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- a registration form which includes general contact, church, and denominational information,
- a 1-2 page essay describing one's current role in the church and reasons for applying to the certificate program,
- a \$50 deposit which is applied to the tuition of the first course.

Tuition/Investment

The Black Church Studies Certificate is awarded on successful completion of an approved program of 6 courses. The cost is \$350 per course.



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