MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COUNSELING COURSE SEQUENCE

CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING

CORE COURSES (27 HOURS)
- COUN 500 Human Growth and Development (3 hrs)
- COUN 520 Theory and Practice of Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 530 Child and Adult Psychopathology (4 hrs)
- COUN 540 Cultural Diversity in Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 550 Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice (3 hrs)
- COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5 hrs)
- COUN 610 Group Dynamics and Group Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 620 Career Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 680 Research Methods (3 hrs)

REQUIRED CLINICAL EXPERIENCE (9 HOURS)
- COUN 690 Practicum in Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 692 Internship 1 (3 hrs)
- COUN 694 Internship 2 (3 hrs)

REQUIRED COURSES FOR CLINICAL COUNSELING CONCENTRATION (15 HOURS)
- COUN 553 Theories of Personality (3 hrs)
- COUN 560 Assessment and Evaluation Techniques (3 hrs)
- COUN 625 Marriage and Family Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 648 Evidence-Based Counseling Techniques (3 hrs)
- COUN 670 Christian Perspectives on Counseling (3 hrs)

ELECTIVES (9 HOURS)
- COUN 527 Physiological Psychology and Psychopharmacology
- COUN 535 Child Sexual Abuse (3 hrs)
- COUN 545 Crisis Intervention (3 hrs)
- COUN 580 Substance Abuse Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 630 Treatment Planning (3 hrs)
- COUN 644 Child and Adolescent Assessment (3 hrs)
- COUN 645 Child and Adolescent Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 650 Counseling for Grief and Loss (3 hrs)
- COUN 660 Creative and Expressive Arts in Counseling (3 hrs)
- CMC 6010 Ministry to the Aging and their Families (3 hrs)
- CMC 6020 Human Sexuality (3 hrs)
- CMC 6030 Counseling and Multiculturalism (3 hrs)
  [Acceptable Substitute for COUN 540 Cultural Diversity 3 hrs]
- CMC 6200 The Church and Family Formation (3 hrs)
- CMC 6210 The Church and Marriage and Family Therapy (3 hrs)
  [Acceptable Substitute for COUN 625 Marriage and Family Counseling (3 hrs)]

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• CMC 7070 Suffering and Christian Care and Counseling (3 hrs)

**CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH CONCENTRATION**

**Fall of Year One: 9 ½ hrs**
• COUN 520 Theory and Practice of Counseling (3)
• COUN 550 Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice (3)
• COUN 553 Theories of Personality (3)
• COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5)

**Spring of Year One: 10 ½ hrs – 13 ½ hrs**
• COUN 530 Child and Adult Psychopathology (4 hrs)
• COUN 560 Assessment and Evaluation Techniques (3 hrs)
• COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5 hr)
• COUN 690 Practicum in Counseling (3 hrs)

**Summer of Year One: 9 – 12 hrs**
• COUN 500 Human Growth and Development (3 hrs)
• COUN 610 Group Dynamics and Group Counseling (3 hrs)
• COUN 680 Research Methods (3 hrs)
• Elective (3 hrs)

**Fall of Year Two: 9 ½ hrs**
• COUN 540 Cultural Diversity in Counseling (3 hrs)
• COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5 hr)
• COUN 625 Marriage and Family Counseling (3 hrs)
• COUN 692 Internship 1 (3 hrs)

**Spring of Year Two: 9 ½ hrs**
• COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5 hr)
• COUN 670 Christian Perspectives on Counseling (3 hrs)
• COUN 694 Internship 2 (3 hrs)
• Elective (3 hrs)

Updated 6/9/2016
Summer of Year Two 9 – 12 hrs

- COUN 620 Career Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 648 Evidenced-Based Counseling Techniques (3 hrs)
- Elective(s) (3 – 6 hrs)

SCHOOL COUNSELING
(Candidates without Initial Teaching Licensure)

CORE COURSES (27 HOURS)

- COUN 500 Human Growth and Development (3 hrs)
- COUN 520 Theory and Practice of Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 530 Child and Adult Psychopathology (4 hrs)
- COUN 540 Cultural Diversity in Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 550 Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice (3 hrs)
- COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5 hrs)
- COUN 610 Group Dynamics and Group Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 620 Career Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 680 Research Methods (3 hrs)

REQUIRED CLINICAL EXPERIENCE (9 hrs)

- COUN 690 Practicum in Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 691 School Counseling Internship 1 (3 hrs)
- COUN 693 School Counseling Internship 2 (3 hrs)

REQUIRED COURSES FOR SCHOOL COUNSELING CONCENTRATION (12 HOURS)

- COUN 555 Professional Roles and Practices of School Counselors (3 hrs)
- COUN 644 Child and Adolescent Assessment (3 hrs)
- COUN 645 Child and Adolescent Counseling (3 hrs)
- EDUC 641 Advanced Parent Education and Involvement (3 hrs)

