

Master of Arts in Worship Studies (M.A.)

African American Worship Cognate

2023-2024 Degree Completion Plan

FOUNDATIONAL STUDIES COURSES (9 hours) Grade Hrs Sem **WRSP 501** Principles of Worship & Ministry 3 **WRSP 510** Biblical Foundations of Worship 3 **WRSP 650** Bibliography & Research in Music & Worship 3 WORSHIP STUDIES COURSES (9 hours) WRSP 502 A History of Worship Music 3 The Role of the Worship Leader **WRSP 520** 3 **WRSP 635** Building a Theology of Worship 3 AFRICAN AMERICAN WORSHIP COGNATE (9 hours) Spiritual Formation for Leading African Amer. Worship **WRSP 631** 3 WRSP ____ 3 WRSP ____ 3 PRACTICAL SKILLS IN WORSHIP COURSES (6 hours) 3 2 3 **RESEARCH STUDIES COURSES (3 hours)** WMUS 692 Graduate Music & Worship Comprehensive Exam 0 **WRSP 689** Master's Thesis Proposal & Research 3 3,4 0 **TOTAL HOURS** 36

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

2.0 GPA

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

Offered in Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Choose one of the following courses: WRSP 632, 641, or 671

²Choose one of the following courses: WMUS 524, 525, 550, 600, 610, 630, WRSP 530, 540, 545, 551, or 645

³Choose one of the following courses: WMUS 687⁴, 691⁴, or WRSP 690⁴

⁴Any student who is not ready for enrollment in their choice of WMUS 687, WMUS 691, or WRSP 690 after completing WRSP 689 may be required to repeat WRSP 689 until deemed ready for enrollment in WMUS 687, WMUS 691, or WRSP 690. Suggested Course Sequence on second page

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SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester (Fall)			Second Semester (Spring)	
WRSP 501		3	WRSP 502	3
WRSP 510		3	WRSP 631	3
Practical Skills Elective ¹		3	WRSP 650	3
	Total	9	Total	9
Third Semester (Summer)			Fourth Semester (Fall)	
WRSP 520		3	Cognate Elective ²	3
WRSP 635		3	Practical Skills Elective ¹	3
Cognate Elective ²		<u>3</u>	WRSP 689	3
	Total	9	WMUS 692	0
			Research Studies Elective ³	0
			Total	9

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