

MASTER OF DIVINITY (MDV)

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: 80/80.5 + prerequisite

Assessments (1 Hour Required)

___ PRFT 056	Entry-Level Assessment / <i>Koinonia</i> +	___ PRFT 057	Mid-Program Assessment
___ PRFT 059	ePortfolio: <i>Whole Person Assessment</i>	___ PRFT 058	Candidacy-Level Assessment+

Prerequisite (0-3 Hours Required)

___ GTHE 517	Seminar in Theological Research ¹ <i>or</i>	___ PRFT 049	Theological Research Proficiency
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Biblical Literature (21 Hours Required)

___ GBIB 500/510	Greek <i>or</i> Hebrew Synthesis I	___ GBIB 561/581	OT (Hebrew) <i>or</i> NT (Greek)+ Hermeneutics & Exegesis
___ GBIB 501/511	Greek <i>or</i> Hebrew Synthesis II	___ GBIB _____	Bible Elective _____
___ GBIB 551	Old Testament Synthesis++	___ GBIB _____	Lang./Trans. _____
___ GBIB 571	New Testament Synthesis++	___ PRFT _____	Language Proficiency
		052/053	

Theological/Historical Studies (21 Hours Required)

___ GTHE 551	Systematic Theology I++	___ GTHE 661	Intro to Christian Ethics+
___ GTHE 561	Systematic Theology II++	___ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____
___ GTHE 571	Church History I++	___ GTHE _____	Theo. Elective _____
___ GTHE 581	Church History II++		

Practices of Ministry (24 Hours Required)

___ PRM 511	Intro to Christian Missions++	___ PRM _____	Elective _____
___ PRM 549	Foundations of Teaching Min.++	___ PRM _____	Elective _____
___ PRM 661	Introduction to Preaching	___ FED 672	Field Education (Church) ² ++
___ PRM 669	Practice Preaching++	___ FED 673	Field Education (Community) ² ++
___ PRM 673	Intro. to Pastoral Care++		

Undesignated Electives (9 Hours Required) (Limited to *two* GCSL courses)⁴

___ Elective _____	___ Elective _____
___ Elective _____	

ORU Distinctive Courses (4.5 Hours Required)*

___ GTHE 510	Holy Spirit Empowerment in Life and Ministry+
___ GHPE 503	Grad. Health Fitness** (1 credit hr.)
___ HPE _____	HPE Elective ³ _____ (0.5 credit hr.)

¹ Students who demonstrate theological research proficiency through examination are not required to take GTHE 517 seminar.

² Background check and liability insurance required.

³ Students may take undergraduate HPE courses with the GHPE 503 prerequisite. **GHPE 515 *or* 525** are available for graduate students.

⁴ MDiv students may take 12 hours of GCSL electives if they have applied for a joint degree in Counseling.

The same 0.5 credit hr. HPE elective may be taken twice.

Note: Four HPE courses are required. A 1-credit-hr. class may not be substituted for two 0.5-credit-hr. classes.

+Required artifact for Master of Divinity degree program

++May be used as a required artifact for Master of Divinity degree program. See course syllabi and degree program chart for specific information on artifact requirements

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*Students who do a joint degree will be required to take an additional activity course for a minimum of 0.5 hour.

**Students who completed Health Fitness I and II as undergraduates need to substitute an activities course (.5 or 1 hour) for GHPE 503.

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Suggested course load with prerequisite

Total Required Hours: 80/80.5 +Prerequisite

Name _____

Date ____/____/____

Course Code/Title	Credit	Course Code/Title	Credit
FALL—First Year		SPRING—First Year	
GBIB 551 Old Testament Synthesis++	3	GBIB 571 New Testament Synthesis++	3
GTHE 517 Seminar in Theo. Research	3	GTHE 510 Holy Spirit Empower./ Life & Ministry+	3
GTHE 571 Church History I++	3	GTHE 581 Church History II++	3
PRM 549 Foundations of Teaching Ministries ¹ ++	3	PRM 511 Intro to Christian Missions++	3
PRFT 056 Entry-Level Assessment/ <i>Koinonia</i> +	0.5	PRM 673 Intro to Pastoral Care++	3
PRFT 059 ePortfolio: <i>Whole Person Assessment</i>	0	HPE _____ HPE Elective ² _____	0.5
GHPE 503 Grad. Health Fitness	1		
Total credits this semester	13.5	Total credits this semester	15.5
FALL—Second Year		SPRING—Second Year	
GBIB 500 Greek Synthesis I <i>or</i>		GBIB 501 Greek Synthesis II <i>or</i>	
GBIB 510 Hebrew Synthesis I	3	GBIB 511 Hebrew Synthesis II	3
GBIB _____ Bible Elective _____	3	GTHE 561 Systematic Theology II++	3
GTHE 551 Systematic Theology I++	3	GTHE 661 Intro to Christian Ethics+	3
PRM 661 Introduction to Preaching	3	PRM _____ Elective _____	3
_____ Elective ³ _____	3	FED 672 Field Education (Church) ¹ ++	1.5
PRFT 057 Mid-Program Assessment	0	PRFT _____ Language Proficiency	0
Total credits this semester	15	Total credits this semester	13.5
FALL—Third Year		SPRING—Third Year	
GBIB 561 OT (Heb) Herm. & Exeg++ <i>or</i>		GBIB _____ Language Translation	3
GBIB 581 NT (Greek) Herm. & Exeg++	3	GTHE _____ Theo. Elective _____	3
GTHE _____ Theo. Elective _____	3	_____ Elective ³ _____	3
PRM 669 Practice Preaching++	3	_____ Elective ³ _____	3
PRM _____ Elective _____	3	Total credits this semester	15
FED 673 Field Education (Com.) ¹ ++	1.5		
PRFT 058 Candidacy-Level Assessment+	0.5		
Total credits this semester	14		

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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.