

CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES

Department of **CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES**

Mission Statement

Ministry has always been vital to the purpose and mission of University of Northwestern. The Department of Christian Ministries prepares students to serve in a variety of positions in North America or overseas and/or for seminary and other graduate education. Our strength is in the diversity of our faculty and the varied and extensive ministry experiences they bring into the classroom.

The mission of the department is to prepare leaders to carry out Christian ministry from a biblical worldview to a multicultural world. To this end the department seeks to help individuals to (1) understand God and self, (2) understand people in community, and (3) understand, design, and implement Christian ministry.

The department offers the following five majors: Intercultural Studies, Ministry, Nonprofit Leadership, Pastoral Ministry, and Youth Studies. We also offer a variety of concentrations, including Camping Ministry, Chinese Language, Cross-Cultural Ministry, English Language Teaching, International Teaching, Media Ministry, Ministry, Next Generation Ministry, Nonprofit Leadership, Social Justice, Spanish Language, Worship and Creative Arts, Youth and Emerging Adult Ministry, and Youth Studies.

Accelerated/Dual Degree Graduate Programs

Undergraduate students in our department may apply to add a graduate degree with as little as one additional year of study.

Accelerated MAML

The department offers accelerated pathways from all five undergraduate majors into the Master of Arts in Ministry Leadership (MAML). In this accelerated program, students complete 12–16 credits of graduate coursework within their undergraduate major. After graduating with their B.S./B.A. degree, students then complete the remaining 20–24 credits through online or blended coursework to finish the M.A. degree. Through this accelerated program, students save time and money in their pursuit of a graduate degree. When completing the MAML, students are encouraged to pursue a concentration in a variety of fields, including biblical and theological studies, leadership, or practical ministry. Accelerated graduate program requirements are listed following each major description.

Accelerated M.Div.

The department also offers an accelerated/dual degree leading to an undergraduate major in Pastoral Ministry (B.S./B.A.) and a Master of Divinity (M.Div.) degree, a standard graduate degree for those pursuing pastoral ministry. This streamlined program saves time and money for pastoral students, reducing the typical 7 years of coursework to as little as 5 years. Qualified undergraduate students who are accepted into this program during their sophomore year complete up to 50% of the M.Div. degree within their undergraduate program. The remaining graduate degree courses are completed after graduating with the bachelor's degree. When completing the Master of Divinity, students are encouraged to pursue a concentration in Theological Studies, Organizational Leadership, Human Services, Educational Studies, or Clinical Pastoral Education. The accelerated M.Div. program requirements are listed following the Pastoral Ministries major description.

Policies

Students wishing to enroll in the accelerated M.A. in Ministry Leadership or Master of Divinity program must first be admitted to UNW and then apply for the accelerated program through the Christian Ministries Department during or after their sophomore year. Graduate-level courses taken within the undergraduate program must be completed with a grade of C or better in order to fulfill graduate degree requirements. Upon completion of the undergraduate degree, students apply to Graduate Studies and then complete the remainder of their graduate degree. Requirements for the MAML and M.Div. are listed in the graduate school catalog.

Intercultural Studies Major Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science

The Intercultural Studies major is designed to promote interest in and develop skills for intercultural work/ministry both in North America and overseas. The degree is granted upon completion of credits specified on pages 48–49 (40 credits must be successfully completed in 3000- or 4000-level courses).

- **Biblical Thinking & Living** requirement of BIA1015 or BIA1827 in the core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN2016.
- **Cultural & Global Engagement** requirement in the core curriculum fulfilled by ICS4025.
- **Scientific & Quantitative Literacy** social science course in core curriculum: ICS2045.
- **MUH3106** is a suggested Creative Expression course in core curriculum.
- **B.A. option** requires achieving 1002-level competency in an approved foreign language. See page 47.

Major Core 24–26 cr

ICS1008	Introduction to Missions	2
ICS2015	World Religions	4
ICS2045	Cultural Anthropology (SEE SCIENTIFIC & QUANTITATIVE LITERACY REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
ICS3005	Human Global Migration	2
ICS3107	Biblical Theology of Mission [WCE]	2
ICS3206	Intercultural Teamwork	2
ICS4025	Culture, Change, and Worldview [OCE] (SEE CULTURAL & GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
ICS4225	Intercultural Studies Research Methods	2
MIN2016	Biblical Interpretation for Study (SEE BIBLICAL THINKING & LIVING REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN3216	Leadership in Ministry.	4

Internship Core 4–6 cr

ICS4490	ICS Internship Orientation	0–1
ICS4495	ICS Internship Debriefing	0–1
ICS4991	Intercultural Studies Internship I	2
ICS4992	Intercultural Studies Internship II	2

Note: SIA4995 or SPN4995 fulfills ICS4991 and ICS4992. Students completing a preapproved study abroad* program may petition the department to have ICS Internship requirements fulfilled through their experience. Students may be asked to complete ICS4495.

