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BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMS SYLLABUS

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Bachelors of Arts *in Theology (Biblical Studies)*

Degree program provides the student with the history, context and message of the bible. Careers include seminary, pastoring, church history, church operations and theology.

This Degree seeks to provide in-depth knowledge about the contents of the Bible.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | BIBL 117 Introduction to Homiletics | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | BIBL 119 Introduction to Hermeneutics | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | BIST 113 Born-Again Phenomenon | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | BIBL 303 New Testament Survey | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | BIBL 305 Old Testament Survey | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | BIST 223 Revelation of Jesus Christ | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | BIBL 159 Justification Before God | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | BIST 313 Man's Redemption | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | BIBM 115 Church, Her Authority & Mission | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | BIBM 215 Church, Her Authority & Mission II | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | BIBL 427 Advanced New Testament Survey | 3 |
| | | BIBL 428 Advanced Old Testament Survey | 3 |
| | | PNEM 307 Pneumatology | 3 |
| | | BIBL 259 Saving Faith | 3 |

Life Experience credits are required and accounts for 45 course credits.

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Bachelors of Arts *in Organizational Management & Christian Ethics*

Degree program to prepare the student for business management, consulting, administrative and leadership roles within an organization. **Careers** include agencies, business owners, administrator, manager, CEO, schools, hospitals and organizations.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | MBUS 132 Basics of Marketing | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | CBUS 319 Business Management | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | CBUS 219 Business Ethics | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | MBUS 436 Business Mgt & Human Psychology | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | CBUS 307 Entrepreneurship | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | CBUS 493 Business Models: Networking/ Innovating/Globalizing | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | CBUS 403 Business Economics | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | LED 478 Foundations for Successful Leadership II | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | FIN 238 The Financial System | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | FIN 369 Corporate Financing Decision | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | HREM 351 Human Resources Management | 3 |
| | | BIST 129 God's Eternal Decree | 3 |
| | | BIBL 126 Introduction to Regeneration | 3 |
| | | BIBL 128 Regeneration and Conversion | 3 |

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Bachelors of Arts *in Christian Counseling*

Degree program to prepare the student for the counseling of various individuals with varying backgrounds in a faith-based perspective. **Careers** include agencies, private practice, school, hospitals and behavior health care organizations.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | COUS 224 Grief Counseling | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | COUS 441 Advanced Counseling | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | COUS 136 Principles of Counseling | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | PSY 115 Introduction to Psychology | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | PSY 236 Psychological Science | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | PSY 273 Psychology: The Neurological Study | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | PSY 483 Advanced Psychology | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | CBUS 307 Entrepreneurship | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | LED 478 Foundations for Successful Leadership II | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | CBUS 219 Business Ethics | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | SOLT 257 Soul Issues I | 3 |
| | | SOLT 457 Soul Issues II | 3 |
| | | BIBT 139 Restorative Forgiveness | 3 |
| | | BIST 113 Born-Again Phenomenon | 3 |

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Bachelors of Arts *in Christian Psychology*

Degree program to provide student with understanding of the responsibility and requirements of the pastoral ministry. **Careers** include pastoral ministry, helps ministry and church administration.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | | |
|---|---|--|-------------------|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | PSY 115 Introduction to Psychology | 3 | |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | PSY 236 Psychological Science | 3 | |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | PSY 273 Psychology: The Neurological Study | 3 | |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | PSY 483 Advanced Psychology | 3 | |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | PSY 373 Psychology: Sensation and Perception | 3 | |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | PSY 473 Psychology: States of Consciousness | 3 | |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | PSY 437 Psychology in the Real World II | 3 | |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | MBUS 436 Business Mgt & Human Psychology | 3 | |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | COUS 224 Grief Counseling | 3 | |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | COUS 441 Advanced Counseling | 3 | |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | COUS 136 Principles of Counseling | 3 | |
| | | PNEM 307 Pneumatology | 3 | |
| | | SOLT 257 Soul Issues I | 3 | |
| | | SOLT 457 Soul Issues II | 3 | |

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Bachelors of Arts *in Christian Entrepreneurship*

Degree program that gives a solid foundation for the student to create and build a flourishing business. **Careers** include entrepreneur, business educator and business investor.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | CBUS 307 Entrepreneurship | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | CBUS 219 Business Ethics | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | CBUS 403 Business Economics | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | CBUS 101 Starting a Business | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | CBUS 215 Online Business in the 21st Century | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | CBUS 319 Business Management | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | FIN 238 The Financial System | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | FIN 369 Corporate Financing Decision | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | FIN 479 Asset Valuation | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | LED 478 Foundations for Successful Leadership II | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | HREM 351 Human Resources Management | 3 |
| | | CBUS 493 Business Models: Networking/ Innovating/Globalizing | 3 |
| | | BIBL 257 Simple Faith | 3 |
| | | BIBL 303 New Testament Survey | 3 |
| | | BIBL 305 Old Testament Survey | 3 |

Life Experience credits are required and accounts for 42 course credits.

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Bachelors of Arts *in Prophetic Ministry*

Degree program to providing the insight to the calling and the office of the modern-day prophet. **Careers** include church worker, prophetic ministry and counseling.

Total Credit Hours 120

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | PRMI 268 Understanding the Prophetic | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | PRMI 368 Prophetic Protocols | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | PRMI 365 General Functions of a Prophet | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | PRMI 468 Prophetic Dreams & Interpretations | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | BIBT 439 Spirit Formed Life | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | BIBL 303 New Testament Survey | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | BIBL 305 Old Testament Survey | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | BIBL 427 Advanced New Testament Survey | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | BIBL 428 Advanced Old Testament Survey | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | BIBM 153 Free Grace versus Free Will | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | BIBL 117 Introduction to Homiletics | 3 |
| | | BIBL 119 Introduction to Hermeneutics | 3 |
| | | BIST 113 Born-Again Phenomenon | 3 |
| | | PNEM 307 Pneumatology | 3 |

Life Experience credits are required and accounts for 45 course credits.

