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The mission of Point University is to educate students for Christ-centered service and leadership throughout the world.

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THIS CATALOG: The *Point University General Catalog* presents the general information and traditional curriculum and programs of Point University. For information regarding Access degree programs for working adults and online degree programs, please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

POINT ACCREDITATION STATUS INQUIRIES: Point's primary accreditor is the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC). Inquiries regarding the University's accreditation status may be made to the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097; or by telephone at 404-679-4501. All other inquiries, such as for admission or academic information, should be made directly to the appropriate Point office.

NONDISCRIMINATION POLICIES: Point University does not discriminate on the basis of age, gender, color, race, nationality, national or ethnic origin, or disability in the administration of admission policies, educational policies, financial aid, employment, or any other University program or activity. Point admits qualified students whose openness to spiritual formation is compatible with the purpose of the University without regard to age, gender, color, race, nationality, national or ethnic origin, or disability.

Point does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the recruitment and admission of students, the recruitment and employment of faculty and staff, and the operation of any of its programs and activities, as specified by federal law and regulations. The designated coordinator for compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 is the Director of Disability Services.

HOW TO INTERPRET AND USE THIS CATALOG: The *Point University General Catalog* is an information book and reference guide. Information contained in this catalog is accurate as of the date of publication. The statements set forth are not to be construed as the basis of a contract between the student and the institution. Point reserves the right to change any policy, procedure, provision, student expense, course, degree program and/or requirement for graduation through appropriate processes. Every effort will be made to publicize changes. The University further reserves the right to ask a student to withdraw at any time.

Students are expected to know and follow the policies, regulations, and procedures presented in this catalog and *A Covenant for a Christian Community* (Point's student handbook). Awareness of the University calendar, critical deadlines, and all University mail received in the student's University mailbox and/or by e-mail is also the student's responsibility.

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Semester Calendars*

FALL SEMESTER	Fall 2014	Fall 2015
New Students Orientation	August 9-12	August 8-11
Classes Begin	August 13	August 12
Convocation	August 13	August 12
Last Day to Register, Add Courses, or Withdraw/Refund	August 19	August 18
Labor Day (no classes)	September 1	September 7
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course with "W"	September 12	September 11
Midterm Week	October 6-8	October 5-7
Fall Break (no classes, beginning 4:30 p.m. Wednesday)	October 9-10	October 8-9
Registration Process Begins for Spring Semester	October 17-31	October 19-30
Last Day to Voluntarily Withdraw from a Course	November 7	November 6
Thanksgiving Break	November 24-28	November 23-27
Last Day of Regular Classes	December 5	December 4
Final Examinations	December 8-11	December 7-10
December Commencements	December 12-13	December 11-12
Final Grades Due to Registrar	December 15	December 15

SPRING SEMESTER Spring 2015 Spring 2016 **New Students Orientation** January 11-12 January 12-13 Classes Begin January 14 January 13 Martin Luther King Jr. Day (no classes) January 19 January 18 Last Day to Register, Add Courses, or Withdraw/Refund January 21 January 20 Last Day to Withdraw from a Course with "W" February 13 February 12 Midterm Week (midterm grades due to Registrar) March 2-6 Feb 29 - Mar 4 **Spring Break** March 9-13 March 7-11 March 21- Apr 6 Registration Process Begins for Summer and Fall Sem March 20-April 6 Good Friday (no classes, beginning 4:30 p.m. Thursday) April 3 March 25 Last Day to Voluntarily Withdraw from a Course April 17 April 15 **Last Day of Regular Classes** May 8 May 6 **Final Examinations** May 11-14 May 9-12 May 15-16 **May Commencements** May 13-14

SUMMER SESSIONSSummer 2015Summer 2016Summer Session 1 BeginsMay 18May 16Summer Session 1 Ends (Memorial Day - no classes)June 5June 3Summer Session 2 (Online) BeginsJune 22June 20Summer Session 2 EndsJuly 31July 29

^{*} All dates are subject to change through appropriate processes. For academic calendars for the Access and online degree programs, see Point's *Access Program Catalog* and *Online Program Catalog*.

GENERAL UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

PRESIDENT: DEAN C. COLLINS

History

Point University, formerly Atlanta Christian College, was founded in 1937 by Judge T. O. Hathcock (1879-1966), who served on the bench in Fulton County, Georgia, from 1914 until 1942. He and his wife, Nora Head Hathcock, were members of the independent Christian Church; to this day, the University maintains its affiliation with the Christian Churches and Churches of Christ.

For the first 75 years of its history, Point University operated out of East Point, Ga., a suburb of Atlanta. The historic campus was part of a 300-acre farm inherited by Mrs. Hathcock. With a barn, livestock and cultivated fields, the campus in its earliest days had a distinctly rural flavor.

Following its founding, Point University devoted attention primarily to the education of ministers, missionaries and other church-related workers. In 1965, the University became an accredited member of the American Association of Bible Colleges (AABC). In 1990, in conjunction with a broadening of the curriculum, the University was accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and voluntarily withdrew from AABC membership.

In recent years, the University has added the Access program for the continued education of adult students. An off-site location in Peachtree City, Ga., was added in 2009. On July 1, 2011 the institution was renamed Point University, and the relocation of the traditional main campus to West Point, Ga., took place in summer 2012. Additional off-site locations in Savannah, Ga., and Birmingham, Ala., were also launched in 2012-13.

The University has had seven presidents: Mr. George W. BonDurant (1937-47), Dr. Orvel C. Crowder (1947-55), Mr. James C. Redmon (1955-78), Mr. Paul K. Carrier (1978-84), Dr. James C. Donovan (1984-93), Dr. R. Edwin Groover (1993-2006), and Mr. Dean C. Collins, the current president.

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Point's Department of Education, the University's professional education unit, is accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE). This accreditation includes the initial teacher preparation level. The Georgia Professional Standards Commission

(PSC) has granted accreditation to the Early Childhood Education preparation program (preschool through fifth grade) and the English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) endorsement program. Middle Grades Education is pending NCATE and PSC approval.

The University is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education and is listed in the Education Directory. United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) of the Department of Homeland Security has approved Point University for acceptance of foreign students. Students who are eligible for benefits under programs administered by the Veterans Administration, State of Georgia Rehabilitation and Social Security are approved to receive benefits while attending the University. Point University has been certified as a nonprofit institution by the Internal Revenue Service.

Mission and Goals of the University

Mission: The mission of Point University is to educate students for Christ-centered service and leadership throughout the world.

Goals: Point University believes that the goal of education is the development of the total person. The curriculum – biblical and theological studies, arts and sciences, and various professional studies – and the learning environment are designed to encourage students to grow spiritually, intellectually, socially, physically and professionally.

- 1. Spiritually Point University seeks to encourage students to grow in faith in Jesus Christ, develop a Christian worldview, live by Christian virtues, and serve others.
- Intellectually Point University seeks to encourage students to think analytically and critically, communicate effectively, and demonstrate competence in biblical and theological studies, the arts and sciences, and professional studies in which they major.
- 3. Socially Point University seeks to encourage students to respect and influence people of various cultures and live harmoniously in community.
- 4. Physically Point University seeks to encourage students to develop lifestyles advantageous to good health.
- 5. Professionally Point University seeks to encourage students to equip themselves with the knowledge and skills necessary to pursue a chosen vocation.

Church Identification

Point University is a private university with strong support by congregations and individuals of the independent Christian Churches and Churches of Christ, a non-denominational fellowship sometimes referred to simply as Christian Churches. The educational program of the University is in harmony with the faith and practice of these churches.

Doctrinal Position

Point University is committed to the Lordship of Jesus Christ, the oneness of Christians, and the evangelization of the world. Since the unity of the church is created and maintained through a common faith in Jesus Christ, Point looks to the inspired biblical record for the foundation of

its faith. The Bible is the source of our knowledge of God and His Son, Jesus Christ. The academic program of Point has at its center the Bible, and every degree includes a major or minor in Biblical Studies.

The trustees and employees of Point affirm the biblical concepts reflected in this statement of faith and have committed themselves to living a life that reflects their presence:

- We believe in the one God, Creator of heaven and earth, who eternally exists in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
- We believe that God the Son assumed human nature, was born of a virgin, ministered in word and miracle, died for our sin, was raised bodily from the dead, ascended to God's right hand where he presently reigns.
- We believe that the Holy Spirit indwells every Christian and is presently at work in the Christian community, empowering lives of godliness and service.
- We believe that the Holy Bible is inspired by God, trustworthy in its teaching, and the final authority for all matters of faith and practice.
- We believe that all of humanity, due to sin, is destined for death, corruption and separation from God apart from the redemptive work of Jesus Christ.
- We believe that Jesus Christ established his church to be one holy people, to glorify God, and to carry out his saving mission among all nations.
- We believe in God's saving grace that calls for faith, repentance, confession, baptism and new life and service through the Spirit.
- We believe in the blessed hope of the second coming of Jesus Christ, who will raise the dead
 and judge all with justice and mercy, and in the consummation of the Kingdom of God.

Learning Resources

Information Resources include books, electronic books, and journals. The University's book collection of about 50,000 items spans the curriculum. Most of the books are housed in the library on the East Point campus. Materials for fine arts, some of the Biblical Studies and reference materials are housed in the Learning Commons in West Point, with education materials in the Teacher Media Center. A student may request a book be sent from one campus to another.

Information Resources include over 150,000 electronic books. These titles are available through electronic databases available to the Point University community. Students are authorized to access electronic databases from any campus and any internet location.

Information Resources also include thousands of journals in full text available through GALILEO, JSTOR, and other electronic databases. All areas of study represented by the curriculum, and more, are supported by these electronic journals in full text.

Library staff are available to assist students, helping to find reading materials assigned by faculty, to locate books, to use the library's online catalog, and to do research with our electronic databases.

Learning Resources include the Education Resource Center and Campus Technology, which are described elsewhere in the catalog.

West Point, Georgia **Point University** Campus Key Points on Campus Shared Use Facilities (a) Fine Arts Center (3) William T. Parr House (4) Dining Hall & Campus 5 West Point Park Softbal This is (5) Valley Field House () Ram Stadius 6 Point Living Cor at Crest Club Point Valley, Alabama University

Map of West Point Campus and Directions

DIRECTIONS:

- From Alabama or Georgia, take interstate I-85 to Exit 2 for GA-18 toward West Point.
- Turn west (right when coming from Georgia and left when coming from Alabama) onto GA-18 West/East 10th Street and continue to follow East 10th Street.
- Go about 1.5 miles on East 10th Street; this will become Second Avenue.
- Take a slight right onto West Seventh Street.
- Go about 0.1 miles on West Seventh Street, then take the second right onto Third Avenue.
- Go about 0.2 miles on Third Avenue, then take the third left onto West 10th Street. The Academic Center will be one block down on the left.
- Park in the visitors' spaces at the front of the building. The receptionist will assist you in locating the office or person you are visiting on campus.

ADMISSION POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

DIRECTOR OF ADMISSION: TIFFANY SCHOENHOFF WOOD

General Requirements

Admission policy and decisions are administered by the Director of Admissions and the Admission Committee of Point University. Admission is granted by the Admission Committee on the basis of satisfactory evidence that a student has the ability to succeed at Point University. In keeping with the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the admission process seeks reliable confirmation of a student's academic preparation, social development, and openness to spiritual formation in a Christian context.

Academic ability is normally demonstrated by these primary factors: (1) graduation from high school or an equivalent, which is required for admission to all programs leading to an associate or baccalaureate degree; (2) the grade point average (GPA) for high school and any previous postsecondary/college work; and (3) the scores on a standardized test such as the SAT I: Reasoning Test (SAT) and/or the ACT Assessment (ACT). Evidence of graduation from high school or an equivalent may satisfied by an official copy of one of the following:

- A transcript from an accredited high school with appropriate preparation for college-level education;
- A transcript from an International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program;
- A transcript of home school education that is equivalent to a recognized high school curriculum with appropriate preparation for college-level work;
- A General Educational Development (GED) certificate, including the standard score for each of the five sub-tests in the battery; or
- A transcript from a foreign (non-U.S.) high school or the equivalent translated and evaluated by World Education Services (wes.org), Josef Silny & Associates Inc. (jsilny.com) or Lisano International (lisano-intl.com), which are the international credential translation and evaluation services accepted by Point University.

If a student has completed a high school diploma (or equivalent) without taking the SAT I and/or ACT tests and is more than five years beyond high school graduation without any postsecondary education, the student is expected to submit scores from ACT's Compass assessment. Compass tests are administered at Point's Peachtree City location (p. 16). Students may take the Compass test at another official testing site and have the scores sent to Point.

Several categories of applicants have been established to address the specific needs and situations of those applicants (pp. 12-15). In addition to the normal *Application Procedures* (p. 11), other considerations pertain to these classifications: Transfer Students; Readmission Students; Readmission of Military Personnel; Transient Students; Home Schooled Students; Dual Credit Enrollment Students; Undocumented Students; International Applicants; Students Whose First Language Is Not English; and Non-Degree Students.

A student's admission to Point University does not guarantee successful completion of any particular program of study. For example, admission into the Teacher Education Program in Early Childhood Education or Middle Grades Education requires a 2.80 grade point average and

other conditions (pp. 75-76).

For information regarding admission to the Access program for working adults and online degree programs, please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

Application Procedures

GENERAL PROCEDURES to apply for admission as a traditional degree-seeking student:

- 1. Complete and send the online application form to Point University.
- 2. Send an official high school transcript or its equivalent (p. 10) to Point University. If still in high school, submit a transcript with credits and grades achieved thus far and prepare to send a final transcript upon completion of high school or its equivalent.
- 3. Send an official transcript to Point University from every previously attended and current university, college, dual credit enrollment program, postsecondary school, and/or credit-by-examination testing (e.g., CLEP or AP). If currently enrolled, prepare to send a final transcript upon completion of the term.
- 4. Take the SAT I and/or the ACT and request that an official report be sent to Point University (Point University's code for the SAT I is 5029; Point University's code for the ACT is 0785).
- 5. Complete and submit the personal reference form or have someone else submit one spiritual reference form. The reference forms are available on the website or from the Admission Office. The reference must be completed on the official University form. The spiritual reference form may be completed by someone in a position of spiritual leadership or care, such as a minister, Bible study teacher, Christian educator or other staff minister. This reference may not be provided by a relative.
- 6. Any other information the student chooses to submit to the University in order to provide evidence of the ability to do university-level work may be considered by the Admission Committee.

Admission decisions are determined on a case-by-case basis by the Admission Committee of Point University. When the items necessary to establish admission are received, the student's application and materials are evaluated and the student is notified of the Admission Committee's decision. Applicants are encouraged to begin and complete the admission process as soon as possible. Students who fail to complete their files after August 1 for the fall semester and December 1 for the spring semester may not be admitted in time for the beginning of the semester. Adequate time must be given for other institutions to send transcripts and documentation to Point University. Delays in the admission process could adversely affect housing and certain types of financial aid considerations.

AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER ADMISSION IS GRANTED to Point University and prior to registration as a student:

- 7. Submit an enrollment deposit of \$200 within two weeks of being notified of acceptance, which is applied to the student's account at registration and is non-refundable after May 1 for the fall semester and November 1 for the spring semester.
- 8. Send a final official transcript of completed high school or postsecondary/college work, if not submitted previously (step 2).
- 9. Submit a completed Immunization and Medical History form.

Campus housing is administered by the Student Life Office. An admitted student who would

like to live in University housing must submit a completed Request for Campus Housing form (this form is retrievable online through the CampusVue portal after admission) and pay a \$100 nonrefundable security deposit.

Other Procedures and Requirements for Specific Categories of Students

FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN: A new student follows the *Application Procedures* (p. 11). The academic requirements for students are determined by using a sliding scale. The scale is based on a student's high school GPA and SAT I and/or ACT scores.

TRANSFER STUDENTS: The student who has attended another university follows the *Application Procedures* (p. 11) with the following stipulation: The student must be in good standing with the university or universities previously attended to be admitted to Point. Students may transfer credits for relevant courses bearing "C-" or higher grades to Point from institutions accredited as degree-granting by a regional accrediting body for higher education at the time the coursework was completed. Credits from colleges that are accredited by other accrediting bodies, as recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, are considered on a case-by-case basis. Credits from non-accredited colleges are not transferred. The amount of credit transferable from other institutions varies according to the student's selected degree program. See *Transfer of Credits* (p. 29), *Requirements for Graduation, Point 3* (p. 35), and *Degree Programs* (p. 39) for more details.

READMISSION STUDENTS: A student who has previously attended Point and has been out for more than one semester (excluding summer) should submit: (1) a new application; (2) official transcripts of any other universities attended; and (3) a new and current spiritual reference. Students who have been out for one year or more must also submit: (4) updated immunization records. The Admission Committee will act on an application for readmission on the basis of the quality of previous academic performance, Christian character, social development and the committee's estimate of the student's ability to succeed at Point (though readmission does not guarantee successful completion of any particular program of study). The student is subject to the catalog in effect at the time of the readmission. If a student is readmitted on probation, that student is subject to the University's normal probation and suspension policies (see *Academic Probation and Suspension*, pp. 34-35).

READMISSION OF MILITARY PERSONNEL: Students who leave the University for military service may reenter the institution upon returning from service. The student must apply for readmission within five years of completion of military service. The eligible veteran is admitted with the same academic status — meaning the same program (or most similar one, if same program does not exist), same enrollment status, same number of credits and same academic status (satisfactory, warning or probation). If the student is not prepared to be readmitted, reasonable efforts by the institution to help the student become prepared will be provided at no extra cost to the student. Point University is not required to readmit a veteran if the University can demonstrate through a preponderance of the evidence that the student is not prepared to resume the program or will not be able to complete it.

TRANSIENT STUDENTS: A person who is in the process of seeking a degree from another university (home institution) and who is in good standing with that university may apply for admission to Point University as a transient student. A transient student is one who is enrolled

at Point for one semester to take courses which will meet the requirements of the home institution. Such a student must complete an application and return it with a statement from the appropriate academic official of the home institution recommending admission as a transient student, as well as the Transient Student Waiver form. Such a student should be advised by the home institution regarding courses to be taken at Point.

HOME SCHOOLED STUDENTS: Point University admits students who have completed a home school program of study that is equivalent to a recognized high school curriculum with appropriate preparation for college-level work. The student follows the *Application Procedures* (p. 11) and, for step 2, submits:

- A transcript of the home school education; and
- If available, a certificate of completion or diploma from a recognized home-schooling agency or a state department of education.

The Admission Committee reviews the applicant's completed file and, in some cases if necessary to establish adequate academic preparation or ability, may ask the student to submit additional materials, such as additional information regarding the home school education program and/or other standardized or objective third-party assessments.

DUAL CREDIT ENROLLMENT (DCE) STUDENTS: Point admits qualified high school students in the dual credit enrollment program (also known as "joint enrollment" and the *Accel* program in Georgia). High school juniors and seniors (and sophomores under certain conditions) are considered on the basis of high school grades thus far and recommendation by a high school guidance counselor. The student's enrollment at Point must be with the advisement of the guidance counselor and is usually coordinated with the prescribed graduation requirements of that high school. Submission of SAT I or ACT test scores is optional for high school juniors and seniors with a college-prep GPA of 3.00 or higher (Point University's code for the SAT I is 5029; Point University's code for the ACT is 0785).

The specific procedures to apply for admission as a DCE student are:

- 1. Complete and send the regular online application form to Point University.
- 2. Complete and submit a Dual Credit Enrollment form.
- 3. Send an official high school transcript or the equivalent with credits and grades achieved thus far.
- 4. Send an official transcript to Point University from every previously attended university, dual credit enrollment program, postsecondary school or credit-by-examination testing (e.g., CLEP or AP).
- 5. Complete and submit the personal reference form or have someone else submit one spiritual reference form. The reference forms are available on the website or from the Admission Office. The reference must be completed on the official University form. The spiritual reference form may be completed by someone in a position of spiritual leadership or care, such as a minister, Bible study teacher, Christian educator or other staff minister. This reference may not be provided by a relative.
- 6. Any other information that is requested or that the student chooses to submit to the University in order to provide evidence of the ability to do university-level work may be considered by the Admission Committee.

UNDOCUMENTED STUDENTS: A student who is not a citizen of, authorized immigrant to, or authorized resident of the United States, who has been residing in the United States, and who has completed a high school diploma or its equivalent in the United States may apply for admission to Point University. No federal or state law prohibits the admission of undocumented

students to a college or requires students to prove citizenship or authorized residency in order to enroll in an institution of higher education.

The Undocumented Students category includes students who have requested and received consideration by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) of deferred action for childhood arrivals (DACA). The International Applicants category is different from that of Undocumented Students inasmuch as the international applicant has not been residing in the United States prior to high school graduation (or the equivalent) and is either seeking to obtain an F-1 (student) visa for entry into the United States or studying currently in the United States on an F-1 visa (seeking to transfer to Point from another institution). International applicants must satisfy the requirements associated with that category.

An undocumented student follows the *Application Procedures* for admission to Point University (p. 11). In addition, a student whose first language is not English must submit proof of English speaking and writing proficiencies as part of the admission process (see *Students Whose First Language Is Not English*, p. 15).

Undocumented students are usually not eligible to receive federal financial aid; however, they may be eligible for Point's institutional aid. Therefore, an undocumented student is encouraged to file the FAFSA and check the box of neither citizen nor eligible noncitizen (see *Application for Financial Aid*, p. 17). Scholarships and grants from private organizations and groups may be available and seeking such financial aid is the responsibility of the student.

Undocumented students are advised that Point University cannot guarantee that completion of a Point degree program will result in the ability to secure a specific licensure or certification, such as teacher certification by the State of Georgia. The student is responsible for satisfying the requirements of the entity that grants the license or certificate, which may include documentation of citizenship or authorized residency.

INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS: An international applicant is defined as a non-immigrant, seeking to obtain an F-1 (student) visa to enter the United States to study at Point University OR a non-immigrant currently studying in the United States on an F-1 visa, seeking to transfer to Point University. In addition to the items cited in the *Application Procedures* section (p. 11), international students must also provide the following:

- 1. TRANSCRIPTS: Certified, translated copies of all final academic records (transcripts) from every high school and college attended. A course-by-course credential translation and evaluation listing all subjects with their corresponding values expressed in semester credits and grade equivalents as used within the United States is required. The international credential translation and evaluation services accepted by Point University are World Education Services (wes.org), Josef Silny & Associates Inc. (jsilny.com), and Lisano International (lisano-intl.com).
- 2. ENGLISH PROFICIENCY: Proof of English speaking and writing proficiencies must be submitted as part of the admission process (see *Students Whose First Language Is Not English*, p. 15).
- 3. CERTIFICATE OF FINANCES: Since international students are not generally permitted to hold a job off campus and may work only 20 hours on campus, evidence of financial ability to attend the institution must be supplied. The Certificate of Finances, detailing the means of support and amount of contribution of supporting parties, must be completed with original signatures, and notarized or certified by bank officials.

An I-20 form will be issued to an international applicant only after all documents have been

received and final, regular admission has been granted. Any international student admitted to the United States on an F-1 visa is required by federal law to be enrolled for a minimum of 12 credit hours each semester.

STUDENTS WHOSE FIRST LANGUAGE IS NOT ENGLISH: Applicants must submit proof of English speaking and writing proficiencies as part of the admission process. Official documentation of one or more of the following, sent directly from the issuing agency to Point University, may be used to satisfy this requirement:

- 1. A transcript indicating graduation from an accredited high school or the equivalent (see p. 10) where English was the primary language of instruction and learning;
- 2. An English-language General Educational Development (GED) certificate, including the standard score for each of the five sub-tests in the battery with a passing score for the Language Arts/Writing test;
- 3. A Spanish- or French-language General Educational Development (GED) certificate that includes the English as a Second Language (ESL) Test of Reading Comprehension, with the standard score for each of the five sub-tests in the battery and a passing score for the ESL test (normally, a minimum score of 41 on a 20-80 scale or a minimum score of 450 on a 200-800 scale);
- 4. A grade of C or higher for an English Composition course completed at an accredited U.S. college and deemed equivalent to the ENG 101 (Critical Reading & Writing I) course at Point;
- 5. Successful completion of an ESL or Intensive English Program at a U.S. college with a letter of recommendation endorsing admission and enrollment in college-level courses;
- 6. An SAT critical reading (verbal) score of 430 or higher;
- 7. An ACT Test score of 18 or higher for English and a score of 22 or higher for Reading;
- 8. An ACT Compass score of 62 or higher for Writing and a score of 79 or higher for Reading (or an equivalent set of scores on another recognized placement test);
- 9. A TOEFL iBT (Internet-based) total score of 80 or higher with a minimum score of 20 in each section (Reading, Listening, and Writing);
- 10. A TOEFL PBT (paper-based) total score of 550 or higher with minimum scores of 55 in Reading, 55 in Listening, and 24 in Writing;
- 11. A TOEFL CBT (computer-based) total score of 213 or higher with minimum scores of 21 in Reading, 21 in Listening, and 58 in Writing;
- 12. An IELTS overall band score of 6.5 or higher with a minimum score of 6.5 in the Reading, Listening and Speaking sections and of 5.5 in the Writing section; or
- 13. An iTEP Academic overall assessment level score of 4.0 or higher with a minimum level score of 4.0 in each section (skill area).

NON-DEGREE STUDENTS: An abbreviated admission process is available to a person who will enroll in five or fewer credit hours per semester and is not seeking a degree. To apply for admission as a non-degree student, the person must:

- 1. Complete and send a Non-Degree Student Application form to Point University.
- 2. Obtain one written spiritual reference.
- 3. Submit a one-page essay (typed, double spaced) explaining your Christian commitment and your desire to attend Point University.
- 4. Submit a \$25 fee for processing the application.

The non-degree student status is normally used by a person who wishes to take courses for continuing education or personal enrichment purposes. Limitations may be set during the admission process and by the Registrar at the beginning of each semester. The University may choose to verify any student-reported data. If the non-degree student desires to seek a degree,

enroll in more than five credit hours per semester, or has accumulated 28 total hours at Point, the student must complete the standard *Application Procedures* (p. 11).

CLEP and DSST Testing

Point University provides computer-based testing at its location in Peachtree City for the College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) and the DSST (formerly DANTES Subject Standardized Tests, now by Prometrics). Students interested in making an appointment for testing may do so by contacting the testing site administrator at 678-593-3118. If the appointment time for testing cannot be met, the student is requested to call and reschedule so the time slot may be given to another person.

The registration cost for both the CLEP and DSST exams is \$80.00 per exam.

- A CLEP test must be paid for online at https://clepportal.collegeboard.org/myaccount prior to the day of the exam. CLEP students are required to print the registration ticket from the website. They must present a registration ticket and two types of photo ID upon arrival at the testing site.
- DSST students may pay for the test only by debit/credit card at the testing center on the day of the exam. Two types of photo ID are required.

A processing fee of \$20.00 for all non-Point University students is payable only by debit/credit card on the day of the exam.

Students with documented disabilities: Students with documented disabilities must submit that documentation, along with a request for auxiliary aid or services, to the director of the testing center.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL AID: SYLVIA SMITH

Educational Expenses

The specific costs of tuition, fees, room and board are published for each academic year on the University's website (*www.point.edu*) and in a supplement available from the Student Services Office. Tuition and fees are listed separately for the University's traditional program and for the Access program.

For financial information regarding the Access program for working adults and online degree programs, please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

Application for Financial Aid

The Financial Aid Office coordinates the campus-wide administration of all financial aid programs. For up-to-date information, please visit the Point University website.

Many Point students are able to meet the costs of a university education with various types of financial assistance including scholarships, grants, loans and work-study arrangements. New and continuing students may apply for financial aid throughout the year. In order to ensure consideration for all types of aid and the availability of funds at the time of registration, all of the following steps should be completed no later than March 15 for the fall semester and October 1 for the spring semester:

- Complete the process of application for admission to Point (see *Application Procedures*, p. 11).
- 2. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), available online at www.FAFSA.ed.gov.
- If a resident of the State of Georgia, complete the GSFAPPS application for the Georgia
 Tuition Equalization Grant Program, Zell Miller Scholarship and HOPE Scholarship for
 private colleges, available online at www.GAcollege411.org.
- 4. Submit additional required documents to the Financial Aid Office as requested.

Applications completed and/or submitted after the stated deadlines will be deemed late applications and cannot be given priority consideration. Completing the financial aid application process late may result in reduced assistance and/or the need to use personal funds to pay for tuition and fees at the time of registration. Students should make and retain a copy of each completed form before mailing it.

A student who receives federal or state financial aid must: (1) be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident alien; (2) meet Selective Service registration requirements; (3) not be in default on a prior student loan; (4) not owe a refund on federal or state financial aid; and (5) maintain satisfactory academic progress.

Federal Aid Programs

FEDERAL GRANTS: All qualified students can be considered for both the Federal Pell Grant and the Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant (SEOG) by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), available online at *www.FAFSA.ed.gov*. These programs are funded by the federal government and are based on financial need.

FEDERAL DIRECT LOAN PROGRAM: Under the Federal Direct Loan Program, the Department of Education makes low-interest loans directly to students through the University. A subsidized student loan is awarded on the basis of financial need, based on the completed FAFSA, and the federal government pays the interest on the loan until the student graduates and/or during authorized periods of deferment. An unsubsidized student loan is not based on need, and the student is charged interest from the time the loan is disbursed until it is paid in full. The Federal Direct PLUS Loan enables a parent with a good credit history to borrow funds in order to pay the educational expenses of a dependent student. The student must have a completed FAFSA on file to participate in this program.

FEDERAL WORK-STUDY: Financial aid may also include a variety of work-study arrangements that enable qualified students to supplement their financial resources through part-time work on campus. Application for Federal Work-Study is made through the Financial Aid Office. Placement in a campus job is made through the Human Resources Office.

Georgia Aid Programs

ZELL MILLER SCHOLARSHIP: The Zell Miller Scholarship program is designed to reward students who achieve and maintain high academic progress. To qualify for this program, a student must meet all of the requirements for HOPE Scholarship (see below) and must, additionally, achieve a high school HOPE (core) GPA of 3.7 or higher and achieve a 1200 or better on the math and reading portion of one SAT administration or a composite score of 26 or better on one administration of the ACT. The student must also maintain a 3.3 GPA while in college. A student who qualifies for the Zell Miller Scholarship is eligible to receive \$4,000 per academic year for full-time study or \$2,000 for half-time study. This amount is subject to change from year to year.

HOPE SCHOLARSHIP: The HOPE Scholarship is Georgia's unique and nationally recognized program for helping its students succeed. Helping Outstanding Pupils Educationally (HOPE) is an educational program to reward students who have earned good grades by helping with the expense of continuing their education after they graduate from high school. If a student has been a Georgia resident for at least two years or graduated from a Georgia-approved high school and has one year of residency prior to enrolling in a degree program, he/she may be eligible for the HOPE Scholarship. A student may be eligible to receive the HOPE Scholarship immediately following high school graduation if the student has achieved a 3.0 HOPE (core) GPA upon graduation. A student may also be eligible to receive the HOPE Scholarship if he or she has achieved a 3.0 college GPA at 30, 60 or 90 attempted hours. Every HOPE eligible student must maintain a GPA of 3.0 to continue receiving the scholarship. HOPE recipients receive \$3,820 per academic year scholarship for full-time study or \$1,910 for half-time study. This amount is subject to change from year to year.

Georgia Tuition Equalization Grant (GTEG): The GTEG is for residents of Georgia

seeking degrees from eligible private colleges and universities located within the State of Georgia to assist with their cost of attendance. GTEG recipients must enroll as full-time students in order to receive this grant. GTEG recipients receive \$700 per year. However, the amount of this grant varies from year to year depending on the State of Georgia budget.

Point University Aid Program

ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS: Point University awards endowed scholarships each academic year, which range in amounts from \$200 to full tuition. The Founders Scholarship may be awarded to five outstanding new students each year and includes tuition and fees. All of these scholarships are applied to courses taken at Point University. The following is a list of the endowed scholarships, as of May 2014.

James and Virginia Aldridge Scholarship Dr. William Ambrose Preaching Scholarship Wendell and Lynda Baggett Preaching Scholarship Terrell and Elma Harris and Kelsie and Sara Baldwin Scholarship Dorothy A. Bartley Music Scholarship J. Marvin Blackwell Preaching Scholarship Levi and Betty Bohannon Scholarship Dr. James Bowers Music Scholarship Larry and Paulette Bradberry Scholarship Myrtle Broome Scholarship Claudia Burchfield Scholarship Paul and Donna Carrier Scholarship Regina White Chastain Scholarship Christian Youth of Georgia Scholarship Melvin Lee Clay Scholarship Jim and Mildred Click Scholarship Clark and Suzette Cregger Scholarship Patsy Crowe Memorial Scholarship Keith and Harlene Davenport Scholarship Marlin H. and Doris J. Day Scholarship **Bob Disharoon Scholarship** Russell and Ellen Doles Scholarship Treavor Donaldson Scholarship Jim and Robin Donovan Scholarship Jim and Dura Dyer Scholarship Steve and Sherri Eidson Scholarship W. Edward and Billye Joyce Fine Scholarship General Scholarship Georgia Women's Retreat Scholarship Marshall and Margaret Glass Scholarship J. T. "Jake" Goen Scholarship Melvin and Margaret Greenway Memorial **Scholarship** Melvin and Margaret Greenway Scholarship

Homer and Ida Brown and Ashley and Addie

Greer Scholarship Charles and Ruth Groover Scholarship Judy and John Hardman Scholarship **Dennis and Sara Harris Preaching** Scholarship Olin W. Hay Preaching Scholarship Madeline Hayes Scholarship Clay Henry Scholarship Charles J. Herndon Ministry of Gospel **Scholarship** Guy and Ann Hill Scholarship **Hubert and Dorothy Hollums Scholarship** W. S. Hughes Scholarship Jefferson Park Christian Church Scholarship Johnson County Scholarship John Kennedy Memorial Scholarship Hazel Kiger Memorial Scholarship Earl and Nita Kindt Scholarship Catherine S. Lee Scholarship Paul and Mary Leslie Scholarship Lilly Family Leaders Scholarship James and Caroline Mackey Scholarship Robert W. McGuire Preaching Scholarship Frank and Jeanette McKinney Scholarship Roy McKinney Scholarship Roy and Viola Miller Scholarship Agnes Howie Morgan and Evelyn Cawthon Morgan Scholarship Mount Olive Christian Church Scholarship Larry and Peggy Musick Scholarship North Druid Hills Christian Church **Scholarship** Northshore Christian Church Scholarship Billy W. Pate Scholarship A. C. "Al" Peacock Scholarship Tom Phelps Preaching Scholarship Scott H. Phillips Preaching Scholarship

Lois H. Black and Scott H. Phillips Scholarship Tom and Carol Plank Scholarship **Point Music Scholarship Bob and Doreen Puckett Scholarship** Forrest Lee and Helen Ramser Scholarship Fred and Margaret Ramser Memorial Scholarship James C. Redmon Scholarship Bill and Billie Repella Scholarship Bernard Riley Memorial Missions Scholarship Jay Romans Scholarship **Lester Shell Preaching Scholarship** Doug Shippy Scholarship **Denver and Helen Sizemore Missions** Scholarship Werner G. Smith Scholarship James W. Sosebee Scholarship William M. and Lanette L. Suttles Scholarship Ralph and Evelyn Swearngin Scholarship

Nancy Taylor Scholarship

Hayward and Vera Thames Music Scholarship Charles F. and Anne Turner Scholarship **Urban Link Scholarship** James Vaughn Memorial Scholarship James D. Vernon Memorial Scholarship John W. and Barbara Wade Scholarship **Rupert and Alene Wallace Preaching Scholarship** Ralph and Helen Warren Scholarship Robert O. and Mildred Weaver Scholarship Fred and Linnell Wellborn Scholarship West Gwinnett Christian Church Memorial **Preaching Scholarship** Clyde P. Wheeler Preaching Scholarship Courtney Griggs and Josh Wilson Scholarship Clark F. Woods Scholarship Lois Yarbrough Scholarship Andrew M. Yarchuk Scholarship Shelia Zimmermann Scholarship

INSTITUTIONAL AWARDS: In addition to the endowed scholarships, Point makes several institutional scholarships and grants available with a variety of criteria and award amounts.

Point University's institutional awards may be applied only to tuition for courses taken from the University unless specified otherwise. The sum of all tuition specific scholarships and grants, including institutional awards, may not exceed the total amount of tuition. In situations where all tuition specific scholarships and grants do exceed total tuition, institutional awards will be adjusted accordingly. Contact the Financial Aid Office for details, requirements and conditions of renewability/continuation for each of the institutional awards.

Other Sources of Assistance

Certain students are eligible for assistance under programs administered by the Veterans Administration, the Social Security Administration and other organizations and agencies. Additional information may be obtained through the Financial Aid Office.

Satisfactory Academic Progress for Federal Financial Aid

In accordance with the federal regulations under Title IV of the Higher Education Amendments, a student must maintain satisfactory academic progress in order to receive federal financial aid. The requirements for satisfactory academic progress for federal financial aid at Point University are defined as follows:

QUANTITATIVE: A full-time student must take at least 12 credit hours per semester or complete at least 24 credit hours during an academic year. A ³/₄-time student must take at least

nine credit hours per semester or complete at least 18 credit hours during an academic year. A half-time student must take at least six credit hours per semester or complete at least 12 credit hours during an academic year. A student who changes enrollment status during the year must complete the requirements of the number of hours for each enrollment status. For example, a student who is enrolled full-time one semester and half-time the next must complete at least 18 hours during the academic year (12 + 6).

QUALITATIVE: Any student must successfully complete 67 percent of all credit hours attempted during the term and maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0. Only grades of A, B, C and D will be considered as credit hours completed.

A student who does not pass at least 67 percent of the credit hours attempted during one academic semester and maintains a 2.0 GPA will be placed on federal financial aid warning for one semester. If a student who is on federal financial aid warning does not pass at least 67 percent of all credit hours taken during the next semester, that student will be placed on federal financial aid suspension. A student on federal financial aid suspension is not eligible to receive federal financial aid for the next semester for which federal financial aid is available.

A student who is not eligible to receive federal financial aid due to lack of satisfactory progress is eligible to apply for federal financial aid after: (1) enrolling in one full-time semester at one's own expense; and (2) meeting the satisfactory academic progress policy.

APPEAL OF SUSPENSION OF FEDERAL FINANCIAL AID: A student placed on federal financial aid suspension can submit an appeal to the Financial Aid Office. The appeal must be in writing with an explanation (including documentation) of the circumstance that negatively impacted the achievement of satisfactory academic progress requirements and what the student plans to do in the future to ensure that he or she will meet satisfactory academic progress. The written appeal should be submitted to the financial aid office within 30 days of receipt of written notification from the financial aid office. The appeal will be presented to the Appeals Committee, which is chaired by the Vice President of Enrollment Management and consists of University faculty and staff. The decision of the Appeals Committee will be final. If the student's appeal is approved by the Committee, the student will be placed on federal financial aid warning for one semester. The student will also be given an academic plan consisting of milestones the student must meet in order to continue receiving federal financial aid. Failure to meet or exceed any of the milestones outlined during any semester will result in the student being placed on federal financial aid suspension until he or she meets the satisfactory academic progress requirements detailed above.

TIME REQUIREMENTS: All Point University students have 150 percent of the required hours in their degree programs to complete the degree. For example, a student who is enrolled in a degree program that requires 120 completed hours may attempt up to 180 hours and continue to be eligible for federal financial aid. Hours used in calculating timeframe include all hours attempted at Point University and any hours the student earned at another college or university that are being accepted for credit toward his or her current degree. A student who fails to complete his or her degree within the specified timeframe will be placed on federal financial aid suspension and will no longer be eligible to receive federal financial aid.

A written institutional policy which explains in detail the procedures to be used by the institution for compliance with the provisions of Title IV of the Higher Education Amendments may be found in the Financial Aid Office. Initial inquiries concerning Title IV should be referred to the Financial Aid Office.

Payments, Non-Payment, and Refunds

PAYMENTS: All educational expenses (tuition, fees, room, board, etc.) must be paid in full by the published payment deadline each semester. The specific payment deadline date for each semester is published on the University's website. For this reason, both students and their families should plan well in advance. At Point University, many financial aid programs are offered in cooperation with the federal government, and many institutional scholarships and grants are offered for both first-time students and returning students. These programs are offered to assist those with proven financial need in meeting their educational costs.

A payment plan is available to students who are unable to meet their financial obligations through financial aid and prepayment of their bills. This option is also available for those who prefer to pay through installments. Details on payment plans are available through the Student Services Office. It is important to note that the primary responsibility for paying for one's education lies with the student and the student's family.

NON-PAYMENT: Students who fail to make payment arrangements for their education costs by the published payment deadline will not be eligible to take classes, move in to campus housing, or participate in school sponsored extra-curricular activities. Students with an outstanding balance due to failure to comply with an agreed upon payment plan or additional charges not covered by financial aid or payments will be prohibited from re-enrolling in future semesters and receiving a transcript and/or diploma.

REFUNDS: In cases of a change in enrollment, food service and/or housing, whether voluntary or involuntary, the following schedule applies:

	Time of Change	Refund
Tuition and Fees:	First week (during the drop-add period; see the <i>Academic Calendar</i> , p. 5)	100%
	After the drop-add period	0%

Room and Board: A refund will be made according to the number of weeks in residence (a minimum of six weeks of room and board will be charged)

The date of credit will be based on the date the completed official form to register the change in enrollment, food service and/or housing is submitted to the appropriate University office by the student. Changes in enrollment (drop/add) are submitted to the Registrar's Office. Changes in housing and food service are submitted to the Student Life Office.

A student who has received financial aid in excess of allowable charges (e.g., tuition, fees, housing, food service, books) will receive a refund within 14 days of the date the credit balance occurs unless the student gives a written authorization for the University to hold the excess funds on his or her account for use in future semesters.

ACADEMIC POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER: W. DARRYL HARRISON, ED.D.

Enrollment

SELECTION OF MAJOR AND ADVISING: Each degree-seeking student chooses a program of study when admitted or as soon as possible thereafter. Those who do not are designated "undecided" until a program is declared. Following the selection of a degree program, the student is assigned an academic advisor in the area of professional preparation. While the student is able to consult with the assigned academic advisor, it will be the responsibility of the student to enroll for required courses at appropriate times in order to meet the academic requirements for graduation. A student may change from one degree program to another by completing a Change of Major form in the Registrar's office.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURES: A student can attend a course only when he or she has registered and paid for that course. Detailed information and procedures are published by the Registrar prior to each registration period. Current students register online for the next semester during the registration period (normally beginning around the eleventh week of each semester). New students participate in Link registration events on campus before registering for their first semester.

In the first year, most students schedule courses in keeping with the Core Curriculum (pp. 93-94). Courses during the following years are selected as prescribed by the choice of a degree program. Degree program requirements are outlined under *Academic Departments and Programs* (pp. 39-110). The *Course Descriptions* section of the catalog (pp. 111-156) presents the courses offered in the University's traditional curriculum.

Students who have not registered previously may do so during the first week of the semester (also known as the "drop/add period"). A late fee will be charged for registration during the drop/add period. A student may not be admitted to any class until he or she has completed registration and payment for the semester. The last day a student may register for classes is the end of the first week of regular classes, as listed in the *Academic Calendar* (p. 5).

SEMESTERS AND CREDIT HOURS: The Point University Academic Calendar for the traditional curriculum is based on two semesters, each composed of approximately 15 weeks of classes and one week of final exams. Courses are offered on a semester-hour basis. One semester hour (or one credit hour) normally signifies that a course meets for one 50-minute period per week for approximately 15 weeks (750 minutes) with 1500 minutes of outside-of-class student work (or the equivalent) as determined by Point's credit hour policy and procedures.

COURSE LOAD: The average load per semester for a student is 15-16 hours. A student taking up to 11 hours in one semester is considered a part-time student. A student taking 12 hours or

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more in one semester is classified as a full-time student. In order to enroll in more than 17 hours, a student must have a 2.50 cumulative GPA and permission from his or her assigned advisor. Enrollment in more than 19 semester hours also requires the approval of the Registrar.

STUDENT CHANGES IN ENROLLMENT: Once registered through normal procedures, a student may enroll in ("add") or withdraw from ("drop") a course during the first week of the semester (the drop/add period) by completing the appropriate form in the Registrar's Office. Courses may not be added after the drop/add period has ended, as listed on the Academic Calendar. Classes offered on a special schedule may be added until the end of the equivalent first week of the class.

