

## **LIDLAW COLLEGE**

*Te Wananga Amorangi*

### **201.515 Theology: Introduction**

NQF Level: 5  
Credit Value: 15

#### **DELIVERY MODE**

Auckland, Christchurch and CDL,

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

An introduction to theology that answers the question: What do Christians believe and why? The course examines the sources of theological authority; theological method based on those sources; the content of Christian belief; and how theology relates to individual, communal and global life.

#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

At the end of this course, students should be able to:

1. Articulate an understanding of the importance and distinctiveness of theology, and the variety within theology;
2. Describe and employ a balanced form of theological method;
3. Describe the content, unity and diversity of basic Christian beliefs; and
4. Demonstrate the relevance of these basic beliefs to discipleship and ministry (individual and communal) in both the New Zealand and global contexts.