Bachelor of Arts
Ministry Major
Youth Ministry Concentration
Program Director: Joseph Allotta, D. Min.

Purpose: The Ministry Major provides the student with the academic and professional preparation necessary for ministry.

Program Outcomes/Goals:

1. Students will have a professional readiness to deliver Biblical knowledge.
2. Students will have a well-articulated Christian worldview of life and ministry.
3. A student will display ministry-ready professional skills in the area of his or her concentration.

CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS

I. General Studies — **39 Credits**

College and Career Success	3
Freshman Composition I	3
Freshman Composition II	3
Introduction to Public Speaking	3
Introduction to Philosophy	3
Literature Electives	3
Fine Arts Elective	3
Interpersonal Communication	3
General Psychology	3
History Electives	6
Introduction to Computers	0
Math Elective	3
Darwinism and Intelligent Design	3

II. Bible and Theology — **48 Credits**

Old Testament Law and History	3
Old Testament Poetry and Prophecy	3
Life and Revelation of Christ	3
New Testament History and Letters	3
Romans	3
Hermeneutics	3
Bible and Theology Electives	6
Apologetics	3

II. Bible and Theology (continued)

Systematic Theology I	3
Systematic Theology II	3
Systematic Theology III	3
Systematic Theology IV	3
Evangelism and Discipleship	3
World Missions and Religions	3
Senior Research Seminar	3

III. Major — **36 Credits**

Core Courses:

Business Organizational Leadership Elective	3
Christian Leadership	3
Church Planting and Development	3
Communicating to Youth	3
Counseling Adolescents	3
Fundamental Issues in Worship	3
Introduction to Counseling	3
Introduction to Preaching or Small Group Dev.	3
Major Elective*	6
Ministry Internship (1 semester)	0
Youth Ministry Skills	3
Youth Ministry Skills Practicum	3

TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS: 123
*This can be a Bible or Theology class or a 3000 level course or higher in any major.

Suggested Four-Year Program

for the Ministry Major
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Freshman Year

Fall Semester - 15 credits			
SLS	*1501*	*College and Career Success*	3
GNMN	**1302**	**Evangelism and Discipleship**	3
BIBL	**1311**	**O.T. Law and History**	3
ENC	*1101*	*Freshman Composition I*	3
COUN	2301	Introduction to Counseling	3

Spring Semester - 15 credits			
MISS	**1301**	**World Missions and Religions**	3
BIBL	**1322**	**O.T. Poetry and Prophecy**	3
ENC	*1102*	*Freshman Composition II*	3
PSY	*1012*	*General Psychology*	3
SPC	1300	Interpersonal Communication	3
CMPU	*0301*	*Introduction to Computers*	0

Sophomore Year

Fall Semester - 15 credits			
BIBL	**2301**	**Life and Revelation of Christ**	3
BIBL	**2331**	**Hermeneutics**	3
SPC	*1608*	*Introduction to Public Speaking*	3
LIT	*xxxx*	*Literature Elective*	3
MISS	2303	Church Planting and Development	3

Spring Semester - 15 credits			
BIBL	**2321**	**N.T. History and Letters**	3
XXXX	**xxxx**	**Bible or Theology Elective**	3
ISC	*1502*	*Darwinism and Intelligent Design*	3
HIST	*xxxx*	*History Elective*	3
WORS	2302	Fundamental Issues in Worship	3

Junior Year

Fall Semester - 15 credits			
THEO	**3301**	**Systematic Theology I**	3
XXXX	**xxxx**	**Bible or Theology Elective**	3
HIST	*xxxx*	*History Elective*	3
PHI	*1010*	*Introduction to Philosophy*	3
PAST	3301	Introduction to Preaching**	3

Spring Semester - 18 credits			
THEO	**3302**	**Systematic Theology II**	3
FNAR	*xxxx*	*Fine Arts Elective*	3
XXXX	*xxxx*	*Math Elective*	3
YUTH	3302	Communicating to Youth	3
COUN	3312	Counseling Adolescents	3
LDR	xxxx	Bus. Org. Leadership Elective	3

Senior Year

Fall Semester - 15 credits			
THEO	**4321**	**Systematic Theology III**	3
THEO	**4311**	**Apologetics**	3
XXXX	xxxx	Major Elective*	3
YUTH	3301	Youth Ministry Skills	3
YUTH	4331	Youth Ministry Skills Practicum	3

Spring Semester - 15 credits			
THEO	**4331**	**Systematic Theology IV**	3
BIBL	**4301**	**Romans**	3
GNMN	**4302**	**Senior Research**	3
GNMN	4301	Christian Leadership	3
XXXX	xxxx	Major Elective*	3
GNMN	4011	Ministry Internship	0

Bold indicates courses in the Bible and Theology Core.
Italics indicates courses in the General Education Core. Regular type indicates courses in the major.
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** Or GNMN 3311, Small Group Development