



Master of Divinity with a Concentration in Christian Education Paradigm for Students under the Bulletins of 2006-2007 to the Present



[**Christian Education** courses in bold]

Junior Year

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Old Testament 752	Old Testament 753
Church History 750	Church History 751
<i>Christian Education 760 (CM-LE)</i>	New Testament 754
Biblical Language or Elective or CE Elective	Biblical Language or Elective or CE Elective
CM 701 Spiritual Formation Group	CM 702 Spiritual Formation Group

1st Year Writing Assessment

Field Education in Christian Education Placement 1

Middler Year

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Christian Theology 755	Christian Ethics 757
American Christianity 756	Preaching 758
<i>New Testament Exegesis (LE)</i>	Christian Education 766 or 767
Elective (Methodism - PARISH 777)	Elective (Methodism - PARISH 778)

Middler Review of Student Portfolio

Field Education Placement 2

Senior Year

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
<i>Black Church (LE)</i>	Christian Education 766 or 767
<i>World Christianity (LE)</i>	Christian Education Elective or Elective
Elective (Worship - LTS 760)†	Elective (Mission of the Church Course) †
Elective (Evangelism Course)†	<i>Christian Education 800 (PTM-LE)</i>

Senior Review of Student Portfolio

Notes:

XTIANEDU 760 counts as a *Church Ministries* Limited Elective.

XTIANEDU 766 will satisfy denominational requirements for a worship course in special circumstances (and replace the need for LTS 760).

XTIANEDU 800, Bible Study Programs for the Local Church, counts as a *Practicing Theology in Ministry* Limited Elective.

XTIANEDU elective can be taken earlier than the spring semester of the senior year if time allows.

†UM students are encouraged to consider which area they are most likely to desire further advanced coursework when deciding the order in which to take these three required electives.

Field Education:

Two units of approved field education are required; they may be academic year placements (30 weeks) or summer placements (10-12 weeks). At least one field education placement must be in a Christian education setting.

Student Portfolio:

MDiv students matriculating before 2008 are required to complete a Middler Evaluation with a faculty member before registering for their senior year or last eight course credits. Successful completion of one unit of field education is necessary to complete the Middler Evaluation. Please contact the Divinity Registrar to obtain guidelines for completing the Middler Evaluation.

MDiv students matriculating in 2008 or after are required to compile and submit a Student Portfolio for review by a faculty member. The reviews will normally happen in the first semester of the student's Middler year, and in the final semester of the Senior year. The contents of the portfolio and timing of the evaluations are described in the Academics section on the Divinity website. Timely completion of the portfolio reviews is required to continue in the M.Div. degree program and for conferral of the M.Div. degree.