

# Doctor of Philosophy in Christian Leadership (Ph.D.)

Digital Discipleship Cognate

2024-2025 Degree Completion Plan

CORE COURSES (24 hours)			<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>				
<b>CLED 700</b>	Biblical & Theological Foundations of Leadership	3						
<b>CLED 720</b>	Biblical & Theological Foundations of Education	3						
<b>CLED 800</b>	Theological Anthropology in Leadership & Education	3						
<b>CLED 815</b>	Character & Ethics in Leadership & Education	3						
<b>CLED 820</b>	Leadership & Management Theory	3						
<b>CLED 835</b>	Organizational Theory & Development	3						
<b>CLED 845</b>	Group & Team Dynamics: Theory & Practice of Lead.	3						
CLED 855	Teaching & Learning: Theory & Practice in Leadership	3						
DIGITAL DISCIPLESHIP COGNATE (9 hours)								
CLCM 510	Constructing a Theology of Networks for the Digital Age	3						
Choose two a	of the following courses:							
CLCM 520	Spiritual Formation in the Digital Age	3						
CLCM 530	Creating Christian Community Online	3						
CLCM 540	Introduction to Ministry in the Digital Age	3						
RESEARCH COURSES (27 hours)								
CLED 730	Research Methods for Christian Leadership I	3						
CLED 770	Research Methods for Christian Leadership II	3						
<b>CLED 805</b>	Research Methods for Christian Leadership III	3						
<b>CLED 830</b>	Research Methods for Christian Leadership IV	3						
<b>CLED 987</b>	Research Methods for Christian Leadership V	5						
<b>CLED 988</b>	Research Methods for Christian Leadership VI	5						
CLED 989	Dissertation Research & Writing <sup>1</sup>	5						
CLED 990	Dissertation Defense	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 grades lower than B- may be applied to the degree Successful completion of Comprehensive Examination Successful defense of Prospectus and Dissertation 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

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First Semester		Second Semester		
CLCM 510	3	CLED 730		3
CLED 700	3	CLED 770		3
CLED 720	3	CLED 800		3
Elective <sup>1</sup>	<u>3</u>	Elective <sup>1</sup>		3
Total	12		Total	12
Third Semester		Fourth Semester		
CLED 805	3	CLED 835		3
CLED 815	3	CLED 845		3
CLED 820	3	CLED 855		<u>3</u>
CLED 830	<u>3</u>		Total	9
Total	12			
Fifth Semester		Sixth Semester		
CLED 987	<u>5</u>	CLED 988		5
Total			Total	5
Seventh Semester	_	Eighth Semester		_

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

## Notes

CLED 989<sup>2</sup>

Total 5

CLED 990

0

Total

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Choose from the following courses: CLCM 520, 530, or 540.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Students who are not ready for enrollment in CLED 990 after completing CLED 989 may be required, as determined by the student's dissertation chair, to repeat CLED 989 until deemed ready for enrollment in CLED 990