

# Christian Spiritual Formation Complementary Major (28-30 credit hours) 2018-2019

# **Major Requirements**

## **Spiritual Formation Core (9 credit hours):**

- RLGN 1100, Introduction to Spiritual Formation, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 4960, Capstone Course: Spiritual Formation Through Work, Calling, and Holiness, 3 credit hours
- RLGN2410, Where am I?: Faith and Cosmology, 3 credit hours OR
- •RLGN 2430, Who am I?: Theological Anthropology, 3 credit hours

## Any 3 Interdisciplinary Courses (7-9 credit hours):

- PSYC/SOCI, 3500, Thought Life and Spiritual Growth, 2 credit hours
- ENGL 2580, The Spiritual Practice of Writing, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 3150, Art, Faith, and Culture, 3 credit hours
- PSYC 3200, Christian Living in a Postmodern World, 3 credit hours
- PACT 2400, Principles and Practices of Conflict Transformation, 2 credit hours

## One course from EACH of the four categories below (12 credit hours):

#### Scripture:

- BIBL 2150, Theological Interpretation of the Bible, 3 credit hours
- BIBL/RLGN 3000, The Bible, Christians, and Biblical Interpretation (WI), 3 credit hours

#### **Tradition:**

- HIST/RLGN 2060, History of Christianity, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 2250, Early Christian Accounts of Virtue and the Good Life, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 2270, Church of God Heritage, 4 credit hours
- HIST 3540, History of the Civil Rights Movement, 3 credit hours

#### Reason:

- RLGN 3120, Current Issues in Christian Ethics, 3 credit hours
- RLGN/PHIL 3250, Ethics and Morality for Professionals, 3 credit hours
- PHIL 2000, Introduction to Philosophy, 3 credit hours

# **Experience:**

- RLGN 2310, Faith and Fantasy, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 3100, Christian Understandings of Human Experience, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 3520, Backpacking with the Saints, 3 credit hours; a Tri-S course/trip that alternates every year with
- RLGN 3530, Celtic Spirituality, 3 credit hours. (RLGN 3520 will be taught for the first time in the summer of 2018, and RLGN 3530 will be taught for the first time in the spring or summer of 2019.)

<sup>\*3</sup> courses are required from the Interdisciplinary core, and they can fit in any semester in which they are offered. The department recommends that the courses be taken in the years that their course numbers indicate (2000=Sophomore year; 3000=Junior year).





Christian Spiritual Formation Complementary Major Suggested Course Sequence 2018-2019

SEMESTER 1		SEMESTER 2	
RLGN 1100	3 Hours	RLGN 2410	3 Hours
BIBL 2000	3 Hours	ENGL 1120	3 Hours
ENGL 1100/ENGL 1110	3-4 Hours	LART 1100	2 Hours
LART 1050	1 Hour	COMM 1000	3 Hours
Foreign Language	4 Hours	Personal Wellness	2 Hours

SEMESTER 3		SEMESTER 4	
RLGN 2430	3 Hours	Course from the Scripture Core	3 Hours
Civic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Interdisciplinary Course	2-3 Hours
Scientific Ways of Knowing	4 Hours	Aesthetic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Elective	3 Hours	Quantitative Reasoning	3 Hours

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
Course from the Tradition Core	3 Hours	Course from the Experience Core	3 Hours
Interdisciplinary Course	2-Hours	Interdisciplinary Course	2-3 Hours
Christian Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Global/Intercultural	3 Hours
Aesthetic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Speaking Intensive	3 Hours
Elective	3 Hours		

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
Course from the Reason Core	3 Hours	RLGN 4960	3 Hours
Writing Intensive	3 Hours	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Elective	3 Hours	Elective	3 Hours
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This major is designed to complement any major offered by the University. Its aim is to aid students in becoming complete and mature disciples of Jesus Christ by integrating Christian faith with academic knowledge in order to produce Christian professionals who are equipped to serve the Church and the world in whatever their chosen profession or vocation may be.