

GRADUATING STUDENT CONCLUDING REFLECTIONS (GSCR)

2024-2025 ACADEMIC YEAR

The final component of your Seminary degree is the Graduating Student Concluding Reflections, or GSCR. This is meant to be a reflective and meaningful exercise where you can look back on your journey as a student and identify key places where you learned, grew, overcame challenges, and gained critical skills for your field. It should be personalized to you and your experience, so feel free to be creative and make this process meaningful. The more that you invest into your reflections, the more valuable this process will be for you.

Our goal is that students will:

1. Meaningfully reflect on the personal and spiritual growth, and academic and professional skills they gained throughout their time at Briercrest Seminary.
2. Recognize and value their skills, strengths, and challenges, and identify the internal and external factors that significantly shaped their seminary experience.
3. Exercise forward thinking skills by creating goals (spiritual, personal, professional, and academic) for the next chapter of their journey.

Student Processes

This whole process should take approximately 10 - 12 hours.

1. Sign up for your Celebration through Canvas
2. Complete the Preparation activities
3. Create Artifacts
4. Submit Artifacts
5. Fill out the Exit Survey
6. Attend the Celebration
7. Done!

For more details on the Preparation and Artifacts, please visit the GSCR Canvas Course. If you have already applied for graduation and do not see the course on your Canvas Dashboard, please contact the Administrative Assistant to the Dean of the Seminary (Dochelle Knowles: dknowles@briercrest.ca).