



2024 BY THE NUMBERS

- 120 students completed almost 250 classes.
- 824 credits earned
- 13 graduated from their academic program
- 35 students recognized on the Dean's List.
- 7 course registrants live outside the US/Canada
- 20 students took classes in Spanish



Over 250 participated in an Artios Center for Vibrant Leadership webinar.

ARTIOS AT NAMC

Artios faculty and staff were present at NAMC in Dallas to answer questions at the Artios table, to share news of upcoming projects, and to collaborate on the work of equipping the saints for ministry. Faculty and staff met to collaborate, get questions answered and receive encouragement. Thank you to all who stopped by the Artios table to say "Hi," inquire about classes, or to purchase a book.



Most of Artios staff and faculty are members of the NAMC and about half of the members of the NAMC are Artios graduates. Artios is truly the NAMC serving the NAMC and COG7! We are honored to pursue the Vision of the COG7 with you!

Let's Get Social!

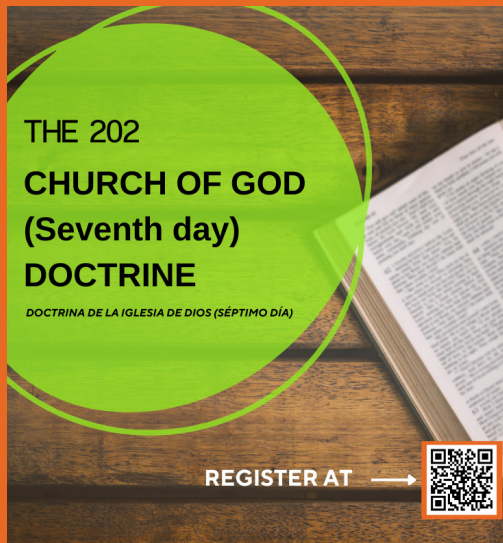
Take a few seconds and join Artios on Facebook and Instagram so you can catch our latest news as it happens (and don't have to wait to read about it in the newsletter.)



Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ArtiosCollege>

Instagram: [@artios_christian_college](https://www.instagram.com/artios_christian_college)

NEWSLETTER



COURSE HIGHLIGHT: THE 202

Church of God (Seventh Day) Doctrine

Need a refresher in CoG7 Doctrine? Or perhaps you've just never explored the theological depths behind each of the 12 statements of faith. Then THE 202 Church of God (Seventh Day) Doctrine is for you. And it's only \$150!

In THE 202 Church of God (Seventh Day) Doctrine, you will explore:

- the **biblical interpretation and theology** behind the teachings on the Bible, Deity, humanity, sin, salvation, the Church, Christian ordinances, the Ten Commandments, Sabbath, marriage, Christian living, prophecy, and the Kingdom of God.
- the **implications** that each of these teachings has on **Christian leadership**.
- terminology and concepts that allow Christian leaders of all backgrounds to have a **shared vocabulary in discussing biblical teachings and application**.
- how to **effectively use written communication** (such as blogs, articles, and formal writing) to **explain and apply these teachings** for 21st century readers.

Register for the February 16 – March 23 offering is open [here](#) until February 10. Questions? Contact student.services@artioscollege.org.

Center Report

The work of equipping the saints for ministry is not confined to the Artios classroom. The Artios Center for Vibrant Leadership exists to take training beyond the classroom. Most recently Whaid Rose presented "Biblical Eldership" at NAMC in Dallas. Watch for additional elder training resources coming in 2025.

In 2024 the Center hosted a few webinars including:

- [Virtual Winter Session, "Equip 24"](#) -- About 40 participated
- [Leadership Forum, "The Nuts and Bolts of Leadership"](#) – Around 90 participated
- ["Historic Moments", Q & A regarding the International Federation](#) – Approximately 120 participated

The Center website includes a [Resource List](#) connecting anyone to articles, webinars and additional Center resources on demand.

The Vision of a 21st Century Vibrant church is now available in Spanish! Una Iglesia Vibrante was made available late last year and is now [available on Amazon](#).

The Center also produces a monthly newsletter curating helpful resources from a number of sources called The Equip Toolbox, which is available by subscription.

Let the Center be a source of helpful instruction to you and your church. Visit center.artioscollege.org today!





All About the Money

Artios is committed to financially responsible course tuition. That means that while you will find courses with similar titles at other Christian colleges and universities, as an Artios student, you will pay around 80% less than what students pay at schools whose tuition reflects the financial burden of accreditation. Our low tuition means that you can pay as you go and graduate without any student debt.