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Bachelors of Arts *in Personal Coaching*

Degree program to providing the necessities for the student to be trained in the area of coaching individuals. **Careers** include coaching, opening a coaching practice and business.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | | | |
|------------------------|---|---------|-------------------|--|---|
| Prerequisite Courses | | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits | |
| BIST 101 | Christian Worship | 3 | PSY 115 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 |
| BIST 103 | Christology Course | 3 | COUS 136 | Principles of Counseling | 3 |
| BIBT 231 | Soteriology | 3 | COUS 224 | Grief Counseling | 3 |
| BIST 203 | Church History | 3 | PSY 236 | Psychological Science | 3 |
| CETH 256 | Christian Ethics | 3 | SOLT 257 | Soul Issues I | 3 |
| PSY 249 | Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | SOLT 457 | Soul Issues II | 3 |
| COMM 417 | Communication in Business | 3 | COUS 441 | Advanced Counseling | 3 |
| LED 476 | Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | PSY 437 | Psychology in the Real World II | 3 |
| FIN 235 | Finance Overview | 3 | CBUS 219 | Business Ethics | 3 |
| FIN 357 | Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | PNEM 307 | Pneumatology | 3 |
| SOC 130 | Basics of Sociology | 3 | CBUS 101 | Starting a Business | 3 |
| | | | CBUS 319 | Business Management | 3 |
| | | | LED 478 | Foundations for Successful Leadership II | 3 |
| | | | MBUS 436 | Business Mgt & Human Psychology | 3 |

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Bachelors of Arts *in Christian Leadership and Business*

Degree program teaches the biblical foundations of leadership. Areas of study include vision casting, team building and human resource development and church ministry administration. It also gives a solid foundation for the student to create and build a flourishing business. **Careers** include pastoral ministry, administration, management, entrepreneur, business investor and non-profits.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | LED 478 Foundations for Successful Leadership II | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | LED 445 Discovering Your Purpose as a Team | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | LED 336 Leadership Roles and Management | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | LED 328 Effective Leadership Skills | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | CBUS 219 Business Ethics | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | CBUS 101 Starting a Business | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | CBUS 403 Business Economics | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | CBUS 215 Online Business in the 21st Century | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | CBUS 319 Business Management | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | FIN 238 The Financial System | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | FIN 369 Corporate Financing Decision | 3 |
| | | FIN 479 Asset Valuation | 3 |
| | | CBUS 493 Business Models: Networking/ Innovating/Globalizing | 3 |
| | | HREM 351 Human Resources Management | 3 |

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Bachelors of Arts *in Christian Ethics and Marketing*

Degree program from a Christian perspective providing an understanding of human psychology, current marketing techniques including social media, personal and corporate branding, sales and growth hacking. **Careers** include church administration, freelancing and corporate marketing.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | CBUS 219 Business Ethics | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | MBUS 132 Basics of Marketing | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | MBUS 232 Affiliate Marketing | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | CBUS 102 Social Media Marketing | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | CBUS 101 Starting a Business | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | CBUS 215 Online Business in the 21st Century | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | CBUS 403 Business Economics | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | CBUS 319 Business Management | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | FIN 238 The Financial System | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | FIN 479 Asset Valuation | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | LED 478 Foundations for Successful Leadership II | 3 |
| | | CBUS 493 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | 3 |
| | | MBUS 436 Business Mgt & Human Psychology | 3 |
| | | BIST 129 God's Eternal Decree | 3 |

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Bachelors of Arts *in Christian Leadership*

Degree program teaches the biblical foundations of leadership. Areas of study include vision casting, team building and human resource development and church ministry administration. **Careers** include pastoral ministry, administration, management and non-profits.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | LED 336 Leadership Roles and Management | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | LED 328 Effective Leadership Skills | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | LED 478 Foundations for Successful Leadership II | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | LED 445 Discovering Your Purpose as a Team | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | CBUS 219 Business Ethics | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | CBUS 101 Starting a Business | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | MBUS 436 Business Mgt & Human Psychology | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | CBUS 319 Business Management | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | FIN 238 The Financial System | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | FIN 479 Asset Valuation | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | CBUS 493 Business Models: Networking/ Innovating/Globalizing | 3 |
| | | HREM 351 Human Resources Management | 3 |
| | | PSY 115 Introduction to Psychology | 3 |
| | | BIBL 257 Simple Faith | 3 |

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Bachelors of Arts *in Religious Fine Arts*

Degree program provides the student with understanding and wisdom in the implementation of creative arts. **Careers** include worship leader, creative arts pastor, church worker, director and entrepreneur.

