

**Christian Ministries Major (43 credit hours; Suggested Four Year Plan)**

**2018-2019**

**Major Requirements**

**Departmental Core (21 hours):**

- BIBL 2000, Introduction to the Bible, 3 credit hours (offered each semester)
- BIBL 2050, Methods in Biblical Exegesis, 3 credit hours (offered semester two)\*\*
- RLGN 2000, Introduction to Religion, 3 credit hours (offered semester one)
- RLGN 2060, History of Christianity, 3 credit hours (offered semester one)
- RLGN 2130, Introduction to Christian Ethics, 3 credit hours (offered semester one)\*\*
- RLGN 2150, Hermeneutics: The Practice of Interpreting, 3 credit hours (offered semester one)\*\*
- RLGN 3040, Introduction to Christian Theology, 3 credit hours (offered semester two)\*\*

**\*\*BIBL 2000 is a prerequisite for this course**

**Ministry Core (19 hours):**

- CMIN 2000, Introduction to Christian Ministry, 3 credit hours (offered each semester)
- CMIN 3050, Homiletics, 3 credit hours (offered semester one)\*\*\*
- CMIN 3080, Pastoral Care and Counseling, 3 credit hours (offered semester two)\*\*\*
- CMIN 3910, Ministry Seminar, 3 credit hours (offered both semesters)\*\*\*
- CMIN 4250, Theology in a Ministry Context, 3 credit hours (offered semester one)\*\*\*
- CMIN 4810, Ministry Internship, 1-4 credit hours (offered both semesters)\*\*\*

**\*\*\*BIBL 2000 and/or CMIN 2000 is/are the prerequisite(s) for this course**

Majors must take 3 additional credit hours from courses offered by the department.

Proposed course sequence:

Freshman: BIBL 2000, RLGN 2000; CMIN 2000, BIBL 2050  
 Sophomore: RLGN 2060; RLGN 2150; RLGN 3040; CMIN 3080  
 Junior: CMIN 3910 (take twice), CMIN 4810; RLGN 2130  
 Senior: DCM #####; CMIN 3050; 4250

#####=elective course

- BIBL 2000, Introduction to the Bible, is a Biblical Literacy course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- CMIN 4250, Theology in a Ministry Context, is a Writing Intensive course in the Liberal Arts Program.

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**Christian Ministries Minor (16 credit hours)**

**2018-2019**

- CMIN 2000, Introduction to Christian Ministry, 3 credit hours
- 9 hours chosen from CMIN courses
- At least 1 hour of CMIN 4810: Ministry Internship
- 3 upper-division hours from additional courses offered by the department

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Questions? Please contact the Department of Christian Ministry

Christian Ministries Major Suggested Course Sequence

2018-2019

SEMESTER 1		SEMESTER 2	
BIBL 2000	3 Hours	BIBL 2050	3 Hours
RLGN 2000	3 Hours	CMIN 2000	3 Hours
ENGL 1100/ENGL 1110	3-4 Hours	ENGL 1120	3 Hours
LART 1050	1 Hour	COMM 1000	3 Hours
Foreign Language	4 Hours	Elective	3 Hours

SEMESTER 3		SEMESTER 4	
RLGN 2060	3 Hours	RLGN 3040	3 Hours
RLGN 2150	3 Hours	CMIN 3080 Personal Wellness	3 Hours 2-3 Hours
Scientific Ways of Knowing	4 Hours	Quantitative Reasoning	3 Hours
Civic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3 Hours

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
CMIN 3910	3 Hours	CMIN 3910 (meets Speaking Intensive Requirement)	3 Hours
RLGN 2130	3 Hours	CMIN 4810	4 Hours
Christian Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Global/Intercultural	3 Hours
Aesthetic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours		

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
CMIN 3050	3 Hours	CMIN 4250	3 Hours
Writing Intensive	3 Hours	Writing Intensive (upper division)	3 Hours
Elective	3 Hours	Elective	3 Hours

Total Major Hours=43; 120 Credit Hours Are Needed for a B.A. degree (total not reflected above; more courses—a minor, elective hours, and so forth, are needed to total 120 Hours)

The Christian Ministries major is designed to prepare students to serve as Christian leaders and servants in the world. It offers undergraduate study of ministry which may lead to:

1. Lay ministry while pursuing another profession.
2. A position of leadership in ministry in a local congregation, a church-related organization, or a related field.
3. Graduate study in ministry. This major is intended to be a first step in a plan of lifelong learning for ministry.

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