However, we recognize that this is still a financial hardship for many. That's why we work hard to partner with various sponsors to provide financial assistance to our students. Find information on organizations ready to sponsor students, as well as direction on how to request a sponsorship from your local congregation or organization [here](#).

New Scholarship for International students

We are excited to unveil a new scholarship just for our CoG7 students outside of the US and Canada! The CG7 International Scholarship assists Church of God (Seventh Day) students beyond the US/Canadian General Conference—whose local church or national conference is affiliated with the Church of God (Seventh Day) International Federation—by providing up to 100% tuition for the duration of their academic program. Learn more and apply [here](#).



We need partners to help fund this special scholarship. If you have a heart for helping our international Brothers and Sisters, consider this opportunity to assist them in receiving the training they crave. [Click here for donation options](#); be sure to designate your donation as "Scholarship Fund".

OR

To donate:

- <https://my.artioscollege.org/en/give> (myArtios account required). Select "Scholarship Fund"
- <https://secure.cog7.org/giving/>. Follow directions and select "Artios-Scholarship Fund"
- Make your check payable to "The General Conference of the Church of God (Seventh Day)," and mail it to P.O. Box 33677, Denver, CO 80233. Mention "Artios Scholarship Fund" on your check's memo.

SATELLITE CAMPUS



We are excited to be working on a Satellite campus based in Houston. This campus builds on the online program Artios has offered partnership with the Leadership School at the Pharr, TX COG7. The Houston campus will offer courses in person while also allowing students to join remotely. This allows Artios to offer multiple ways for students to engage with the equipping educational model of the school, making leaders and pastors for the Church of God (Seventh Day) and the Kingdom of God.

The first course at the Houston campus will be BIS 104 History -- Literature of the New Testament and is set to begin April XX, 2025. We will be opening registration soon. OR We will begin opening student registration on

[date here]. OR Student registration is open now [here](#) (see "Satellite Campus Courses"). This is a full Artios class so taking it will count as full credit at Artios. [Click here](#) for more information and feel free to contact us with any questions.



Graduation

General Conference Convention is fast approaching in Salt Lake City, Utah. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible for the worship, fellowship, seminars, workshops, presentations, and handling of various resolutions. This is the only opportunity for the full membership of the Conference to meet in session and work to improve our organizational structure and procedures and to elect important positions.



It also means it is time for another Artios Graduation. Artios has graduated over 200 unique students as LifeSpring School of Ministry/Artios. Artios has provided the academic training for half of the current (unretired) ministers of the Church of God (Seventh Day)! We look forward to adding more students to our growing list of alumni. We hope to see you there to support our newly graduated ministers and leaders.

What's happening with Lead Up, the online magazine of Artios Christian College, lately?

Lead Up has an updated website as part of the BA Online! See it here: <https://baonline.cog7engage.net/category/leadership/>

We also send out digests several times per year so you never have to miss an article. If you have not been receiving these digests, you may sign up for them here: <https://baonline.org/lead-up/>



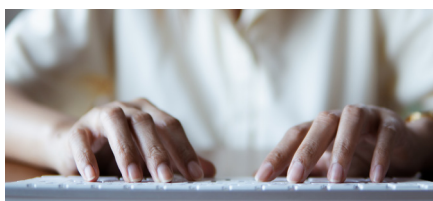
A BIG THANK YOU!

This issue, we are shining the spotlight on Janna Wiley, who served on the Artios Christian College as Communications Coordinator from 2019 to 2024.

We asked Janna Wiley the following exit interview questions:

Q: What was your biggest accomplishment while working with Artios Christian College?

A: I think my biggest accomplishment while at Artios is turning all social media into bilingual. Knowing that we had a strong Hispanic audience in Spanish was the language they preferred was very important to me.



Q: What is your favorite memory while working with Artios Christian College?

A: My favorite memory is at the end of every term receiving the emails from the instructors saying how awesome their students were. It really tied back to the leadership we bring to the church in our community, and that really made me feel fulfilled, letting others know about the wonderful accomplishments. Our students are doing a great job leading at their local churches and communities.

VIBRANT CHURCH AVAILABLE IN **SPANISH!**



The book, Vibrant Church, was written to capture the General Conference's ten-point vision in simple, practical terms. Since its publication in 2019, the book has been warmly received, with one complaint: It isn't available in Spanish!

The Artios Center for Vibrant Leadership is therefore thrilled to announce that the translation into Spanish is now available! Get your copy [here](#).

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