| Total Credit Hours 120 | | | |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIST 101 Christian Worship | 3 | BIBL 117 Introduction to Homiletics | 3 |
| BIST 103 Christology Course | 3 | BIBL 119 Introduction to Hermeneutics | 3 |
| BIBT 231 Soteriology | 3 | BIST 113 Born-Again Phenomenon | 3 |
| BIST 203 Church History | 3 | BIBL 303 New Testament Survey | 3 |
| CETH 256 Christian Ethics | 3 | BIBL 305 Old Testament Survey | 3 |
| PSY 249 Psychology in the Real World I | 3 | BIST 223 Revelation of Jesus Christ | 3 |
| COMM 417 Communication in Business | 3 | BIBL 427 Advanced New Testament Survey | 3 |
| LED 476 Foundations for Successful Leadership I | 3 | BIBL 428 Advanced Old Testament Survey | 3 |
| FIN 235 Finance Overview | 3 | BIBM 115 Church, Her Authority & Mission | 3 |
| FIN 357 Basics of Financial Analysis | 3 | BIBM 215 Church, Her Authority & Mission II | 3 |
| SOC 130 Basics of Sociology | 3 | COUS 136 Principles of Counseling | 3 |
| | | MBUS 436 Business Mgt & Human Psychology | 3 |
| | | CBUS 219 Business Ethics | 3 |
| | | CBUS 307 Entrepreneurship | 3 |

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DOCTORAL DEGREE PROGRAMS

SYLLABUS

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Doctor of Philosophy *in Theology (Divinity)*

Degree program provides the student with the history, context and message of the bible. Careers include seminary, pastoring, church history, church operations and theology.

This Degree seeks to provide in-depth knowledge about the contents of the Bible.

| Total Credit Hours 45 | | | | | |
|---|--|---------|---|--|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | | Credits | Specialty Courses | | Credits |
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | | 5 | BIBT 625 Theological Design for Transformative Ministry | | 5 |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | | 5 | BIBL 623 Dispensation of Law and Grace | | 5 |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | | 5 | BIBT 633 Church Doctrine: The Trinity | | 5 |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | | 5 | BIBL 637 Practical Methods: Bible Lesson Preparation | | 5 |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | | 5 | DISSERTATION | | 100 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 15 course credits.

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Doctor of Philosophy *in Organizational Management & Christian Ethics*

Degree program to prepare the student for business management, consulting, administrative and leadership roles within an organization. **Careers** include agencies, business owners, administrator, manager, CEO, schools, hospitals and organizations.

| Total Credit Hours 45 | | | | | |
|---|--|---------|--|--|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | | Credits | Specialty Courses | | Credits |
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | | 5 | CBUS 670 Adapting to Organizational Change | | 5 |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | | 5 | CBUS 671 Strategy and Innovation | | 5 |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | | 5 | CBUS 672 Project Management | | 5 |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | | 5 | LEAD 645 Dynamic Leadership for Organizational Effectiveness | | 5 |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | | 5 | DISSERTATION | | 100 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 15 course credits.

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Doctor of Philosophy *in Christian Counseling*

Degree program to prepare the student for the counseling of various individuals with varying backgrounds in a faith-based perspective. **Careers** include agencies, private practice, school, hospitals and behavior health care organizations.

| Total Credit Hours 45 | | | | |
|---|---|--|-------------------|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 5 | COUS 657 Counseling Ethics & Disorders | 5 | |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | 5 | COUS 658 Principles of Counseling | 5 | |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | 5 | COUS 659 Advanced Counseling | 5 | |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | 5 | PSYC 643 Psychology: Intelligence & Language | 5 | |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | 5 | DISSERTATION | 100 | |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 15 course credits.

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Doctor of Philosophy *in Christian Leadership and Business*

Degree program teaches the biblical foundations of leadership. Areas of study include vision casting, team building and human resource development and church ministry administration. It also gives a solid foundation for the student to create and build a flourishing business. **Careers** include pastoral ministry, administration, management, entrepreneur, business investor and non-profits.

Total Credit Hours 45

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 5 | CBUS 649 Business Strategy: Sales & Marketing | 5 |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | 5 | LEAD 645 Dynamic Leadership for Organizational Effectiveness | 5 |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | 5 | CBUS 653 Supply Chain Management | 5 |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | 5 | FIN 655 Interest Rate & Basic Derivatives | 5 |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | 5 | DISSERTATION | 100 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 15 course credits.

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Doctor of Philosophy *in Christian Entrepreneurship*

Degree program that gives a solid foundation of the student to create and build a flourishing business. **Careers** include entrepreneur, business educator and business investor.

Total Credit Hours 45

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 5 | CBUS 651 Entrepreneurship and Microeconomics | 5 |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | 5 | LEAD 645 Dynamic Leadership for Organizational Effectiveness | 5 |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | 5 | CBUS 647 Advanced Logistics Management | 5 |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | 5 | CBUS 649 Business Strategy: Sales & Marketing | 5 |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | 5 | DISSERTATION | 100 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 15 course credits.

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Doctor of Philosophy *in Christian Counseling* (*Marriage, Family and Child Therapy*)

Degree program to prepare the student for the counseling of various individuals with varying backgrounds in a faith-based perspective. This also emphasizes on marriage, family and child therapy. **Careers** include agencies, private practice, school, hospitals and behavior health care organizations.

Total Credit Hours 45

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 5 | BIBT 617 Divine Principles of Marriage | 5 |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | 5 | COUS 642 Christian Counseling and Family Therapy | 5 |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | 5 | BIBT 615 Marriage from Heaven | 5 |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | 5 | PSYC 643 Psychology: Intelligence & Language | 5 |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | 5 | DISSERTATION | 100 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 15 course credits.

Get started with your degree at **Cornerstone Christian University**

Doctor of Philosophy *in Practical Ministry*

Degree program provides the student with the history, context and message of the bible. **Careers** include seminary, pastoring, church history, church operations and theology.