Any change in academic enrollment or schedule (drop or add) must be initiated in the Registrar's Office. To add or withdraw from a course, the student obtains a form from the Registrar's Office. A student should consult his or her academic advisor before deciding on a change. Students receiving financial aid must check with the Financial Aid Office regarding possible consequences before adding or dropping a course. After completion of the appropriate information and signatures, the form is returned by the student to the Registrar's Office. A student is to continue in class attendance until the withdrawal is approved by the Registrar.

A student's academic transcript records the courses in which the student is enrolled at the conclusion of the drop/add period. Courses dropped during the drop/add period do not appear on the transcript for that semester. A refund of tuition is possible during this period (see the University's refund policy, p. 22). *Note:* The student's enrollment at the end of the drop/add period is counted as that semester's "attempted hours" in financial aid considerations, especially the HOPE Scholarship, even if a course is later dropped with a "W" or "WP."

If a student withdraws from a course after the first week and by the end of the fourth week of the semester, as listed on the Academic Calendar, a grade of "W" is recorded for that course on the student's academic transcript. The grade of "W" is not considered in calculating a student's grade point average (GPA). If a student drops a course after the fourth week and by the end of the 12th week, as listed in the Academic Calendar, the professor designates a grade of "WP" or "WF," as appropriate. The grade "WP" is given when a student withdraws from a course in a passing condition and is not considered in calculating the GPA. The grade "WF" is given when a student withdraws from a course while in a failing condition and is treated as an "F" in calculating the GPA. The last opportunity to drop a course is the last day of the 12th week of classes, as listed on the Academic Calendar.

INVOLUNTARY WITHDRAWAL: A student may be involuntarily withdrawn from one or more courses for reasons including but not limited to the violation of University policies governing academics – such as the *Class Attendance, Absences, and Lateness* (p. 25) or *Academic Conduct* (pp. 27-29) policies – or the violation of regulations or policies stated in a course syllabus. The student will be notified of the involuntary withdrawal by the Registrar. If the student is withdrawn after the drop/add period and before the end of the fourth week of classes, a grade of "W" is assigned. If the withdrawal occurs after the fourth week, the professor designates a grade of "WP" or "WF," as appropriate, with a "WF" treated as an "F" for GPA calculation. Unlike a voluntary withdrawal by the student, an involuntary withdrawal may occur after the 12th week of the semester and until the end of the semester.

A student who believes an error has been made in an involuntary withdrawal may appeal to the Registrar. The appeal must be made in writing within 48 hours of the notification of the involuntary withdrawal, giving evidence for the believed error. The student may and should continue in class attendance as long as an official appeal is pending. The Registrar will respond with the decision in a timely manner, either to reverse or uphold the involuntary withdrawal. If a student contends that the Registrar's response to the appeal is not correct, that decision may be appealed by the student to the Academic Committee, which must be submitted in writing to the Chief Academic Officer within 24 hours of the Registrar's notification. The decision of the Academic Committee will be final.

In a case involving an involuntary withdrawal from one or more courses for non-academic reasons – such as the violation of the University's Student Life policies, the health or safety of the student or others or the nonpayment of fees – the student may appeal the decision to an appropriate University official according to the procedures governing that area as set forth in other University publications. For example, the appeal of a Student Life decision would follow the procedures presented in *A Covenant for a Christian Community*.

CLASS ATTENDANCE, ABSENCES AND LATENESS: A student is expected to attend each meeting of the class in which he is enrolled. It is the responsibility of the student to contact the professor to make up the work missed during the time away from class. Students are expected to attend all classes, but may be absent a total of three weeks and still remain enrolled in the class, regardless of the reason for being absent. After three weeks of absences plus one, either consecutive or cumulative days, the student will be withdrawn from the class roll and assigned a grade on the basis of work completed at the time of withdrawal unless, because of exceptional circumstances, prior arrangements have been made with the professor and the Chief Academic Officer. Individual professors may impose additional penalties for absence or tardiness beyond the general policy stated above. Such penalties will be assessed according to the terms of the class syllabus.

A student is tardy if he arrives after the professor begins to take roll; three tardies count as an absence. The tardy student must notify the professor of his tardiness not later than the beginning of the next regularly scheduled session of that class. A student who comes to class following the first ten minutes of class or leaves prior to the final ten minutes of class may be counted as absent for the entire class period.

Grading

GRADING SYSTEM: The system of grades and point values followed by the University is as follows:

<i>Grade</i>	Meaning	Grade Points
Α	Excellent	4
В	Above Average	3
C	Average	2
D	Below Average	1
F	Failing	0
P	Passing	not calculated in GPA
I-"grade"	Incomplete	determined by "grade"
R	Audit	not calculated in GPA
W	Withdrawal	not calculated in GPA
WP	Withdrawal Passing	not calculated in GPA
WF	Withdrawal Failing	0
NG	No Grade	not calculated in GPA

The number of grade points earned in any course is determined by multiplying the number of semester hours by the number of points given for the grade received for the course. A student's grade point average (GPA) is determined by dividing the total number of points earned by the number of hours taken. Grades of "P," "R," "W," and "WP" are not considered in calculating a student's institutional GPA. The minimum cumulative GPA for all work taken at Point specified in *Student Classifications* (p. 27) must be maintained to remain in good academic standing (see *Academic Probation and Suspension*, pp. 34-35).

PASS/FAIL GRADING: Some courses are designated as having pass/fail grading. The credit hours for a pass/fail course carry full academic credit (e.g., toward the required hours for graduation, the satisfaction of degree requirements, and the calculation of the student's academic load, as appropriate otherwise). In a pass/fail course, the student's grade is registered as "Pass" or "Fail." A grade of "Pass" for a pass/fail course is given in lieu of "A" through "D" grades, appears as a "P" on the student's transcript, and does not affect the student's GPA. A grade of "F" for a pass/fail course is calculated in the student's GPA on the same basis as any other failing grade. Adding or withdrawing from a pass/fail course is conducted on the same basis as other courses.

FINAL EXAMINATIONS: A final exam period is designated at the close of each semester. A student who does not take an examination at the regularly scheduled time will be charged a fee for the privilege of taking each examination at another time. The form to initiate a rescheduling is to be obtained from the Registrar. Approval then is to be received from the professor and the Registrar. Requests should be based on emergencies and other serious scheduling difficulties. Requests will not be granted merely for personal convenience.

INCOMPLETE WORK: If a student is unable to complete work in a course at the end of a semester because of personal illness or sickness or death in the family, the student must contact the professor and may receive a grade of Incomplete ("I"). Incompletes will be granted by the professor only if the extenuating circumstances are sufficient in his or her estimation to have made it impossible for the work to have been done before the end of the semester. Any conditions for receiving an Incomplete and completing the course, such as a shortened time limit, are set by the professor at the time the Incomplete is granted. This work must be completed by the time stipulated by the professor.

To give a student an Incomplete grade in a course, the professor submits a grade of "I-B," "I-C," "I-D" or "I-F." The second letter indicates the grade the student would have received if all incomplete work had been given a score of zero in the normal grading system for that course. For the purpose of calculating a student's GPA, an Incomplete grade will be given the grade point value of the letter after the "I." When the student has completed the work, the professor then submits a final grade. At the end of the next semester, any Incomplete not replaced by a submitted final grade will automatically and permanently convert to the letter grade after the "I" which was initially submitted by the professor. The professor and the Registrar are not responsible for notifying or reminding the student regarding an Incomplete.

RETAKES: A student may retake a course for which the student has received a grade at Point University (a "retake").

- If the course is retaken at Point, the lower grade and credit hours previously received are not calculated and the higher grade and credit hours are used in recalculating the Point GPA.
- If the student takes the course at another institution, receives a higher grade, and transfers that course to Point subject to the normal transfer of credit practices (p. 29), the lower

grade and credit hours previously received at Point are not calculated in the Point GPA. The transfer credits and grades are not used in calculating the Point University GPA.

A student who fails a required course should retake the course the next semester it is offered. Certain courses, including internships, varsity athletics, applied music and choir, may be repeated without being considered retakes.

CHANGE OF GRADE: The change of an academic letter grade may be made after a final grade has been submitted only when the case involves a professor's error.

APPEAL OF GRADES: A student who believes an error has been made in the calculating or recording of a grade are encouraged to address the issue with the instructor in order to resolve it appropriately. The student may appeal the grade to the Registrar. The appeal must be made in writing and received within 14 calendar days after the grades were posted, giving evidence for the believed error. A duplicate copy of the appeal letter should be submitted to the course instructor. The Registrar will respond to the appeal with a decision in a timely manner. If a student contends that the Registrar's response to the appeal is not correct, a second appeal may be made by the student to the Academic Committee, which must be in writing, addressed to the Chief Academic Officer, and within seven days of the notification of the Registrar's decision. The decision of the Academic Committee will be final.

Student Classifications

Students are classified according to the total number of semester hours completed for credit at Point and transferred from other colleges to fulfill degree requirements. The expected minimum GPA is determined by the student's class standing. If a student earns enough hours in a given semester to move from one minimum GPA requirement to another, the higher requirement applies. Listed below are the five basic classifications:

Academic	Cumulative	Minimum
Classification	Semester Hours	Cumulative GPA
Freshman	1 - 29	1.8
Sophomore	30 - 59	1.9
Junior	60 - 89	2.0
Senior	90+	2.0

The two other recognized classifications are:

- Transient: A student enrolled in another accredited college or university temporarily attending Point University. Such enrollment is limited to one semester.
- Audit: A student enrolled in a regular credit course, but not receiving University credit or a grade. Such a student may not transfer from audit to credit or vice versa except during the drop/add period and with the permission of the professor and the Registrar.

Academic Conduct

Students are expected to exercise Christian values in every area of their lives. Truth and honesty, integrity and diligence are encouraged and should characterize the academic conduct of every student at Point University. Each student is encouraged to engage in honest intellectual

effort and ethical behavior in order to achieve the full development of the student's potential. Therefore, misbehavior in academic matters is considered a serious problem and an affront to the entire University community.

Whenever a faculty member, student or staff member becomes aware of academic misconduct, that person should report the misbehavior to the course instructor or another appropriate University official. Examples of academic misconduct include, but are not limited to:

- Plagiarism. Essays, term papers, projects, tests, homework and other course requirements must be the work of the student submitting them; when an idea or quotation of another is used, it must be appropriately acknowledged with proper citation.
- Cheating on a test or other assignment.
- Unauthorized collaborating. A student shall not receive assistance not authorized by the instructor in the preparation of any assignment; a student shall not knowingly give unauthorized assistance to another person in such preparation.
- Selling, loaning or sharing a copy of an examination (or information about an examination), whether past or current.
- Providing false or inaccurate information to an instructor or other academic personnel, such as marking an attendance sheet for an absent student.
- Altering an academic transcript, grade report or other University document.
- Disrupting classroom, field trip, advising or other academic activities, either on or off campus.
- Being rude or disrespectful toward an instructor or fellow student.
- Misusing advanced technology in class (e.g., using a laptop computer for non-class-related purposes).
- Using a cell phone, sleeping, inattentiveness, doing non-class-related work or activity, or other such inappropriate classroom behavior.

Academic misconduct is addressed by the instructor of the course in which is occurs. A professor has the prerogative to take a variety of actions, as appropriate, including but not limited to: count a student absent; require work to be redone, in whole or part; require additional work; give a lower or failing grade for an assignment or test; require the student to leave a class session; withdraw the student from the course; and/or give an immediate failing grade for the course.

In all cases of academic misconduct, the faculty member informs the Chief Academic Officer of the case and its resolution in writing. The Chief Academic Officer keeps information documenting instances of academic dishonesty. If a student's academic dishonesty appears to be egregious or repeated, the Chief Academic Officer has the prerogative to pursue disciplinary action beyond that of the instructor(s) in order to deal with the infraction(s), including the adjudication of the case before the Judiciary Board and/or the possibility of suspension of enrollment.

APPEAL OF ACADEMIC MISCONDUCT DECISION: A student who believes an error has been made by an instructor in a case of academic misconduct (e.g., who denies the academic misconduct, disputes the facts of the case, believes the sanction is inappropriate) may appeal the decision and corrective action of an instructor to the Chief Academic Officer. The appeal must be made in writing and received within one week of the instructor's decision, stating evidence for the believed error. A duplicate copy of the appeal letter should be submitted to the course instructor. The student may and should continue in class attendance and participation as long as an official appeal is pending. The Chief Academic Officer will investigate and respond to the

appeal with a decision in a timely manner. A student may appeal a decision by the Chief Academic Officer regarding academic misconduct to the Judiciary Board, which must be in writing, addressed to the Vice President for Spiritual Formation, and within three days of the notification of the Chief Academic Officer's decision. The decision of the Judiciary Board will be final in cases that do not end in suspension. A student may appeal a suspension due to academic misconduct, which must be in writing and within three days of the notification of suspension, to the President of the University whose decision will be final.

Credits from Other Sources

TRANSFER OF CREDITS: Point University accepts credits for equivalent courses bearing "C-" or higher grades to Point from institutions accredited as degree-granting by a regional accrediting body for higher education at the time the coursework was completed. Credits from colleges that are accredited by other accrediting bodies, as recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, are considered on a case-by-case basis. Credits from non-accredited colleges are not transferred.

Comparable nature, content, and level of credit are considered in determining the appropriateness of the transfer. Only those courses which satisfy degree requirements are transferred. A tentative evaluation of credits for transfer may be made as part of the admission process. The Registrar will officially transfer credits after the student has been accepted and declared a degree program.

Only credits taken at Point University contribute to the student's cumulative GPA; transfer credits and grades are not used in calculating the Point GPA. The credits and grades for transfer courses used to satisfy degree requirements are considered in determining graduation honors (see *Honors*, p. 35).

CREDIT BY EXAMINATION: Point recognizes the earning of credit by examination from sources with known validities and reliabilities. Official copies of credit by examination scores should be submitted to the Registrar, who determines the applicability of particular external examinations to the requirements for a degree from Point. Point's off-site location in Peachtree City administers the computer-based tests of the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) and DSST (formerly DANTES Subject Standardized Tests, now by Prometrics).

Academic credit toward graduation requirements for a degree will be awarded for the results of credit by examination under the following conditions and limitations:

- The testing program/examination is recommended as the basis for awarding University academic credit by the American Council on Education (ACE): e.g., Advanced Placement (AP), College Level Examination Program (CLEP), DSST, and military courses. The number of semester hours awarded is normally determined according to the ACE recommendation and University requirements for the specific course.
- 2. The credit awarded by another institution of higher education on the basis of examination is recorded on the student's academic transcript in the same way as that institution's regular course credits, which usually includes a normal catalog course number, the specific number of credit hours awarded, and a letter grade of "C-" or higher or that institution's designated letter or symbol for credit-by-exam or credit earned without a letter grade (such as "CR" or "P"). Generic credit hours awarded by examination or course requirements waived on the basis of examination cannot be accepted. (continued)

- 3. The International Baccalaureate (IB) examination result for a specific discipline/course is at or above the level (standard or higher level) and score charted by the Registrar for course-and-credit equivalency based on common practices by peer institutions.
- 4. Credits earned by external examination are placed on the student's transcript and treated as transfer credits. Credit earned by external testing will be designated on the transcript by a grade of "Pass."
- 5. A maximum of 25 percent of the semester hours required for a traditional degree may be satisfied by external examinations.

TRANSIENT STUDENTS FROM POINT AT ANOTHER UNIVERSITY: A transient student is one who, with advance approval of the Registrar, takes one or more courses at another regionally-accredited institution of higher education to meet curricular requirements at Point. Such a student is considered a Point student while studying elsewhere. The credits taken as a transient student, including online or correspondence courses, are subject to the normal transfer of credit practices (p. 29). All coursework from institutions, other than Point, must be completed and transcripts received prior to the beginning of the last semester before graduation.

Campus Technology

Point University provides modern, well-equipped computer facilities for student use. Computers are available in the Learning Commons, the Computer Lab, the Fine Arts Center and other points on campus. The Computer Lab is located in the Learning Commons on the first floor of the Academic Center, and is available to all students from 8:00 a.m. until 9:00p.m. In the Fine Arts Center, students have access to a Mac lab. Additional computer kiosks are available around campus. Computers are connected to the Internet through the University's network, with access to software for word processing, spreadsheets, databases, presentations, web browsing and interactive course materials.

All campus residences are equipped with network access to connect student personal computers to the Internet. Students are given instructions on how to log on to the campus network with their own passwords during orientation. Wireless Internet access is available in the Learning Commons, classrooms and other points on campus. Students can register for classes, check grades or transcripts and update their personal information online.

Learning Assistance

Point is focused on helping students achieve academic success. The University provides a variety of services to assist students in the Education Resource Center (ER), located in the Learning Commons on the first floor of the Academic Center:

- Helping new students adjust to the academic and social demands of University life;
- Cooperating in academic advisement and course selection of at-risk students;
- Directing students to tutoring in various disciplines;
- Coordinating tutoring services by the Writing Lab and the Math Lab;
- Providing Writing Lab support to students at any stage of the writing process;
- Assisting with reasonable accommodations for students eligible for disability services and working with faculty and staff to meet those needs as appropriate; and
- Offering instruction and materials for such topics as effective time management, study and testing skills.

Physical and Learning Disabilities

Point University is committed to a policy of non-discrimination toward persons with disabilities, including the provision of auxiliary aids and services for students with disabilities. The University recognizes that not all hearing-impaired students need sign language interpreters for all classes. Some students can tape-record lectures and have volunteers transcribe the tapes. Some students can have fellow students take notes for them. Furthermore, other auxiliary aids and services, including hearing aids and voice-recognition devices, may provide meaningful access to classroom lectures without the need for a sign-language interpreter. Finally, the University recognizes its obligation to the larger University community to provide auxiliary aids and services in the most cost-effective and least disruptive manner to its academic programs as possible while still providing meaningful access to classroom lectures for students with disabilities.

Any student requesting auxiliary aids from the University, including sign-language interpreters, must comply with the following process:

- 1. The student must contact the Director of Disability Services as soon as possible after being notified of admission to the University.
- 2. If the student waits to report the need for disability services or if the contact is within 30 days of the beginning of an academic semester, the student must contact with Director of Disability Services with the understanding that the process will take some time to complete.
- 3. The Director of Disability Services will engage in an interactive process with the student, which requires completion of an application for disability services and formal requests for documentation. The application must state the specific auxiliary aid or service requested and must provide the University with any evaluations that support the request. The request should discuss what alternative auxiliary aids or services may be available and why these alternatives either are or are not appropriate to provide the student meaningful access to classroom lectures.
- 4. The process will include consideration of any recommended reasonable modification or adjustment that would enable the student to have an equal opportunity to benefit from the academic program and will take into consideration such factors as: the extent of the student's disability; the student's prior use of auxiliary aids; the nature and complexity of the program content; and the modes through which course content is presented.
- 5. The process may include consultation with course instructors or specialists familiar with the student's disability, where appropriate. The determination regarding auxiliary aids and academic accommodation is made after a reasoned deliberation by an individual with relevant training, knowledge and experience that includes a review of course or program requirements and available options and alternatives. The person making any decision on whether a student requires auxiliary aids and the auxiliary aids to be provided will be knowledgeable and informed about (or will make the decision based upon documentation received from a person who is knowledgeable and informed about) the nature of the student's disability, and the effect on the student's performance in all aspects of the program.
- 6. In making its determination, the University may require the student to submit to an evaluation by an evaluator selected and paid for by the University. In determining whether and what aids and services to provide the student, the University will take into account the cost-effectiveness of the aids and services requested; their suitability to the student; the availability of suitable, less costly, alternatives; and the disruptiveness to the academic program of the University.
- 7. The Director of Disability Services will provide a Point University Accommodation Plan

in writing to the student. After discussion of its contents, the student and the Director will sign the document and the student's instructors will be notified of the provisions of the plan.

SECTION 504 GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE: It is the policy of Point University not to discriminate on the basis of disability. The University has adopted an internal grievance procedure for prompt and equitable resolution of complaints alleging any action prohibited by Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Action of 1973 (29 U.S.C. 794) ("Section 504"). Section 504 prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability in any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance.

Any person who believes he or she has been subjected to discrimination on the basis of disability by the University may file a grievance under this procedure. It is against the law for the University to retaliate against anyone who files a grievance or cooperates in the investigation of a grievance.

All such grievances should be addressed to the Director of Disability Services (Kathy David at 404-669-2480 and kathy.david@point.edu), who has been designated as the University's Section 504 Coordinator. If the grievance is against the Director of Disability Services, the grievance should be addressed to the Chief Academic Officer (Dr. Darryl Harrison at 706-385-1098 and darryl.harrison@point.edu). The general grievance procedure for filing a Section 504 grievance is as follows:

- 1. A grievance should be filed in writing, stating the name and address of the person submitting it and a brief description of the nature of the complaint.
- 2. A grievance should be filed within 30 days after the person became aware of the alleged violation.
- 3. The Section 504 Coordinator or someone designated by the Coordinator shall conduct an investigation of the complaint in an impartial manner. The investigation may be informal, but it will be thorough and afford all interested persons the opportunity to submit evidence and present witnesses relevant to the complaint.
- 4. The Section 504 Coordinator will issue a written decision on the grievance within 30 days of the filing. The University will take steps to prevent recurrence of any discrimination and to correct discriminatory effects if appropriate.
- 5. The person filing the grievance may appeal the decision of the Coordinator to the Chief Academic Officer within 30 days of the adverse decision. The Chief Academic Officer will make a written decision within 30 days of the appeal.

Significant Cross-Cultural Experience Program

Every student graduating with a baccalaureate degree from the traditional curriculum (this catalog) engages in a significant cross-cultural experience (SCCE) in order to enhance learning in cross-cultural awareness and effectiveness. The mission of the University is "to educate students for Christ-centered service and leadership throughout the world." One of the University's institutional goals is to enhance the student's ability to "respect and influence people of various cultures." Accordingly, the SCCE is considered an important part of the student's co-curricular experience at Point University and is included in the Core Curriculum (CCE 301, p. 94) and the *Requirements for Graduation* (point 5, p. 35).

