

National Theological Association (NTA)

Vision, Mission & Core Values

Vision Statement

The National Theological Association envisions a future where theological institutions and Christian leaders across Asia are empowered through high-quality, Christ-centered education to impact the Church, society, and the world for the glory of God. We aim to be a catalyst for academic excellence, spiritual transformation, and contextual theological engagement that advances the mission of God in every sphere of life.

Mission Statement

The National Theological Association (NTA) is a community of theological institutions and individuals committed to promoting excellence in theological education throughout Asia. Our mission is to:

- Enhance the quality and standards of theological education through accreditation, validation, and institutional support.
- Foster a collaborative network of scholars, educators, and institutions united by a shared evangelical faith and academic purpose.
- Develop Christ-like leaders equipped with theological depth, spiritual maturity, and practical skills to serve the Church and society effectively.
- Support innovation and contextualization in theological education to respond to the cultural, social, and spiritual needs of diverse communities.
- Uphold and propagate sound doctrine in alignment with our shared Statement of Faith and evangelical convictions.

Core Values

1. Christ-Centered Ministry

We believe that theological education must be rooted in a deep commitment to the lordship of Jesus Christ and the advancement of His kingdom. All our efforts are centered on glorifying Christ in academia and ministry.

2. Academic Excellence

We are dedicated to maintaining and promoting the highest standards of academic rigor, theological depth, and scholarly integrity in all areas of education and institutional development.

3. Integrity and Accountability

We operate with honesty, transparency, and ethical responsibility, fostering trust and credibility within our association and among our stakeholders.

4. Community and Collaboration

We value partnership, unity, and mutual support among member institutions and individuals. We believe that shared learning and cooperation enrich the educational experience and strengthen the Body of Christ.

5. Contextual Relevance

We are committed to engaging the unique cultural, societal, and spiritual realities of Asia, encouraging theological reflection that is both biblically sound and contextually meaningful.

6. Spiritual Formation

We emphasize the importance of spiritual maturity, character development, and personal discipleship in the formation of Christian leaders and educators.

7. Evangelical Faithfulness

We uphold the authority of Scripture and the central doctrines of the evangelical faith, remaining steadfast in our theological convictions while engaging constructively with the broader academic and ecclesial communities.