Total Credit Hours 45

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 5 | BIBL 637 Practical Methods: Bible Lesson Preparation | 5 |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | 5 | BIBT 635 Church Doctrine: God's Purpose | 5 |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | 5 | BIBT 630 Great Discovery: Purpose, Vision and Success | 5 |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | 5 | BIBT 625 Theological Design for Transformative Ministry | 5 |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | 5 | DISSERTATION | 100 |

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Doctor of Philosophy *in Religious Fine Arts*

Degree program provides the student with further understanding and wisdom in the implementation of creative arts. **Careers** include worship leader, creative arts pastor, church worker, director and entrepreneur.

Total Credit Hours 45

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 5 | BIBT 625 Theological Design for Transformative Ministry | 5 |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | 5 | BIBL 623 Dispensation of Law and Grace | 5 |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | 5 | BIBT 630 Great Discovery: Purpose, Vision and Success | 5 |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | 5 | BIBL 637 Practical Methods: Bible Lesson Preparation | 5 |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | 5 | DISSERTATION | 100 |

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Total Credit Hours 45

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| BIBL 631 Principles of Biblical Interpretation | 5 | BIBT 625 Theological Design for Transformative Ministry | 5 |
| BIBM 613 Christ & Culture: Eternity & Time | 5 | BIBL 623 Dispensation of Law and Grace | 5 |
| PSYC 619 Psychology: Learning Process | 5 | BIBT 630 Great Discovery: Purpose, Vision and Success | 5 |
| CBUS 612 Business Models: Networking/Innovating/Globalizing | 5 | BIBL 637 Practical Methods: Bible Lesson Preparation | 5 |
| LEAD 627 Leadership & Reconciliation | 5 | DISSERTATION | 100 |

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MASTERS' DEGREE PROGRAMS SYLLABUS

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Masters of Arts *in Theology (Divinity)*

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This Degree seeks to provide in-depth knowledge about the contents of the Bible.

| Total Credit Hours 48 | | | | | |
|---|--|---------|--|--|---------|
| Prerequisite Courses | | Credits | Specialty Courses | | Credits |
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | | 4 | BIBT 556 Christian Theology I | | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | | 4 | BIBT 557 Christian Theology II | | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | | 4 | BIBL 528 Conversion: The Holy Spirit | | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | | 4 | BIBM 546 Life of Jesus in Historical Context | | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | | 4 | BIBL 557 Church History and Renewal | | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | | 4 | BIBT 569 Messianic Jewish Theology | | 4 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 16 course credits.

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Masters of Arts *in Organizational Management & Christian Ethics*

Degree program to prepare the student for business management, consulting, administrative and leadership roles within an organization. Careers include agencies, business owners, administrator, manager, CEO, schools, hospitals and organizations.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | CBUS 547 Focusing on Organizational Change | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | LEAD 581 Leading Healthy Organizations | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | CBUS 582 Organizational Development & Change | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | LEAD 584 Effective Conflict Resolution | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | BIBT 556 Christian Theology I | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBL 528 Conversion: The Holy Spirit | 4 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 16 course credits.

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Masters of Arts *in Christian Counseling*

Degree program to prepare the student for the counseling of various individuals with varying backgrounds in a faith-based perspective. **Careers** include agencies, private practice, school, hospitals and behavior health care organizations.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | COUS 512 Christian Counseling & Family Therapy | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | BIBM 548 Pastoral Counseling | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | COUS 558 Counseling Ethics | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | PSYC 529 Psychology: Personality | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | PSYC 530 Psychology: Emotions & Motivations | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBL 528 Conversion: The Holy Spirit | 4 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 16 course credits.

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Masters of Arts *in Christian Psychology*

Degree program to prepare the student for counseling, the field of Christian psychology and in depth understanding of human behaviors in a faith-based perspective. **Careers** include agencies. Private practice, schools, hospitals and behavior health care organizations.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | PSYC 529 Psychology: Personality | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | PSYC 527 Psychological Disorders | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | PSYC 528 Treating Psychological Disorders | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | PSYC 530 Psychology: Emotions & Motivations | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | PSYC 531 Psychology in our Social Lives | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBL 528 Conversion: The Holy Spirit | 4 |

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Masters of Arts *in Pastoral Ministry*

Degree program to provide student with understanding of the responsibility and requirements of the pastoral ministry. **Careers** include pastoral ministry, helps ministry and church administration.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | BIBM 541 Congregational Growth & Development | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | BIBM 545 Preaching that Connects | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | BIBM 548 Pastoral Counseling | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | BIBL 523 New Testament Theology | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | BIBL 524 Old Testament Theology | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBM 546 Life of Jesus in Historical Context | 4 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 16 course credits.

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Masters of Arts *in Christian Entrepreneurship*

Degree program that gives a solid foundation of the student to create and build a flourishing business. **Careers** include entrepreneur, business educator and business investor.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | CBUS 562 Logistics Management | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | ACCT 560 Accounting | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | CBUS 561 Business Strategy | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | CBUS 547 Focusing on Organizational Change | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | CBUS 515 Online Business in the 21 st Century | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBT 556 Christian Theology I | 4 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 16 course credits.

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Masters of Arts *in Prophetic Ministry*

Degree program to providing the insight to the calling and the office of the modern-day prophet. **Careers** include church worker, prophetic ministry and counseling.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | PRMI 517 Prophetic Covering & Mentorship | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | BIBL 523 New Testament Theology | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | BIBL 524 Old Testament Theology | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | BIBM 556 Christian Theology I | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | BIBM 545 Preaching that Connects | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBL 557 Church History and Renewal | 4 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 16 course credits.

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Masters of Arts *in Practical Ministry*

Degree program provides the student with the history, context and message of the bible. **Careers** include seminary, pastoring, church history, church operations and theology.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | BIBM 541 Congregational Growth & Development | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | BIBM 545 Preaching that Connects | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | BIBM 548 Pastoral Counseling | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | BIBL 523 New Testament Theology | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | BIBL 524 Old Testament Theology | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBL 557 Church History & Renewal | 4 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 16 course credits.

