

| <u>CORE COURSES (45 hours)</u> | <u>Hrs</u> | <u>Sem</u> | <u>Grade</u> | <u>BIBLICAL LANGUAGES (12 hours)</u> | <u>Hrs</u> | <u>Sem</u> | <u>Grade</u> |
|--|------------|------------|--------------|---|------------|------------|--------------|
| APOL 525 Pluralism & World Religions | 3 | _____ | _____ | <i>Choose two 500-600 level electives from the following disciplines for which prerequisites have been met: NGRK or OTCL.</i> | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| CHHI 520 History of Christianity I ¹ | 3 | _____ | _____ | | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| CHHI 525 History of Christianity II ¹ | 3 | _____ | _____ | | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| CRIS 607 PTSD & Combat Rel. Trauma | 3 | _____ | _____ | <i>Choose two 600 level electives from the following disciplines for which prerequisites have been met: NBST, NGRK, OBST or OTCL.</i> | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| HOMI 500 Preparation of the Sermon | 3 | _____ | _____ | | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HOMI 605 Expository Preaching | 3 | _____ | _____ | | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| NBST 515 New Testament Orientation I ² | 3 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | 3 |
| NBST 520 New Testament Orientation II ² | 3 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | 3 |
| NBST 610 Hermeneutics | 3 | _____ | _____ | | | | |
| OBST 515 Old Testament Orientation I ³ | 3 | _____ | _____ | <u>PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (12 hours)</u> | | | |
| OBST 520 Old Testament Orientation II ³ | 3 | _____ | _____ | CHPL 500 Intro. to Chaplaincy Ministry | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PACO 603 Premarital & Marital Coun. | 3 | _____ | _____ | CHPL 598 Chaplain Formation Practicum ⁵ | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PACO 617 Theories & Techniques in Coun. | 3 | _____ | _____ | CHPL 615 Chaplain Ethics | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| THEO 525 Systematic Theology I | 3 | _____ | _____ | CHPL 699 Chaplain Internship ⁵ | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| THEO 530 Systematic Theology II | 3 | _____ | _____ | | | | |
| | | | | <u>THESIS COURSES (6 hours)</u> | | | |
| <u>MILITARY CHAPLAINCY CONCENTRATION (18 hours)</u> | | | | RTCH 680 Research Methods ⁶ | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| CHPL 640 Chaplain Leadership ⁴ | 3 | _____ | _____ | THES 690 Thesis Defense | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| CHPL 645 Chaplain Resilient Leaders ⁴ | 3 | _____ | _____ | TOTAL HOURS 93 | | | |
| CHPL 655 Chaplain Evan. & Discipleship ⁴ | 3 | _____ | _____ | | | | |
| CHPL 665 Chaplain Crisis Counseling ⁴ | 3 | _____ | _____ | | | | |
| CHPL 680 Military Chaplaincy ⁴ | 3 | _____ | _____ | | | | |
| HOMI 679 Homiletics Capstone ⁴ | 3 | _____ | _____ | | | | |

Graduation Requirements

Complete 93 hours

A minimum of 48 hours must be completed through Liberty, not to include credits from a prior degree earned through Liberty

A maximum of 45 hours of transfer credit, including credit from a degree on the same academic level previously earned through Liberty, may be applied to the degree
 2.0 GPA

Degree must be completed within 10 years

All Resident students are required to enroll in and pass GRST 500 in their first semester

All Online students admitted on Academic Caution are required to enroll in and pass GRST 500 in their first semester

Please submit a Graduation Application to the Registrar's Office at the beginning of the final semester

Notes

Only graded course work from accredited institutions will be eligible for transfer.

¹With demonstrated capability in CHHI from an undergraduate program, students can request to substitute 600-level CHHI courses for CHHI 520 & 525.

²With demonstrated capability in NBST from an undergraduate program, students can request to substitute 600-level NBST courses for NBST 515 & 520.

³With demonstrated capability in OBST from an undergraduate program, students can request to substitute 600-level OBST courses for OBST 515 & 520.

⁴Course offered as residential intensive only

⁵Course is 16 weeks long.

⁶Any student who is not ready for enrollment in THES 690 after completing RTCH 680 may be required, as determined by the student's thesis chair, to take THES 689 Thesis Proposal and Research, and may be required to repeat THES 689 until deemed ready for enrollment in THES 690.

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

| First Semester | | Second Semester | |
|----------------|----------|-----------------------|----------|
| APOL 525 | 3 | CHPL 598 ¹ | 3 |
| CHPL 500 | 3 | NBST 520 | 3 |
| NBST 515 | <u>3</u> | THEO 525 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 9 | Total | 9 |

| Third Semester | | Fourth Semester | |
|---------------------------------|----------|---------------------------------|----------|
| CHPL 615 | 3 | CHPL 640 | 3 |
| NGRK/OTCL Elective ² | 3 | NBST 610 | 3 |
| THEO 530 | <u>3</u> | NGRK/OTCL Elective ² | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 9 | Total | 9 |

| Fifth Semester | | Sixth Semester | |
|----------------|----------|----------------|----------|
| CHPL 645 | 3 | CHHI 520 | 3 |
| CRIS 607 | 3 | HOMI 500 | 3 |
| OBST 515 | <u>3</u> | OBST 520 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 9 | Total | 9 |

| Seventh Semester | | Eighth Semester | |
|------------------|----------|---|----------|
| CHHI 525 | 3 | CHPL 655 | 3 |
| HOMI 605 | 3 | CHPL 665 | 3 |
| PACO 617 | <u>3</u> | NBST/NGRK/OBST/OTCL Elective ³ | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 9 | Total | 9 |

| Ninth Semester | | Tenth Semester | |
|---|----------|-----------------------|----------|
| CHPL 680 | 3 | CHPL 699 ¹ | 3 |
| NBST/NGRK/OBST/OTCL Elective ³ | 3 | HOMI 679 | 3 |
| PACO 603 | <u>3</u> | RTCH 680 ⁴ | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 9 | Total | 9 |

| Eleventh Semester | |
|-------------------|----------|
| THES 690 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 3 |

Notes

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²Must be a 500-600 level course

³Must be a 600 level course

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