PURPOSE AND GOALS OF THE SCCE: The purpose of the SCCE is to enhance student learning in global awareness and cross-cultural adaptability to the glory of God. The specific

goals of the program are to:

- 1. Enhance the student's awareness of the variety and diversity of cultures.
- 2. Foster the student's respect for the people of another culture.
- Encourage the student's development of the personal knowledge and skills associated with functioning in another culture.
- 4. Encourage the student's development of the personal knowledge and skills associated with influencing people of another culture.

DESCRIPTION OF THE SCCE: For the purposes of this program, a significant cross-cultural experience is identified as an experience that successfully:

- 1. Immerses the student in a culture dissimilar to his or her own, either domestic or international, for a minimum of 4 consecutive days or 40 cumulative hours;
- 2. Engages the student directly with the people of that culture in service-, education-, and/or outreach-oriented (non-vacation) interactions;
- 3. Induces a manageable level of disequilibrium in the student by taking the student out of his or her "comfort zone"; and
- 4. Encourages the development of cross-cultural awareness and adaptability.

Students may choose from a variety of types of experiences that satisfy the general description and selection criteria of the SCCE in order to achieve the purpose and goals of the program. Educational tours, short-term mission trips, service projects, sports outreach, language learning and similar experiences could be appropriate experiences. Study abroad could qualify as the SCCE, but only if the experience meets the stated criteria.

The SCCE may include foreign travel (which is encouraged but not required), may be conducted in the United States, or may be achieved in metro Atlanta. Students may participate in Point-based group experiences, such as those led by Point faculty and staff, or in cross-cultural experiences sponsored by other organizations, groups, churches or colleges. Participation in an organized group SCCE is recommended.

In specific cases with approval in advance, a student may be enrolled for CCE 497, Cross Cultural Experience, for an appropriate number of semester hours based on an extended SCCE.

PREPARATION FOR THE SCCE: The student participates in an SCCE Preparation Seminar. Seminars are conducted at various points during the academic year. Each student is encouraged to attend a seminar during the sophomore year and no later than the beginning of the junior year. As part of the seminar, the student learns:

- the purpose and goals of the SCCE;
- keys to cross-cultural awareness and adjustment;
- the requirements for the SCCE and the variety of possible cross-cultural experiences;
- how to develop a budget, raise funds, and acquire a passport and immunizations, as appropriate; and
- how to complete the process for approval of an SCCE.

SCCE SELECTION AND APPROVAL: After participating in an SCCE Preparation Seminar, the student confers with his/her academic advisor, academic program coordinator, and others to select and develop an appropriate SCCE. Using an SCCE approval form, the student submits the required information regarding his/her proposed SCCE to the SCCE program coordinator in order to receive approval prior to beginning the experience. Once approved by the SCCE program coordinator, the student may proceed with the experience.

FUNDING FOR THE SCCE: In all cases, the student will be responsible for funding or raising the funds for his/her own selected and approved SCCE.

DURING THE SCCE: The time frames in which students are normally encouraged to schedule the SCCE are during Christmas break, spring break, summer, and Thanksgiving break (when week-long). Study abroad or a cross-cultural internship could be scheduled during summer or during a regular semester with permission from the student's academic advisor. During the SCCE, the student keeps a journal, attends group meetings as announced, and documents fulfillment of the SCCE expectations.

AFTER THE SCCE IS CONDUCTED:

The student enrolls in CCE 301, Significant Cross-Cultural Experience (not for credit), and participates in four 50-minute sessions during which the student engages in reflection, self-evaluation and evaluation of the experience itself. Each student submits a final written summary of his/her SCCE and its effect on the student relative to the goals of the SCCE program. CCE 301 (no credit, credit/no credit grade) must be completed, as verified by the SCCE program coordinator, prior to graduation with a traditional baccalaureate degree.

Academic Probation and Suspension

ACADEMIC WARNING: A student whose semester grade point average (GPA) falls below 2.00, but whose cumulative GPA is above the standard stated in the *Student Classifications* section (p. 27), receives an academic warning prior to the following semester. A student receiving an academic warning can continue enrollment without interruption. The warning status serves as an aid in advisement and the scheduling of extra-curricular activities.

ACADEMIC PROBATION: If a student's cumulative GPA falls below the academic standard stated in the *Student Classifications* section (p. 27), that student is placed on academic probation for the following semester. The Registrar will notify students in writing if they have been placed on academic probation. Students on academic probation are not eligible to enroll in overloads. Other conditions may also be imposed when appropriate.

If a student has been placed on academic probation and the student's semester GPA at the end of the semester is at least 2.0, but the student's cumulative GPA is still below the expected minimum GPA, the student is continued on probation for the following semester.

ACADEMIC SUSPENSION: A student may be academically suspended for the following semester under either of the following circumstances: (1) if the cumulative GPA of a student who is on academic probation continues to fall below the academic standard stated in the *Student Classifications* section (p. 27) the semester following being placed on probation and the student's semester average is below 2.00; or (2) if the cumulative GPA of a student falls below 1.00, whether or not that student is on academic probation. Academic suspension is a status that bars a student from continued enrollment at Point University or any other institution for one semester. After the suspension (normally one fall or spring semester), the student is eligible to reapply for admission (p. 12) and, if readmitted, would return on academic probation.

APPEAL OF PROBATION OR SUSPENSION: A student who believes he or she has mistakenly been placed on academic probation or suspension may appeal to the Registrar in writing. The appeal should specify the suspected error or errors. If a student contends that the Registrar's response to the appeal is not correct, that student should appeal in writing to the

Academic Committee, which is chaired by the Chief Academic Officer. The decision of the Academic Committee will be final.

Honors

SEMESTER HONORS: Full-time students who have a Point semester grade point average (GPA) of 3.50 or above will be recognized in the Dean's List for that semester. The student must complete at least 12 semester hours at Point University in a given semester to qualify for the Dean's List.

GRADUATION HONORS: A graduating student receives his or her B.A. or B.S. degree *cum laude* if his or her cumulative GPA at Point University is 3.50-3.699, *magna cum laude* if his or her GPA is 3.70-3.899, and *summa cum laude* if his or her GPA is 3.90-4.00. A student with transfer credits may not receive graduation honors greater than the level warranted by the cumulative GPA for all courses used to fulfill degree requirements (i.e., all Point credits and the transferred credits). Determination for honors will be calculated on the next to last semester completed before graduation.

Requirements for Graduation

To qualify for graduation from Point University, a student must fulfill all of the following requirements:

- 1. Complete the curricular requirements prescribed in the catalog for the degree program that is chosen. The student is subject to the curricular requirements in the catalog in effect at the time of entrance into the University. The student may choose to adopt a newer catalog and its curricular requirements (the requirements of two catalogs cannot be combined). A student whose enrollment has been interrupted and who is readmitted is subject to the catalog in effect at the time of readmission. If a degree is not completed within six years, the student may be subject to the requirements in the current catalog.
- 2. Earn the total number of semester hours required for the degree that is pursued.
- 3. For Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degrees, a student must successfully complete at Point University no less than 25 percent of the semester hours required for the degree. For Associate of Arts degrees, a student must successfully complete at Point no less than 30 of the semester hours required for the degree. Normally, the minimum number of semester hours required at Point are the last hours earned for the degree and include at least 25 percent of the required semester hours in Bible and theology courses and at least 25 percent of the required semester hours in Professional Studies courses.
- 4. Attain a cumulative grade Point average of at least 2.00 for any degree.
- 5. Complete CCE 301, Significant Cross-Cultural Experience (no credit hours, no grade).
- 6. Maintain academic and disciplinary good standing. A student on any type of institutional probation may not graduate until the probationary status is removed.
- 7. Make application for graduation to the Registrar. The completed application must be turned in by the appropriate deadlines as published for each graduation and accompanied by the graduation fee set for that year (graduation fees are non-refundable). If the student does not complete the requirements for graduation within one year of the application date, a new application will be required, plus the amount of any graduation fee increase(s) since the initial application. If the student's enrollment is interrupted after an application for graduation is made, the student is subject to the

- University's readmission processes and policies and a new application for graduation must be submitted.
- 8. Register in GRD 400, Graduation (no credit hours), in the last semester or summer session of enrollment, at the end of which the student intends to graduate. This "course" notifies the Registrar, who verifies that the student will have met the academic requirements for graduation.
- 9. Meet all financial obligations or make satisfactory arrangements for payment with the Business Office. Diplomas will not be awarded and transcripts will not be released if a student owes money to the University.
- 10. Complete departmental and institutional exit interviews, exams and assessments.
- 11. Attend the commencement program unless a written request for non-attendance is approved by the Chief Academic Officer. A student can only attend the commencement program that immediately follows the completion of his or her program. In other words, a student who completes all course work in time for the December graduation ceremony must walk at that ceremony, and is not allowed to wait until the May graduation.

It is the student's responsibility to complete all requirements for graduation.

Other Policies and Procedures

RELEASE OF INFORMATION: The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974 was designated to protect the privacy of education records, to establish the right of students to inspect and review the education records, and to provide guidelines for the correction of inaccurate or misleading data through informal and formal hearings. Students at Point University are accorded all of the rights and privileges as provided under the act. Students also have the right to file complaints with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act Office concerning alleged failures by the institution to comply with the act.

TRANSCRIPT OF CREDITS: Each student or graduate is granted one transcript of his or her academic record without charge on request. A nominal charge is made for each additional transcript. A written request with the student's signature and pertinent information is required through the Registrar's Office. A transcript is not released, however, unless all financial accounts are settled. A transcript request form is available on the University website.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY: The official word on canceling classes or closing offices because of inclement weather will be placed on the University website and designated local media outlets whenever such a decision is made.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION AND STUDENT LIFE

DIRECTOR OF STUDENT LIFE: CHRISTOPHER BEIRNE VICE PRESIDENT FOR SPIRITUAL FORMATION AND DEAN OF THE CHAPEL: SAMUEL W. (WYE) HUXFORD

A Covenant for a Christian Community is the University's official publication regarding student life and spiritual formation. Please refer to the Covenant, which is available online at www.point.edu/student-life/covenant, for more complete listings, descriptions, and details regarding the brief summaries presented here.

Opportunities, Services and Activities

Student Life and Spiritual Formation are important for student learning and the learning environment at Point. In addition to being supportive and enjoyable, they are designed to encourage students to grow spiritually, intellectually, socially, physically and professionally. The opportunities, services and activities include and are not limited to:

SPIRITUAL FORMATION

- Chapel
- Sunday Night Live
- Sky Pilots
- Holy Communion
- Community Ministry

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

- New Student Orientation
- Personal Guidance and Counseling
- Student Employment
- Center for Calling and Career

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- Student Government Association
- Athletics (NAIA and NCCAA)
- Intramural Sports and Leisure
- Global Mission Conference
- Spring Formal

- Small Groups
- Devotions
- Special Events
- Emphasis Weeks
- Personal Devotions
- Referral to Health Services
- Campus Safety and Security Training
- Sexual Violence Prevention and Awareness Programs
- Homecoming
- Music and Drama
- Christian Service Organizations
- Campus Events

HOUSING AND FOOD SERVICE

- Residential housing and dining hall provided for full-time students and required for full-time freshmen and sophomores.
- Exceptions may be granted to students who are living at home with parents or legal guardians within 50 miles of the Point campus.
- Requests for campus housing, questions and special needs may be addressed to Student Life.

Standards of Conduct

Standards of student conduct and disciplinary procedures at Point University are presented fully in *A Covenant for a Christian Community*. The *Covenant* covers all areas of student life and is accessible online to all students enrolled in the University. It is designed to encourage student conduct that reflects Christian principles, including honesty, integrity, modesty and respect for individuals and the University community.

The expectation for all Point students is that they will live as mature young Christian adults who are moving toward maturity, developing a better community, and open to spiritual formation in Christ. The *Covenant* has clear guidelines concerning student conduct, which apply to life on campus, events sponsored by the University, and University-owned vehicles (whether on-campus or elsewhere). The nature of *A Covenant for a Christian Community* is redemptive; therefore, *Covenant* sanctions are outlined because "this spirit of a redemptive covenant demands that we all accept the idea that behavior has consequences" (*ACCC*, p. iii).

The Director of Student Life is the primary person responsible in matters relating to student conduct and decorum. In a case where a student does not make satisfactory adjustments to Point life, the processes outlined in the *Covenant* will apply. Discipline, which may include dismissal, will be administered as necessary when credible evidence exists that a student has violated University policies and regulations or has engaged in an illegal activity. A formal disciplinary process is administered by the Vice President for Spiritual Formation.

This section of the catalog is provided for informational purposes. For complete information regarding standards of conduct and the rights and responsibilities of Point students, please refer to *A Covenant for a Christian Community* (www.point.edu/student-life/covenant).

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMS

Introduction and General Information

Point University offers Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Business Administration, and Bachelor of Science degrees, as well as an Associate of Arts degree. All courses and programs are designed to concur with the *Mission and Goals of the University* as set forth on page 7 of this catalog.

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS: Point's academic program is organized in seven departments.

- Department of Biblical Studies offering majors in Biblical Studies, Christian Ministries, and Preaching Ministry (pp. 44-51);
- Department of Business offering majors in Accounting, Business Administration, Management, Marketing, and Organizational Leadership (pp. 52-61);
- Department of Counseling and Human Services offering majors in Counseling and Human Services, Criminal Justice, Human Relations, Psychology, and Sociology with Social Work Specialization (pp. 62-72);
- Department of Education offering majors in Child and Youth Development, Early Childhood Education, and Middle Grades Education (pp. 73-83);
- Department of Fine Arts offering the major in Music (pp. 84-90).
- Department of Humanities and General Studies offering majors in English, History, and Humanities (pp. 91-102); and
- Department of Math and Science offering majors in Biology and Exercise Science (pp. 103-110).

THE CORE CURRICULUM: The University has designed the Core Curriculum to ensure the development of general education competencies by students and to serve as a foundation on which to build degree programs. Those competencies and the General Studies and Biblical Studies requirements of the Core Curriculum are presented in the *Department of Humanities and General Studies* section (pp. 93-94).

DEGREE PROGRAMS: The chart on pages 40-41 presents Point University's degree programs (majors) and the minor and specialization options. Baccalaureate degree programs — the Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) and the Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degrees — require a minimum of 120 semester hours of credit. The Associate of Arts (A.A.) degree requires 60 semester hours of credit. For the B.A., B.B.A. and B.S. degrees, 25 percent or more of the required semester hours must be taken at Point, which must include at least 25 percent of the required semester hours in the Biblical Studies courses and at least 25 percent of the required hours in professional studies (major) courses. For the A.A. degree, 30 semester hours or more must be taken at Point.

CHANGES: The requirements and courses of a degree program may be changed through appropriate academic channels at any time.

For information regarding Access degree programs for working adults and online degree programs, please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

Degree Programs: Majors, Minors, and Specializations

Field of Study	Degree Program(s)	Minor *	Speciali- zation	Catalog pages
Accounting	B.B.A.	~		53; 61
Biblical Studies	B.A., B.S.	v *		45-46; 91-94
Biology	B.S.	~		102-103; 109
Business	A.A.			55
Business Administration	B.S.	~		52-53; 61
Child and Youth Development	B.S.			77
Children's Ministry		~	~	45, 51; 77, 81
Christian Ministries (Access and Online **)	A.A., B.S.			**
Christian Ministry		~		45, 51
Communications		~		101
Counseling and Human Services	B.A., B.S.			63
Counseling		~		72
Criminal Justice	B.S.			63-64
Developmental Psychology		~		72
Early Childhood Education	B.A., B.S.			73-76
Early Childhood (major in Child & Youth Dev)			~	77, 82
English	B.A.	~	~	91-92; 93; 99,101
Exercise Science	B.S.			103
General Studies (Access and Online **)	A.A.			**
History	B.A.	~		92; 101
Human Relations (Access and Online **)	A.A., B.S.			**
Human Services Skills		~		72
Humanities	B.A.	~		93; 101
Intercultural Missions		~		45, 51
Interdisciplinary Studies (major in Humanities)			~	93, 99
Literature (major in Humanities)			~	93, 99
Management	B.B.A.	~		53-54; 61
Marketing	B.B.A.	~		54; 61
Mathematics		V		109

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Field of Study	Degree Program(s)	Minor *	Speciali- zation	Catalog pages
Middle Grades Education	B.S.			74-76
Music Performance & Pedagogy (major Music)			~	84, 86, 88
Music	B.A., B.S.	~		84-85; 90
Music Business		~		61; 90
Music Production (major in Music)			~	84, 86, 88
Organizational Leadership (Access, Online **)	A.A., B.S.			**
Philosophy (major in Humanities)			~	93, 99
Preaching Ministry	B.A., B.S.	~		45; 51
Pre-Professional Option (Biology, Exer Science)				103-104
Psychology	B.A., B.S.	~		64; 72
Seminary Preparation		~		45, 51
Sociology with Social Work Specialization	B.S.			64-65
Sports Management		~		61
Worship & Music Ministry (major in Music)			~	84, 86, 88
Writing (major in Humanities)			~	93, 99
Youth and Family Ministry		~		45, 51
Youth Programs Administration (Ch & Yth Dev)			~	77, 83

^{*} All degree programs include a major or minor in Biblical Studies. See the section on *Minors* (p. 42) for a complete explanation of adding a minor to a degree program.

SECOND OR DUAL DEGREES: To earn a second baccalaueate degree, the student must complete all the additional requirements of the second degree program. The courses taken for the second degree must constitute 30 or more semester hours that are unique to that second degree (i.e., were not used to fulfill any of the requirements for the first degree program), of which 30 or more semester hours (and no less than 25% of the semester hours normally required for the second degree) must be earned through instruction offered by Point. If the student pursues and/or completes the two degree programs simultaneously, the student must declare both degree programs with the Registrar and designate them as primary and secondary degree programs. The student is responsible to seek advisement from academic advisors in both fields of study. The proper sequencing of courses to pursue and complete two degree programs at the same time is the responsibility of the student. When earned, whether simultaneously or consecutively, both degrees and their majors are listed on the student's academic transcript and two diplomas are awarded. Graduation honors are based on the student's total cumulative academic record with Point and transfer hours for the degree(s) at the time of graduation for each degree, whether simultaneous or subsequent (see *Honors*, p. 35).

^{**} For information regarding Access degree programs for working adults and online degree programs, please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

MINORS: The following guidelines govern the offering of minors.

- a. The Minor in Biblical Studies is a requirement in all degree programs that do not have a Biblical Studies major. If another minor is selected, it would be completed in addition to the Minor in Biblical Studies.
- b. Each minor must be established by the standard curriculum development process of the University.
- c. A minor requires 15 or more semester hours of course work. In most cases, at least 9 semester hours are upper-level courses.
- d. A minimum of 12 hours required for the minor must be above those which satisfy the Core Curriculum and professional studies (the major) requirements. A maximum of two courses may be used to satisfy both Core Curriculum and minor requirements. A maximum of two courses may be used to satisfy both Professional Studies and minor requirements. No course may be used to satisfy the requirements of more than one minor.
- e. A minor may be added to any B.A. or B.S. degree program that does not include that specific area of study as its major. A minor may not be added to the A.A. program.
- f. Minors are designated as offered for those seeking another department's major (e.g., a Philosophy minor for a non-Humanities major) and/or for those seeking an intradepartmental major (e.g., a Philosophy minor for a Humanities major). In some departments, a specialization is offered (instead of a minor) for those seeking an intradepartmental major.
- g. If a specific course required for the minor is taken instead to satisfy requirements for the major, another course in the same discipline should be substituted to fulfill the required minimum number of semester hours for the minor. Any course used to replace an upper-level course should also be classified as upper-level.
- h. At least six hours of the courses required for a minor must be taken at Point.
- i. A student must declare a minor in the same way one declares a major. If desired, a minor is declared as soon as possible, preferably (but not necessarily) at the same time the major is declared.
- j. A minor may be awarded only at the time the baccalaureate degree is received.
- k. The proper sequencing of courses to include a minor in a degree program is the responsibility of the student.

Notes for All Academic Departments and Programs

Department chairs and degree program coordinators are listed. The faculty for all departments are listed in pages 155-160.

The requirements for each degree program are listed and include:

- General Studies from the Core Curriculum, pp. 93-94, which may have one or more courses specified by the degree program;
- Supporting Courses as specified for the degree program, usually to support major coursework;
- Foreign Language in B.A. degree programs;
- Biblical Studies Minor in all degree programs that do not have Biblical Studies as a major;
- Major Coursework sometimes including dual-majors, minors, and/or specializations; and
- General Electives which the student is free to select and which some programs do not have.

The "suggested sequence of courses" for each degree program is given as an illustration only. Each student works with an academic advisor and a semester's schedule of courses to develop an

appropriate registration for that semester. The listing of courses in the suggested sequence is not a guarantee that courses will be offered in a specific semester.

A full-time load is 12-18 semester hours per semester; an average of 15-17 hours per semester is needed to graduate in 4 years, which may be reduced by Summer Session enrollment.

The internship requirement in many degree programs involves the assignment of upperclass students to selected fields of service under the supervision of an instructor and a field supervisor. From 2 to 30 credit hours may be received in internships, depending on the program of study. The utilization of internships is based on the belief that the higher education learning experience is strengthened by practice. An internship gives the student an opportunity for supervised practical experience.

DEPARTMENT OF BIBLICAL STUDIES

CHAIR: SAMUEL W. (WYE) HUXFORD, M.DIV.

Salaries of faculty members who teach in the Department of Biblical Studies are funded in part by the Mount Olive Christian Church Trust Endowment.

The study of the Bible is a vital component of the total curriculum at Point University. All students who complete a bachelor's degree from Point will either major or minor in Biblical Studies in order to grow in biblical knowledge and faith in Jesus Christ (see the *Mission and Goals of the University*, p. 7).

The degree programs offered by the Department of Biblical Studies:

- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Biblical Studies with a specialized minor in Children's Ministry, Christian Ministry, Intercultural Missions, Preaching Ministry, Seminary Preparation, or Youth and Family Ministry
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Biblical Studies with a specialized minor in Children's Ministry, Christian Ministry, Intercultural Missions, Preaching Ministry, Seminary Preparation, or Youth and Family Ministry
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Biblical Studies and Preaching Ministry (dual major)
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Biblical Studies and Preaching Ministry (dual major)

The major in Biblical Studies is offered as a dual-major in degree programs with History, Humanities and English by the Department of Humanities and General Studies (pp. 91-99).

