



Master of Divinity (MDiv) – Pastoral Ministry (Ordination) Track

Program Overview / Course List

NOTE: This overview is for the standard MDiv Pastoral Ministry (Ordination) Track degree program and presumes a fall semester start with a total of four years for the full program. For other possible customizations of the program, talk to your Academic Advisor.

Category	Course Name and Number	Hours
Biblical Languages (18 credits)	Greek I NT302	4
	Greek II NT304	2
	New Testament Exegesis NT305	3
	Hebrew I OT302	4
	Hebrew II OT304	2
	Old Testament Exegesis OT305	3
New Testament (9 credits)	Gospels NT320	3
	Acts & Paul NT330	3
	Pastoral & General Epistles and Revelation NT350	3
Old Testament (11 credits)	Pentateuch OT320	2
	Old Testament Historical Books OT330	3
	Psalms & Wisdom Literature OT340	3
	Prophetic Books OT350	3
Biblical & Systematic Theology (15 credits)	Covenant Theology ST300	3
	God & Humanity: Foundations for Counseling ST310	3
	Sin, Christ & Salvation ST330	3
	Spirit, Church & Last Things ST350	3
	Christian Ethics ST360	3
Communication (5 credits)	Communicating the Scriptures CM310	2
	Preaching the NT CM320	1
	Preaching the OT CM330	1
	Preaching & Culture CM340	1

Category	Course Name and Number	Hours
Contemporary Culture (3 credits)	Foundations for Apologetics & Outreach CC310	3
Church History (6 credits)	Ancient & Medieval Church History CH310	3
	Reformation & Modern Church History CH320	3
World Mission (3 credits)	God's World Mission WM310	3
Applied Theology (13 credits)	Cohort I AT305	0
	Cohort II AT306	0
	Christian Formation & Calling AT310	3
	Theology of Ministry & Worship AT340	3
	Ministry Leadership AT341	2
	Field Education Practicum AT411	2
	Preparation for Licensure & Ordination Exams AT490	3
Counseling (6 credits)	Counseling in the Church I CO320	3
	Counseling in the Church II CO330	3
Educational Ministries (3 credits)	Educational Foundations EM301	3
Electives (7 credits)	Electives – May be taken in any term	7
Total Degree Hours		99

Bible Content Exam: Students must attempt the Bible Content Exam their first semester of coursework and pass it prior to graduation.

Field Education: 400 hours of field work are required for graduation. See Field Education Handbook for degree-specific requirements.

MDIV SEQUENCE OF REQUIRED COURSES

PASTORAL MINISTRY (ORDINATION) TRACK – FALL SEMESTER START

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FIRST YEAR			SUMMER	FALL	JAN-TERM	SPRING
	AT305	Cohort I		0		
AT310	Christian Formation & Calling			3		
NT302	Greek I			4		
ST300	Covenant Theology			3		
CM310	Communicating the Scriptures			2		
NT304	Greek II				2	
AT306	Cohort II					0
CC310	Foundations for Apologetics & Outreach					3
CM320	Preaching the NT					1
NT305	NT Exegesis					3
NT320	Gospels					3
ST310	God & Humanity: Foundations of Counseling					3
TOTAL HOURS: 27			0	12	2	13

SECOND YEAR			SUMMER	FALL	JAN-TERM	SPRING
	OT302	Hebrew I		4		
CO320	Counseling in the Church I			3		
WM310	God's World Mission			3		
OT304	Hebrew II				2	
EM301	Educational Foundations					3
NT330	Acts & Paul					3
OT305	OT Exegesis					3
ST330	Sin, Christ & Salvation					3
TOTAL HOURS: 24			0	10	2	12

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BIBLE CONTENT EXAM

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FIELD EDUCATION

400 hours of field work are required for graduation. See Field Education Handbook for degree-specific requirements.

SUMMARY OF DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

BIBLE EXAM

FIELD EDUCATION

CURRICULUM HOURS: 99 (92 core hours; 7 elective hours)

† Students must register for both courses within a term; these corequisites cannot be completed separately.

‡ Electives may be taken in any term.

* This course includes a practicum that must be passed as a degree requirement.

THIRD YEAR			SUMMER	FALL	JAN-TERM	SPRING
	AT411	Field Education Practicum			2	
CH310	Ancient & Medieval Church History			3		
CO330	Counseling in the Church II*			3		
OT320	Pentateuch			2		
CM330	Preaching the OT			1		
	Electives‡			2		
CH320	Reformation & Modern Church History					3
NT350	Pastoral & General Epistles & Revelation					3
OT330	OT Historical Books					3
ST350	Spirit, Church & Last Things					3
TOTAL HOURS: 25			0	13	0	12

FOURTH YEAR			SUMMER	FALL	JAN-TERM	SPRING
	AT340	Theology of Ministry & Worship			3	
AT341	Ministry Leadership†			2		
CM340	Preaching & Culture†			1		
OT340	Psalms & Wisdom Literature			3		
	Electives‡			3		
AT490	Preparation for Licensure & Ordination Exams / Capstone					3
OT350	Prophetical Books					3
ST360	Christian Ethics					3
	Electives‡					2
TOTAL HOURS: 23			0	12	0	11
TOTAL DEGREE HOURS: 99						