

**MINISTRY LEADERSHIP MAJOR  
Youth Ministries Concentration**

**GENERAL EDUCATION - 69 hours**

**BIBLE & THEOLOGY - 30 hours**

BIB 213 Hermeneutics  
 BSF 103 Foundations for Spiritual Formation  
 NTE 103 Introduction to the New Testament  
 NTE \_\_\_ New Testament Elective  
 OTE 103 Introduction to the Old Testament  
 OTE \_\_\_ Old Testament Elective  
 THE 303 Introduction to Theology  
 THE \_\_\_ Theology Elective  
 6 hours of Bible/Theology Electives from any BIB, BMI, GRK (except 213), HEB (except 213), NTE, OTE, THE, **or** approved integrative courses. C&MA students seeking accreditation should take THE 343

**HUMANITIES - 18 hours**

COM 113 Introduction to Communication  
 ENG 113 Freshman Composition I  
 ENG 123 Freshman Composition II  
 HUM 103 Western Thought & Culture  
 PHY 113 Introduction to Philosophy  
 3 hours ENG Literature Elective

**SOCIAL SCIENCES - 12 hours**

PSY 243 Developmental Psychology  
 3 hours History Elective from HIS 353, HIS 363, **or** approved HIS 383  
 6 hours Social Science Elective from ANT, CRJ113, CSG 113, ECO, GHY, HIS, ICS 323, POL, PSY 253, 263, 323, 343, SOC, **or** SWO 203

**COMPUTER, SCIENCE, & MATHEMATICS - 9 hours**

SCI 113 Scientific Literacy **or** other Science Elective  
 3 hours Mathematics Elective  
 3 hours Elective from any computer, science, **or** mathematics

**MAJOR - 42 hours**

**MINISTRY LEADERSHIP CORE – 27 hours**

MLD 113 Foundations of Discipleship  
 MLD 213 Emotionally Healthy Leaders  
 MLD 223 Foundations of Ministry Leadership  
 MLD 313 Cultural Competence and Critical Issues  
 MLD 323 Practical Theology for Ministry Leaders  
 MLD 413 Ministry Leadership Internship  
 MLD 423 Leading Organizational Change  
 MLD 433 Spiritual Formation  
 MLD 443 Seminar in Ministry and Leadership

**YOUTH MINISTRIES CONCENTRATION -15 hours**

MGM 313 Small Groups  
 YTH 253 Foundations of Youth Ministry  
 YTH 363 Youth Culture  
 YTH 233 Introduction to Communicating to Youth  
 YTH 323 Organization & Administration of Youth Ministry  
 YTH 373 Spiritual Care & Counseling for Youth Ministry  
 YTH 413 Curriculum Development for Youth Ministry  
 YTH 423 Youth Evangelism & Discipleship

**MINOR or OPEN ELECTIVES - 15 hours**

**TOTAL = 126 hours**

**SAO 250**

With advising, the student will decide on an appropriate number of SAO250 Advanced Ministry Experiences based on ministry vocational goals. Experiences include SAO hours relevant to their concentration.

**MINISTRY LEADERSHIP MAJOR  
COURSE SCHEDULE**

**First Year**

**Fall Semester**

BSF 103	Foundations of Spiritual Formation	3
OTE 103	Introduction to the Old Testament	3
COM 113	Introduction to Communication	3
ENG 113	Freshman Composition I	3
MLD 113	Foundations of Discipleship	3
TFC 100	Orientation	0
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HUM 103	Western Thought & Culture	3
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**Spring Semester**

NTE 103	Introduction to the New Testament	3
ENG 123	Freshman Composition II	3
___	Social Science Elective	3
PHY 113	Introduction to Philosophy	3
SCI 113	Scientific Literacy <b>or</b> science elective	3
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**Second Year**

**Fall Semester**

BIB 213	Hermeneutics	3
THE 303	Introduction to Theology	3
MLD 213	Emotionally Healthy Leaders	3
___	Computer/Science/Math Elective	3
___	Concentration Course	3
SAO ___	Service & Outreach	0
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**Spring Semester**

OTE ___	Old Testament Elective	3
MLD 223	Foundations of Ministry Leadership	3
PSY 113	General Psychology	3
MAT ___	Math Elective	3
___	Concentration Course	3
SAO ___	Service & Outreach	0
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**Third Year**

**Fall Semester**

THE 373	Theology of Worship and Prayer	3
ENG ___	Literature Elective	3
___	Concentration Course	3
___	Social Science Elective	3
___	Minor <b>or</b> Open Elective	3
SAO ___	Service & Outreach	0
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**Spring Semester**

NTE ___	New Testament Elective	3
MLD 313	Cultural Competence and Critical Issues	3
MLD 323	Practical Theology for Ministry Leaders	3
___	Concentration Course	3
___	Minor <b>or</b> Open Elective	3
SAO ___	Service & Outreach	0
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**Summer Session**

MLD 413	Ministry Leadership Internship	3
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**Fourth Year**

**Fall Semester**

___	Bible <b>or</b> Theology Elective	3
HIS ___	HIS 353, HIS 363 <b>or</b> approved HIS 383	3
MLD 423	Leading Organizational Change	3
___	Minor <b>or</b> Open Elective	3
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**Spring Semester**

___	Bible <b>or</b> Theology Elective	3
MLD 433	Spiritual Formation	3
MLD 443	Seminar in Ministry and Leadership	3
___	Concentration Course	3
___	Minor <b>or</b> Open Elective	3
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Minimum hours required = 126