The Department offers minors (p. 51) in:

- Children's Ministry
- Christian Ministry
- Intercultural Missions
- Preaching Ministry
- Seminary Preparation
- Youth and Family Ministry

The courses offered by the Department of Biblical Studies are listed in the *Course Descriptions* section under the following curricular areas:

- Biblical Studies (BBS, p. 111)
- Greek (GRK, p. 126)
- Hebrew (HEB, p. 126)
- Ministry (MIN, p. 133)
- Intercultural Missions (ICM, p. 130)
- New Testament Studies (NTS, p. 143)
- Old Testament Studies (OTS, p. 144)
- Preaching Ministry (PRM, p. 147)
- Theology (THE, p. 152)
- Youth Ministry (YTH, p. 153)

For information regarding the Access degree program and online degree program in Christian Ministries, please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

B.A. or B.S. in Biblical Studies with a dual major in Preaching Ministry or a minor in a specialized ministry

Program Coordinator: Samuel W. (Wye) Huxford, M.Div.

For the Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees in Biblical Studies, the major includes textual studies in New Testament and Old Testament, historical-theological studies and professional courses. The Bachelor of Arts degree program requires 14 semester hours of biblical language courses (Greek or a combination of Greek and Hebrew). In both degree programs, the student chooses a dual major in Preaching Ministry or a specialized minor in Children's Ministry, Christian Ministry, Intercultural Missions, Preaching Ministry, Seminary Preparation, or Youth and Family Ministry. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 47-50.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Biblical Studies are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Exegete specific texts in the Old and New Testaments.
- 2. Demonstrate an awareness of basic matters of critical introduction and historical background necessary to a proper understanding of the Old and New Testaments.
- 3. Evaluate the various interpretations that have been assigned to the Old and New Testaments.
- 4. Communicate the theological themes of the Old and New Testaments.
- 5. Understand and apply New Testament concepts of church and ministry.
- 6. Perform the practical functions of a servant-leader in a specialized area.
- 7. In the B.A. degree, utilize biblical Greek or a combination of biblical Greek and biblical Hebrew.

Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Preaching Ministry are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Apply an exegetical understanding of a scriptural text in writing biblical sermons.
- 2. Apply doctrinal and theological themes of the Old and New Testaments to current life issues through preaching.
- Plan, prepare, and deliver biblically and theologically sound sermons of a variety of forms
- 4. Understand and apply New Testament concepts of church and ministry in a variety of contexts.
- 5. Lead and serve in order to facilitate purposeful, growing, and healthy congregational life.

INTERNSHIPS: The internship requirements in Biblical Studies degree programs involve the assignment of an upper-class student to a selected field of service under the supervision of a Point instructor and a field supervisor. The internship program is based on the belief that the learning experience is strengthened by practice. The number of semester hours of credit received for an internship enrollment depends on the student's hours of engagement in supervised and unsupervised practical experience and other factors as determined by the University's credit hour policy.

Qualified students may be eligible to enroll in an internship for one or two full semesters in an established residency program with a healthy, growing church. Full-semester internships are

conducted under the supervision of one or more Point instructors and qualified field supervisors. The student may use internship credit hours to satisfy major and minor course requirements when the student's evaluated and documented attainment of specific student learning outcomes in the internship/residency is comparable to those courses. Students who are interested in full-semester internships must apply for approval by the Biblical Studies department chair and for acceptance by the established residency program/church.

HONORS PROGRAM: The Honors Program of the Department of Biblical Studies is designed to challenge students to attain a higher level of preparation, to provide a vehicle for students to compete for admissions to seminary and graduate schools, and to recognize student productivity and achievement. Students choose and complete the Honors Program through a combination of GPA, study in biblical languages and successful completion of a capstone course in biblical research (NTS 495 or OTS 495 as an elective course selection is required). Notation of the Honors Program appears on the graduate's academic transcript. See an academic advisor for the policies, requirements and procedures of the Honors Program.

Graduates with B.A. and B.S. degrees in Biblical Studies typically enter church-related professions and many go on to pursue studies in seminaries and graduate schools. Alumni of Point are engaged in ministries throughout the country and the world: preaching ministers, missionaries in foreign countries, youth ministers, evangelists, prison ministers, chaplains, Christian university professors and administrators, campus ministers, pastoral counselors, Christian camp directors, church administrators, para-church leaders, children's home workers, church planting ministers, inner-city ministers, and educational ministers who work with children, youth, singles, adults and families.

B.A. in Biblical Studies with a Minor in Specialized Ministry

GENERAL	STUDIES - 32 HOURS		Sug	gestea Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II	3	Fall Semes	FIRST YEAR
COM 205 PHE 105	Public Speaking	3 1	BBS 102 ENG 101 HIS	The Drama of Scripture
	Introduction to Humanities urse from: ENG, MUS or PHL	3	MTH PHE 105 PSY 103	Math course
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	3	Spring Ser ENG 102 HUM 101	
HIS PSY 103 SOC 103 CCE 301	History course	3 3	NSC OTS 210 SOC 103	Natural Science course and Lab 4 The Story of Israel
				SECOND YEAR
<u>SUPPORTI</u> HIS	NG COURSE – 3 HOURS Church History course	3	Fall Semes GRK 301	Greek I 4
FOREIGN I	LANGUAGE – 14 HOURS Greek I		BBS 201 COM 205 MIN 202 NTS 201	Biblical Interpretation
GRK 301	Greek II	4	1113 201	The Story of Jesus 3
	Greek III & IV or Hebrew I & II	6	Spring Ser GRK 302	nester Greek II 4 ENG, MUS or PHL course 3
BBS 102	DURSEWORK – 69 HOURS The Drama of Scripture	3	NTS 203 PRM 201	The Acts of the Apostles
NTS 201	The Story of Jesus	3		
NTS 203 NTS 308	The Acts of the Apostles Epistles of Paul	პ ვ	Fall Semes	THIRD YEAR
NTS	New Testament course	3	GRK 402	Greek III or HEB 411 3
OTS 210	The Story of Israel	3	HIS	Church History course 3
OTS	Old Testament courses		NTS 308	Epistles of Paul
BBS 201 THE 301	Biblical Interpretation Theological Fnd for the Chr Life		THE 301	Theololgical Fnd for the Chr Life 3 Course in specialized minor <u>3</u>
THE	Theology course	3		15
THE 405	Christ and Culture	3	Spring Ser	nester
MIN 202	Effective Learning in the Church	2	GRK 402 NTS	Greek IV or HEB 412 3 New Testament course 3
PRM 201	Introduction to Preaching		OTS	Old Testament course
MIN 313	Practice of Christian Ministry	3	THE	Theology course
MIN 340	Christian Spiritual Formation	3		Course in specialized minor 3
MIN 317 MIN 400	Pastoral Counseling Admin. and Leadership in Ministry	3		FOURTH YEAR
MIN 464	Healthy Congregations	3	Fall Semes	
	, , ,		MIN 313	Practice of Christian Ministry 3
Specialized	Minor (select one from p. 51) 1	12	MIN 317	Pastoral Counseling
GENERAL	ELECTIVES – 2 HOURS		MIN 340 OTS	Old Testament course
			Spring Ser	
ТОТ	AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		THE 405 MIN 400	Christ and Culture
			MIN 464	Course in specialized minor 3 Healthy Congregations

B.A. in Biblical Studies and Preaching Ministry (Dual-Major)

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 HOURS		Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101	The Drama of Scripture
HUM 101 Select 1 co	Introduction to Humanities ourse from: ENG, MUS or PHL	3	HIS MTH PHE 105 PSY 103	History course
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	3	Spring Ser ENG 102 HUM 101	
HIS PSY 103 SOC 103 CCE 301	History course	3 3	NSC OTS 210 SOC 103	Natural Science course and Lab 4 The Story of Israel
OUDDODT			5 -11 0	SECOND YEAR
HIS	Church History course		Fall Semes GRK 301 BBS 201 COM 205	Greek I
GRK 301 GRK 302 GRK/HEB	LANGUAGE – 14 HOURS Greek I	4	MIN 202 NTS 201 Spring Sei	The Story of Jesus 3 16
MAJOR CO	DURSEWORK – 77 HOURS		GRK 302 HIS	Greek II
BBS 102 NTS 201 NTS 203	The Drama of Scripture	3	NTS 203 PRM 201	The Acts of the Apostles 3 Introduction to Preaching 3 THIRD YEAR
NTS 308	Epistles of Paul	3	Fall Semes	ster
NTS OTS 210 OTS	New Testament course	3	GRK 401 NTS 308 OTS PRM 320	Greek III or HEB 411
BBS 201 THE 301 THE	Biblical Interpretation	3 3	THE 301 Spring Ser	Theological Fnd for the Chr Life . <u>3</u> 15 mester
THE 405 PRM 201	Christ and Culture	3	GRK 402 NTS OTS	Greek IV or HEB 412
MIN 202 MIN 313 MIN 340	Effective Learning in the Church Practice of Christian Ministry Christian Spiritual Formation	3 3	PRM 403 THE	Expository Preaching
MIN 317	Pastoral Counseling	3	Fall Semes	FOURTH YEAR
MIN 400 MIN 464	Admin. and Leadership in Ministry Healthy Congregations	3	MIN 313 MIN 317	Practice of Christian Ministry 3 Pastoral Counseling
PRM 320 PRM 403 PRM 475 MUS 415 PRM 490	Advanced Preaching	3 2 3	MIN 340 MUS 415 PRM 475 PRM 497	Worship Leadership
PRM 497	Preaching Ministry Internship(s) FAL REQUIRED HOURS = 126	О	Spring Sei THE 405 MIN 400 PRM 490 PRM 497 MIN 464	Christ and Culture
				Healthy Congregations 3

B.S. in Biblical Studies with a Minor in Specialized Ministry

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 HOURS	Su	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
HUM 101	Introduction to Humanities 3 urse from: ENG, MUS or PHL 3	HIS MTH PHE 105 PSY 103	History course
MTH NSC NSC L HIS PSY 103 SOC 103 CCE 301	Math course	Spring Sel ENG 102 HUM 101 NSC OTS 210 SOC 103	
			SECOND YEAR
HIS	Church History course 3	BBS 201 COM 205	ster ENG, MUS or PHL course 3 Biblical Interpretation 3 Public Speaking 3 Effective Learning in the Church 3
MAJOR CO	DURSEWORK - 78 HOURS	MIN 202 NTS 201	The Story of Jesus 3
BBS 102 NTS 201 NTS 203 NTS 308 NTS 0TS 210 OTS	The Drama of Scripture	Spring Sel HIS NTS 203 OTS PRM 201	15
			THIRD YEAR
BBS 201 THE 301 THE THE 405 PRM 201	Biblical Interpretation	Fall Seme: NTS 308 OTS THE 301	Ster Epistles of Paul
MIN 202 MIN 313 MIN 340 MIN 317 MIN 400 MIN 464 Specialized	Effective Learning in the Church 3 Practice of Christian Ministry 3 Christian Spiritual Formation 3 Pastoral Counseling 3 Admin. and Leadership in Ministry 3 Healthy Congregations 3	Spring Se NTS THE	mester New Testament course 3 Theology course 3 BBS, NTS, OTS or THE elective 3 BBS, NTS, OTS or THE elective 3 Course in specialized minor 3 General elective 1
			FOURTH YEAR
	ELECTIVES – 7 HOURS TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120	Fall Seme MIN 313 MIN 317 MIN 340	
		Spring Ser THE 405 MIN 400	mester Christ and Culture
		MIN 464	Course in specialized minor 3 Healthy Congregations

B.S. in Biblical Studies and Preaching Ministry (Dual-Major)

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 HOURS		Sug	gested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
HUM 101	Introduction to Humanities	3	HIS MTH PSY 103	History course
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	3	Spring Ser ENG 102 HUM 101 NSC	nester Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Introduction to Humanities 3 Natural Science course and Lab 4
HIS PSY 103 SOC 103 CCE 301	History course	3 3	SOC 103 OTS 210	Introduction to Sociology 3 The Story of Israel
	•	Ü	Fall Semes	ster
HIS	NG COURSE – 3 HOURS Church History course	3	BBS 201 COM 205 MIN 202 NTS 201	Biblical Interpretation
MAJOR CO	OURSEWORK - 86 HOURS		PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness <u>1</u>
BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture	3	Spring Ser	
NTS 201 NTS 203 NTS 308 NTS OTS 210 OTS	The Story of Jesus	3 3 3 3	HIS NTS 203 OTS PRM 201	ENG, MUS or PHL course
010	BBS, NTS, OTS, THE courses	9	5 -11 0	THIRD YEAR
BBS 201 THE 301 THE THE 405	Biblical Interpretation	3 3 3	NTS 308 OTS PRM 320 THE 301	BBS, NTS, OTS, or THE course 3 Epistles of Paul
PRM 201 MIN 202 MIN 313 MIN 340 MIN 317 MIN 400 MIN 464	Introduction to Preaching Effective Learning in the Church Practice of Christian Ministry Christian Spiritual Formation Pastoral Counseling	3 3 3 3 3	Spring Ser NTS PRM 403 THE	New Testament course
PRM 320	Advanced Preaching	3	Fall Camas	FOURTH YEAR
PRM 403 PRM 475 MUS 415 PRM 490 PRM 497	Expository Preaching	3 2 3	Fall Semes MIN 313 MIN 317 MIN 340 MUS 415 PRM 475 PRM 497	Practice of Christian Ministry
			Spring Ser THE 405 MIN 400 PRM 490 PRM 497 MIN 464	

Minors offered by the Department of Biblical Studies

	's Ministry – 18 hours		ng Ministry – 18 hours Studies majors only)
MIN 202 PSY 204 MIN 301 EDU 402 Select 1 co	Effective Learning in the Church 3 Developmental Psychology 3 Principles and Methods of Teaching 3 Educational Administration 3 burse from: MIN 313, 317, 340, 400, and 224 3 Children's Ministry Internship 3	PRM 201 PRM 320 PRM 403 PRM 475 Select 1 cc	Introduction to Preaching
	Ministry – 12 hours Studies majors only)		y Preparation – 12 Hours Studies majors only)
MIN 497	MIN, PRM, and ICM electives 6 Ministry Internship(s) 6	NTS OTS	New Testament elective
		MIN 497	THE or Church History elective 3 Christian Ministry Internship 3
	n Ministry – 18 hours	Youth ar	nd Family Ministry – 18 hours
(for non-Bit PRM 201 MIN 202 MIN 313	Introduction to Preaching	MIN 202 YTH 220 SOC 202 YTH	Effective Learning in the Church
(for non-Bit PRM 201 MIN 202 MIN 313 Select 2 co MIN 497	Introduction to Preaching	MIN 202 YTH 220 SOC 202 YTH Select 1 co	Effective Learning in the Church 3 Introduction to Youth Ministry 3 The Family
(for non-Bit PRM 201 MIN 202 MIN 313 Select 2 co MIN 497 Intercult SOC 203 ICM 202 PRM 201 PHL 330	Introduction to Preaching	MIN 202 YTH 220 SOC 202 YTH Select 1 co	Effective Learning in the Church 3 Introduction to Youth Ministry 3 The Family

A minor may be added to any B.A. or B.S. degree that does not include that specific area of study as its major, except as noted.

See the section on Minors (p. 42) for a complete explanation of adding a minor to a degree program.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS

CHAIR: S. TODD WEAVER, Ph.D.

The degree programs offered by the Department of Business are:

- Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) in Accounting
- Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) in Management
- Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) in Marketing
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Business Administration
- Associate of Arts (A.A.) in Business

The baccalaureate degree programs also include the Minor in Biblical Studies.

The Department offers minors (p. 61) in:

- Accounting
- Business Administration
- Management
- Marketing
- Music Business (with the Department of Fine Arts)
- Sports Management

The courses offered by the Department of Business are listed in the *Course Descriptions* section under the following curricular areas:

- Business (BUS, p. 112)
- Sports Management (SPM, p. 152)

For information regarding the Access degree program and online degree program in Organizational Leadership, please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

B.S. in Business Administration with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: S. Todd Weaver, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree program in Business Administration is to prepare students to glorify God through Christ-centered leadership and vocational excellence in business professions. It is designed to provide a broad preparation for the Christian to lead and serve effectively in business and society. The degree requires Professional Studies courses focusing on the business environment, information systems, accounting, economics, management, finance and marketing. The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 56.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in

Business Administration are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Utilize written and oral communications in a business environment with an emphasis on effective interpersonal skills.
- 2. Manage human, financial, and physical resources to achieve stated objectives.
- 3. Demonstrate knowledge of accounting, finance and marketing principles and their applications.
- 4. Utilize computer technology and analytical skills to apply mathematical, economic and statistical concepts for problem solving and decision making in business enterprises.
- 5. Identify and apply ethical considerations, laws and regulations governing business operations.
- 6. Serve in positions of responsibility in private, public, government, and non-profit organizations, exemplifying Christian character and influence.

B.B.A. in Accounting with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Jeffrey A. Haverly, D.Mgt., C.P.A.

The purpose of the degree program in Accounting is to prepare students to glorify God through Christ-centered leadership and vocational excellence in accounting professions. It is designed to provide a solid background in business fundamentals, followed by an in-depth study and application of accounting practices and concepts. Students prepare for a variety of roles in high-demand fields that spans every area of commerce. The B.B.A. in Accounting also provides a solid foundation for considering the certified public accountants exam (CPA). The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 57.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes of the major in Accounting are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Utilize written and oral communications in a business environment with an emphasis on effective interpersonal skills.
- 2. Demonstrate competence in the business core including management, marketing, business law, and ethics.
- 3. Prepare and analyze financial statements and managerial reports using various accounting standards, theories and techniques.
- 4. Evaluate and perform all steps in the financial accounting cycle for profit-oriented businesses using the guidelines as prescribed by Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
- 5. Use technology to solve accounting problems and improve decision-making skills.
- 6. Identify the ethical and social responsibilities of accounting professionals and apply professional judgment to present financial statements fairly.

B.B.A. in Management with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Alan E. Kemper, M.B.A.

The purpose of the degree program in Management is to prepare students to glorify God through Christ-centered leadership and vocational excellence in management professions. It is designed to provide a solid background in business fundamentals, followed by an in-depth study and application of management practices and concepts. The B.B.A. in Management provides

students with the planning, problem-solving, critical thinking, and interpersonal skills necessary for successful Christian managers and leaders in the business world. The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 58.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the objectives of the major in Management are that the graduate will be able to:

- Utilize written and oral communications in a business environment with an emphasis on effective interpersonal skills.
- 2. Demonstrate competence in the business core including management, marketing, business law, and ethics.
- 3. Formulate managerial and strategic business decisions for a rapidly globalizing business environment.
- 4. Demonstrate development of personal and team-level decision making.
- 5. Develop proficiency in the use of computers and software to manage information with statistical analysis, spreadsheet, data base, and other appropriate applications.
- 6. Demonstrate an understanding of the legal environment and ethical standards of business and an awareness of the implications of their behavior and actions as a business professional.

B.B.A. in Marketing with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: S. Todd Weaver, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree program in Marketing is to prepare students to glorify God through Christ-centered leadership and vocational excellence in marketing professions. It is designed to provide a solid background in business fundamentals, followed by an in-depth study and application of marketing practices and concepts. Studies include brand equity, customer relations, sales teams, distribution systems and pricing structures. The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 59.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the objectives of the major in Marketing are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Utilize written and oral communications in a business environment with an emphasis on effective interpersonal skills.
- 2. Demonstrate competence in the business core including management, marketing, business law, and ethics.
- 3. Understand the marketing research process; namely, to collect, analyze and evaluate information from and about customers.
- 4. Understand marketing strategy, including segmentation, targeting and positioning.
- 5. Analyze the marketing environment and buyer behavior relative to a specific marketing opportunity and to formulate a market offering that produces enhanced marketplace success.
- 6. Demonstrate an understanding of the ethical obligations of Christians in the workforce.

Graduates with B.B.A. and B.S. degrees from Point are prepared to assume a variety of positions in corporate, private, government and non-profit organizations, and to pursue graduate study in a business discipline.

A.A. in Business

Program Coordinator: S. Todd Weaver, Ph.D.

The Associate of Arts degree in Business provides a first level of preparation for the student to function with effectiveness in a business environment. Graduates with A.A. degrees in Business are engaged in entry-level management positions, office positions and baccalaureate level study. The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 60.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the two-year program in business are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Utilize both written and oral communication in a business environment.
- 2. Utilize information systems using current software for word processing, data management and business presentations.
- 3. Demonstrate knowledge of accounting, management and marketing principles.
- 4. Demonstrate effective interpersonal skills in relationships in one-on-one and group situations.