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Masters of Arts *in Christian Ethics and Marketing*

Degree program from a Christian perspective providing an understanding of human psychology, current marketing techniques including social media, personal and corporate branding, sales and growth hacking. **Careers** include church administration, freelancing and corporate marketing.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | CBUS 526 Advanced Marketing | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | CBUS 559 Christian Ethics in Business | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | LEAD 581 Leading Healthy Organizations | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | CBUS 582 Organizational Development & Change | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | CBUS 561 Business Strategy | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBT 556 Christian Theology I | 4 |

Life Experience credits may qualify for up to 16 course credits.

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Masters of Arts *in Christian Leadership*

Degree program teaches the biblical foundations of leadership. Areas of study include vision casting, team building and human resource development and church ministry administration. **Careers** include pastoral ministry, administration, management and non-profits.

Total Credit Hours 48

| Prerequisite Courses | Credits | Specialty Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| BIBL 516 Advanced Homiletics | 4 | LEAD 583 Current Issues in Leadership Studies | 4 |
| BIBL 518 Advanced Hermeneutics | 4 | LEAD 584 Effective Conflict Resolution | 4 |
| CBUS 543 Advanced Business Course | 4 | LEAD 525 Contemporary Approaches to Leadership | 4 |
| FIN 537 Financial Management | 4 | LEAD 581 Leading Healthy Organizations | 4 |
| PSYC 523 Psychology: Growing & Developing | 4 | BIBL 523 New Testament Theology | 4 |
| LED 579 The Spirit Formed Leader | 4 | BIBL 524 Old Testament Theology | 4 |

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Cornerstone Christian University CCU is a Citadel of Light and it was founded with a goal of helping people find their purpose in life.

We promise to constantly make education affordable, accessible and life changing.

At CCU, you will have the opportunity to study Online, from any part of the world, from the comfort of your home or office.

CCU also has a convenient interest free payment plan as well as scholarship programs.

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Our Core Values

Cornerstone Christian University is a private institution of higher education, committed to the Christian mission of winning the world to Christ. With the conviction that every member of the body of Christ is a minister, the University seeks to foster in all students a world-wide vision of the mission of the church: preparing them to be servant leaders as Christ modeled and challenged us all to become, providing opportunities for spiritual growth toward Christian maturity, and promoting the Restoration Movement ideal of becoming Christ's church as revealed in the New Testament. Thus, our institutional core values are:

Lordship of Christ

All believers should live a life devoted to Jesus Christ, God's Son and our Lord and Savior that reflects Christ-like character and conduct.

Excellence

As servants of Jesus Christ we must strive for excellence in ministry and life.

Applying God's Word

The inspired Word of God should be normative for faith and practice with effective exegesis used to rightly apply God's Word to our daily lives.

Discipleship

In fulfillment of the Great Commission, all believers, regardless of chosen profession, are included in God's plan to make disciples of all nations.

Prayer

Practicing a life of prayer and worship is vital to live a life of service to Christ.

Evangelism

Christians are commanded to penetrate the world with the Gospel of Jesus Christ and call all to a saving relationship with Him.

Relationships

A Christian must have a high value placed on personal relationships built on God's love, truth, and grace.

Stewardship

All believers are purely stewards of the time, talent, and treasure given to them by God.

Heart for learning

A heart for learning and personal growth is important to sustain a lifetime of service and commitment for Christ.

Integrity

Christian leaders should live lives of integrity in public and private.

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Our Statement of Faith

Cornerstone Christian University pleads for the unity of all believers on the common ground of commitment and obedience to the lordship of Christ. Believing that creeds of men, however correct, perpetuate sectarianism and create division within the church when made tests of fellowship, we have no creed except faith in Jesus as the Christ, God's Son and humankind's Savior. It is our desire to call all people of all nations to faith and obedience to Him as revealed in scripture. When asked, "What do you believe?", it is tempting to hand one the Bible and suggest, "This is what we believe." However, for those not familiar with Cornerstone Christian University, it may be helpful to identify foundational doctrines taught in our classes based on our understanding of the Scriptures.

- ◆ We believe that there is one God, creator of the universe, eternally existing in three persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and that we are called to live to the praise of His glory.
- ◆ We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative word of God.
- ◆ We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious death and atonement through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal and visible return in power and glory.
- ◆ We believe the only terms of salvation that we may proclaim are those expressed in the New Testament: faith, repentance, confession of faith in Jesus Christ, and baptism by immersion in water for the remission of past sins and for the promised presence of the Holy Spirit.
- ◆ We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life.
- ◆ We believe in the bodily resurrection of both the saved and the lost; those who are saved unto the resurrection of life and those who are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.

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Philosophy of Education

We believe that although all people learn, individual learners are unique. People can engage different learning styles as a general way of processing data. People also can adapt to and utilize different styles based on the unique conditions of learning experiences. As a result, we believe that educators must be sensitive to some uniqueness while teaching in a general context.

We believe that all people are learners. A fundamental element of human nature is the process of adapting to new experiences in such a way as to improve the condition of self and others. With this in mind, we believe that learning is a perpetual circumstance whether it is pursued intentionally or occurs unintentionally.

We believe education is holistic. Effective education includes the cognitive, affective, behavioral, and spiritual domains of a person. It is important for the learner to experience opportunities in each of these areas consistently.

We believe education can be conducted through a variety of means. People are able to learn in a classroom setting, through practical field experiences, and through distance learning platforms, among many other means of education.

