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MASTER OF ARTS

The Master of Arts program is a multi-disciplinary program that allows the student to focus on a particular concentration or to craft a unique and personalized program from a diversified list of graduate online course offerings. It is a total of 30 credits; each course is 3 credits.

Core Requirements

There are 2 core requirement areas: Bible, Theology & Interpretation and Communications. Students must select 4 courses in Bible, Theology & Interpretation and 1 course in Communications. This will total 15 credits.

Concentrations

The remaining 15 credits (5 courses) will be chosen from the following concentrations:

- Biblical Studies
- Counseling
- Intercultural Studies
- Literature
- Organizational Leadership
- Social Entrepreneurship
- Worldview Studies

More information available on the BBC&S website.

For ABWE missionaries only, there is a concentration geared for your specific needs. See the website for more information.

SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

		2011–2012 and 2013–2014	2012–2013 and 2014–2015
FALL—SESSION 1	BIBLE & THEOLOGY	BI510 Inductive Bible Study	BI510 Inductive Bible Study
		BI512 Interpretation of Psalms	CO502 Biblical Theology of Counseling
		CO502 Biblical Theology of Counseling	CO508 Methods of Biblical Change
		CO508 Methods of Biblical Change	TH507 Theological Issues and the Church
		PH530 Reason & Revelation I: The Pentateuch and Classical Antiquity	TH517 Survey of Doctrine
		TH517 Survey of Doctrine	TH522 Church and Baptist Distinctives
		TH518 Theology of Business as Mission	
		TH522 Church and Baptist Distinctives	
	COMMUNICATIONS	ED518 Learning and Teaching Styles	EC511 Academic and Professional Writing
			IS540 Intercultural Communication
ELECTIVES	BA500 Fundamentals of Business Management <i>BA500 is a foundational course for students entering the Social Entrepreneurship program without a business background. It does not count toward the required 30 cr.</i>	BA500 Fundamentals of Business Management <i>BA500 is a foundational course for students entering the Social Entrepreneurship program without a business background. It does not count toward the required 30 cr.</i>	
	CO540 Abnormal Behavior	BA511 Global perspectives on Social Entrepreneurship	
	CO560 Ethnicity, Families, and Counseling	CO519 Evaluating Research	
	ED/CO510 Research Methods	CO565 Ethnicity and Counseling	
	ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications	ED/CO510 Research Methods	
	SC506 Astronomy: The Heavens Declare the Glory of God	ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications	
		IS510 Anthropology	
		LI512 Principles of Literary Criticism	
	PH610 Confronting Culture: Ethics		

		2011-2012	2012-2013
FALL—SESSION 2	BIBLE & THEOLOGY	BI513 Interpretation of Song of Songs CO506 Biblical Philosophy of Counseling PH535 Reason & Revelation II: Political Theology in Dialogue King David and Cyrus TH511 How to Develop a Biblical Worldview	BI503 The Interpretation of Genesis CO506 Biblical Philosophy of Counseling TH511 How to Develop a Biblical Worldview
	COMMUNICATIONS	CO539 Marriage and Family Counseling EC535 Nonfiction: Writing to Inspire	CO539 Marriage and Family Counseling EC541 Twentieth Century Christian Writers ED523 Adult Education in the Church
	ELECTIVES	BA511 Global Perspectives on Social Entrepreneurship CO519 Evaluating Research CO520 Theories and Techniques of Counseling ED/CO510 Research Methods ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications IS520 Models of Global Ministry	CO519 Evaluating Research CO520 Theories and Techniques of Counseling ED/CO510 Research Methods ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications LI518 Dramatic Genre PH630 Confronting Culture: World Religions SC505 Creation, Evolution & Intelligent Design
SPRING—SESSION 1	BIBLE & THEOLOGY	BI523 A Chronological Interpretation of the Life of Christ BI550 Principles of Bible Teaching CO502 Biblical Theology of Counseling PH540 Reason & Revelation III: Reflections on Old Testament Poetry TH516 Christology TH517 Survey of Doctrine TH529 Theology of Social Justice	BI531 The Interpretation of the Gospels: John CO502 Biblical Theology of Counseling TH516 Christology TH517 Survey of Doctrine
	COMMUNICATIONS	ED524 Education and the Millennial Generation	BA534 Marketing Strategy and Management ED527 Teaching in a Multicultural Setting
	ELECTIVES	BA500 Fundamentals of Business Management <i>BA500 is a foundational course for students entering the Social Entrepreneurship program without a business background. It does not count toward the required 30 cr.</i> CO519 Evaluating Research CO530 Human Development CO550 Ethics and Professional Orientation to Counseling ED/CO510 Research Methods ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications	BA500 Fundamentals of Business Management <i>BA500 is a foundational course for students entering the Social Entrepreneurship program without a business background. It does not count toward the required 30 cr.</i> CO519 Evaluating Research CO530 Human Development CO550 Ethics and Professional Orientation to Counseling ED/CO510 Research Methods ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications IS531 Developing Multicultural Teams PH650 Confronting Culture: Epistemology

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SPRING—SESSION 2	BIBLE & THEOLOGY	BI526 Interpreting Biblical Prophecy: Daniel and Revelation CO506 Biblical Philosophy of Counseling CO508 Methods of Biblical Change EM507 Spiritual Formation in the Context of Community PH545 Reason & Revelation IV: Interpretation: Pauline Epistles and Eastern Thought TH521 Apologetics	BI508 An Interpretation of Hebrews CO506 Biblical Philosophy of Counseling CO508 Methods of Biblical Change TH521 Apologetics
	COMMUNICATIONS	EC531 Writing Fiction	EC521 Creative Writing ED521 Theories of Learning EV520 Personal Evangelism in a Postmodern Era
	ELECTIVES	CO519 Evaluating Research CO532 Career Counseling CO540 Abnormal Behavior ED/CO510 Research Methods ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications ES514 International Political Economy IS550 Studies of Culture	BA517 Financial Management CO519 Evaluating Research CO532 Career Counseling CO540 Abnormal Behavior ED/CO510 Research Methods ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications LI517 Narrative Genre PH670 Confronting Culture: Politics
SUMMER	BIBLE & THEOLOGY	BI504 The Interpretation of the Gospels: Luke PH550 Reason & Revelation V: Communicating in a Fallen World The Gospels, Truth & Rhetoric TH517 Survey of Doctrine TH523 Dispensational Premillennialism	BI507 An Interpretation of Romans BI520 Wisdom Literature TH517 Survey of Doctrine TH523 Dispensational Premillennialism TH535 Theology in Praxis TH561 The Development of Theology in Culture Settings
	COMMUNICATIONS	ED522 Designing and Teaching an Online Course EN507 Advanced Exposition and Criticism	ED506 Philosophy of Learning
	ELECTIVES	BA500 Fundamentals of Business Management <i>BA500 is a foundational course for students entering the Social Entrepreneurship program without a business background. It does not count toward the required 30 cr.</i> BA522 The Legal and Ethical Environment for Enterprise Development CO519 Evaluating Research CO550 Ethics and Professional Orientation to Counseling ED/CO510 Research Methods ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications HI525 The World of Islam	BA500 Fundamentals of Business Management <i>BA500 is a foundational course for students entering the Social Entrepreneurship program without a business background. It does not count toward the required 30 cr.</i> CO519 Evaluating Research CO550 Ethics and Professional Orientation to Counseling ED/CO510 Research Methods ED/CO511 Statistical Methods & Applications PH690 Confronting Culture: Economics