

## BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MINISTRY AND BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL STUDIES SPECIALIZATION

The Bachelor of Arts in Ministry and Business-Professional Studies program is a specialization of the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry and Business. Students must be 21 years of age before entering the program. The intent is to allow students to complete the degree program in the context of their adult professional and personal lives.

Bachelor of Arts in Ministry and Business-Professional Studies Specialization provides general education with business and ministry studies in order to prepare the student with opportunities for bi-vocational ministry. Upon completion of the program, the student will be able to:

- Exhibit proficiency in written and verbal ministry and business communication.
- Recognize issues dealing with ethical or moral situations.
- Incorporate management and administrative skills in dealing with staff and the public.
- Understand the global picture of missions in ministry and business
- Apply core concepts of religion and business.

### GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:

#### Behavioral & Social Sciences (9 hours)

HIST 1323 or 1423	American History	3 hrs
POLS 1523	American Fed Government	3 hrs
PSYC 1123	General Psychology	3 hrs

#### Christian Studies Core (15 hours)

ENGL 1513	Lit Study English Bible I	3 hrs
ENGL 1613	Lit Study English Bible II	3 hrs
PHIL 1123	Christian Apologetics	3 hrs
THEO 1213	FWB History and Doctrine	3 hrs
Christian Studies Elective (Choose one)		3 hrs
Bible Elective (BIBL courses)		
PHIL 1113 Christian Ethics		
Theology Elective (THEO Courses)		

#### Communication (9 hours)

COMM 1113	Fundamentals of Speech	3 hrs
ENGL 1113	English Composition I	3 hrs*
ENGL 1213	English Composition II	3 hrs*

#### Humanities (3 hours)

Choose one course from the following:		3 hrs
DRAM 1113	Introduction to Theatre	
ENGL 2113 or 2213	American Literature	
ENGL 3513 or 3523	World Literature	
HIST 2133	Western Civilization	
HUMN 1113	Humanities	
MUSI 2113	Music Literature and History	
PHIL 2203	Introduction to Philosophy	

#### Liberal Arts (3 hours)

IDIS 1153	Academic Success in Prof. Studies	3 hrs
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#### Mathematics & Natural Sciences (9 hours)

MATH 1543	Business Math for Professionals	3 hrs
Natural Sciences (at least one must have a lab)		6 hrs
Life Science (NATS 1000 level or above)		
Physical Science (NATS 1000 level or above)		

General Education Requirement is 48 hours.

#### General Education Competency (Required):

Computer Science Competency (See further details p. 37.)

#### MINISTRY AND BUSINESS CORE REQUIREMENTS:

IDIS 4303	Ministry and Business Capstone	3 hrs*
LEAD 3823	Concepts of Leadership	3 hrs*

Ministry and Business Core Requirement is 6 hours

#### MINISTRY SPECIALIZATION

The student who completes this portion of the program will be able to:

- Demonstrate spiritual maturity, character, and sound judgment in a local church context
- Compose and present sermons and lessons that demonstrate appropriate theological content and sound methods of biblical interpretation
- Apply sound leadership principles in pastoral ministry in a local church context
- Organize and manage effectively the administrative structure of a local church

#### MINISTRY REQUIREMENTS:

BIBL 2113	Life and Writings of Paul	3 hrs*
BIBL 2313	Life of Christ	3 hrs*
BIBL 3013	Biblical Interpretation	3 hrs*
CMIN 2353	Introduction to Christian Ministries	3 hrs*
CMIN 3112	Christian Spiritual Formation	2 hrs*
CMIN 3113	Homiletics	3 hrs*
CMIN 3413	Intro to Youth and Family Ministry	3 hrs*
CMIN 4442	Ministry Internship (2)	4 hrs*
MISS 3223	Global Ministry	3 hrs*
THEO 3303	Christian Theology	3 hrs*

Ministry Requirement is 30 hours

#### BUSINESS SPECIALIZATION

The student who completes this portion of the program will be able to:

- Think, work, and serve in management and marketing
- Utilize people to accomplish desired goals of planning, organizing, staffing, leading, and directing ministry and business
- Determine products or services of interest to customers in the marketplace
- Develop strong customer relations in a Christian environment.

#### BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS:

ACCT 2523	Elementary Accounting I	3 hrs*
ACCT 2623	Elementary Accounting II	3 hrs*
BUSN 2213	Introduction to Business	3 hrs*
BUSN 3323	Business Law	3 hrs*
BUSN 3333	Principles of Marketing	3 hrs*
BUSN 3503	Business Communication	3 hrs*
MGMT 3003	Goals, Priorities, and Attitudes	3 hrs*
MGMT 3303	Management Principles	3 hrs*
MGMT 3403	Managing People in Organizations	3 hrs*
MGMT 3503	Management Information System	3 hrs*

Business Requirement is 30 hours.

#### FREE ELECTIVES

**9 hrs**

No PE Activity Courses will count towards this degree.

Minimum of 123 hours (45 of which must be upper level) is required for the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry and Business.

A minimum grade of 'C' is required for all courses pertaining to the major. These courses are indicated with an asterisk. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 is required.