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Concentration 12 cr

Note: None of the courses used to satisfy core curriculum requirements may be applied to the concentration, and vice versa.

Select a concentration. Requirements are listed below. Students desiring credit for additional internship experiences are encouraged to take ICS4993/ICS4994.

General Concentration (12 cr)

Complete an individualized group of interrelated courses in consultation with the academic advisor including any combination of courses with the prefix ESL, ICS, LIN, MIN, YOU, ACC2015, FIN2025, DES2111, or MEP1013. Other courses may be approved by the department chair. Recommend including MIN1643-1644. Students seeking to double major may want to consider declaring a General Concentration.

Chinese Language Concentration (12 cr)

CHN1001	Beginning Chinese I	4
CHN1002	Beginning Chinese II	4
Concentration Electives		4
Selected from courses with CHN, ESL, ICS, LIN, MIN, or YOU prefix; HIS3155.		

Cross-Cultural Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

MIN1007	Ministry Foundations	4
Select one of the following:		
MIN3218	Teaching Methods in Ministry	4
MIN4306	Preaching and Worship	4
Select 2 credits from the following:		
ICS2005	Evangelism and Discipleship	2
ICS3016	Understanding Islam.	2
ICS3065	Introduction to Teaching English as a Foreign Language	2
ICS3067	Social Justice.	2
ICS3068	Relief and Development	2
ICS3069	Business as Mission	2
Concentration Electives		2
Selected from courses with ESL, ICS, MIN, or YOU prefix; ACC2015, DES2111, FIN2025, or MEP1013.		

English Language Teaching Concentration (12 cr)

Note: Students in this track must take LIN2226 in the Major Core.		
ICS3065	Introduction to Teaching English as a Foreign Language	2
ENG3125	Structure of English Grammar	4
ESL3315	Theory of Language Acquisition	4
Concentration Electives		2
Selected from courses with CHN, ESL, ICS, MIN, SPA, or YOU prefix; ACC2015, DES2111, FIN2025, or MEP1013.		

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International Teaching Concentration (12 cr)

(**Note:** ESL Double Majors choose this concentration.)

- EDU2215 Educational Foundations 2
- EDU2215L Educational Foundations Lab. 0

Note: The following EDU courses require consent from the School of Education:

- EDU3235 Instructional Foundations 3
- EDU3285 Educating Diverse Learners 2
- EDU3285L Educating Diverse Learners Lab. 0
- EDU3301 Instructional Technology I: Foundations of Instructional Technologies 1

Select 4 credits from the following:

- CFD3205 Child Development 4
- CFD3205L Child Development Lab. 0
- CFD3207 Adolescent Development and the Middle Level Learner 2
- CFD3309 Facilitating Learning and Development in Young Children 4
- MIN3045 Developmental Foundations for Ministry 4
- MIN3226 Family Studies 2
- PSY2108 Lifespan Psychology 4

Note: Students may want to consider adding a Child Development, Ministry, or Special Education minor.

Media Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

- MEP1016 Story Structure 4

Select one of the following:

- MEP1012 Audio Production 3
- MEP1013 Video Production 4

Select two enrollments from the following:

- MEP2625–2627, 4625–4627. 0–2

Concentration Electives 2–5

Selected from courses with COM, ICS, MEP, MIN, PRL, or YOU prefix; ACC2015, DES2111, ENG3249, ENG3316, or FIN2025.

Nonprofit Leadership Concentration (12 cr)

- ACC2015 Foundations of Accounting & Finance 2
- ICS3069 Business as Mission 2
- LDR3060 Foundations of Nonprofit Leadership 2

Select 4 credits from the following:

- ENG3248 Grant Writing 2
- MGT2271 Management 4
- MGT3255 Human Resource Management. 2
- MKT1085 Principles of Marketing 4
- PRL3035 Nonprofit PR 2

Concentration Electives 2

Selected from courses with ACC, BUS, COM, ECO, FIN, HCM, ICS, LDR, MGT, MIN, MKT, POS, PRL, or YOU prefix; DES2111 or ENG3248.

Social Justice Concentration (12 cr)

- BIB3045 Theology for Social Engagement. 2
- ICS3015 Race and Ethnicity in America 4
- ICS3067 Social Justice. 2

Concentration Electives 4

Selected from courses with ICS, MIN, PHI, POS, PSY, SOC, or YOU prefix; DES2111, FIN2025, or MEP1013.

