

Westar Academy Announces New Open-Enrollment Course on Early Christian Identity – Early Bird Pricing Available

Fighting for Christian Identity: The Role of Women

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/EINPresswire.com/ -- Westar Academy is excited to announce the launch of a new open-enrollment course, "[Fighting for Christian Identity: The Role of Women](#)." This course, led by renowned scholars Dr. Erin Vearncombe and Dr. Brandon Scott, will delve into the complex and often overlooked role of women in early Jesus groups.



Online Weekly Live Class and Recordings: Tuesdays, 7:00-8:30 PM ET

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Fighting for Christian Identity: The Role of Women

September 10 — October 15, 2024

EARLY BIRD PRICING ENDS September 1st! Register today!

Discover how early Jesus groups used gender to shape their identities and explore the voices challenging patriarchal norms.

This open-enrollment course will explore these voices, using *The Acts of Paul and Thecla* as a key text to frame our discussions on how early communities of believers discovered and developed their unique identities.

Contact us at academyinfo@westarinstitute.org with questions and for info on scholarships.

Course Instructors

Dr. Erin Vearncombe

Dr. Bernard Brandon Scott

Join us for this Open Enrollment Course with renowned scholars Drs. Erin Vearncombe and Bernard Brandon Scott.

In this course, participants will explore how gender was used to shape the identities of early Jesus groups and the voices that challenged patriarchal norms. Through engaging lectures, discussions, and readings, Dr. Vearncombe and Dr. Scott will guide students in understanding the historical and cultural context of women in the early Christian movement.

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The course will run for six weeks, starting on September 15th, and will be held online for the convenience of participants. Recordings of each session will be supplied to

participants after each class session.

Early bird pricing is available until September 1st, so interested individuals are encouraged to register soon to take advantage of the discounted rate. To register and [learn more about the course](#).

Don't miss this opportunity to deepen your understanding of the role of women in early Christianity and engage in meaningful discussions with fellow students. Join us at Westar Academy for this compelling course and discover the powerful impact of women in shaping Christian identity.

Join Dr. Erin Vearncombe and Dr. Brandon Scott for a compelling course on Tuesdays, 7:00-8:30pm ET, from September 10 to October 15, 2024.

- Members: \$129 (after September 1st: \$149)
- Non-Members: \$179 (after September 1st: \$199)

If you require a scholarship or have questions please reach out to Dean Celene Lillie at academyinfo@westarinstitute.org.

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