We believe educators are responsible to establish relevant learning outcomes for those who participate in their educational experiences. It is important for educators to assess how effectively these outcomes are being achieved in order to improve and enhance the effectiveness of their work in the future.

Our Educational Apologetic

Educational philosophies are established in terms of three major ideas

(a) What is the nature of man?

(b) What is the nature of the universe?

(c) What is the nature and function of society?

These questions may be phrased in different ways, but their essential substance is always present when people seek to set down an educational apologetic. The educational apologetic subscribed to by Cornerstone Christian University is as follows:

The institution is committed to the faith that God has revealed Himself fully and finally in the Hebrew-Christian scriptures, with the culmination of that revelation expressed through Jesus Christ in the New Testament. In Christ and His message, the truth about the nature of man, society, and the universe is made manifest.

What and who is humanity?

Created in the image of God, but rebellious against the will of God for his life, man is in need of that kind of redemption which will restore fellowship with the Creator and answer the question of his nature and identity. With the Bible at the center of its curricular program, CCU answers the cry of every person for an adequate sense of self-identity, with the invitation to become children of God through Jesus Christ. Secular education in the United States cannot give this answer.

What is society?

Society is a functioning group of human beings working together in the pursuit of their major corporate interest, self-maintenance, self-perpetuation or continuity, and order in associational relationships. The University subscribes to the belief that the identity and value of the individual as revealed in Jesus Christ constitutes the fundamental basis upon which the social organization and order are established. The political system known as the democratic process is the most adequate system for the operation of free men; but this system is undergirded by the concept of humanity and society as seen in the Christian scriptures. A philosophy of education most suited to the needs of man and society is not complete, therefore, without the content of scriptural truth incorporated into the educational program.

What is the nature of the universe?

Modern educators are concerned with the necessity of providing an adequate worldview for those who are being educated. Cornerstone Christian University holds the view that the total universe is the result of the creative power of God. God is the giver and sustainer of its order and His revelation of Himself in Christ and the scriptures are in harmony with all the truth which may be discovered about the universe. Furthermore, it is held that an adequate worldview cannot be achieved apart from an inclusion of both creation and revelation.

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ACCREDITATION

Cornerstone Christian University CCU Inc. has accreditation and membership with a nationally recognized accrediting institution to award certificates and associates, bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees.

The U.S. Department of Education states that accreditation itself is a voluntary process. Many high-quality, legitimate and legal Colleges and Universities and other institutions of higher education operate today without accreditation.

There is no mandate by federal law for a School, College or University to be accredited. Many good schools are not accredited. Also, each accreditor has their own unique standards and, thus, there is no national consistency in institutional accreditation. Accreditation in the United States is awarded by non-US governmental agencies. Again, accreditation is strictly a voluntary option in the United States.

"The United States has no Federal Ministry of Education or other centralized authority exercising single national control over post-secondary educational institutions in this country. The States assume varying degrees of control over education, but, in general, institutions of higher education are permitted to operate with considerable independence and autonomy. As a consequence, American educational institutions can vary widely in the character and quality of their programs. In order to insure a basic level of quality,

the practice of accreditation arose in the United States as a means of conducting non-governmental, peer evaluation of educational institutions and programs. Private educational associations of regional or national scope have adopted criteria reflecting the qualities of a sound educational program and have developed procedures for evaluating institutions or programs to determine whether or not they are operating at basic levels of quality."
(U.S. Dept Education website)

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LEGAL STATUS

Cornerstone Christian University CCU Inc. is a private corporation in the state of Florida and legally authorized by the Florida State Board of Independent Colleges and Universities (SBICU) with a religious exemption authority to offer degree programs that are designed solely for religious vocations.

Cornerstone Christian University CCU Inc. makes no claims, implied or otherwise, that our educational programs, courses, or curricula are the same as offered by secular state colleges and universities.

Cornerstone Christian University CCU Inc. desires to remain separate and thereby maintain our religious prerogatives and freedom to compose courses and design degree programs that are in accordance with our Biblical convictions and beliefs.

Cornerstone Christian University CCU Inc. is not affiliated with the State of Florida or the U.S. Department of Education. Credits and Degrees earned at Cornerstone Christian University CCU Inc. are for those in Christian service.

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Christian College Accreditation Commission International (CCACI)

www.ccaci.org

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Cornerstone Christian University CCU Inc. has elected CCACI as its Accrediting Agency because of our desire to remain free from the control of any Federal, State or private agency controlled by same, that will not allow complete Religious Freedom in our curriculum and student body.

Cornerstone Christian University CCU makes no guarantee of the acceptance of CCU credits to other institutions. Transfer of credits from CCU to other institutions of learning are solely up to the discretion and desire of the institution where the student is applying. Students are encouraged to inquire how the educational institution into which they plan to transfer concerning the transferability of credits received through any another institution in advance of enrollment.

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Doctorate

HONORARY DOCTORATE DEGREE POLICY

An honorary degree is one of our institution's most significant accolade. It is the policy of Cornerstone Christian University to award honorary degrees on a selective basis to distinguished individuals who merit special recognition for genuine achievement and distinction in a field or activity consonant with the mission of the University. Only the Board of Directors may authorize the award of an honorary degree.

Criteria

A. An honorary degree may be awarded to an outstanding individual who satisfies one or more of the following criteria:

- ◆ Eminence, in the course of a career, in some field of scholarship, in public service, or in an artistic, literary, governmental, religious, financial, or other endeavor; and
- ◆ A significant reason for recognition by the University, in the form of an association or relationship with the University or a valued relationship between the individual's achievements and the mission or life of the University.
- ◆ A person whose life and/or work represents the highest values of the University's Christian identity, and its mission to advance the common good.