Spanish Language Concentration (12 cr)

Note: SPA3325 is recommended for the literature elective in the core curriculum.

- SPA Electives 12

Youth Studies Concentration (12 cr)

- YOU2205 Serving Youth and Emerging Adults 2
- YOU3208 Leading Youth and Emerging Adults 4

Select one of the following:

- YOU3206 Contemporary Issues and Interventions with Youth . 2
- YOU3207 Spiritual Lives of Youth 2

Concentration Electives 4

Selected from courses with ICS, MIN, or YOU prefix; ACC2015, DES2111, FIN2025, or MEP1013.

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Course Requirements for Accelerated Intercultural Studies/MAML

Students who are accepted into the accelerated MAML program will substitute the following graduate-level courses into the undergraduate degree to fulfill major or core curriculum requirements.

Undergraduate Courses 14 cr

- New Testament Exposition (core curriculum) 2
- Theological Philosophy (core curriculum) 2
- ICS4025 Culture, Change, and Worldview [OCE] 2
- MIN3216 Leadership in Ministry. 4
- Concentration Elective. 4

Graduate Courses 14 cr

- BIB6214U Interpreting the Gospels 2
- BIA5021U Apologetics 2
- ICS5225U Culture and Worldview Transformation [OCE] 2
- MIN5210U Leading and Organizing Ministry 4
- BIA5015U Biblical Hermeneutics. 4

Intercultural Studies Minor 18 cr

Required Course: ICS1008; select one course from ICS2045, 4025, or LIN2226; select one course from ICS2015, 3016, 3215, or 4495; select 8–13 credits from ESL, ICS, MIN, SOC, or YOU electives. **Note:** The ICS Internship Core may be applied as electives.

Ministry Major Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science

The Ministry major is a flexible program emphasizing studies which prepare the student for a career of ministry in the local church, parachurch, nonprofit ministries, or the world at large. It also lays a foundation for seminary/graduate study. The degree is granted upon completion of credits specified on pages 48–49 (40 credits must be successfully completed in 3000- or 4000-level courses).

The major focuses the student’s attention on courses which aim at proficiency first in the performance of general Christian ministry and then in specified ministry specializations. The major includes core courses and an area of concentration. Students selecting a general concentration are able to design an area of study in consultation with their advisor.

- **Biblical Thinking & Living** requirement of BIA1015 or BIA1827 in the core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN2016.
- **Cultural & Global Engagement** requirement in core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN3207 or MIN5610U.
- **Creative Expression** courses in core curriculum for Worship and Creative Arts Concentration must include MUH3105 or MUS1075.
- **Scientific & Quantitative Literacy** social science course in core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN3045 or 5045U.
- **B.A. option** requires achieving 1002-level competency in an approved foreign language. See page 47.
- **Proportional Core Curriculum:** Students not already scheduled to take the following courses in their core curriculum must add them (this applies to junior and senior transfers to University of Northwestern): BIB2005 or BIB2827, BIB2008 or BIB2826.

Ministry Core26 cr

MIN1007	Ministry Foundations	4
MIN2016	Biblical Interpretation for Study (SEE BIBLICAL THINKING & LIVING REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN3045	Developmental Foundations for Ministry [WCE] (SEE SCIENTIFIC & QUANTITATIVE LITERACY REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN3065	Digital Ministry.	2
MIN3206	Relationships.	4
MIN3207	Ministry in a Globalized World (SEE CULTURAL & GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN3216	Leadership in Ministry.	4
MIN3218	Teaching Methods in Ministry [OCE]	4
MIN3231	Care and Counseling in Ministry.	4

Select one of the following:

ICS1008	Introduction to Missions	2
ICS2005	Evangelism and Discipleship	2
MIN3075	Church Planting	2
ICS3069	Business as Mission	2

Select 2 credits from the following:

MIN1641	Christian Service I	1
MIN1642	Christian Service II	1
LDR3135	Peer Mentoring for Leadership Growth	0–1

Note: LDR3135 may be repeated to fulfill both credits.

Internship and Capstone Core 6 cr

MIN4855	Capstone	2
MIN4991	Ministry Internship I	2
MIN4992	Ministry Internship II	2

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Concentration 12 cr

Select a concentration. Requirements are listed below.
Note: None of the courses used to satisfy core curriculum requirements may be applied to the concentration, and vice versa.

