



## Doctor of Ministry (DMin) 2022-2023

HOURS REQUIRED: 34

### *Suggested Sequence of Courses*

	FALL			SPRING		
<b>YEAR</b> <b>1</b>	ELECT	Open Elective	3 ____	FC 1101	Biblical and Theological Reflection on the Practice of Min. <sup>1</sup>	3 ____
				FC 1102	Relational and Vocational Foundations <sup>1</sup>	3 ____
	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>YEAR</b> <b>2</b>	FC 1103	Obstacles and Opportunities in Ministry: Research Poss. <sup>1</sup>	3 ____	ELECT	Track Course	3 ____
				ELECT	Track Course	3 ____
	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>YEAR</b> <b>3</b>	ELECT	Open Elective	3 ____	ELECT	Track Course	3 ____
				ELECT	Track Course	3 ____
	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>YEAR</b> <b>4</b>	DT 1101	Thesis	4 ____	DT 1102	Thesis Continuation	0 ____
	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>0</b>
<b>YEAR</b> <b>5</b>	DT 1102	Thesis Continuation <sup>2</sup>	0 ____	DT 1104	Thesis Completion	3 ____
	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>3</b>

<sup>1</sup> Based on the starting semester, a student may take either FC 1101 and FC 1102 (spring start) or an open elective (fall start) first. The foundational courses (FC) can be taken together as FC 1101 and FC 1102 the first spring semester or at different times; one of FC 1101 or FC 1102 are required as a prerequisite for FC 1103 the following fall semester.

<sup>2</sup> A student who does not complete the thesis by the end of the fifth program year and who requests and is granted a program extension must register for DT 1103 Thesis Extended Continuation each semester until the semester of completion. Is this something that happens?



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### *Degree Requirements*

DMin Core Courses: 22 hours	Track Courses (must select one track): 12 hours
<p><u>Foundations:</u></p> <p><b>Foundational Courses</b> .....9</p> <p>FC 1101 Biblical and Theological Reflection on the Practice of Ministry [3]</p> <p>FC 1102 Relational and Vocational Foundations [3]</p> <p>FC 1103 Obstacles and Opportunities in Ministry: Research Possibilities (prereq: FC 1101 or FC 1102) [3]</p> <p><u>Open Electives:</u></p> <p><b>DMin Electives</b> ..... 6</p> <p><i>Choose 6 hours of any Doctor of Ministry courses.</i></p> <p><u>Thesis:</u></p> <p><b>Doctoral Thesis</b> .....7</p> <p>DT 1101 Thesis [4]</p> <p>DT 1104<sup>1</sup> Thesis Completion [3]</p>	<p><u>Track Options:</u></p> <p><b>Leadership</b> ..... 12</p> <p>LD 1101 Leading Well: Becoming a Leader Who Leads Effectively (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>LD 1102 Leading Systems/Leading Change (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>LD 1103 Developing Leaders: A Philosophy and Strategy for Leadership Training (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>LD 1104 Church and Culture: Leading in a Rapidly Changing Context (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p><b>Pastoral Skills</b> ..... 12</p> <p>PS 1101 Preaching Difficult Texts, Topics, and Times (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>PS 1102 Growing Healthy Congregations (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>PS 1103 Developing Leaders: A Philosophy and Strategy for Leadership Training (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>PS 1104 Pastoral Care in a Broken Culture (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p><b>Spiritual Formation</b> ..... 12</p> <p>SF 1101 Biblical and Historical Foundations of Spiritual Formation (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>SF 1102 The Journey and Theology of Spiritual Transformation (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>SF 1103 The Interior Work Necessary for External Influence (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p> <p>SF 1104 Care of Souls (prereqs: FC 1101; FC 1102; FC 1103) [3]</p>

<sup>1</sup>Students who are not yet ready to complete their Thesis (DT 1104) should register for DT 1102 (Thesis Continuation) each semester until they are ready to complete their Thesis.