ADDITIONAL COURSES TO MEET LICENSURE STANDARDS

- EDUC 530 Education of Exceptional Students (3 hrs)
- Choose one of the following:
  - EDUC 520 Middle Grades and Secondary Curriculum and Methods (3 hrs)
  - EDUC 576A Early Childhood and Elementary Curriculum and Methods (3 hrs)

Notes: With this course sequence above only students without initial teaching licensure would take EDUC 530. Candidates without initial teaching licensure would take EDUC 520 or EDUC 576 to meet the following state requirement:
Professional school counselor candidates without prior teaching experience will have an additional orientation experience in a school as an early part of the preparation program. The orientation experience provides candidates the opportunity to observe, participate in, and analyze classroom instruction. The orientation provides the candidate with teaching experiences and feedback regarding the candidate’s teaching.

Concentration Three – School Counseling
(Candidates with Initial Teaching Licensure)

CORE COURSES (27 HOURS)
- COUN 500 Human Growth and Development (3 hrs)
- COUN 520 Theory and Practice of Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 530 Child and Adult Psychopathology (4 hrs)
- COUN 540 Cultural Diversity in Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 550 Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice (3 hrs)
- COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5 hrs)
- COUN 610 Group Dynamics and Group Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 620 Career Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 680 Research Methods (3 hrs)

REQUIRED CLINICAL EXPERIENCE (9 hrs)
- COUN 690 Practicum in Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 691 School Counseling Internship 1 (3 hrs)
- COUN 693 School Counseling Internship 2 (3 hrs)

REQUIRED COURSES FOR SCHOOL COUNSELING CONCENTRATION (12 HOURS)
- COUN 555 Professional Roles and Practices of School Counselors (3 hrs)
- COUN 644 Child and Adolescent Assessment (3 hrs)
- COUN 645 Child and Adolescent Counseling (3 hrs)
- EDUC 641 Advanced Parent Education and Involvement (3 hrs)

SCHOOL COUNSELING CONCENTRATIONS

Fall of Year One: 9 ½ - 12 ½ hrs
- COUN 520 Theory and Practice of Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 550 Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice (3 hrs)
- COUN 555 Professional Roles and Practices of School Counselors (3 hrs)
- COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5 hr)
- EDUC 576 Early Childhood and Elementary Curriculum and Methods (3 hrs) **

**For Students without teaching licensure only.
Spring of Year One: 10 ½ hrs - 13 ½ hrs
- COUN 530 Child and Adult Psychopathology (4 hrs)
- COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning Seminar (0.5 hr)
- COUN 644 Child and Adolescent Assessment (3 hrs)
- COUN 690 Practicum in Counseling (3 hrs)

Summer of Year One: 6 – 9 hrs
- COUN 500 Human Growth and Development (3 hrs)
- COUN 610 Group Dynamics and Group Counseling (3 hrs)
- EDUC 520 Middle Grades and Secondary Curriculum and Methods (3 hrs) ** For Students without teaching licensure only. **

Fall of Year Two: 9 ½ - 13 ½ hrs
- COUN 540 Cultural Diversity in Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning (0.5 hrs)
- COUN 645 Child and Adolescent Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 691 School Counseling Internship 1 (3 hrs)
- EDUC 530 Education of Exceptional Students (3 hrs) ** For Students without teaching licensure only. **

Spring of Year 2: 6 ½ hrs
- COUN 600 Integration of Faith and Learning (0.5 hrs)
- COUN 693 School Counseling Internship 2 (3 hrs)
- EDUC 641 Advanced Parent Education and Involvement (3 hrs)

Summer of Year 2: 6 hrs
- COUN 620 Career Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 680 Research Methods (3 hrs)
CERTIFICATE IN COUNSELING MINISTRY

REQUIRED COURSES (13 hrs)
- COUN 520 Theory and Practice of Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 530 Child and Adult Psychopathology (4 hrs)
- CMC 5010 The Person of the Minister (3 hrs)
- CMC 7050 Basic Approaches to Christian Care and Counseling (3 hrs)

Elective Courses (6 hrs)
- COUN 535 Child Sexual Abuse (3 hrs)
- COUN 540 Cultural Diversity in Counseling (3 hrs) or CMC 6030 Counseling and Multiculturalism (3 hrs)
- COUN 545 Crisis Intervention (3 hrs) Pre-requisite COUN 500 Human Growth and Development
- COUN 610 Group Dynamics and Group Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 625 Marriage and Family Counseling (3 hrs) or CMC 6210 The Church and Marriage and Family Therapy (3 hrs)
- COUN 645 Child and Adolescent Counseling (3 hrs)
- COUN 650 Counseling for Grief and Loss (3 hrs)
- CMC 6010 Ministry to the Aging and Their Families (3 hrs)
- CMC 6030 Counseling and Multiculturalism (3 hrs)
- CMC 6020 Human Sexuality (3 hrs)
- CMC 7070 Suffering and Christian Care and Counseling (3 hrs)