General Concentration (12 cr)

Complete an individualized group of interrelated courses in consultation with the academic advisor including any combination of courses with the prefix ACL, BIA, BIB, ICS, MIN, YOU, ACC2015, FIN2025, DES2111, or MEP1013. Other courses may be approved by the department chair. Recommend including MIN1643-1644. Students seeking to double major may want to consider declaring a General Concentration.

Camping Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

The following coursework is completed over the course of one year at Camp Forest Springs.* Application required. Students in this concentration are encouraged to declare a Camp and Conference Center Administration minor.

Satisfied from among two semesters of the following:

CFS3000	Camp Management	1.5
CFS3400	Camp Counseling	1.5
CFS3500	Camp Programming	2.0
CFS3600	Camp Teaching.	0.5
CFS3700	Camp Health and Risk Management.	0.5

Media Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

MEP1016	Story Structure.	4
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Select one of the following:

MEP1012	Audio Production	3
MEP1013	Video Production	4

Select two enrollments from the following:

MEP2625–2627, 4625–4627.	0–2
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Concentration Electives.

Selected from courses with COM, ICS, MEP, MIN, PRL, or YOU prefix; ACC2015, DES2111, ENG3249, ENG3316, or FIN2025.

Next Generation Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

MIN3107	Spiritual Lives of Children or	
YOU3207	Spiritual Lives of Youth	2
MIN3226	Family Studies	2
MIN3308	Leading Children and Families.	2
YOU2205	Serving Youth and Emerging Adults	4

Concentration Electives.

Selected from courses with CFD, ICS, MIN, PSY, or SOC prefix; ACC2015, CRJ3228, CRJ4325, DES2111, LDR3135, MEP1012, MEP1013, or SOC2035

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Nonprofit Leadership Concentration (12 cr)

ACC2015	Foundations of Accounting & Finance.	2
ICS3069	Business as Mission	2
LDR3060	Foundations of Nonprofit Leadership	2
Select 4 credits from the following:		
ENG3248	Grant Writing	2
MGT3255	Human Resource Management.	2
MKT1085	Principles of Marketing	4
PRL3035	Nonprofit PR	2
Concentration Electives 2		
Selected from courses with ACC, BUS, COM, ECO, FIN, HCM, ICS, LDR, MGT, MIN, MKT, POS, PRL, YOU prefix; or DES2111; or ENG3248.		

Social Justice Concentration (12 cr)

BIB3045	Theology for Social Engagement.	2
ICS3015	Race and Ethnicity in America.	4
ICS3067	Social Justice.	2
Concentration Electives 4		
Selected from courses with ICS, MIN, PHI, POS, PSY, SOC, YOU prefix; ACC2015, DES2111, FIN2025, or MEP1013.		

Worship and Creative Arts Concentration (12 cr)

Double Major Option: For students choosing to complete both Ministry with Worship and Creative Arts and Music with Music Ministry, MUH3106 will fulfill MIN3207 and MCH4995 will fulfill MIN4991 in the Ministry major.

Note: Students completing this concentration take MUH3105 or MUS1075 for their Creative Expression requirement.

MCH3125	Theology of Worship	2
MCH4315	Leading Worship.	2
MTC1007	Music Theory Foundations.	4
MUH3105	American Music or	
MUS1075	Introduction to Music	
(SEE CREATIVE EXPRESSION REQUIREMENT ABOVE)		
Select one of the following:		
MEP1012	Audio Production	3
MEP1013	Video Production	4
Concentration Electives 0–1		
Selected from courses with ANI, ART, DES, ICS, MCH, MEN, MEP, MIN, MTC, MUH, MUP, MUS, THE, or YOU prefix; ACC2015, FIN2025.		
Note: Recommended electives include MEN3001, 3002, 3003, and MUP2106.		

Youth and Emerging Adult Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

YOU2205	Serving Youth and Emerging Adults	2
YOU3206	Contemporary Issues and Interventions with Youth	2
YOU3207	Spiritual Lives of Youth	2
YOU3208	Leading Youth and Emerging Adults.	4
Concentration Electives 2		
Selected from courses with CFD, ICS, MCH, MIN, PSY, or SOC prefix; ACC2015, DES2111, FIN2025, or MEP1013.		

Course Requirements for Accelerated Ministry/MAML

Students who are accepted into the accelerated MAML program will substitute the following graduate-level courses into the undergraduate degree to fulfill major and core curriculum requirements.

