



Step Forward >>>

If you have some college experience or no college experience, the Geneva College Adult Degree Programs can help you complete an associate or a bachelor's degree in a classroom or online.

Explore the possibilities and learn more about the program that interests you. Visit our website to find the locations and times of our information meetings, or call 800.576.3111 to set up a personal visit with an enrollment counselor.

Geneva.edu/adult-degree/adp_informationsessions

ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

\$3,300

for ADP alumni who apply for an upcoming M.S. in Leadership class

The Master's in Leadership program has a special offer for Adult Degree Programs alumni! Apply for the upcoming M.S. in Leadership class start and receive a special tuition scholarship in the amount of \$3,300.

Why choose a Geneva Master's in Leadership degree program? Students experience positive changes in perspectives, attitudes and even behaviors regarding their roles as leaders. And understanding the challenges that face today's adults, Geneva College offers the Master's of Leadership Studies program online. Now with frequent class start dates and the Adult Degree Programs Alumni Scholarship, there has never been a better time to get your master's degree. Sign up now—you may find it to be a transformative experience!

For more information and class start dates on the Master's in Leadership degree, contact a graduate program enrollment representative at 800.576.3111.

GENEVA COLLEGE ADULT DEGREE PROGRAMS

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SUMMER 2016



Upcoming Class Starts

ONLINE

Aging Services **NEW!**
Public Relations **NEW!**
Organizational Leadership
Management
Human Resources
Child & Family Services

Online August 22, 2016
Online October 17, 2016

CLASSROOM

Human Services
Pittsburgh August 25, 2016
Beaver Falls January 11, 2017

Christian Ministry Leadership
Pittsburgh January 10, 2016

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Jason Beattie experienced something that hardened his resolve. "At one point in my professional career, I found myself battling for a promotion. While I was in a final interview with a top executive, she shared that she thought I would be better for the position, but the competition that I was up against had a degree and she had no

choice but to award the new position to the other individual instead," Jason recalls.

"I vowed to never let this happen again, and called Geneva the next day."

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Rewarding

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

To help adults who are seeking an accredited bachelor's degree, Geneva is offering Step Forward and Phi Theta Kappa scholarships of up to \$3,000 off the total cost of tuition for any major, either classroom-based or fully online.

The Step Forward and Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) scholarship awarded at a rate of up to \$1,000 per term (for up to three semesters or terms), provide additional financial assistance for adult students. Students must have a transfer GPA of at least 3.25 to be eligible to receive either scholarship for the first term of the degree program major.

Phi Theta Kappa membership is an additional requirement for the PTK scholarship. To renew the scholarship for a maximum of three terms, students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.2 and be enrolled in at least 12 credits.

Additional financial aid is available to many students enrolling in the Adult Degree Programs. Be sure to speak to your enrollment counselor to understand the various loans, grants and scholarships available. If you are a service member or eligible for tuition reimbursement from your employer, let your enrollment counselor know to ensure the best possible financial aid.

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PAVING THE ROAD TO SUCCESS

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Jason Beattie '16

Geneva College's Adult Degree Programs had already drawn his attention. The convenient online format and the strong focus on faith-based learning made it the easy choice when considering how to complete his degree. And the program exceeded his expectations! "I am forever changed in the most magnificent way, and I feel like I received two degrees for the price of one. Personally enriched and academically fortified—there is nothing that can stop me now!"

He chose the Organizational Leadership degree because he was looking for a business degree that was broad enough to keep career options open and varied, yet specific enough to match and complement his work experience. "I use what I have learned daily as I am reminded that we are agents of change who are equipped to go out and make the world a better place. I have enriched my family through the faith that I continue to instill, and I have enhanced the professional contributions I make for the organization with which I work."

Jason was able to focus not only on his education and his career, but also his marriage and raising his toddler. He managed it all and even earned a spot on the coveted Dean's List. "I share this because I want to remind those who may be hesitant that no matter what the circumstance, they, too, can achieve their dreams. Once the short journey is complete, you are paving the road to success for a lifetime!"

NEW ONLINE MBA PROGRAM

Geneva College is now accepting applications for its newly redesigned Online MBA program. Classes for the new fully online program start in the fall term that begins during the week of October 3, 2016.

Students in Geneva's Online MBA program receive an excellent business education integrated with Christian values for which the school is known. Whether students select the classroom or new fully online program, an MBA from Geneva can help students fulfill their educational, career and spiritual goals.

Geneva's academically qualified and professionally experienced faculty teach online and classroom students to integrate faith and work. Professors also use a "learn it tonight, use it tomorrow" perspective so that students can immediately apply course concepts in their work environments.

