audiovisual format, to create the TECH online working method. All this, with the latest techniques that offer high quality pieces in each and every one of the materials that are made available to the student.



#### Educational Techniques and Procedures on Video

TECH introduces students to the latest techniques, with the latest educational advances, and to the forefront of Education. All this, first-hand, with the maximum rigor, explained and detailed for your assimilation and understanding. And best of all, you can watch them as many times as you want.



#### Interactive Summaries

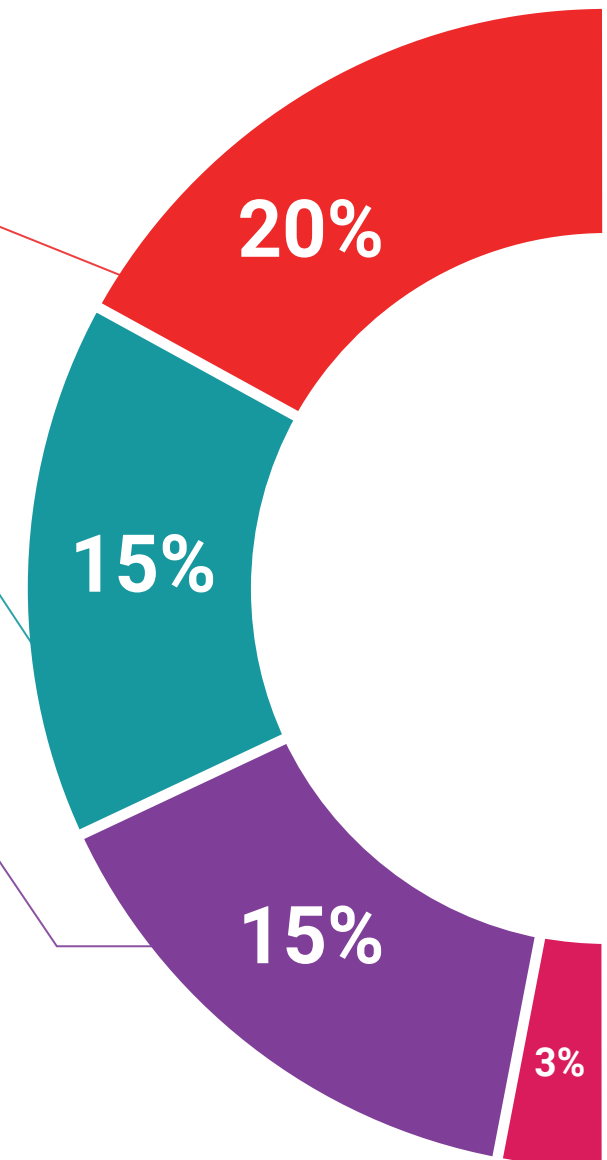
The TECH team presents the contents attractively and dynamically in multimedia lessons that include audio, videos, images, diagrams, and concept maps in order to reinforce knowledge.

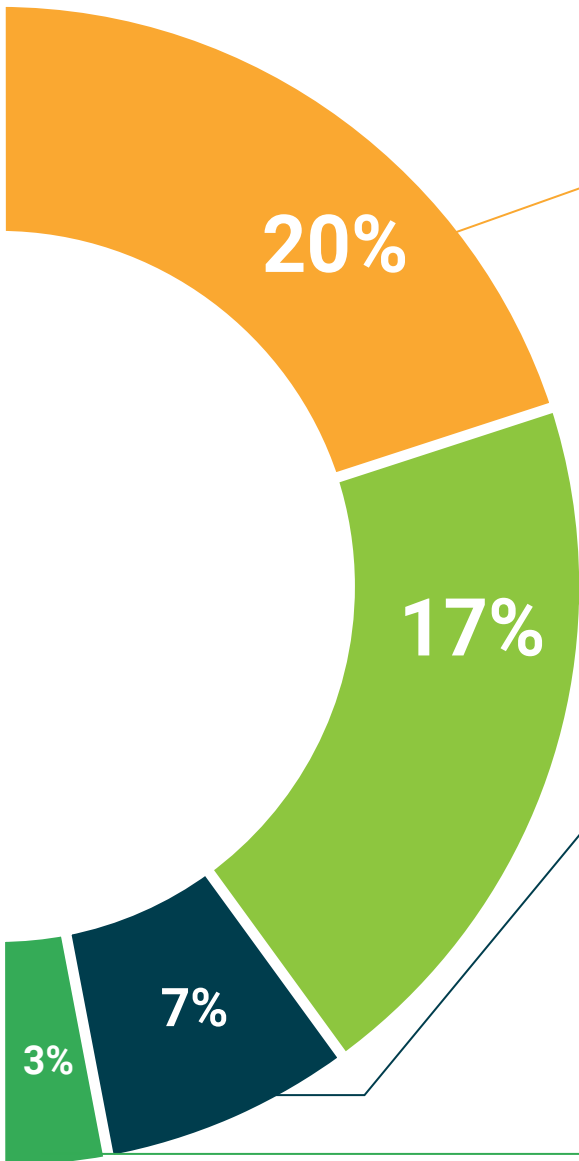
This exclusive multimedia content presentation training Exclusive system was awarded by Microsoft as a "European Success Story".



#### Additional Reading

Recent articles, consensus documents and international guidelines, among others. In TECH's virtual library, students will have access to everything they need to complete their course.





**Expert-Led Case Studies and Case Analysis**

Effective learning ought to be contextual. Therefore, TECH presents real cases in which the expert will guide students, focusing on and solving the different situations: a clear and direct way to achieve the highest degree of understanding.



**Testing & Retesting**

We periodically evaluate and re-evaluate students' knowledge throughout the program, through assessment and self-assessment activities and exercises: so that they can see how they are achieving your goals.



**Classes**

There is scientific evidence suggesting that observing third-party experts can be useful.  
Learning from an Expert strengthens knowledge and memory, and generates confidence in future difficult decisions.



**Quick Action Guides**

TECH offers the most relevant contents of the course in the form of worksheets or quick action guides. A synthetic, practical, and effective way to help students progress in their learning.



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# Certificate

The Postgraduate Certificate in The Bible and Its Context guarantees students, in addition to the most rigorous and up-to-date education, access to a Postgraduate Certificate issued by TECH Technological University.





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*Successfully complete this program and receive your university qualification without having to travel or fill out laborious paperwork”*

This **Postgraduate Certificate in The Bible and Its Context** contains the most complete and up-to-date educational program on the market.

After the student has passed the assessments, they will receive their corresponding **Postgraduate Certificate** issued by **TECH Technological University** via tracked delivery\*.

The diploma issued by **TECH Technological University** will reflect the qualification obtained in the Postgraduate Certificate, and meets the requirements commonly demanded by labor exchanges, competitive examinations, and professional career evaluation committees.

Title: **Postgraduate Certificate in The Bible and Its Context**

Official N° of Hours: **150 h.**



\*Apostille Convention. In the event that the student wishes to have their paper diploma issued with an apostille, TECH EDUCATION will make the necessary arrangements to obtain it, at an additional cost.



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