University of Notre Dame Department of Theology has been accredited by the Commission on Accreditation (COA) of The Association of Theological Schools since 1977. The school’s accreditation was last reaffirmed in February 2014, based on an institutional self-study report and an onsite evaluation visit by a committee of peer and public reviewers. The school’s next comprehensive evaluation visit will be in fall 2023, followed by a COA review for reaffirmation of accreditation in February 2024. The school’s current period of accreditation expires March 31, 2024.

The school’s current status of “Accredited in Good Standing” means the school meets all applicable COA Standards of Accreditation. The school demonstrates educational quality and financial stability and provides evidence that its student learning outcomes are appropriate, rigorous, and being achieved. The school has no public sanctions (notation/warning, probation, or show cause).

The school is approved to offer the following degree(s): MA, MDiv, MTS, PhD

The school is approved for comprehensive distance (online) education: Yes

The school is approved for the following additional location(s): None