B.S. in Business Administration

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours	Sug	gested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101 HIS	The Drama of Scripture
	urses from 2 different areas: IUM, MUS, and PHL 6	MTH SOC	History course
MTH NSC NSC L	Math 110, 191, or 211	Spring Ser ENG 102	nester General elective
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	NSC PHE 105 PSY 103	Natural Science course and Lab 4 Physical Fitness and Wellness 1 Introduction to Psychology
002 001	organicant cross cultural Exp o		SECOND YEAR
BBS 102	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture	Fall Semes BBS 202 BUS 202	ster Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Business Statistics
BBS 202 BBS 302	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Scripture: How We Use It 3 Biblical Studies elective 3	BUS 211 BUS 247 COM 205	Financial Accounting
THE 405	Christ and Culture 3	Spring Ser	
MAJOR CO BUS 202 BUS 209 BUS 211 BUS 212	Business Statistics	BUS 209 BUS 212 BUS 225 BUS 238	Computer Information Systems
BUS 225	Principles of Management 3		THIRD YEAR
BUS 238 BUS 247 BUS 320 BUS 321 BUS 336 BUS 358 BUS 475	Business Communications	BBS 302 BUS 321 BUS/SPM	Example 2
BUS 426	International Business 3	Spring Ser	nester
BUS 434 BUS 436 BUS 465	Business Law	BUS 320 BUS 336 BUS/SPM	Biblical Studies elective
			FOURTH YEAR
	ELECTIVES – 16 hours AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120	Fall Semes BUS 358 BUS 436 BUS 475 BUS/SPM	Prod and Oper Management
		Spring Ser THE 405 BUS 426 BUS 434 BUS 446	

B.B.A. in Accounting

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	gested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3 3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101 NSC	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
	urses from 2 different areas: IUM, MUS, and PHL	6	PSY 103	Introduction to Psychology 3 General elective
MTH NSC NSC L	MTH 110, 191, or 211	3	Spring Ser ENG 102 HIS MTH	nester Critical Reading & Writing II 3 History course
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	3	PHE 105 SOC	Physical Fitness & Wellness
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BIBLICAL S BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective Christ and Culture	3 3 3	Fall Semes BBS 202 BUS 211 BUS 247 BUS 202 COM 205	SterJesus: The Focus of Scripture3Financial Accounting3Principles of Marketing3Business Statistics3Public Speaking315
			Spring Ser	nester
MAJOR CO BUS 202 BUS 209 BUS 211 BUS 212	Business Statistics		BUS 209 BUS 212 BUS 225 BUS 238	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Computer Information Systems . 3 Managerial Accounting 3 Principles of Management 3 Business Communications 3 15
BUS 225	Principles of Management	3		THIRD YEAR
BUS 238 BUS 247 BUS 320 BUS 321 BUS 336 BUS 475 BUS 426	Business Communications Principles of Marketing	3	Fall Semes BBS 302 BUS 311 BUS 321 BUS	Scripture: How We Use It
BUS 434 BUS 436 BUS 497	Business Law	3	Spring Ser BUS 312 BUS 320 BUS 336	Intermediate Accounting II 3 Principles of Microeconomics 3 Principles of Finance 3
BUS 311 BUS 312 BUS 364	Intermediate Accounting I Intermediate Accounting II Income Tax Accounting	3 3	BUS	BUS 300/400 level elective 3 Biblical Studies elective 3 15
BUS 405 BUS 446	Cost Accounting Auditing		Fall Semes	FOURTH YEAR
BUS 465 BUS	Strategic Management & Planning Business electives (300/400 level)	3	BUS 364 BUS 405 BUS 436 BUS 475 BUS 497	Income Tax Accounting
<u>JLINAL</u>	ELECTIVES – 4 hours		Spring Ser	nester
тот	AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		THE 405 BUS 426 BUS 434 BUS 446 BUS 465	Christ and Culture 3 International Business 3 Business Law 3 Auditing 3 Strat Management & Planning 3 15

B.B.A in Management

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3 3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101 NSC	The Drama of Scripture
	urses from 2 different areas: HUM, MUS, and PHL		PSY 103	Introduction to Psychology 3 General elective
MTH NSC NSC L	MTH 110, 191, or 211	3	Spring Ser ENG 102 HIS	mester ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 History course
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	3 3	MTH PHE 105 SOC	MTH 110, 191, or 211
			Fall Semes	SECOND YEAR
BIBLICAL BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective Christ and Culture	3 3 3	BBS 202 BUS 211 BUS 202 BUS 247 COM 205	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Financial Accounting 3 Business Statistics 3 Principles of Marketing 3 Public Speaking 3 15
			Spring Ser	
MAJOR CO BUS 202 BUS 209 BUS 211 BUS 212	DURSEWORK – 69 hours Business Statistics	3 3	BUS 209 BUS 212 BUS 225 BUS 238	Computer Information Systems 3 Managerial Accounting 3 Principles of Management 3 Business Communications 3 ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course
BUS 225	Principles of Management	3		THIRD YEAR
BUS 238 BUS 247 BUS 320 BUS 321 BUS 336 BUS 475 BUS 426	Business Communications Principles of Marketing Principles of Microeconomics Principles of Macroeconomics Principles of Finance Organizational Leadership	3 3 3 3	Fall Semes BBS 302 BUS 321 BUS 358 BUS	
BUS 434	International Business		Spring Ser	
BUS 436 BUS 497 BUS 310	Professional Ethics	3 3	BUS 310 BUS 320 BUS 336 BUS	Organizational Behavior
BUS 327 BUS 329	Project Management	3		Biblical Studies elective 3
BUS 358	Prod and Oper Management	3		FOURTH YEAR
BUS 450 BUS 465	Human Resources Management . Strategic Management & Planning	3	Fall Semes BUS 327	ster Project Management 3
BUS	Business electives (300/400 level) ELECTIVES – 4 hours	6	BUS 329 BUS 436 BUS 475 BUS 497	Managerial Economics
<u> JEHLINAL</u>	TELOTIVE THOUS		Spring Ser	mester
то	TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		THE 405 BUS 426 BUS 434 BUS 450 BUS 465	Christ and Culture

B.B.A in Marketing

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	gested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101	The Drama of Scripture
	urses from 2 different areas: UM, MUS, and PHL	6	NSC L NSC PSY 103	Natural Science Lab course
MTH NSC NSC L	MTH 110, 191, or 211	3	Spring Ser ENG 102 HIS	
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	3	MTH PHE 105 SOC	MTH 110, 191, or 211
DIDLICAL 6	CTUDIES MINOR 45 hours		Fall Semes	SECOND YEAR
BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	TUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture	3 3 3	BBS 202 BUS 211 BUS 247 BUS 202 COM 205	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture
MA IOD CO	NIDSEWORK CO become		Spring Ser	nester
BUS 202 BUS 209 BUS 211 BUS 212 BUS 225	Business Statistics	3 3 3	BUS 209 BUS 212 BUS 225 BUS 238	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Computer Information Systems . 3 Managerial Accounting 3 Principles of Management 3 Business Communications 3 15
BUS 238 BUS 247	Business Communications Principles of Marketing	3	Fall Semes	THIRD YEAR
BUS 320 BUS 321 BUS 336 BUS 475 BUS 426 BUS 434	Principles of Microeconomics	3 3 3 3	BBS 302 BUS 321 BUS 380 BUS	Scripture: How We Use It
BUS 436	Professional Ethics	3	Spring Ser	nester
BUS 497 BUS 349 BUS 370 BUS 380 BUS 421	Business Internship	3 3 3	BUS 320 BUS 336 BUS 349 BUS 421 BUS	Principles of Microeconomics
BUS 423 BUS 465	Professional Selling Strategic Management & Planning	3	Fall Semes	FOURTH YEAR ster
BUS	Business electives (300/400 level) ELECTIVES – 4 hours		BUS 370 BUS 436 BUS 475 BUS 497	Biblical Studies elective
			Spring Ser	nester
тот	AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		THE 405 BUS 423 BUS 426 BUS 434 BUS 465	Christ and Culture

A.A. in Business

GENERAL	. 51 UDIES – 32 nours		Sug	ggestea Sequence of Courses
ENG 101	Critical Reading & Writing I			FIRST YEAR
ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing II		Fall Semes	
COM 205	Public Speaking		BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture
PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness	1	ENG 101 NSC L	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Natural Science Lab course 1
Select 2 co	ourses from 2 different areas:		NSC	Natural Science course
	HUM, MUS, and PHL	6	PHE 105 PSY 103	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1 Introduction to Psychology 3
MTH	MTH 110, 191, or 211	3		General elective
NSC	Natural Science course			15
NSC L	Natural Science Lab course		Spring Sei	mester
			ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing II 3
HIS	History course	3	HIS	History course
PSY 103	Introduction to Psychology		MTH	MTH 110, 191, or 211
SOC	SOC course (103, 203, or 215)		SOC	SOC course (103, 203, or 215) 3
CCE 301	Significant Cross-Cultural Exp			ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course3
				SECOND YEAR
RIBLICAL	STUDIES – 6 hours		Fall Semes	
BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture	3	BBS 202	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3
BBS 202	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture		BUS 211	Financial Accounting
DD0 202	deddd. The Foods of Conplaire	O	BUS 247	Principles of Marketing
			BUS 202	Business Statistics
STUDIES	IN BUSINESS – 21 hours		COM 205	Public Speaking
BUS 202	Business Statistics	3		1.5
BUS 209	Computer Information Systems		Spring Sei	mester
BUS 211	Financial Accounting		-1 5 - 1	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3
BUS 212	Managerial Accounting		BUS 209	Computer Information Systems 3
BUS 225	Principles of Management		BUS 212	Managerial Accounting 3
BUS 238	Business Communications		BUS 225	Principles of Management 3
BUS 247	Principles of Marketing		BUS 238	Business Communications 3
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GENERAL ELECTIVE – 1 Hour

TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS = 60

Minors offered by the Department of Business

Accounting – 18 hours		Marketing – 18 hours (for Business majors only)		
BUS 211 BUS 212 BUS 311 BUS 364 BUS 405 BUS	Financial Accounting	BUS 349 BUS 370 BUS 380 BUS 421 BUS 423 BUS 465	Marketing Metrics	
Business Administration – 18 hours			Music Business – 18 hours (offered with the Department of Music)	
BUS 211 BUS 212 BUS 225 BUS 247 BUS 320 BUS 321	Financial Accounting	BUS 225 BUS 247 MUS 216 MUS 317 M/B 325 MUS 410	Principles of Management 3 Principles of Marketing 3 Music Technology 3 Advanced Music Technology 3 Survey of Music Business 3 Music Publ and Copyright Law 3	
Management – 18 hours (for Business majors only)				
			Management – 15 hours ess majors only)	
(for Busine BUS 310 BUS 327 BUS 329 BUS 358 BUS 450	Organizational Behavior	SPM 423 SPM 425 SPM 427 SPM 429 SPM 497	Sports Facilities Management 3 Team Management	

A minor may be added to any B.A. or B.S. degree that does not include that specific area of study as its major, except as noted.

See the section on Minors (p. 42) for a complete explanation of adding a minor to a degree program.

DEPARTMENT OF COUNSELING AND HUMAN SERVICES

CHAIR: GREGORY K. MOFFATT, Ph.D.

The degree programs offered by the Department of Counseling and Human Services are:

- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Counseling and Human Services
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Counseling and Human Services
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Psychology
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Psychology
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Criminal Justice
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Sociology with Social Work Specialization

The Department offers minors (p. 72) in:

- Counseling and Human Services
- Developmental Psychology
- Human Services Skills
- Psychology

The courses offered by the Department of Counseling and Human Services are listed in the *Course Descriptions* section under the following curricular areas:

- Counseling and Human Services (CHS, p. 116)
- Criminal Justice (CJU, p. 117)
- Psychology (PSY, p. 148)
- Social Sciences (SOC, p. 150)
- Social Work (p. 151)

For information regarding the Access degree programs and online degree programs in Human Relations and in Criminal Justice, please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

HONORS PROGRAM: The Honors Program of the Department of Counseling and Human Services is designed to challenge students to attain a higher level of preparation, to provide a vehicle for students to compete for admissions to graduate schools, and to recognize student productivity and achievement. Students choose and complete the Honors Program through a combination of GPA, internship(s), senior portfolio, senior interview, comprehensive exam and final essay. The Honors Program is available in the Counseling and Human Services, Psychology, and Sociology with Social Work Specialization programs. Notation of the Honors Program appears on the graduate's academic transcript. See an academic advisor for the policies, requirements and procedures of the Honors Program.

B.A. or B.S. in Counseling and Human Services with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Gregory K. Moffatt, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree programs in Counseling and Human Services is to provide skills necessary for careers in the help professions and to prepare students for graduate studies in associated disciplines. They focus on an undergraduate preparation for the field of professional counseling and for other human services, requiring courses in psychology, counseling, and related disciplines. An internship provides an opportunity for the integration of theory and practice. Because a graduate degree is expected in the field of counseling, the program has the preparation of students for graduate school as a primary goal. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 66-67.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Counseling and Human Services are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Compare and contrast the varieties of theories, issues, and techniques in psychology and counseling.
- 2. Explain the intricacies of the psychological, physiological, developmental and spiritual make-up of man.
- 3. Distinguish between healthy and unhealthy patterns in the life, work and ethics of professional helpers.
- 4. Integrate psychological theory and theology.
- 5. Demonstrate an integration of personal strengths, the analysis and utilization of current research and the application of good helper principles.
- 6. Pursue advanced studies in graduate school.

INTERNSHIP: The major in Counseling and Human Services requires the completion of 3 semester hours of internship credit, CHS 497, which provides an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Prior to enrolling in CHS 497, the student must: (a) be a junior or senior; (b) have successfully completed PSY 103 and CHS 211; and (c) have successfully completed at least nine hours in the Counseling and Human Services major, including at least one course from CHS 396, CHS 202, CHS 312 or CHS 317. A student may not do internships in his or her final semester at Point University.

Graduates with degrees in Counseling and Human Services are engaged in graduate study and entry-level counseling positions. For information on additional procedures and guidelines for this major, see the Registrar or an academic advisor in the department.

B.S. in Criminal Justice with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Forrest B. (Butch) Beach, D.P.A.

The degree program in criminal justice is designed to provide students with a broad education based in the social sciences and the goals and processes of the criminal justice system. It focuses on studies in criminal justice, sociology and related fields, the causes and consequences of criminal behavior, the justice system and how it relates to other institutions within society. The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 68.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Criminal Justice are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Develop a foundational knowledge of criminal investigation and law enforcement;
- 2. Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of criminal law and the legal process;
- 3. Illustrate knowledge of corrections and its alternatives;
- 4. Work within the dynamics and culture of the legal system;
- 5. Explain the rights of individuals and recognize legal limitations;
- 6. Exhibit professional behavior and meet high ethical standards; and
- 7. Identify issues that impact impressions of objectivity, impartiality, fairness and justice.

Graduates with degrees in Criminal Justice are engaged in work in government agencies, law enforcement, private security and homeland security. For information on additional procedures and guidelines for this major, see the Registrar or an academic advisor in the department.

B.A. or B.S. in Psychology with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Gregory K. Moffatt, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree programs in Psychology is to provide a knowledge base for careers in academia and research and to prepare students for graduate studies in associated fields. They require studies in Psychology and related disciplines. The Bachelor of Arts degree requires 14 hours of foreign language courses. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 69-70.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Psychology are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Compare and contrast the varieties of theories, issues, and techniques in psychology;
- 2. Explain the intricacies of the psychological, physiological, developmental and spiritual make-up of man;
- 3. Communicate in written and verbal media their knowledge and comprehension of psychology;
- 4. Integrate psychological theory and theology; and
- 5. Pursue advanced studies in graduate school.

Graduates with degrees in Psychology are prepared for post-graduate education in Psychology or related fields. For information on additional procedures and guidelines for this major, see the Registrar or an academic advisor in the department.

B.S. in Sociology with Social Work Specialization and the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Andrea V. Pope-Smith, M.S.W.

The purpose of the degree program in Sociology with Social Work Specialization is to equip students with skills for entry-level positions in the helping professions and to prepare students for graduate-level studies. It requires studies in Sociology, Social Work and related fields. The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 71.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes states in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Sociology with Social Work Specialization are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Understand the history and evolution of the discipline of sociology;
- 2. Demonstrate a knowledge of the core concepts and theories in the field of sociology;
- 3. Think sociologically, to identify the various social forces or conditions which hinder or help;
- 4. Analyze the relationships among the various social institutions;
- 5. Demonstrate the actions of a competent professional who respects and appreciates social and cultural diversity; and
- 6. Communicate effectively in written and oral presentations in academic and business settings.

Graduates with degrees in Sociology with Social Work Specialization are prepared for post-graduate education in Sociology or related fields. For information on additional procedures and guidelines for this major, see the Registrar or an academic advisor in the department.

B.A. in Counseling and Human Services

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours	Sug	gested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	Fall Semes ENG 101 HIS MTH	FIRST YEAR ster Critical Reading & Writing I
	urses from 2 different areas: IUM, MUS, and PHL 6	NSC PSY 103	Natural Science course and Lab 4 Introduction to Psychology <u>3</u> 16
MTH NSC NSC L HIS	Math course3Natural Science course3Natural Science Lab course1History course3	Spring Ser BBS 102 ENG 102 SOC 103	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 The Drama of Scripture 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Introduction to Sociology 3
PSY 103 SOC 103 CCE 301	Introduction to Psychology 3 Introduction to Sociology 3 Significant Cross-Cultural Exp 0	Fall Sames	General elective
CLIDDODTI	NG COURSES 2 hours	Fall Semes	
PSY 200	NG COURSES – 3 hours Social Psychology	BBS 202 CHS 211 PSY 204 PSY 200	Foreign Language I
GRK	GRK 301, 302, 401, 402	Spring Ser	
GRK/HEB BIBLICAL	GRK 301, 302, 401, 402 SPA 101, 102, 201, 202 GRK 301 and 302, HEB 411 and 412 STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture	CHS 202 COM 205 PHE 105	Foreign Language II
BBS 202	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3		THIRD YEAR
BBS 302	Scripture: How We Use It 3	Fall Semes	ster
THE 405	Biblical Studies elective	BBS 302 PSY 302 PSY 315	Foreign Language III
PSY 204	Developmental Psychology 3		14
PSY 302 PSY 303 PSY 315 PSY 341 PSY 442 PSY 465 CHS 202 CHS 211	Statistics	PSY 303 CHS 312	Foreign Language IV
CHS 312	Counseling Diverse Populations 2		FOURTH YEAR
CHS 392 CHS 396 CHS 410 CHS 420 CHS 497	Careers in Helping Professions 2 Counseling Theory & Procedures 3 Family Counseling	Fall Semes CHS 420 PSY 341 PSY 442 CHS 497	Counseling Children I or CHS 417 3 Abnormal Psychology
		Spring Sen	nester
	ELECTIVES – 9 hours AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120	THE 405 CHS 392 CHS 396 CHS 410 PSY 465	Christ and Culture

B.S. in Counseling and Human Services

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II	3	Fall Semes	
COM 205 PHE 105	Public Speaking	3	ENG 101 HIS MTH	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 History course
	urses from 2 different areas: IUM, MUS, and PHL	6	NSC PSY 103	Natural Science course and Lab 4 Introduction to Psychology 3 16
MTH NSC	Math course	3	Spring Ser	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3
NSC L HIS	Natural Science Lab course		BBS 102 ENG 102 SOC 103	The Drama of Scripture
PSY 103 SOC 103	History course	3	300 103	Introduction to Sociology
CCE 301	Significant Cross-Cultural Exp	0	E-II 0	SECOND YEAR
SLIDDORT	ING COURSES - 3 hours		Fall Semes BBS 202	ster Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3
PSY 200	Social Psychology	3	CHS 211 PSY 204	Introduction to Counseling 3 Developmental Psychology 3
BIBLICAL	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours		PSY 200	Social Psychology
BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture			General elective 3 15
BBS 202 BBS 302	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It	3	Spring Ser	mester ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3
DD3 302	Biblical Studies elective	3	CHS 202	The Family
THE 405	Christ and Culture	3	COM 205	Public Speaking 3
			PHE 105	Physical Fitness and Wellness 1 General electives <u>6</u>
MAJOR CO	OURSEWORK – 47 hours			16
PSY 204	Developmental Psychology	3	- " 0	THIRD YEAR
PSY 302 PSY 303	Statistics Methods in Research	3	Fall Semes BBS 302	ster Scripture: How We Use It 3
PSY 315	Group Dynamics	2	PSY 302	Statistics 3
PSY 341	Abnormal Psychology	3	PSY 315	Group Dynamics 2
PSY 442 PSY 465	Personality Theory	3		General elective <u>6</u>
CHS 202	The Family	3	Spring Ser	• •
CHS 211	Introduction to Counseling		0110 040	Biblical Studies elective 3
CHS 312 CHS 392	Counseling Diverse Populations Careers in Helping Professions	2	CHS 312 PSY 303	Counseling Diverse Populations 2 Methods in Research 2
CHS 396	Counseling Theory & Procedures .	3	. 0. 000	Counseling or related elective 3
CHS 410 CHS 420	Family Counseling			General electives <u>5</u>
CHS 497	Counseling Children I or CHS 417 CHS Internship	3		FOURTH YEAR
	Counseling and related electives .		Fall Semes	
			CHS 420 PSY 341	Counseling Children I or CHS 417 3 Abnormal Psychology 3
GENERAL	ELECTIVES – 23 hours		PSY 442	Personality Theory
	_		CHS 497	Counseling or related elective 3 CHS Internship
TO	TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		Spring Ser	
			THE 405	Christ and Culture 3
			CHS 392	Careers in Helping Professions 2
			CHS 396 CHS 410	Counseling Theory & Procedures . 3
			PSY 465	Family Counseling

B.S. in Criminal Justice

GENERAL STUDIES – 32 hours		Suggested Sequence of Courses		
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Fall Semes BBS 102	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture 3
PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness urses from 2 different areas:	1	ENG 101 HIS MTH	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 History course 3
ENG, H	UM, MUS, and PHL		SOC 103	Math course
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	3	Spring Ser ENG 102 NSC PHE 105 PSY 103	Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Natural Science course and Lab 4 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1
HIS PSY 103 SOC 103	History course	3	PS1 103	Introduction to Psychology 3 General elective
CCE 301	Significant Cross-Cultural Exp	0	F-11 0	SECOND YEAR
SUPPORTI	NG COURSES – 6 hours		Fall Semes	ster ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course .3
PSY 200 SOC 203	Social Psychology	3	BBS 202 COM 205 PSY 200	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture
BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture	3	Spring Ser	nester
BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective Christ and Culture	3 3 3	SOC 203 SOC 350	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Cultural Anthropology 3 Social Problems
				THIRD YEAR
MAJOR CO	URSEWORK – 50 hours		Fall Semes	
BUS 436 CJU 300 CJU 310 CJU 320 CJU 400 CJU 410	Professional Ethics	3 3 3 3	BBS 302 CJU 300 PSY 302 PSY 420	Scripture: How to Use It
CJU 420 PSY 302	Police Administration	3	Spring Ser	nester Biblical Studies elective 3
PSY 303 PSY 420 SOC 350 SOC 355 SOC 430	Methods in Research Violence and Society Social Problems Hum Behavior and Soc Env Race, Ethnicity & Gender	3 3 3	CJU 310 CJU 320 PSY 303 SOC 355	Criminology <td< td=""></td<>
	Crim Justice and related electives	6		FOURTH YEAR
CJU 497	Field Work	6	Fall Semes	
	ELECTIVES – 17 hours AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		BUS 436 CJU 410 CJU 497 SOC 430	Professional Ethics
			Spring Ser	mester
			THE 405 CJU 400 CJU 420	Christ and Culture