Undergraduate Courses 16 cr

Theological Philosophy (core curriculum)		2
MIN3045	Developmental Foundations for Ministry [WCE]	4
MIN3207	Ministry in a Globalized World.	2
MIN3216	Leadership in Ministry.	4
Concentration Elective.		4

Graduate Courses 16 cr

BIA5021U	Apologetics	2
MIN5045U	Human Development for Ministry [WCE]	4
MIN5610U	Ministering Culturally and Globally.	2
MIN5210U	Leading and Organizing Ministry	4
BIA5015U	Biblical Hermeneutics.	4

Camp and Conference Center Administration Minor 18 cr

The following coursework is completed over the course of one year at Forest Springs Camp & Conference Center. Students normally declare a Ministry or Youth Studies major while pursuing this field of study. Application required.

Satisfied from among two semesters of the following: CFS3100 (1.5 cr), 3200 (1.5 cr), 3300 (1.5 cr), 3410 (3 cr), 3420 (1.5 cr)

Ministry Minor 18 cr

Required Courses: MIN1007, 3218; one course from MIN3045 or 3206; select 6 credits from any ICS, MIN, or YOU prefix course. MIN2016 is strongly recommended.

Nonprofit Leadership Major Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science

This is a four-year major which will prepare students for leadership positions in the nonprofit sector. The curriculum combines multiple ministry courses with business courses and includes an internship. The degree is granted upon completion of credits specified on pages 48–49 (40 credits must be successfully completed in 3000- or 4000-level courses).

- **Biblical Thinking & Living** requirement of BIA1015 or BIA1827 in the core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN2016.
- **Leadership & Professionalism** courses in core curriculum must include LDR1015/1825 (or LDR1011 and LDR2112) and LDR4425/4825.
- **Cultural & Global Engagement** requirement in core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN3207 or 5610U.
- **Scientific & Quantitative Literacy** social science course in core curriculum: students are encouraged to take ECO2211
- **B.A. option** requires achieving 1002-level competency in an approved foreign language. See page 47.

Relational and Ethical Leadership Core 16–18 cr

BUS4435	Business Ethics	4
ENG3248	Grant Writing [WCE]	2
LDR1015	Leadership for Transformation (or LDR1825 Honors) or	
LDR1011	Spiritual and Personal Formation for Leadership and	
LDR2112	Relational and Cultural Awareness in Leadership (SEE LEADERSHIP & PROFESSIONALISM REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
LDR4425	Leading with Courage and Calling (or LDR4825 Honors) (SEE LEADERSHIP & PROFESSIONALISM REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN2016	Biblical Interpretation for Study (SEE BIBLICAL THINKING & LIVING REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN3206	Relationships.	4
MIN3216	Leadership in Ministry.	4
Select one of the following:		
COM3106	Organizational Communication.	4
PRL3035	Nonprofit PR	2

Missional Leadership Core 16 cr

ICS3069	Business as Mission [OCE]	2
LDR3060	Foundations of Nonprofit Leadership	2
LDR4991	Nonprofit Internship I	2
LDR4992	Nonprofit Internship II	2
MIN3207	Ministry in a Globalized World (SEE CULTURAL & GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
Select one of the following:		
ICS3067	Social Justice.	2
ICS3068	Relief and Development	2
MIN3065	Digital Ministry.	2
Electives 6		
Selected from courses with ACC, BUS, COM, ECO, FIN, ICS, LDR, MGT, MKT, MIN, POS, PRL, PSY, or YOU prefix; DES2111 or MEP1013.		

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Managerial Leadership Core 14–16 cr

MGT2271	Management	4
MGT3075	Entrepreneurship	2
MGT3255	Human Resource Management.	2
MKT1085	Principles of Marketing.	4
Select one of the following:		
ACC2015	Foundations of Accounting & Finance.	2
ACC2101	Principles of Financial Accounting	4

Course Requirements for Accelerated Nonprofit Leadership/MAML

Students who are accepted into the accelerated MAML program will substitute the following graduate-level courses into the undergraduate degree to fulfill major or core curriculum requirements.

Undergraduate Courses 14 cr

Theological Philosophy (core curriculum)	2
MIN3216 Leadership in Ministry.	4
MIN3207 Ministry in a Globalized World	2
MGT3255 Human Resource Management.	2
Select one of the following:	
BUS4435 Business Ethics	4
Major Selectives	4

Graduate Courses 14 cr

BIA5021U Apologetics	2
MIN5210U Leading and Organizing Ministry	4
MIN5610U Ministering Culturally and Globally.	2
BUA5220U Human Resource Leadership	2
Select one of the following:	
BUA5420U Business Leadership Ethics.	4
BIA5015U Biblical Hermeneutics.	4

Nonprofit Leadership Minor 18 cr

Required Courses: LDR3060, MGT3075, MIN3207, 3216, MKT1085; ACC2015 or 2101; select additional credits as needed from any ACC, BUS, COM, ECO, FIN, ICS, LDR, MGT, MIN, MKT, POS, PRL, PSY, or YOU prefix; ENG3248.