B. In recognition of Cornerstone Christian University's commitment to gender equality and social, economic, national, racial, and cultural diversity, the Board of Directors is committed to the award of honorary degrees to recipients who reflect the diversity of interests, backgrounds, and concerns reflected in the University community and the society and world served by the University. Decisions to award honorary degrees will be made without regard to, and will not be based on, the political affiliations of recipients.

When conferred an Honorary degree, you may be addressed as "Doctor." However, it should not be the title "Dr." in front of your name.

What is the difference between an earned PhD and an honorary PhD?

With an academic PhD degree, you can apply for various positions and jobs because you did an actual research work, defended your dissertation, and got an approved dissertation, but the honorary one is an honor or just an esteem and a kind of “thank you” for serving a nation, industry, culture or society. One with an honorary PhD or doctorate can’t use it as an educational qualification.

C. Persons not eligible for consideration include:

- ◆ Anyone with a documented conflict of interest with the University, its leadership, or its Christian identity.
- ◆ Current faculty and staff of Cornerstone Christian University.

Procedures

A. The following persons or constituent components of the University are authorized to nominate candidates to receive honorary degrees:

- ◆ The President
- ◆ The School of Business
- ◆ The School of Religious Studies

B. Before any nomination (other than a nomination from the President) is forwarded to the Board of Regents for consideration, the nomination will be approved by the President and the appropriate Executive Vice President. While the number of nominations is not limited, except under unusual circumstances when the Board of Directors determines otherwise, an individual school will award preferably up to 10 but not more than 20 honorary degrees at a single commencement exercise.

C. An amount of focused due diligence will be conducted to ensure the nominee’s qualification and eligibility for the degree.

D. The Executive Committee of the Board of Directors will review all nominees and will forward its recommendations to the Board of Directors for approval.

E. The full Board of Directors shall consider nominees for honorary degrees to be presented at a school’s commencement exercises. School may propose both a primary nominee and one or two alternate nominees in order to avoid returning to the Board with a new nominee at a later date in the event that the school’s primary nominee is unable to attend the ceremony or accept the degree. The Executive Committee will convene a special meeting to consider alternate nominees only in extraordinary circumstances.

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Restrictions

A. We may award an honorary degree to an approved candidate at any time within two years of the Board's granting of that approval. After that time, the school must again secure the Board's approval of the candidate in order to award the honorary degree.

B. Prohibition on Fees and Honoraria

Except under unusual circumstances when the Board of Directors determines otherwise, an honorary degree recipient will not receive a speaker's fee or honorarium for accepting an honorary degree or delivering an address.

C. Presence at Commencement or Other Official Ceremonies

No honorary degree will be conferred unless the recipient is present in-person or virtually. If a recipient is unable to attend the ceremony in-Person or virtually, the conferral of the degree can be deferred to an alternate opportunity.

D. As a private institution that does not receive grants from the Government, donations or enrollment fees received from Honorary degree beneficiaries will be used to provide scholarships for Christians who need a second chance in life to earn a degree.

Revocation

A. Honorary degrees are awarded for life. Awardees reflect the values and personify the mission of the University. If at any time during the life of an awardee the University becomes aware of documented evidence of criminal, unethical or immoral behavior or activity, the University has the right to rescind the honorary degree.

B. The President will present to the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors evidence warranting the revocation of an honorary degree. The Executive Committee will review and consider this evidence and, where it finds sufficient evidence to warrant revocation, forward its recommendation regarding revocation to the full Board of Directors for a vote.

C. If revocation is approved, an awardee will be notified in writing of the Board's decision by the Chair of the Board.

D. The Board of Directors, in its discretion, may rescind a standing approval for an honorary degree recipient within the two-year period described in Section IV, paragraph A.

Confidentiality

- ◆ All involved in the nomination of an individual for an honorary doctorate will maintain complete confidentiality at every step of the nomination and approval process.
- ◆ More individuals are nominated for honorary doctorate degrees than can be awarded. Confidentiality about nominations is critical for this reason.

Titles, Styles and Address for Honorary Degree Recipients

Honorary degrees may be referenced in several ways.

1) Use in biographical sketches

The name of the degree may be written out in full for biographical sketches.

- ◆ Doctor of Philosophy, honoris causa
- ◆ Doctor of Science, honoris causa
- ◆ Doctor of Laws, honoris causa

Examples:

Jane Smith was awarded a Doctor of Laws, honoris causa, from Cornerstone University CCU.

Jane Smith was awarded an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Cornerstone University CCU

2) Abbreviation of degree to follow name

- ◆ Doctor of Philosophy: Honorary Ph.D
- ◆ Doctor of Science: Honorary D.Sc.
- ◆ Doctor of Laws: Honorary LL.D.

Examples: Jane Smith, Honorary LL.D.

Note: The honorary degree should be the last thing noted if other degrees or honorifics are also listed.

Example: Jane Smith, O.B.C., O.C., Honorary LL.D

Note: Less common but also acceptable, the abbreviation "h.c." for honoris causa may be included following the degree if so wished. Please note; italics should be used for the abbreviation to indicate it is a language other than English (Latin.)

Example: Jane Smith, Ph.D. h.c.

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3) Addressing an honorary degree recipient

In situations such as formal correspondence, biographical sketches or formal introductions at a podium, the university who has awarded the honorary degree may address the honorary degree recipient as “**doctor.**”

Examples: Dear Dr. Smith

Jane Smith was awarded a Doctor of Laws, honoris causa, from Cornerstone Christian University CCU. Dr. Smith has been a very active contributor to the CCU community through her many volunteer roles.

