

<b><u>CORE COURSES (24 hours)</u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Semester</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
PACO 500	Introduction to Pastoral Counseling <sup>1</sup>	3	_____	_____
PACO 501	Foundational Doctrines for Pastoral Counselors <sup>1</sup>	3	_____	_____
PACO 504	Multicultural Issues in Pastoral Counseling	3	_____	_____
PACO 509	Spiritual Formation in Pastoral Counseling <sup>2</sup>	3	_____	_____
PACO 604	Crisis Intervention in Pastoral Counseling	3	_____	_____
PACO 615	Marriage & Family Counseling	3	_____	_____
PACO 617	Theories & Techniques in Pastoral Counseling <sup>2</sup>	3	_____	_____
PACO 699	Pastoral Counseling Internship <sup>3,4</sup>	3	_____	_____
 <b><u>THEOLOGY COGNATE (12 hours)</u></b>				
THEO 525	Systematic Theology I	3	_____	_____
THEO 530	Systematic Theology II	3	_____	_____
THEO 626	Doctrine of God	3	_____	_____
THEO 650	Ethics & Christian Ministry	3	_____	_____
		<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>36</b>	

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 36 hours  
 A minimum of 30 hours must be completed through Liberty University, not to include credits from a prior degree earned through Liberty  
 A maximum of 6 hours of transfer credit, including credit from a degree on the same academic level previously earned through Liberty, may be applied to the degree  
 2.5 GPA  
 No grade of D may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)  
 Liberty University course work that is more than 7 years old may not be applied towards this degree. Students are required to repeat the course if it has exceeded the age limit.  
 Degree must be completed within 5 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  
 Submit Graduation Application at the beginning of the final semester

**Notes**

<sup>1</sup>PACO 500 and 501 are required first entry courses for all students in this degree.  
<sup>2</sup>Course offered as an Intensive  
<sup>3</sup>May register for PACO 699 after successfully completing 21 hours.  
<sup>4</sup>Background check clearance required

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
PACO 500 <sup>1</sup>	3	PACO 509 <sup>2</sup>	3
PACO 501 <sup>1</sup>	3	PACO 604	3
PACO 504	<u>3</u>	PACO 615	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

<u>Third Semester</u>		<u>Fourth Semester</u>	
PACO 617 <sup>2</sup>	3	PACO 699 <sup>3</sup>	3
THEO 525	3	THEO 626	3
THEO 530	<u>3</u>	THEO 650	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

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