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Pastoral Ministry Major Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science

The Pastoral Ministry major prepares students to serve in general pastoral ministry or as a future member of a church planting team. Graduates will understand and experience the basic roles of pastor/shepherd such as preaching, teaching, leading, pastoral care and church planting. It also lays a foundation for seminary/graduate study. The degree is granted upon completion of credits specified on pages 48–49 (40 credits must be successfully completed in 3000- or 4000-level courses).

- **Biblical Thinking & Living** requirement of BIA1015 or BIA1827 in the core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN2016.
- **Cultural & Global Engagement** requirement in core curriculum fulfilled by MIN3207 or MIN5610U.
- **Scientific & Quantitative Literacy** social science course in core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN3045 or 5045U.
- **B.A. option** requires ACL2001 and 2002.
- **Proportional Core Curriculum:** Students not already scheduled to take the following courses in their core curriculum must add them (this applies to junior and senior transfers to University of Northwestern): BIB2005 or BIB2827, BIB2008 or BIB2826.

Ministry Core	24 cr
MIN1007 Ministry Foundations	4
MIN2016 Biblical Interpretation for Study (SEE BIBLICAL THINKING & LIVING REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN3045 Developmental Foundations for Ministry [WCE] (SEE SCIENTIFIC & QUANTITATIVE LITERACY REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN3065 Digital Ministry.....	2
MIN3206 Relationships.....	4
MIN3207 Ministry in a Globalized World (SEE CULTURAL & GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	
MIN3216 Leadership in Ministry.....	4
MIN3218 Teaching Methods in Ministry [OCE]	4
MIN3231 Care and Counseling in Ministry.....	4
Select one of the following:	
ICS1008 Introduction to Missions	2
ICS2005 Evangelism and Discipleship	2
MIN3075 Church Planting.....	2
ICS3069 Business as Mission	2

Pastoral Ministry Required Courses	14 cr
ACL2001 Elementary Greek I*	4
ACL2002 Elementary Greek II*	4
MIN3105 Leading in Pastoral Ministry	2
MIN4306 Preaching and Worship	4

***NOTE:** STUDENTS PURSUING THE B.S. OPTION ARE ALLOWED TO SUBSTITUTE A BIA, BIB, OR PHI ELECTIVE OR MIN3205 IN PLACE OF ACL2001 AND/OR ACL2002.

Internship and Capstone Core	6 cr
MIN4855 Capstone	2
MIN4991 Ministry Internship I	2
MIN4992 Ministry Internship II	2

Selectives

Select from courses with ACL, BIB, BIA, ICS, LDR, MCH, MIN, or YOU prefix

Note: Recommended electives/selectives include ACC2015, HIS3125, ICS2015, MIN4405, and PHI2016.

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Course Requirements for Accelerated Pastoral Ministry/MAML

Students who are accepted into the accelerated MAML program will substitute the following graduate-level courses into the undergraduate degree to fulfill major or core curriculum.

Undergraduate Courses	16 cr
Theological Philosophy (core curriculum)	2
MIN3045 Developmental Foundations for Ministry [WCE] ..	4
MIN3207 Ministry in a Globalized World.....	2
MIN3216 Leadership in Ministry.....	4
Major Selective.....	4

Graduate Courses	16 cr
BIA5021U Apologetics	2
MIN5045U Human Development for Ministry [WCE]	4
MIN5610U Ministering Culturally and Globally.....	2
MIN5210U Leading and Organizing Ministry	4
BIA5015U Biblical Hermeneutics.....	4

Course Requirements for Accelerated Pastoral Ministry/M.Div.

Students who are accepted into the accelerated M.Div. program will substitute the following graduate-level courses into the undergraduate degree to fulfill major or core curriculum requirements. Students are encouraged to declare a second major in Bible.

Undergraduate Courses 26 cr	Graduate Courses 26 cr
Old Testament Exposition (core curriculum) 4	BIB6211U Interpreting the Pentateuch 4
Theology (core curriculum) 4	BIB6312U Biblical Theology of Old & New Testaments 4
Theological Philosophy (core curriculum) 2	BIA5021U Apologetics 2
MIN3045 Developmental Foundations for Ministry [WCE] 4	MIN5045U Human Development for Ministry [WCE] 4
MIN3207 Ministry in a Globalized World 2	MIN5610U Ministering Culturally and Globally 2
MIN3216 Leadership in Ministry 4	MIN5210U Leading and Organizing Ministry 4
Major Selective 4	BIA5015U Biblical Hermeneutics 4
Major Selective 2	MIN5405U Advanced Preaching 2
	Additional Graduate Courses
	ACL5201U Greek for Biblical Exegesis* 4
	BIB6214U Interpreting the Gospels 2
	HIS5019U History of Christianity 4
	MIN5993U Graduate Internship I 1
	MIN5994U Graduate Internship II 1

* **NOTE:** STUDENTS PURSUING THE B.S. OPTION WILL INSTEAD TAKE, AS A GRADUATE STUDENT, BIB6201 ORIGINAL LANGUAGES FOR BIBLICAL STUDY.

