

CORE COURSES (30 hours)

		<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
WRSP 801	Historical Developments of Christian Worship	3	_____	_____
WRSP 805	Foundations of Doctoral Research in Worship	3	_____	_____
WRSP 810	Biblical Foundations of Christian Worship	3	_____	_____
WRSP 812	Cultural Contextualization in Christian Worship	3	_____	_____
WRSP 820	History & Practice of Congregational Song	3	_____	_____
WRSP 835	Theology of Christian Worship	3	_____	_____
WRSP 840	Current Trends & Transitions in Christian Worship	3	_____	_____
WRSP 845	Philosophy of Music & Christian Worship	3	_____	_____
WRSP 846	Spiritual Formation, Worship, & the Church	3	_____	_____
WRSP 851	Planning & Leading Christian Worship	3	_____	_____

TEACHING IN HIGHER EDUCATION COURSES (3 hours)

MUSC 845	The Role of the College Music Teacher	3	_____	_____
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ELECTIVE COURSES (9 hours)

_____	_____	1	3	_____	_____
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_____	_____	1	3	_____	_____

RESEARCH COURSES (3 hours)

WRSP 915	Quantitative Methods of Research	3	_____	_____
<u>or</u> WRSP 917	Qualitative Methods of Research			

DISSERTATION WRITING COURSES (15 hours)

WRSP 987	Dissertation I	5	_____	_____
WRSP 988	Dissertation II	5	_____	_____
WRSP 989	Dissertation III ^{2,3}	5	_____	_____
WRSP 990	Dissertation Defense ²	0	_____	_____

TOTAL HOURS 60

Graduation Requirements

Complete 60 hours

A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

3.0 GPA

No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)

No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)

Degree must be completed within 7 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Offered in Online Format

Notes

All Applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Choose a 500-900 level course not already applying to the degree.

²Any student who is not ready for enrollment in WRSP 990 after completing WRSP 989 may be required, as determined by the student's thesis chair, to repeat³ WRSP 989 until deemed ready for enrollment in WRSP 990

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Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester (Fall)

WRSP 805	3
WRSP 915 or 917	<u>3</u>
Total	6

Second Semester (Spring)

WRSP 801	3
WRSP 810	<u>3</u>
Total	6

Third Semester (Summer)

WRSP 820	3
WRSP 835	<u>3</u>
Total	6

Fourth Semester (Fall)

WRSP 846	3
Elective ¹	<u>3</u>
Total	6

Fifth Semester (Spring)

MUSC 845	3
WRSP 845	3
Elective ¹	<u>3</u>
Total	9

Sixth Semester (Summer)

WRSP 840	3
WRSP 851	<u>3</u>
Total	6

Seventh Semester (Fall)

WRSP 812	3
Elective ¹	<u>3</u>
Total	6

Eighth Semester (Spring)

WRSP 987	<u>5</u>
Total	5

Ninth Semester (Summer)

WRSP 988	<u>5</u>
Total	5

Tenth Semester (Fall)

WRSP 989 ^{2,3}	5
WRSP 990 ²	<u>0</u>
Total	5

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