

| <b><u>CORE COURSES (24 hours)</u></b>     |   | <b><u>Hrs</u></b> | <b><u>Sem</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                                  | Public Theology   | 3                 | _____             | _____               |
| <b>TOTAL HOURS</b>                        |   | <b>36</b>         | _____             | _____               |

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 36 hours  
 A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level  
 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 10 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  
 Submission of Graduation Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*  
<sup>1</sup>PACO 500 and 501 are required first entry courses for all students in this degree.  
<sup>2</sup>Intensive Format Optional  
<sup>3</sup>May register for PACO 699 after successfully completing 21 hours  
<sup>4</sup>Background check clearance required  
*Suggested Course Sequence on Second Page*

**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>3,4</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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