Youth Studies Major Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science

The Youth Studies major prepares students to establish, develop and evaluate a ministry to youth and emerging adults in local church, parachurch, and nonprofit contexts. Emphasis is on understanding youth in their everyday life grounded in a biblical theology of seeing youth as created in God’s image. The major also lays a foundation for seminary/graduate study. The degree is granted upon completion of credits specified on pages 48–49 (40 credits must be successfully completed in 3000- or 4000-level courses).

- **Biblical Thinking & Living** requirement of BIA1015 or BIA1827 in the core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN2016.
- **Cultural & Global Engagement** requirement in core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN3207 or MIN5610U
- **Creative Expression** courses in core curriculum for Worship and Creative Arts concentration must include MUH3105 or MUS1075.
- **Scientific & Quantitative Literacy** social science course in core curriculum must be fulfilled by MIN3045 or 5045U.
- **B.A. option** requires achieving 1002-level competency in an approved foreign language. See page 47.
- **Proportional Core Curriculum:** Students not already scheduled to take the following courses in their core curriculum must add them (this applies to junior and senior transfers to University of Northwestern): BIB2005 or BIB2827, BIB2008 or BIB2826.

Youth Studies Core 20–22 cr	Professional Leadership Core 14 cr
MIN3045 Developmental Foundations for Ministry [WCE] (SEE SCIENTIFIC & QUANTITATIVE LITERACY REQUIREMENT ABOVE)	MIN2016 Biblical Interpretation for Study (SEE BIBLICAL THINKING & LIVING REQUIREMENT ABOVE)
MIN3205 Human Sexuality 4	MIN3206 Relationships 4
MIN3231 Care and Counseling in Ministry 4	MIN3207 Ministry in a Globalized World (SEE CULTURAL & GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT REQUIREMENT ABOVE)
YOU2205 Serving Youth and Emerging Adults 2	MIN3216 Leadership in Ministry 4
YOU3206 Contemporary Issues and Interventions with Youth . 2	MIN4991 Ministry Internship I 2
YOU3207 Spiritual Lives of Youth 2	MIN4992 Ministry Internship II 2
YOU3208 Leading Youth and Emerging Adults [OCE] 4	MIN4855 Capstone 2
Select 2–4 credits from the following:	
CRJ3228 Deviance 4	
CRJ4325 Juvenile Delinquency 2	
ICS2045 Cultural Anthropology 4	
MIN3107 Spiritual Lives of Children 2	
MIN3226 Family Studies 2	
MIN3227 Retreats, Events, and Camps 2	
MIN3308 Leading Children and Families 2	
PSY4316 Marriage and Family Counseling 4	
PSY3326 Psychology of Stress Management 4	
SOC2035 Social Problems 4	

WCE = WRITTEN COMMUNICATION EMPHASIS
OCE = ORAL COMMUNICATION EMPHASIS.
SEE PAGE 50 FOR EXPLANATION AND PREREQUISITES.

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Concentration 12 cr

Note: None of the courses used to satisfy core curriculum requirements may be applied to the concentration, and vice versa.

Select a concentration. Requirements are listed below.

General Concentration (12 cr)

Complete an individualized group of interrelated courses in consultation with the academic advisor including any combination of courses with the prefix CRJ, ICS, MIN, PSY, SOC, or YOU; ACC2015, FIN2025, DES2111, or MEP1013. Other courses may be approved by the department chair. Recommend including MIN1643-1644. Students seeking to double major may want to consider declaring a General Concentration.

Camping Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

The following coursework is completed over the course of one year at Forest Springs Camp & Conference Center*. Application required. Students in this concentration are encouraged to declare a Camp and Conference Center Administration minor.

