

LIBERTY

UNIVERSITY.

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Master of Arts in Religion (M.A.R.)
Next Generation Ministry Cognate
 2021-2022 Degree Completion Plan

CORE COURSES (48 hours)

		<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
APOL 500	Introduction to Apologetics	3	_____	_____
CHHI 520	History of Christianity I	3	_____	_____
CHHI 525	History of Christianity II	3	_____	_____
DSMN 500	Discipleship Ministries	3	_____	_____
DSMN 520	Spiritual Formation	3	_____	_____
EVAN 525	Contemporary Evangelism	3	_____	_____
GLST 500	Global Studies Survey	3	_____	_____
HOMI 500	Preparation of the Sermon ¹	3	_____	_____
NBST 515	New Testament Orientation I	3	_____	_____
NBST 520	New Testament Orientation II	3	_____	_____
NBST 610	Hermeneutics	3	_____	_____
OBST 515	Old Testament Orientation I	3	_____	_____
OBST 520	Old Testament Orientation II	3	_____	_____
RTCH 500	Research, Writing & Ministry Preparation ²	3	_____	_____
THEO 525	Systematic Theology I	3	_____	_____
THEO 530	Systematic Theology II	3	_____	_____

NEXT GENERATION MINISTRY COGNATE (12 hours)

CHMN 500	Foundational Leadership Models for Next Gen. Ministry	3	_____	_____
CHMN 510	Issues & Trends in Next Generation Ministry	3	_____	_____
CHMN 520	Making Disciples for the Next Generation	3	_____	_____
		3	_____	_____
TOTAL HOURS		60		

Graduation Requirements

Complete 60 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

2.0 GPA

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

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Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹A student who will not be a part of a preaching ministry may substitute HOMI 601 for HOMI 500

²RTCH 500 is required to be taken within the first two semesters for all students.

³Choose a 500-600 level course from one of the following disciplines: CHMN, DSMN, LEAD, or YOUT

Suggested Course Sequence on Second Page

Effective: Catalog Term 2021-40

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester

DSMN 500	3
OBST 515	3
EVAN 525	3
OBST 520	<u>3</u>
Total	12

Second Semester

NBST 515	3
RTCH 500 ¹	3
DSMN 520	3
NBST 520	<u>3</u>
Total	12

Third Semester

GLST 500	3
NBST 610	3
APOL 500	3
HOMI 500 ²	<u>3</u>
Total	12

Fourth Semester

CHHI 520	3
THEO 525	3
CHHI 525	3
THEO 530	<u>3</u>
Total	12

Fifth Semester

CHMN 500	3
CHMN 510	3
CHMN 520	3
Next Gen Elective ³	<u>3</u>
Total	12

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