

Master of Arts—CHRISTIAN COUNSELING (MCC/MFT)

Marital and Family Therapy Concentration

Advisement/Degree Plan

(Follow the course sequencing on the reverse side and consult your faculty advisor)

Student Name: _____ ID: _____ Advisor: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Current GPA: _____

Directions: Write the grades you earned on the lines preceding the courses you have completed. Indicate with a “✓” courses in which you are currently enrolled.

Hours required for graduation: 62

Assessments (1 Hour Required)

_____ PRF 056	Entry-Level Assessment/ <i>Koinonia</i> +	_____ PRF 059	ePortfolio: <i>Whole Person Assessment</i>
_____ PRF 057	Mid-Program Assessment	_____ PRF 061	Counseling Comprehensive+
_____ PRF 058	Candidacy-Level Assessment+		

Biblical and Theological Foundations (17 Hours Required)

_____ GBIB 505	Intro. to OT Literature++ <i>or</i>	_____ GTHE 507	Holy Spirit in the Now+ <i>or</i>
_____ GBIB 551	Old Testament Synthesis++	_____ GTHE 510	Holy Spirit Empowerment in Life & Ministry+
_____ GBIB 506	Intro. to NT Literature++ <i>or</i>	_____ GTHE 518	Intro. to Theology ³
_____ GBIB 571	New Testament Synthesis++	_____ PRM 528	Christian Approach to Counseling ³ ++
		_____ PRM 571	Theology of Counseling ¹ ++

Theoretical Foundations (9 Hours Required)

_____ PRM 539	Contemporary Family	_____ PRM 643	Marital/Family Systems Theory
_____ PRM 639	Family Development ¹		

Assessment and Treatment in Marital and Family Therapy (12 Hours Required)

_____ PRM 630	Counseling Methods ³	_____	<i>Choose two of the following:</i>
_____ PRM 641	Assessment in Marital/Family Therapy++	_____ PRM 642	Family Therapy ¹ ++
		_____ PRM 676	Marriage Counseling
		_____ PRM 723	Counseling Children & Adolescents

Human Growth and Development (9 Hours Required)

_____ PRM 635	Human Growth & Development	_____ PRM 671	Religion & Personality
_____ PRM 670	Introduction to Psychopathology		

Ethics and Professional Issues (3 Hours Required)

_____ PRM 623 Ethics & Professional Issues in Counseling+

Counseling Research (3 Hours Required)

_____ PRM 784 Counseling Research+

Practicum/Internship (6 Hours Required)

_____ PRM 764	Marital/Family Therapy Practicum ^{1, 4} ++	_____ PRM 782	Marital /Family Therapy Internship ^{1, 4} ++
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Health and Physical Education (2 Hours Required)

_____ GHPE 503	Grad. Health Fitness	_____ HPE_____	HPE Elective ² _____
_____ HPE_____	HPE Elective ² _____		

¹Prerequisites required

²Students may take undergraduate HPE courses with the GHPE 503 prerequisite. **GHPE 515 or 525** are available for graduate students. The same HPE elective may be taken twice.

³**SOME ALTERNATE COURSES ARE LISTED ON THE REVERSE SIDE**

⁴Background check and liability insurance are required

+Required artifact for M.A. Christian Counseling degree program

++May be used as a required artifact for M.A. Christian Counseling degree program

See course syllabi and degree program chart for specific information on artifact requirements.

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CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

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(Suggested course load)

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Name _____

Date ____/____/____

Course Code/Title	Credit	Course Code/Title	Credit
FALL—First Year		SPRING—First Year	
GTHE 518 Intro to Theology ³	3	GBIB 506 Intro to NT Literature++ <i>or</i>	3
PRM 528 Christian Approach to Counseling ¹ ++	3	GBIB 571 New Testament Synthesis++	
PRM 784 Counseling Research+	3	PRM 630 Counseling Methods ²	3
PRM 643 Marital/Family Systems Theory	3	PRM 635 Human Growth & Develop ³	3
PRM 670 Introduction to Psychopathology	3	PRM 639 Family Development	3
PRF 056 Entry-Level Assessment/ <i>Koinonia</i> +	0.5	PRM 641 Assess./Marital/Family Therapy++	3
PRF 059 ePortfolio: <i>Whole Person Assessment</i>	0	PRF 057 Mid-Program Assessment	0
GHPE 503 Grad. Health Fitness	1	PRF 061 Counseling Comprehensive ⁶	0
Total credits this semester	16.5	Total credits this semester	15
FALL—Second Year		SPRING—Second Year	
GBIB 505 Intro to OT Literature++ <i>or</i>	3	GTHE 507 Holy Spirit in the Now+ <i>or</i>	2
GBIB 551 Old Testament Synthesis++		GTHE 510 Holy Spirit Empowerment+	
PRM 539 Contemporary Family	3	PRM 642 Family Therapy++	3
PRM 571 Theology of Counseling++	3	PRM 676 Marriage Counseling	3
PRM 671 Religion & Personality	3	PRM 782 MFT Internship ⁷ ++	3
PRM 764 MFT Practicum ⁷ ++	3	PRF 058 Candidacy-Level Assessment+	0.5
PRM 623 Ethics/Prof. Issues in Counseling+	3	HPE ____ HPE Elective ⁴ _____	0.5
PRF 061 Counseling Comprehensive ⁶	0	Total credits this semester	12
HPE ____ HPE Elective ⁴ _____	0.5		
Total credits this semester	18.5		

¹Alternative course offered on the Summer 2 O rotation: PRM 626 Prin. of Biblical Counseling

²Alternative course offered on the Summer 2-E rotation: PRM 760 Cognitive Therapy
Summer 2-O rotation: PRM 762 Narrative Therapy

³Alternative course offered on the Spring 1 rotation: GBIB 507 Biblical Hermeneutics

⁴Students may take undergraduate HPE courses with the GHPE 503 prerequisite. **GHPE 515 or 525** are available for graduate students. The same HPE electives may be taken twice.

⁵May be taken as a summer course

⁶Counseling Comprehensive Exam available August, January, and May at the beginning of the summer, fall, and spring semesters.

⁷Background check and liability insurance are required

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++May be used as a required artifact for M.A. Christian Counseling degree program
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NOTE: Students are ultimately responsible for the courses they take and the order in which they take them. Should students deviate from the proposed plan, they could jeopardize their graduation within the prescribed time limit. **UNDERGRAD COURSES WILL NOT BE CREDITED TO STUDENT'S DEGREE AND ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL AID.** Students are encouraged to consult their faculty advisors.