



Ministry Leadership

Master of Arts in Ministry Leadership (MAML) | Graduate
College of Graduate, Online & Adult Learning

Expand your understanding of Christian leadership with a flexible Master's in Ministry Leadership (MAML). Graduate equipped with the tools needed to lead organizations, communicate effectively, and impact the world for Christ.

18-22

months to complete
your degree



36

credits of program
coursework



\$19,440

total tuition



**MAML +
M.Div**

Apply MAML toward an
M.Div degree. Graduate
with both degrees in as
few as 76 credits.

Our online Master's in Ministry Leadership degree may be the right fit if you...

- Are passionate about Christian leadership in churches, nonprofits, and other faith-based organizations
- Value faith-infused curriculum that interlocks faith and purpose
- Appreciate an online format that fits your busy life

Why study ministry leadership at Northwestern?

Our M.A. in Ministry Leadership degree is intentionally designed to be both **realistically attainable and undeniably valuable**.

Discover an accelerated online MAML program designed to equip local church, non-profit, and lay leaders with tools for spiritual formation, biblical interpretation, and organizational leadership.

Program Features

- Flexible degree that expands your understanding of Christian leadership
- Expert faculty who are active in ministry
- Customizable MAML program with six concentrations



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“I use the things that I learned in my Bible and Christian ministry classes every day. There are times that I can recall exactly which class I learned how to handle a situation with my youth group students or the Bible class where I learned about a topic that I plan to teach about. **UNW equipped me to teach the Word of God and to be a leader in the local church.**”

- Emma Larson | Student Class of 2021

Concentrations

Optimize your Master's in Ministry Leadership degree for your unique ministry goals. Customize your program by selecting one of six concentrations:

BIBLICAL STUDIES

Students complete 12 credits specific to biblical studies. You will take courses such as Bible in Its World and Old/New Testament Survey.

CLINICAL PASTORAL EDUCATION

Students complete 12 credits specific to clinical pastoral education. Students interested in chaplaincy may pursue this option through a partnership with a regional hospital.

CULTURAL ENGAGEMENT

Students complete 12 credits specific to cultural engagement. You will take courses such as Science and Christianity and Theology of Gender and Sexuality.

ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP

Students complete 12 credits specific to organizational leadership. You will take courses such as Managerial Leadership and Leading Organizational Change.

PASTORAL LEADERSHIP

Students complete 12 credits specific to pastoral leadership. You will take courses such as Pastoral Care and Ministries of Preaching and Worship.

PASTORAL LEADERSHIP

Students complete 12 credits specific to theological studies. You will take courses such as Systematic Theology I and II.

Career Opportunities

An M.A. in Ministry Leadership opens doors to pursue the ministry to which you are called. Be prepared for a variety of leadership roles, including:

- ▶ Chaplain
- ▶ Christian Educator
- ▶ Church Administration
- ▶ Church Planter
- ▶ Crisis Relief Director
- ▶ Doctoral Studies
- ▶ Executive Leader
- ▶ Missionary
- ▶ Missions Organization Executive
- ▶ Nonprofit Leader
- ▶ Pastor
- ▶ Research/Writer
- ▶ Thought Leader

*Roles in some settings may require additional education or training.

Interested in learning more about our online MAML degree? **We'd love to talk!**

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