## The Major Areas of Research

The following are the major areas of research included in the doctoral programme of the Alpha Institute of Theology and Science.

- 1. History of Christianity in India
- 2. History of the Evolution of Christian Theology
- 3. Religious Politics and the History of Theological Conflicts
- 4. History of Ancient Israel
- 5. Evolution of Judeo-Christian Ethics
- 6. Internal and External Criticism (?) Hermeneutics and Modern Methodologies of Interpreting Ancient Classical Texts
- 7. Christian Contributions to Indian Culture and Nation building
- 8. Exploring the Ancient Jewish and Christian Literature
- 9. Judaism and Christianity: Historical Continuity and Discontinuities
- 10. The Ancient Near Eastern Background of Jewish and Christian scriptures
- 11. Exploring the Christian Social Customs and Rituals
- 12. Christian Architecture and Art in India
- 13. Christian Anthropology
- 14. The impact of Colonialisation in Indian religious systems
- 15. Interactions between Indian Philosophy and Christian theology
- 16. Archaeology
- 17. Greek and Semitic Philosophy
- 18. Philosophy of Science and Religion
- 19. Inter-religious Interactions and Religious Harmony
- 20. History of Christianity in the West
- 21. History of Christianity in
- 22. History of Christianity in India with special attention to Kerala
- 23. History of Christian Theology with special reference to Trinity, Christology, Ecclesiology, Ethics
- 24. History of Theological Conflicts
- 25. Exploring the ancient Christian Literature
- 26. Exploring the Jewish ancestor of Christianity
- 27. The Christian Migrations
- 28. Christian Ashramic living and Indian Christian Theology
- 29. Biblical Archaeology
- 30. Hermeneutics and Modern Methodologies of Interpreting Ancient Classical Texts
- 31. Theology of Religions
- 32. Framing an Indian Christian Theology
- 33. Developmental Psychology
- 34. History of Ancient Israel
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- 44. Philosophy of Science and Religion
- 45. History of Christianity.
- 46. Christian Ashramic living and Indian Christian Theology