M.A. in Education and Formation
Requirements

Name__________________   SBN______________ Student ID# ______________  Date____________

Select Emphasis/Track
____TT Teaching  ___MYP Ministry with Young People ___ Spiritual Formation & Mission

Requirements for two year degree:  52 credit hours; Requirements for post-M.Div. (one year of study)  26 credit hours. You are responsible for monitoring fulfillment of the degree requirements.

Biblical Studies (6 credits)
(  ) OT2101 Orientation to Old Testament (3 credits) – Fall Semester, junior year
(  ) NT2101 Introduction to the New Testament (3 credits) – Spring Semester, junior year

Church History (3 credits)
(  ) Choose from one of the following:
   CH1100 Survey of Early and Medieval Church History
   CH1120 Survey of Reformation History
   CH1130 Survey of Christianity Since the Reformation

Theology (3 credits)
(  ) TH2100 Systematic Theology (3 credits) – Fall or Spring Semester, junior year

General Electives

Education and Formation Requirements  (See also Chart below)

Introduction to Relevant Fields (3 credits) ________________________________

Theological/Theoretical Foundations (3 credits) ______________________________

Human Development (3 credits) _______________________________________

Contextual Issues in Ministry (3 credits) __________________________________

Skills and Practices (3 credits) ___________________________________________

Capstone/Integration (3 credit course or retreat) _____________________________

EF Electives (6 credits) __________________________________________________

Dedicated field education sites  (4 credits, 2 credits each placement)

Reflective Practicum (1 credit) _____________________________________________

School of Christian Vocation and Mission seminars  (Two 0.5 CEU events)

Total Credits:  Completed ________ Remaining__________

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<td>Vocational Trajectory</td>
<td>Pastors, associate pastors, teachers in private schools, and teachers in higher education</td>
<td>Childrens' youth/young adult ministers, campus ministers, pastors seeking to address young constituencies, family ministers, parachurch, entrepreneurial, nonprofit age work</td>
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<td>Curricular components and coursework areas (One 3 credit course in each category; at least three of areas 1–5 must be taken “in track”)</td>
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<td><strong>Introduction to Relevant Fields (3 credits)</strong></td>
<td>EF1200 Introduction to Christian Education and Formation</td>
<td>EF2352 Theological Foundations for Youth Ministry</td>
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| **Theological/Theoretical Foundations (3 credits)** | EF5312 Philosophy of Education*  
EF/WR3338 The Eucharist and the Ministry of Education and Formation  
EF/WR3339 Baptism the Ministry of Education and Formation | EF5312 Philosophy of Education  
EF/ET3212 Ethics of the Ten Commandments | Spiritual Awakening Movements  
EF3456 Dialogical/Imaginative Prayer in the Ignatian Tradition  
EF3558 Practicing the Presence of God*  
EF/TH5557 Face of the Other* |
| **Human Development (3 credits)** | EF3215 Educational Psychology  
PC5248 Family Stories and Ministry | EF3215 Educational Psychology  
EF3217 Spiritual Guidance through the Lifecycle |
| **Contextual Issues in Ministry (3 credits)** | Empirical Research, History of Christian Education and Formation, Travel courses | EF5353 Advanced Studies in Youth, Church, and Culture  
EF4800 Sabbath and Youth Ministry: Theology and Practice  
EF4375 Latino/a Church Ministry | Missional Church courses  
EF3473 Readings In Evangelism and Mission  
EC/TH3358 Ecumenical Theologies of the church's Mission  
EC/TH3473 Missional/ Ecumenical theology of Lesslie Newbigin  
EC/TH5350 Missional Theology and Practice  
EF3557 Practicing the Presence of God* |
| **5. Skills and Practices (3 credits)** | EF3366 Curriculum and the Methods of Teaching,  
EF1340 Teaching the Bible in the Church  
EF3320 Children’s Fantasy Literature, and Moral Formation | EF4335 Using the Arts in Christian Formation  
PC5253 Pastoral Care of Adolescents  
EF3366 Curriculum and Methods of Teaching  
EF3560 Contemplative Listening: An Introduction to Spiritual Direction | EF4330 Art of Discernment  
EF/TH5557 Face of the Other* |
| **Capstone/Integration (3 credit course or retreat)** | EF5312 Philosophy of Education* | EF5800 Leading Change through Discipleship Formation | EF5554 Rhythms of Prayer in the Christian Tradition |
| **EF Electives (6 credits)** | Two EF elective courses | | |
| **Dedicated field education sites (4 credits, 2 credits each placement)** | Teaching Ministry  
Congregational Placements (developed in partnership with Office of Field Education) | Youth Ministry placements (developed in partnership with Office of Field Education) | Spiritual life or Evangelism placements (developed in partnership with Office of Field Education) |
| **Reflective Practicum (1 credit)** | Field education reflection groups specific to teaching congregations | EF1107 Practicum in Children's Ministry  
EF1109 Youth Ministry Practicum | Has a spiritual director or direction group during degree program |
| **School of Christian Vocation and Mission seminars (Two 0.5 CEU events)** | Two 0.5 CEU seminars related to teaching, dynamics of learning, leadership, or church administration, or  
ML4100 First Call: Living into a Pastoral Identity (2 credits) | Two non-credit seminars in ministry with young people, or  
IYM1101 Princeton Forum on Youth Ministry (1 credit) or  
ML4100 First Call: Living into a Pastoral Identity (2 credits) | Two non-credit seminars in evangelism, mission, or spiritual formation |