UNIVERSITY. THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Spiritual Formation Cognate

2019-2020 Degree Completion Plan

CORE COURSES (6 hours)			<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
DMIN 810	Foundation for the Doctor of Ministry	3		
PACO 825	Growth & Development of the Contemporary Minister	3		
SPIRITUAL	FORMATION COGNATE (9 hours)			
DSMN 850	Biblical Theology of Spiritual Formation	3		
DSMN 860	History of Spiritual Formation	3		
DSMN 870	Facilitation of Spiritual Formation	3		
<u>RESEARCH</u>	I COURSES (6 hours)			
DMIN 820	Research and Thesis Development	3		
DMIN 830	Thesis Project Proposal Development	3		
<u>THESIS CO</u>	URSES (9 hours) ¹			
DMIN 840	Thesis Project Writing Stage I	3		
DMIN 885	Thesis Project Writing Stage II ²	3		
DMIN 890	Thesis Project Report Defense	3		
	TOTAL HOUR	RS 30		

Graduation Requirements

Complete 30 hours

A minimum of 24 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 3.0 GPA

No more than one grade 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-) Thesis required (Minimum grade of B-)

Degree must be completed within 5 years

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

Program Offered in Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Once the student enters the Thesis Project phase, he/she must maintain continuous enrollment (Fall and Spring semesters excluding Summer semester) until all degree requirements are completed

²Students may take DMIN 885 a maximum of four times. Any student who is not ready for enrollment in DMIN 890 after completing DMIN 885 the first time may be required, as determined by the student's thesis project mentor, to repeat DMIN 885 until deemed ready for enrollment in DMIN 890. Student must maintain enrollment in DMIN 885 fall and spring semesters until deemed ready for enrollment in DMIN 890.

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SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester			Second Semester		
DMIN 810 ¹		3	DSMN 850		3
PACO 825		<u>3</u>	DSMN 860		3
	Total	6		Total	e
Third Semester			Fourth Semester		
DSMN 870		3	DMIN 830		2
DMIN 820		<u>3</u>	DMIN 840		3
	Total	6		Total	e
Fifth Semester			Sixth Semester		
DMIN 885 ²			DMIN 890		
	Total	3		Total	2

Notes

¹Required First-Term Course

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