It is my great pleasure to invite Dr. Jane Smith to say a few words.

Approved JANUARY 01, 2021

RESPONSIBILITIES

Issuing Office

CCU Board of Trustees

Individuals/offices required for review and changes

CCU President

Individuals/offices required for review and changes

Chair of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees

Office of the President

ADMISSIONS

Admission Process

Thank you for submitting your application to CCU! Our registration process is easy. There is an application for the United States, and there is an application for international students. Complete the application for admission that applies to you.

- 01.** Apply for admission by using our online Application for Admission (**APPLICATIONS**).
- 02.** Request that Official Transcript(s) from previous academic institutions be sent to the CCU Admission Office.
- 03.** Submit the Registration Fee (non-refundable) to the CCU Business Office. No application will be processed without this fee

Documents Submission

After all documents have been received, the Admissions Committee will review each applicant's file. Questions may be directed to our Director of Admissions at the following:

Cornerstone Christian University

Attn: Admission Office
13010 Morris Road
Building 1, Suite 650
Alpharetta GA, U.S.A 30004
info@myccuedu.org

STUDENT BUDGETS

CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY CCU, expressly reserves the right to change without notice all the information contained in this document; Including, among others, the following: fees and enrolment, policies and procedures, titles offered, courses required and courses, and/or academic/grade requirements.

Please note, a student's online electronic signature, through the Internet, is as legally acceptable as a handwritten signature.

All programs at CCU can be paid in full or in installments

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BACHELOR'S PROGRAMS

Cornerstone Christian University CCU

TUITION PLAN

Cornerstone Christian University CCU

offers a very affordable tuition plan for all study programs.

Bachelors = 120 Credit Hours - \$39 per Credit Hour = \$4,680

Payment options

All financial transactions are paid through electronic payment system. All transactions are secure and confidential. Through Student's log-in, students can register and access all of their records, including all financial transactions in their personal account.

Refund Policy

Registration fees are non-refundable. CCU offers students three (3) business days from the date of payment to obtain a full refund of the registration fee. Any student who registers in advance for their course, and then cannot take the classes will be returned all their registration. However, once the course has started and the student has attended 15% of the scheduled classes, no refund will be granted. Once a student enrolls in a course, whether online, by mail, or in person, they are already officially registered, and all withdrawal policies and fee refunds apply automatically.

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MASTER'S PROGRAMS

Cornerstone Christian University CCU TUITION PLAN

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offers a very affordable tuition plan for all study programs.

Masters = 64 Credit Hours - \$98 per Credit Hour = \$6,272

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DOCTORAL PROGRAMS

Cornerstone Christian University CCU TUITION PLAN

Cornerstone Christian University CCU

offers a very affordable tuition plan for all study programs.

Doctoral = 60 Credit Hours - \$136 per Credit Hour = \$8,160

Payment options

All financial transactions are paid through electronic payment system. All transactions are secure and confidential. Through Student's log-in, students can register and access all of their records, including all financial transactions in their personal account.

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HYBRID-DUAL DEGREE PROGRAMS

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TUITION PLAN

Cornerstone Christian University CCU

offers a very affordable tuition plan for all study programs.

Bachelors = 120 Credit Hours - \$39 per Credit Hour = \$4,680

Masters = 64 Credit Hours - \$98 per Credit Hour = \$6,272

Total Tuition = \$10,952

Payment options

All financial transactions are paid through electronic payment system. All transactions are secure and confidential. Through Student's log-in, students can register and access all of their records, including all financial transactions in their personal account.

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Academic Assessments and Advice

One of the main functions of the Office of Academic Assessments in our institution is to complete transcription assessments for all undergraduate students admitted. The office is also responsible for updating the assessments of admitted and readmitted students, as well as graduation audits for students who have completed graduation applications

The Office of Academic Assessments and Advice also provides information to the Administration of the institution, teachers and staff regarding policies and procedures.

Grading Scale

1. The following is the distribution of numerical values as they correspond to the letter grades:

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| A | 90-100 |
| B | 80-89 |
| C | 70-79 |
| D | 60-69 |
| F Below | 60- 17 - |

Grading System

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|--------------------|---------------|
| A 4.0 grade points | A Excellent 4 |
| B 3.0 grade points | B Good 3 |
| C 2.0 grade points | C Average 2 |
| D 1.0 grade points | D Poor 1 |
| F 0.0 grade points | F Failure 0 |

I Incomplete

P Passing, not in GPA total

S Satisfactory

U Unsatisfactory

NC No credit hours granted

WP Withdrawal from course, no penalty

WF Withdrawal from course, penalty applied

2. Cornerstone Christian University CCU requires that undergraduate students maintain a minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 2.0 and, that graduate students maintain a minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 3.0. Students who do not maintain a minimum CGPA may be placed on probation, suspended, or dismissed from the program.

3. A student who fails a course (received an F in a course) may receive "grade forgiveness" for the failing grade by paying the tuition fee a second time and taking the course a second time to attain a better grade. A total of two (2) failed classes within a degree program may be taken a second time for grade forgiveness. Each of these two classes may be repeated only once to receive grade forgiveness.

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So keep us informed. Tell us if you move and have a new address; if you change name, jobs, cell phone numbers or email addresses; get married, have a baby or receive an award. Updated information will be entered in our alumni records data base and used solely for communication purposes by the institution in strict adherence to our privacy policy. Updating your record ensures that you receive information on alumni connection forum; alumni event invitations; campus updates and more.

Request your Transcript

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