Online MBA courses are offered in five, nine-week terms each calendar year.

Working adults can complete a 36-credit general MBA in under two-and-a-half years by enrolling in one course per term. Or they can finish in just over a year by taking two classes per term.

Plus, students are able to complete weekly coursework according to individual schedules through the convenient online format.

All Geneva business programs are regionally accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education and nationally accredited by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP). The ACBSP recognizes teaching excellence in business education.

To learn more about the Geneva College Online MBA, or Classroom MBA, visit www.geneva.edu/mba. Or contact graduate program enrollment representatives at 800.576.3111 or mbaonline@geneva.edu.

Bible Challenge Exams

For prospective and current Adult Degree Programs students.

Biblical Introduction I Old Testament
Biblical Introduction II New Testament

Courses fulfill core requirements for Christian ministry leadership majors, and elective requirements for human resources, management, organizational leadership, child and family services, aging services, public relations and human services. Earn three semester hours for each exam.

BEAVER FALLS

Saturday, September 10, 2016

Saturday, January 14, 2017

PITTSBURGH

Saturday, June 25, 2016

Saturday, November 5, 2016

Saturday, March 11, 2017

Advance registration required. Call for details and study guide.

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A Word from the Dean



Niccolo Machiavelli wrote, "There is nothing more difficult to take in hand, more perilous to conduct, or more uncertain in its success, than to take the lead in the introduction of a new order of things" (*The Prince*; 1532). That sentiment is never truer than when describing the work happening in this department. Over the past three years, there has been considerable change that has occurred as we have transitioned to online and created a new fully online graduate program. And with President-Elect Dr. Calvin Troup arriving soon, more change is due to come.

It is my hope these changes will be beneficial to you, the student, providing you with more degree options, or ways to get your degree, and exciting graduate degree options for continuing your education.

John Gallo, Dean of Graduate, Adult and Online Programs

In addition to the fully online Master's in Leadership Studies degree, the department has added the fully online MBA program, which will be launched October 2016. In doing so, the college Administration changed its name to the *Department of Professional and Online Graduate Studies* to house all existing — and future — fully online graduate degrees alongside our thriving Adult Degree Programs. Over the next few years, we hope to increase our online offerings to provide you with up to 10 bachelor's degree options.

And we are not done!

The department has added an Associate Degree in General Studies, a fully online minor in Christian Ministry Leadership, and we plan to launch two new fully online Adult Degree Programs majors this August—a bachelor's degree in Public Relations and a bachelor's degree in Aging Services. This would bring our slate of fully online majors to

six, with Human Resources, Organizational Leadership, Management, Child & Family Services, and the new Public Relations and Aging Services. Coupled with our classroom majors of Human Services and Christian Ministry Leadership, there are now more majors in Adult Degree Programs than at any time in its 28-year history!

The bottom line is there's never been a better time to go back to school and get an associate degree, a bachelor's degree, a minor with your bachelor's degree, or a master's degree from Geneva College. And with our fully online programs, you can do so without ever leaving your own home! Finally, all of this is grounded with a biblically based curriculum that recognizes the role that God plays in our lives today and in today's corporations and businesses. Spring is a great time to plant new flowers or the seeds of a new career. Consider doing both!

Core and Elective Courses

Summer 2016 Course Schedule

Busy adults can earn core and elective credits before enrolling in a major or after completing a major. For course descriptions or to register, visit Geneva.edu/adult-degree/core.

FULLY ONLINE

JUNE 1- JULY 29

JUNE 6 - JULY 29

SUCCESS STRATEGIES FOR THE ADULT LEARNER

3 elective credits

CLASSICAL & CHRISTIAN CULTURES

3 humanities core or elective credits

INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY

3 social science core or elective credits

EARTH & SPACE SCIENCE

3 natural science core or elective credits

FAITH & MONEY

3 elective credits

FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING

3 elective credits

PRIORITIES, GOALS & ATTITUDES

3 elective credits

HOW TO READ THE BIBLE

3 elective credits

OLD TESTAMENT PENTATEUCH

3 elective credits

WISDOM LITERATURE

3 elective credits

ENGLISH COMPOSITION

3 core or elective credits

CASE STUDIES IN LEADERSHIP

3 elective credits

CHURCH HISTORY 1

3 elective credits

CHURCH HISTORY 2

3 elective credits

ENTREPRENEURSHIP

3 elective credits

HUMAN DIVERSITY

3 core or elective credits

RESTORING SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS

3 core elective credits

INTERNATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

3 elective credits

Class enrollment is limited.

Register and begin class up to June 2. Visit Geneva.edu/adult-degree/core to view the complete schedule. For more information, call 800.576.3111.