B.A. in Psychology

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours	Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101 NSC	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
	urses from 2 different areas: IUM, MUS, and PHL 6	PHE 105 PSY 103	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1 Introduction to Psychology <u>3</u> 14
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	Spring Ser ENG 102 HIS	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 History course 3
HIS PSY 103 SOC 103 CCE 301	History course	MTH SOC 103	Math course 3
	•	Fall Semes	
PSY 200	NG COURSES – 3 hours Social Psychology	CHS 211 COM 205 PSY 200 PSY 204	Foreign Language I
GRK	GŔK 301, 302, 401, 402	Spring Ser	mester
SPA GRK/HEB	SPA 101, 102, 201, 202 GRK 301 and 302, HEB 411 and 412 STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours	BBS 202 CHS 202	Foreign Language II
BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture 3		
BBS 202 BBS 302	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Scripture: How We Use It 3	Fall Semes	THIRD YEAR
THE 405	Biblical Studies elective	BBS 302 PSY 302 PSY 315	Foreign Language III
PSY 204	DURSEWORK – 43 hours Developmental Psychology 3		General electives 4 15
PSY 302 PSY 303 PSY 305 PSY 315 PSY 341 PSY 442 PSY 465 CHS 202	Statistics	Spring Sel CHS 312 COM 305 PSY 305 PSY 303	mester Foreign Language IV 3 Counseling Diverse Populations 2 Media Effects on Children & Adol 3 Adolescent Psych or CHS 420 3 Methods in Research 2 General elective 3 16
CHS 211 CHS 310	Introduction to Counseling 3 Prenatal Development 2	Fall Semes	FOURTH YEAR ster
CHS 312 CHS 392 COM 305	Counseling Diverse Populations 2 Careers in Helping Professions 2 Media Effects on Children & Adol . 3 Psychology and related electives . 6	CHS 310 PSY 442 PSY 341 PSY	Biblical Studies elective
GENERAL	ELECTIVES – 13 hours	Spring Ser	mester
тот	AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120	THE 405 CHS 392 PSY PSY 465	Christ and Culture

B.S. in Psychology

		Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 Critical Reading & Writing I	3 3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101 NSC	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
Select 2 courses from 2 different areas: ENG, HUM, MUS, and PHL	6	PHE 105 PSY 103	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1 Introduction to Psychology <u>3</u> 14
NSC L Natural Science Lab course	3 1	Spring Ser ENG 102 HIS	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 History course 3
HIS History course	3 3	MTH SOC 103	Math course
Significant Cross-Cultural Exp	U	Fall Semes	
SUPPORTING COURSES – 3 hours PSY 200 Social Psychology	3	CHS 211 COM 205 PSY 200 PSY 204	Introduction to Counseling
BBS 102 The Drama of Scripture	3	Spring Ser	
BBS 302 Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective THE 405 Christ and Culture	3	BBS 202 CHS 202	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 The Family
MAJOR COURSEWORK – 43 hours			THIRD YEAR
PSY 204 Developmental Psychology	3 2	Fall Semes BBS 302 PSY 302 PSY 315	
PSY 442 Personality Theory	3	Spring Ser	
PSY 465 Psychology of Religion	3 2 2	CHS 312 COM 305 PSY 303 PSY 305	Counseling Diverse Populations 2 Media Effects on Children & Adol
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B.S. in Sociology with Social Work Specialization

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3 3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
Select 2 co	urses from 2 different areas:		HIS MTH SOC 103	History course
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	3	Spring Ser ENG 102 NSC	mester ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Natural Science course and Lab 4
HIS PSY 103 SOC 103 CCE 301	History course	3 3	PHE 105 PSY 103	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1 Introduction to Psychology 3 14 SECOND YEAR
	9		Fall Semes	ster
PSY 200	NG COURSES – 3 hours Social Psychology	3	COM 205 PSY 204 SOC 200	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Public Speaking 3 Developmental Psychology 3 Social Psychology 3
BIBLICAL :	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours	^		General elective
BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302	The Drama of Scripture Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective	3 3	Spring Ser BBS 202 SOC 202	mester Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 The Family
THE 405	Christ and Culture	3	SOC 203	Cultural Anthropology
PSY 204	DURSEWORK – 58 hours	2	Eall Samo	THIRD YEAR
PSY 302 PSY 303 SOC 202 SOC 203 SOC 300 SOC 355	Developmental Psychology Statistics Methods in Research The Family Cultural Anthropology Social Theory Hum Behavior and Soc Env	3 2 3 3 3	Fall Semes BBS 302 CHS 341 PSY 302 SOC 300 SOC 355	Scripture: How We Use It
SOC 420 CHS 392	Violence in Society	3 2 6	CHS 312 CHS 343	mester Biblical Studies elective
CHS 312 CHS 341 CHS 343 CHS 345	Counseling Diverse Populations Introduction to Social Work Comm Skills for Social Services Case Management	3 2	CHS 345 PSY 303	Case Management
SWK 401	Social Work Policy I	3		FOURTH YEAR
SWK 402 SWK 410 SWK 497	Social Work Policy II	3	SOC 420 SWK 401 SWK 410 SWK 497	Violence in Society 3 Social Work Policy I 3 Social Work Practice 3 Field Work 6 General elective 3 18
тот	AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		Spring Ser THE 405 CHS 392 SWK402	mester Christ and Culture 3 Careers in Helping Professions 2 Social Work Policy II 3 Sociology or related electives 3 General elective 3 14

Minors offered by the Department of Counseling and Human Services for majors of other departments only

Counseling – 17 hours		Human Services Skills – 17 Hours		
PSY 204 CHS 211 PSY 341 CHS 396 Select 5 ho	Developmental Psychology 3 Introduction to Counseling 3 Abnormal Psychology 3 Counseling Theory and Procedures 3 urs from: CHS 312, 317, 410, 413, 417, 420 or 421 5		Developmental Psychology Introduction to Counseling	3 2
			PSY 200, 305, 341, 442	6
Developmental Psychology – 19 hours		Psychol	ogy – 17 Hours	
PSY 204 PSY 305 CHS 310 CHS 413 CHS 417 CHS 420	Developmental Psychology 3 Adolescent Psychology 3 Prenatal Development 2 Counseling the Elderly 2 Counseling Adolescents 3 Counseling Children I 3 CHS or PSY course 2	CHS 202 PSY 204 PSY 341 PSY	The Family Developmental Psychology Abnormal Psychology PSY 200 or PSY 442 CHS and/or PSY courses	3 3 3

A minor may be added to any B.A. or B.S. degree that does not include that specific area of study as its major, except as noted.

See the section on Minors (p. 42) for a complete explanation of adding a minor to a degree program.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

CHAIR: JAMES C. DONOVAN, PH.D.

The degree programs offered by the Department of Education are:

- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Early Childhood Education
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Early Childhood Education
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Middle Grades Education
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Child and Youth Development with specializations in Children's Ministry, Early Childhood (Non-Licensure), and Youth Program Administration

The degree programs also include the Minor in Biblical Studies.

The courses offered by the Department of Education are listed in the *Course Descriptions* section under the following curricular areas:

- Early Childhood Instruction (ECI, p. 119)
- Education (EDU, p. 120)
- English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESL, p. 125)
- Middle Grades Education (MGI, p. 132).

The Department of Education, Point's professional education unit, is accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE). This accreditation includes the initial teacher preparation level. The Georgia Professional Standards Commission (PSC) has granted accreditation to the Early Childhood Education preparation program (preschool through fifth grade), the Middle Grades Education preparation program (fourth grade through eighth grade), and the English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) endorsement program.

B.A. or B.S. in Early Childhood Education with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Lacey Ann Southerland, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree programs in Early Childhood Education (ECE) is to develop and train early childhood educators equipped to teach Pre-K through 5th Grade who demonstrate the knowledge, skills, professional dispositions, and Christian attitudes associated with being an Effective Mentor Teacher. The student progresses from General Studies courses and Foundational Education courses into the Teacher Education Program (TEP), which includes three semesters of teacher education courses with field experiences and one semester of student-teaching experience in a local public elementary school. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 78-79.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Early Childhood Education are that the graduate will be able to:

- Demonstrate knowledge of general content and pedagogy.
- 2. Design and implement integrated lesson plans that utilize the Georgia Performance Standards (GPS) objectives, the Common Core Curriculum, a variety of instructional strategies, learning resources and formal and informal assessments.
- 3. Plan and implement an effective classroom management system.
- 4. Demonstrate proficiency in the use of technology as a teaching and learning tool.
- 5. Use reflection, inquiry and critical analysis to improve teaching practices and professional behaviors.
- 6. Demonstrate classroom instructional strategies that reflect a constructivist philosophy.
- 7. Use skills, attitudes, Christian behaviors and positive interpersonal relationships associated with being an effective mentor teacher with all students.

The degree programs in Early Childhood Education include the courses and field experiences necessary for the successful student to teach children in preschool through grade five. If all criteria are met, the graduate is recommended by the Department of Education to the Georgia PSC for an initial teaching tier 1/pre-service certificate. The Early Childhood Education degree program also includes the courses which lead to the endorsement in English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL).

B.S. in Middle Grades Education with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Tia W. Herrington, Ed.D.

The purpose of the degree program in Middle Grades Education (MGE) is to develop and train middle grades educators equipped to teach 4th through 8th Grade who demonstrate the knowledge, skills, professional dispositions, and Christian attitudes associated with being an Effective Mentor Teacher. The Middle Grades Education major requires Education and concentration coursework. The student selects two areas of concentration/specialization from the following: Language Arts, Social Studies, Math, and Science. The student progresses from General Studies courses and Foundational Education courses into the Teacher Education Program (TEP), which includes three semesters of teacher education courses with field experiences and one semester of student teaching experience in a local public middle school. The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 80.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Middle Grades Education are that the graduate will be able to:

- Demonstrate knowledge of general content and pedagogy.
- 2. Design and implement integrated lesson plans that utilize the Georgia Performance Standards (GPS) objectives, the Common Core Curriculum, a variety of instructional strategies, learning resources and formal and informal assessments.
- 3. Plan and implement an effective classroom management system.
- 4. Demonstrate proficiency in the use of technology as a teaching and learning tool.
- 5. Use reflection, inquiry and critical analysis to improve teaching practices and professional behaviors.
- 6. Demonstrate classroom instructional strategies that reflect a constructivist philosophy.
- 7. Use skills, attitudes, Christian behaviors and positive interpersonal relationships associated with being an effective mentor teacher with all students.

The degree in Middle Grades Education includes the courses and field experiences necessary

for the successful student to teach children in grades four through eight. If all criteria are met by the teaching candidate, the graduate will be recommended by the Department of Education to the Georgia PSC for the tier 1/pre-service certificate. The Middle Grades Education degree program also includes the courses which lead to the endorsement in English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL).

Teacher Education Program for ECE and MGE

CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORK: The purpose of the Education program at Point is to equip each student to be an effective practitioner and mentor teacher. A caring, effective mentor teacher is one who nurtures each child and fulfills the responsibilities of providing developmentally appropriate learning experiences to meet the needs, capabilities, and interests of individual children. A caring, effective mentor teacher also recognizes and respects individual differences and emphasizes the acquisition of essential skills, concepts, knowledge and the development of critical thinking, ethical and lawful social behavior and responsible citizenship.

The Early Childhood Education degree program and the Middle Grades Education degree program consist of three components: Biblical Studies, General Content Studies, and Professional Studies. Each component is important and is supported by the other two components to complete a cyclical whole. Candidates obtain Biblical Studies and then apply this knowledge through community service and various other spiritual activities planned through the University. Biblical Studies forms the foundation for the Christian principles necessary for mentoring. The Effective Mentor Teacher is a worthy role-model for students and serves God by modeling the attitudes, behaviors and dispositions of a Christian, always acting in the best interest of the students. The Effective Mentor Teacher also models love and enthusiasm for learning and, therefore, leads students on the journey of being life-long learners. General Content Studies is a vital component of the program. Teachers must be equipped with knowledge of the general content. Finally, the Effective Mentor Teacher must be equipped with Professional Studies. It is necessary to know about children and how they learn. Effective Mentor Teachers must also know how to plan for learning, and how to best implement those plans. They must be masterful at delivering instruction and evaluating the learning of students. It is in the Professional Component of the program that the Effective Mentor Teacher acquires this knowledge and more importantly how to apply it in real classroom settings.

ADMISSION TO THE TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM (TEP): A student must make formal application to the Department of Education and meet all requirements as set forth in the following entrance criteria before being admitted to the TEP for Early Childhood Education or for Middle Grades Education. Formal admission for ECE or for MGE is required before a student can enter junior block courses:

- 1. Pass the GACE Program Admission examination. Passing scores must be presented by August 1 between the sophomore and junior year.
- 2. Complete at least 45 semester hours of general education requirements with a minimum GPA of 2.80.
- 3. Complete the following courses with a grade of "C" or higher in each:
 - ENG 101, Crit Reading & Writing I
 - ENG 102, Crit Reading & Writing II
 - COM 205, Public Speaking
 - MTH _____, Math course
 - NSC 103, Intro. to Biology I
 - NSC 103L, Intro to Biology I Lab
- NSC . Science elective course
- EDU 102, Educational Foundations
- EDU 204, Developmental Psychology
- EDU 300, Educational Psychology
- SOC 215, Geography (ECE only)
- ECI 232, Math and Sci for Teach (ECE only)

- 4. Complete a satisfactory departmental interview with Department of Education faculty.
- 5. Successfully complete a one-page written composition as assigned by the Department of Education.
- 6. Complete the Declaration Phase of the Professional Portfolio.
- 7. Submit a clear criminal background check.
- 8. Hold active membership in SGAE or PAGE (required prior to beginning EDU 204, which is the first course with a laboratory experience).

TEP STUDENT RETENTION: To remain and continue in the Teacher Education Program, a student must meet the following conditions:

- 1. Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.80. If a student's cumulative GPA drops below 2.80 after admission to the TEP, that student may not take additional education courses until the GPA is raised to 2.80 or higher. Students may apply for readmission no more than twice.
- 2. Complete all laboratory experiences with a grade of "C" or higher.
- 3. Exhibit responsible professional and ethical behavior at all times.
- 4. Maintain active membership in SGAE or PAGE.

STUDENT TEACHING REQUIREMENTS: Before a student in the TEP can be granted permission to begin the Teaching Practicum (ECI 497 or MGI 497, also known as student teaching), the student must:

- 1. Complete all degree program requirements other than the Teaching Practicum with a grade of "C" or higher in each Professional Studies course.
- 2. Have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.80.
- 3. Submit a formal application for student teaching to the supervisor of student teaching during the semester prior to beginning the experience.
- 4. Complete the Beginning School Experience during the Fall semester of the senior year.
- 5. Pass at least one part of the GACE ECE or MGE Content Test. If only one part is passed, the second part must be passed before a grade will be given for student teaching. The student would receive an Incomplete. The Incomplete cannot convert into a grade until the student passes the remaining section of GACE.
- 6. The student will not be able to graduate until a grade is awarded for student teaching. The student will have one year from the conclusion of student teaching to pass the second section of GACE.
- 7. Any student who chooses to pursue and complete an alternate degree will forfeit the opportunity to receive an ECE or MGE degree and would not be recommended for certification.

Note: Students cannot enroll in any other course, including a correspondence or online course, while student teaching.

EXIT CRITERIA: Prior to graduation, the student must complete the following requirements:

- 1. Submit the materials for the edTPA assessment as required by the Georgia PSC.
- 2. Present a copy of the student's professional portfolio to the Department.
- 3. Complete an exit interview.

For information on additional procedures and guidelines for the Teacher Education Program, see an academic advisor in the department.

B.S. in Child and Youth Development with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Lacey Ann Southerland, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree program in Child and Youth Development is to prepare servant leaders of children and youth who demonstrate the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively lead a variety of young learners in a diversity of settings. It is designed to prepare students to enter child and youth care settings, including day care centers, community-based programs such as the YMCA and Boys & Girls Club, youth corrections programs, children's ministry, and nonprofit early childhood programs such as church preschools. Students take foundational course work in human development, education, and sociocultural contexts. The student selects an area of specialization — Children's Ministry, Early Childhood (non-licensure), or Youth Programs Administration — and completes a 12-semester-hour internship in the area of specialization. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 81-83.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Child and Youth Development are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate an understanding of the theories that underlie the study of child and adolescent growth and development.
- 2. Explain the developmental changes which take place from conception through puberty, examined through various developmental perspectives.
- 3. Demonstrate an understanding of the linkages between physical, cognitive, emotional, and social development.
- 4. Demonstrate an understanding of how the environment (cultural, community, family, physical, etc.) affects and interacts with an individual's growth and development.
- 5. Utilize the knowledge, skills, attitudes, Christian behaviors, and positive interpersonal relationships associated with a selected specialization within the field of Child and Youth Development (Early Childhood, Children's Ministry, or Youth Program Administration).
- 6. Pursue further studies in child and youth development, independently or academically.

For information on additional procedures and guidelines for this major, see the Registrar or an academic advisor in the department.

B.S. in Early Childhood Education

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours	Suggested Sequence of Courses		ggested Sequence of Courses	
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Fall Semes ENG 101 MTH	FIRST YEAR ster Critical Reading & Writing I	
HUM 101 ENG 207	Introduction to Humanities World Literature	3	NSC 103 PHE 105 PSY 103	Biology I and NSC 103L	4 1
MTH NSC 103 NSC 103L	Math course	4	Spring Ser BBS 102 EDU 102 ENG 102	•	3 3
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NSC	NG COURSE – 3 hours Approved Science course	3	BBS 202 COM 205 ECI 232 EDU 204	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture	3 3 3
BBS 102 BBS 202	The Drama of Scripture Jesus: The Focus of Scripture	3	NSC	Approved Science course	3
BBS 302	Scripture: How We Use It	3	Spring Ser		_
THE 405	Biblical Studies elective Christ and Culture		BBS 302 EDU 300 ENG 207	Biblical Studies elective	3 3 3
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B.A. in Early Childhood Education

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours	Su	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	Fall Seme	Foreign Language I 4 Critical Reading & Writing I 3
HUM 101 ENG 207	Introduction to Humanities 3 World Literature 3	MTH NSC 103 PHE 105 PSY 103	Math course
MTH NSC 103 NSC 103L	Math course 3 Biology I 4 Biology I Lab 1	Spring Se	mester Foreign Language II
HIS 203 PSY 103 SOC 215 CCE 301	United States History	BBS 102 EDU 102 ENG 102 HIS 203 HUM 101	The Drama of Scripture
SUPPORT NSC	ING COURSE – 3 hours Approved Science course 3	Fall Seme	SECOND YEAR ster
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BBS 102	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture	Spring Se	Foreign Language IV 3
BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Scripture: How We Use It 3 Biblical Studies elective 3 Christ and Culture 3	BBS 302 EDU 300 ENG 207 SOC 215	Biblical Studies elective
ECI 232	DURSEWORK – 73 hours Math & Science for Teachers 3	-	THIRD YEAR
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ECI 314	ducation Program – Block 3 Creative Arts for EC 3	Fall Seme	
EDU 401 EDU 407 EDU 410 EDU 433 ESL 441 ECI 493 Teacher E ECI 497	The Exceptional Child	ECI 314 ECI 407 ECI 410 EDU 401 EDU 433 ESL 441 ECI 493	Creative Arts for EC
	FAL REQUIRED HOURS = 137	Spring Se ECI 497	

B.S. in Middle Grades Education

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3 3 3	EDU 300 ENG 207 HIS 203	Educational Psychology World Literature United States History	3	
3 3 3		Concentration elective 1 THIRD YEAR	3 <u>3</u> 5	
2	Fall Semes			
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2 3 3 3 3 1	BBS 302 EDU 350 EDU 405 ESL 240 MGI 321 MGI 421 MGI 392	Scripture: How We Use It	23331	
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	Spring Ser MGI 497	•	8 2	
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B.S. in Child and Youth Development with Specialization in Children's Ministry

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101	Critical Reading & Writing I 3		Fall Camar	FIRST YEAR
ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing II 3	3	Fall Semes	
COM 205	Public Speaking	3	BBS 201	The Drama of Scripture 3
PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	l	ENG 101	Critical Reading & Writing I 3
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	urses from 2 different areas:		NSC	Natural Science course and Lab 4
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				16
MTH	Math course 3	3	Spring Ser	nester
NSC	Natural Science course		ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing II 3
NSC L	Natural Science Lab course 1		EDU 102	Educational Foundations 3
		-	HIS	History course 3
HIS	History course	3	PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1
PSY 103	Introduction to Psychology 3	3	SOC 103	Introduction to Sociology 3
SOC 103	Introduction to Sociology	2	000 100	General elective
CCE 301	Significant Cross-Cultural Exp (General elective
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			Fall Semes	
BIBLICAL	STUDIES MINOR - 15 hours			ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3
BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture	3	BBS 202	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3
BBS 202	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3		COM 205	Public Speaking
BBS 302	Scripture: How We Use It 3	2	EDU 204	Developmental Psychology 3
DDS 302	Biblical Studies elective 3		PHE 201	First Aid and CPR 1
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THE 405	Christ and Culture)		General elective <u>3</u>
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	The Family	2		The Family
CHS 211	Introduction to Counseling 3	3	EDU 300	Educational Psychology 3
COM 305	Media Effects on Children and Adol 3	3	MIN 202	Effective Learning in the Church 3
EDU 102	Educational Foundations 3	3		General elective <u>3</u>
EDU 204	Developmental Psychology 3	3		
EDU 300	Educational Psychology 3	3		THIRD YEAR
PHE 201	First Aid and CPR 1	-	Fall Semes	
PSY 305	Adolescent Psychology 3	3	BBS 302	Scripture: How We Use It 3
			CHS 211	Introduction to Counseling 3
Children's	Ministry Specialization		ECI 314	Creative Arts for Children 3
CHS 420	Counseling Children I	3		Ministry or Education elective 3
ECI 314	Creative Arts for Children 3	3		General elective
EDU 405	Integration of Technology 3	3		General elective <u>3</u>
EDU 407	Classroom Management	3	Spring Ser	
MIN 202	Effective Learning in the Church 3	3	COM 305	Media Effects on Children and Adol 3
MIN 301	Prin and Methods of Teaching 3		EDU 405	Integration of Technology 3
MIN 400	Admin and Leadership in Ministry . 3		MIN 400	Admin and Leadership in Ministry . 3
WIII 4 400	Ministry and/or Education electives		MIN 301	Prin and Methods of Teaching 3
EDU 497	Child and Youth Internship 12		PSY 305	Adolescent Developer
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				FOURTH YEAR
GENERAL	ELECTIVES – 12 hours		Fall Semes	
OLINLINAL	<u>LLLOTIVLS - 12 Hours</u>		THE 405	Christ and Culture
			1116 400	Biblical Studies elective 3
TOT	AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		CHS 420	Counseling Children I 3
101	AL VERGINED HOOKS = 150			Classroom Management
			EDU 407	Classroom Management 3
				Ministry or Edcuation elective <u>3</u>
			Carina Car	_
			Spring Ser	
			EDU 497	Child and Youth Internship 12