Satisfied from among two semesters of the following:

CFS3000	Camp Management	1.5
CFS3400	Camp Counseling	1.5
CFS3500	Camp Programming	2.0
CFS3600	Camp Teaching	0.5
CFS3700	Camp Health and Risk Management	0.5

* SEE RELATED INFORMATION ON PAGES 20, 37–38

Media Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

MEP1016	Story Structure	4
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Select one of the following:

MEP1012	Audio Production	3
MEP1013	Video Production	4

Select two enrollments from the following:

MEP2625–2627, 4625–4627	0–2
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Concentration Electives 2–5

Selected from courses with COM, ICS, MEP, MIN, PRL or YOU prefix; ACC2015, DES2111, ENG3316, or ENG3249.

Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

MIN1007	Ministry Foundations	4
MIN3065	Digital Ministry	2
MIN3218	Teaching Methods in Ministry	4

Concentration Electives 2

Selected from courses with CFD, ICS, MIN, PSY, or SOC prefix; ACC2015, CRJ3228, CRJ4325, DES2111, LDR3135, MEP1012, or MEP1013.

Next Generation Ministry Concentration (12 cr)

MIN1007	Ministry Foundations	4
MIN3107	Spiritual Lives of Children	2
MIN3308	Leading Children and Families	2
MIN3226	Family Studies	2

Concentration Electives 2

Selected from courses with CFD, ICS, MIN, PSY, or SOC prefix; ACC2015, CRJ3228, CRJ4325, DES2111, LDR3135, MEP1012, or MEP1013.

Nonprofit Leadership Concentration (12 cr)

ACC2015	Foundations of Accounting & Finance	2
ICS3069	Business as Mission	2
LDR3060	Foundations of Nonprofit Leadership	2

Select 4 credits from the following:

ENG3248	Grant Writing	2
MGT2271	Management	4
MGT3255	Human Resource Management	2
MKT1085	Principles of Marketing	4
PRL3035	Nonprofit PR	2

Concentration Electives 2

Selected from courses with ACC, BUS, COM, ECO, FIN, HCM, ICS, LDR, MGT, MIN, MKT, POS, PRL, PSY, or YOU prefix; DES2111 or ENG3248.

Social Justice Concentration (12 cr)

BIB3045	Theology for Social Engagement	2
ICS3015	Race and Ethnicity in America	4
ICS3067	Social Justice	2

Concentration Electives 4

Selected from courses with ICS, MIN, PHI, POS, PSY, SOC, or YOU prefix; ACC2015, FIN2025, DES2111, or MEP1013.

Worship and Creative Arts Concentration (12 cr)

Double Major Option: For students choosing to complete both Youth Studies with Worship and Creative Arts and Music with Music Ministry, MUH3106 will fulfill MIN3207 and MCH4995 will fulfill MIN4991 in the Youth Studies major.

Note: Students completing this concentration take MUH3105 or MUS1075 for their Creative Expression requirement.

MCH3125	Theology of Worship	2
MCH4315	Leading Worship	2
MTC1007	Music Theory Foundations	4
MUH3105	American Music or	
MUS1075	Introduction to Music	

(SEE CREATIVE EXPRESSION REQUIREMENT ABOVE)

Select one of the following:

MEP1012	Audio Production	3
MEP1013	Video Production	4
MIN3065	Digital Ministry	2

Concentration Electives 0–2

Selected from courses with ANI, ART, DES, ICS, MCH, MEN, MEP, MIN, MTC, MUH, MUP, MUS, THE, or YOU prefix; ACC2015, FIN2025.

Note: Recommended electives include MEN3001, 3002, 3003, and MUP2106.

Course Requirements for Accelerated Youth Studies/MAML

Students who are accepted into the accelerated MAML program will substitute the following graduate-level courses into the undergraduate degree to fulfill major and core curriculum requirements.

Undergraduate Courses	16 cr	Graduate Courses	16 cr
Theological Philosophy (core curriculum)	2	BIA5021U Apologetics	2
MIN3045 Developmental Foundations for Ministry [WCE]	4	MIN5045U Human Development for Ministry [WCE]	4
MIN3207 Ministry in a Globalized World	2	MIN5610U Ministering Culturally and Globally	2
MIN3216 Leadership in Ministry	4	MIN5210U Leading and Organizing Ministry	4
Concentration Elective	4	BIA5015U Biblical Hermeneutics	4

Youth and Emerging Adult Ministry Minor 18 cr

Required Courses: MIN1007, 3218; YOU2205, 3208; one course from MIN3045 or 3206.

Children and Family Ministry Minor 16 cr

Required Courses: MIN1007, 3045, 3107, 3218, 3308.

Social Justice Minor 18 cr

Required Courses: BIB3045, ICS3067; one course from ICS3015, MIN3205, or SOC2035; one course from ICS3209 or MIN3207; select 8 credits from ICS, MIN, PHI, POS, PSY, SOC, or YOU prefix; SCI1010/1010L.