B.S. in Child and Youth Development with Specialization in Early Childhood

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours	Suggested Sequence of Courses	
ENG 101	Critical Reading & Writing I 3		FIRST YEAR
ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing II 3	Fall Seme	ster
COM 205	Public Speaking	BBS 201	The Drama of Scripture 3
PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	ENG 101 MTH	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Math course
Select 2 cc	ourses from 2 different areas:	NSC	Natural Science course and Lab 4
	HUM, MUS, and PHL 6	PSY 103	
2.10, .	ion, moo, and include the control of		Introduction to Psychology <u>3</u>
MTH	Math course 3	Spring Se	
NSC	Natural Science course 3	EDU 102	Educational Foundations 3
NSC L	Natural Science Lab course 1	ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing II 3
		HIS	History course 3
HIS	History course 3	PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1
PSY 103	Introduction to Psychology 3	SOC 103	Introduction to Sociology 3
SOC 103	Introduction to Sociology 3	000 100	
CCE 301	Significant Cross-Cultural Exp 0		General elective <u>3</u>
OOL 301	Olgrinicant Oloss Guitarai Exp O		SECOND YEAR
		Fall Seme	
BIBLICAL	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours		ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3
BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture 3	BBS 202	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3
BBS 202	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3	COM 205	Public Speaking 3
BBS 302	Scripture: How We Use It 3	EDU 204	Developmental Psychology 3
	Biblical Studies elective 3		General elective <u>3</u>
THE 405	Christ and Culture 3		<u>15</u>
		Spring Se	
			ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3
MAJOR CO	<u> DURSEWORK – 61 hours</u>	CHS 202	The Family 3
CHS 202	The Family	EDU 300	Educational Psychology 3
CHS 211	Introduction to Counseling 3	PHE 201	First Aid and CPR 1
COM 305	Media Effects on Children and Adol 3		General electives <u>6</u>
EDU 102	Educational Foundations 3		<u>16</u>
EDU 204	Developmental Psychology 3		THIRD YEAR
EDU 300	Educational Psychology 3	Fall Seme	
PHE 201	First Aid and CPR 1	BBS 302	Scripture: How We Use It 3
PSY 305	Adolescent Psychology 3	CHS 211	Introduction to Counseling 3
. 01 000	Addicacont regardings	ECI 300	Children's Literature 3
Farly Child	hood (Non-Licensure) Specialization	ESL 442	Culture and Education 3
MIN 301	Prin and Methods of Teaching 3	EDU/ECI	EDIT or ECI elective
ECI 300	Children's Literature 3	LD0/LCI	EDU or ECI elective 3
ECI 314	Creative Arts	Spring So	
	The Exceptional Child	Spring Se	Biblical Studies elective 3
EDU 401			
EDU 405	Integration of Technology 3	COM 305	Media Effects on Children and Adol 3
EDU 407	Classroom Management 3	EDU 405	Integration of Technology 3
ESL 442	Culture and Education 3	MIN 301	Prin and Methods of Teaching 3
EDU/ECI	EDU or ECI electives 6	PSY 305	Adolescent Psychology <u>3</u>
EDU 497	Child and Youth Internship 12		15
		E-II 0	FOURTH YEAR
CENEDAL	ELECTIVES 42 hours	Fall Seme	
GENERAL	ELECTIVES – 12 hours	THE 405	Christ and Culture
		ECI 314	Creative Arts
	TAL DECLUDED HOUSE 444	EDU 401	The Exceptional Child 3
10	TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120	EDU 407	Classroom Management 3
		EDU/ECI	EDU or ECI elective 3
			15
		Spring Se	
		EDU 497	Child and Youth Internship 12

B.S. in Child and Youth Development with Specialization in Youth Programs Administration

GENERAL	310DIE3 - 32 Hours		Sug	gested Sequence of Courses	
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3 3	Fall Semes BBS 201 ENG 101	The Drama of Scripture	
Select 2 co	urses from 2 different areas:		MTH NSC PSY 103	Critical Reading & Writing I	3 4 3
MTH NSC NSC L HIS PSY 103 SOC 103 CCE 301	Math course Natural Science course Natural Science Lab course History course Introduction to Psychology Introduction to Sociology Significant Cross-Cultural Exp	3 1 3 3 3	Spring Ser ENG 102 EDU 102 HIS PHE 105 SOC 103	mester Critical Reading & Writing II ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . Educational Foundations History course	3 3 1
			Fall Semes		
BIBLICAL S BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective Christ and Culture	3 3	BBS 202 BUS 211 COM 205 EDU 204 PHE 201	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Financial Accounting Public Speaking Developmental Psychology First Aid and CPR	3 3 3
			Spring Ser		10
MAJOR CO CHS 202 CHS 211 COM 305 EDU 102 EDU 204	The Family Introduction to Counseling Media Effects on Children and Adol Educational Foundations Developmental Psychology	3 3	BUS 212 BUS 225 BUS 238 CHS 202 EDU 300	Managerial Accounting	3 3
EDU 300	Educational Psychology			THIRD YEAR	
PHE 201 PSY 305 Youth Prog BUS 211 BUS 212	First Aid and CPR	3	Fall Semes BBS 302 CHS 211 EDU/SPM	Scripture: How We Use It Introduction to Counseling Education or SPM elective	3
BUS 225	Principles of Management	3	Spring Ser	nester	_
BUS 238 YTH 360 PSY 421 EDU 497	Business Communications Recreational Leadership Sports Psychology Education and/or SPM electives Child and Youth Internship	3 3 9	COM 305 PSY 305 PSY 421 YTH 360	Biblical Studies elective Media Effects on Children and Adol Adolescent Psychology Sports Psychology Recreational Leadership	3 3
				FOURTH YEAR	13
	ELECTIVES – 12 hours TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		EDU/SPM	Christ and Culture	3
			Spring Ser EDU 497	nester Child and Youth Internship 1	12

DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS

CHAIR: BYRON J. CARTWRIGHT, D.M.A.

The degree programs offered by the Department of Fine Arts are:

- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Music with specializations in Worship and Music Ministry, Music Performance and Pedagogy, and Music Production
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Music with specializations in Worship and Music Ministry, Music Performance and Pedagogy, and Music Production

The degree programs also include the Minor in Biblical Studies.

The Department offers a minors (p. 90) in:

- Music
- Music Business (with the Department of Business)

The courses offered by the Department of Fine Arts are listed in the *Course Descriptions* section under the following curricular areas:

- Music, Applied (MAP, p. 135)
- Music, Ensembles (MEN, p. 136)
- Music, Lecture (MUS, p. 137)

B.A. and B.S. in Music with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Byron J. Cartwright, D.M.A.

The purpose of the degree programs in Music is to provide a foundational music education to equip students for music/worship ministry, teaching, performing, or graduate school. They are designed to give students a foundation in the competencies expected of a musician. The student completes a professional core of Music courses and selects 12 semester hours for a specialization in Music Performance and Pedagogy, Music Production, or Worship and Music Ministry. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 86-89.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Music are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate competence in sight singing and ear training, music theory, and music history and literature.
- 2. Conduct and lead in worship.
- 3. Perform solo with appropriate techniques in the student's applied major (a junior recital) and with basic skills in an applied minor.
- 4. Perform in an ensemble with appropriate musical and social skills. *(continued)*

- 5. In the Worship and Music Ministry specialization, organize and lead the music program of a local church.
- 6. In the Music Performance and Pedagogy specialization, demonstrate advanced performance and teaching skills in the applied major.
- 7. In the Music Production specialization, support the requirements of programming for sound reinforcement and recording.

GUIDELINES AND STIPULATIONS:

- The student majoring in Music declares a primary area and a secondary area of applied music instruction. Piano is the secondary area of applied instruction for students who do not have piano as the primary area unless piano proficiency can be demonstrated.
- All Music majors are expected to pass a piano proficiency before graduation. The
 proficiency may be satisfied by the successful completion of four semesters of class piano
 as the secondary area of applied instruction.
- All Music majors perform a junior recital or the equivalent in the applied major; those with the Music Performance and Pedagogy specialization perform a senior recital.
- Each Music major enrolls in and participates as a member of an approved Point ensemble each semester, as appropriate to the student's area(s) of applied music instruction.
- Students who wish to be considered for advanced standing in music theory or applied instruction may take a placement test and perform a seven-minute audition.

Certain music courses are provided without audition for non-majors, such as Music Appreciation and class instruction in applied music. All Point students are eligible to audition for the Point University Concert Choir and other ensembles. Private applied instruction is offered to non-Music majors if prerequisites are met and permission is secured from the department chair. Other courses in Music may be taken by non-majors (as electives) with the approval of the department chair.

Graduates with degrees in Music are prepared to engage in music ministry, private music instruction, advanced specialized study and graduate school.

For information on additional procedures and guidelines for this major, see the Registrar or an academic advisor in the department.

B.A. in Music

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours	Specializa	tions:	
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	Music Peri MAP 39_ MUS 446 MAP 46_ MAP 49_	formance and Pedagogy Junior Recital Music Pedagogy Advanced Private Instruction Senior Recital	3
MUS 102 Select 1 co	Music Appreciation	MAP	Other approved course	
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	Music Prod MUS 317 MUS 325 MAP 369 MUS 497	Advanced Music Technology Music Business	3
HIS 102 PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	Western Civilization		nd Music Ministry Music Ministry in Local Church Music Internship	2 2 2
Select one GRK SPA	LANGUAGE – 14 hours sequence: GRK 301, 302, 401, 402 SPA 101, 102, 201, 202 GRK 301 and 302, HEB 411 and 412	MAP 470 MAP	Worship/Concert Project Other approved courses	2
BIBI ICAI	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours		,	
BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	The Drama of Scripture			
MUS 103 MUS 103L MUS 104 MUS 104L MUS 205 MUS 205L MUS 206 MUS 206L MUS 216 MUS 301 MUS 302 MUS 312 MUS 412 MUS 415 MAP MAP	Music Theory I			

TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS = 125

^{*} Piano classes unless Piano is the primary area of applied instruction or piano proficiency is demonstrated.

B.A. in Music

Suggested Sequence of Courses

F-11 0	FIRST YEAR		
Fall Semes ENG 101 HIS 102 MAP MAP MEN MTH MUS 103	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Western Civilization 3 Applied Instruction/ Primary 1 Applied Instruction/ Secondary 1 Approved ensemble		
Spring Ser BBS 102 ENG 102 MAP MAP MEN MUS 104 MUS 102 PHE 105	· ·		
	SECOND YEAR		THIRD YEAR
Fall Semes BBS 202 COM 205 MAP MAP MEN MUS 205 PSY 103 Spring Ser MAP MAP MEN MUS 216 MUS 206 NSC SOC	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Public Speaking	BBS 302 MAP MEN MUS 301 Spring Se MAP MEN MUS 302	Foreign Language I 4 ENG, HUM, or PHL course 3 Scripture: How We Use It 3 Applied Instruction/ Primary 1 Approved ensemble 1 Music History I 3 15
300	17	Fall Seme	ster
		MAP MEN MUS 312 MUS 412	Foreign Language III
		Spring Se	mester
		THE 405 MAP MEN MUS 415	Foreign Language IV

B.S. in Music

GENERAL STUDIES – 32 hours		Specializations:			
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Music Peri MUS 446 MAP 39_ MAP 46_ MAP 49_	formance and Pedagogy Music Pedagogy Junior Recital Advanced Private Instruction Senior Recital	1 4
MUS 102 Select 1 co	Music Appreciation		MAP	Other approved course	2
MTH NSC NSC L HIS 102 PSY 103 SOC CCE 301 BIBLICAL: BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	Math course Natural Science course Natural Science Lab course Western Civilization Introduction to Psychology SOC course (103, 203, or 215) Significant Cross-Cultural Exp STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective Christ and Culture	3 1 3 3 3 0 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	MUS 425 MUS 497 MAP MAP MAP 470 MAP	Advanced Music Technology Music Business Applied Music Technology Music Internship Music Ministry Music Ministry in Local Church Music Internship Applied Instruction/Tertiary Junior Recital Worship/Concert Project Other approved courses Sequence of Courses, next page	3 3 3 2 2 2 1 2
		Ü	cuggoolou	Coqueries of Courses, Hox page	
MUS 103 MUS 103L MUS 104 MUS 104L MUS 205	Music Theory I Functional Theory Skills I Functional Theory Skills II Functional Theory Skills II Functional Theory Skills II Music Theory III Functional Theory Skills III Functional Theory Skills III Music Theory IV Functional Theory Skills IV Music Technology Music History I Music History I Beginning Conducting Philosophy of Music Worship Leadership Applied Instruction/Primary Applied Instruction/Secondary * Performance Ensemble	1 3 1 3 1 3 1 3 3 3 2 3 2 8 4			
Specializati	on (select one)1	2			

GENERAL ELECTIVES - 9 hours

TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120

^{*} Piano classes unless Piano is the primary area of applied instruction or piano proficiency is demonstrated.

B.S. in Music

Suggested Sequence of Courses

FIRST YEAR

	FIRST YEAR		
Fall Semes	ster		
ENG 101	Critical Reading & Writing I 3		
HIS 102	Western Civilization 3		
MAP	Applied Instruction/ Primary 1		
MAP	Applied Instruction/ Secondary 1		
	Approved encomble		
MEN	Approved ensemble 1		
MTH	Math course		
MUS 103	Music Theory I and MUS 103L 4		
	. 16		
Spring Sei			
BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture 3		
ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing II 3		
MAP	Applied Instruction/ Primary 1		
MAP	Applied Instruction/ Secondary 1		
MEN	Approved ensemble 1		
MUS 102	Music Appreciation 3		
MUS 104	Music Theory II and MUS 104L . 4		
	<u>16</u>		
	SECOND YEAR		THIRD YEAR
Fall Semes		Fall Seme	
BBS 202	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3	BBS 302	Scripture: How We Use It 3
COM 205	Public Speaking 3	MAP	Applied Instruction/ Primary 1
MAP	Applied Instruction/ Primary 1	MEN	Approved ensemble 1
MAP	Applied Instruction/ Secondary 1	MUS 301	Music History I
MEN	Approved ensemble 1	MUS 412	Philosophy of Music 3
MUS 205	Music Theory III and MUS 205L 4		Specialization course(s) <u>3</u>
PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1		14
PSY 103	Introduction to Psychology <u>3</u>	Spring Se	• •
1 01 100	17	opining Se	ENG, HUM or PHL course 3
Spring Sa	moster.		
Spring Sei		MAD	Biblical Studies elective 3
MAP	Applied Instruction/ Primary 1	MAP	Applied Instruction/ Primary 1
MAP	Applied Instruction/ Secondary 1	MEN	Approved ensemble
MEN	Approved ensemble	MUS 302	Music History II
MUS 206	Music Theory IV and MUS 206L 4		Specialization course(s) <u>3</u>
MUS 216	Music Technology 3		14
NSC	Natural Science course and Lab 4	E- II O	FOURTH YEAR
SOC	SOC course (103, 203, or 215) <u>3</u>	Fall Seme	
	17	MAP	Applied Instruction/ Primary 1
			Approved ensemble 1
		MUS 312	Beginning Conducting 2
			Specialization course(s) 3
			General electives <u>6</u>
			13
		Spring Se	
		THE 405	Christ and Culture 3
		MAP	Applied Instruction/ Primary 1
		MEN	Approved ensemble 1
		MUS 415	Worship Leadership 2
			Specialization course(s) 3
			General elective <u>3</u>

Minors offered by the Department of Fine Arts

Music – 22 hours (for non-Music majors)		Music Business – 18 Hours (offered with the Department of Business)		
MUS 102 Music Appreciation	3 1 3 1 4 4	BUS 225 BUS 247 MUS 216 MUS 317 M/B 325 MUS 410	Principles of Management Principles of Marketing Music Technology Advanced Music Technology Survey of Music Business Music Publ and Copyright Law	3 3 3

A minor may be added to any B.A. or B.S. degree that does not include that specific area of study as its major, except as noted.

See the section on $\it Minors$ (p. 42) for a complete explanation of adding a minor to a degree program.

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES AND GENERAL STUDIES

CHAIR: D. J. DYCUS, PH.D.

The degree programs offered by the Department of Humanities and General Studies are:

- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in English
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in English and Biblical Studies (dual major)
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in History
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Humanities, with specializations in English, Literature, Philosophy, Writing or Interdisciplinary Studies
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Humanities and Biblical Studies (dual major)

The degree programs that do not have a dual major in Biblical Studies include the Minor in Biblical Studies.

The Department offers minors (p. 101) in:

- Communications
- English
- History
- Humanities

The courses offered by the Department of Humanities and General Studies are listed in the *Course Descriptions* section under the following curricular areas:

- Communication (COM, p. 115)
- Cross-Cultural Experience (CCE, p. 118)
- English (ENG, pp. 122)
- History (HIS, pp. 127)
- Humanities (HUM, p. 129)

- Philosophy (PHL, p. 145)
- Physical Education (PHE, pp. 146)
- Social Sciences (SOC, p. 150)
- Spanish (SPA, pp. 151)

For information regarding the Access degree program and online degree program in General Studies (A.A.), please refer to the *Point University Access Program Catalog* and the *Point University Online Program Catalog*, respectively.

B.A. in English with a dual major in Biblical Studies or the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Susan S. Ryan, Ed.D.

The purpose of the degree programs in English is to prepare students with an understanding of language and literature so that they engage their culture, professionally and intellectually, promoting the Christian worldview. It focuses on the study of English language and literature, writing and literary analysis. The degree program can include either the Minor in Biblical Studies or a dual major in Biblical Studies. The specific degree program requirements are listed

on pages 95-96.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in English are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Read and write with an advanced level of reflective, critical and original thinking.
- 2. Demonstrate knowledge of a broad range of literature.
- 3. Demonstrate an understanding of the grammatical, literary, and linguistic foundations of English.
- 4. Demonstrate an advanced development in writing and literary analysis.
- 5. Utilize a modern foreign language, biblical Greek, or a combination of biblical Greek and biblical Hebrew.
- 6. Pursue advanced studies in English or interdisciplinary programs within the humanities, independently or academically.

Graduates with degrees in English are prepared to engage in graduate study in a variety of disciplines, including seminary studies, and in an array of entry-level roles such as copy writer and editorial assistant.

B.A. in History with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Kimberly P. Macenczak, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree program in History is to create an important framework for understanding the present and influencing the future. Students begin with foundational courses in American and world history. A variety of in-depth upper-level courses are available for students in three major fields in historical studies: U.S. history, European history and world history. Research and writing are emphasized in the program, as well as hands-on experiences through internships and study abroad. The specific degree program requirements are listed on page 97.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in History are that the graduate will be able to

- 1. Demonstrate an advanced level of reflective, critical and original thinking.
- 2. Develop an appreciation for history and the craft of the historian.
- 3. Describe the important institutional and cultural developments in world history.
- 4. Demonstrate an understanding of a comprehensive Christian worldview.
- 5. Identify the events and people that have shaped history.
- 6. Utilize a modern foreign language, biblical Greek, or a combination of biblical Greek and biblical Hebrew.
- 7. Pursue advanced studies in individual or interdisciplinary programs within history.

For information on additional procedures and guidelines for this major, see the Registrar or an academic advisor in the department.

B.A. in Humanities with a dual major in Biblical Studies or the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: D. J. Dycus, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree programs in Humanities is to educate students in an understanding of culture in order to engage the world, both professionally and intellectually, as ambassadors of Christ. They are offered for those who wish to investigate the development of culture, values and worldviews through an interdisciplinary study of history, literature, philosophy, religion and arts. The degree program can include either: the Minor in Biblical Studies and a specialization in English, Literature, Philosophy, Writing or Interdisciplinary Studies; or a dual major in Biblical Studies. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 98-100.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Humanities are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate an advanced level of reflective, critical and original thinking.
- 2. Demonstrate an understanding of the different elements within culture, such as literature, philosophy, arts, religion and history.
- 3. Demonstrate an understanding of the major trends in the history of ideas in the Western tradition and their role in the making of the modern world.
- 4. Demonstrate an understanding of a comprehensive Christian worldview.
- 5. Demonstrate an understanding of the dynamics of influencing culture as ambassadors for Christ.
- 6. Utilize a modern foreign language, biblical Greek, or a combination of biblical Greek and biblical Hebrew.
- 7. Pursue advanced studies in individual or interdisciplinary programs within the humanities, independently or academically.

Graduates with degrees in Humanities are prepared to engage in graduate study in a variety of disciplines, including seminary studies, and in an array of entry-level roles such as copy writer, editorial assistant, historian and archivist.

The Core Curriculum

The University has established the Core Curriculum to address the development of general education competencies by students and to serve as a broad foundation on which to build degree programs. The Core Curriculum outlines a combination of 32 semester hours of general studies courses from a variety of disciplines. In addition, the Minor in Biblical Studies is required in each degree program that does not include a major in Biblical Studies. The design of the Core Curriculum and Minor in Biblical Studies is aligned with the *Mission and Goals of the University* for the student's intellectual, spiritual, social and physical growth (p. 7). Many of the principles, theories, issues, and skills addressed in each degree program's professional studies curriculum are based on what the student learns in core courses. The Core Curriculum can serve as a guide for course registration during the freshman year and into the sophomore year and may assist students in the selection of their majors. The requirements for the Core Curriculum and the Minor in Biblical Studies are listed on page 94.

Some degree programs have General Studies requirements that specify certain course

requirements in the Core Curriculum (see each degree program for the specific General Studies requirements for that program). The Minor in Biblical Studies includes the same 15 semester hours for all four-year degrees. The Associate of Arts degree in Business (pp. 55, 60), a two-year program, requires the 6 semester hours of courses of the Biblical Studies minor that are normally taken in the freshman and sophomore years rather than all 15 hours of that minor.

GENERAL EDUCATION COMPETENCIES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the Mission and Goals of the University (p. 7), the general education competencies, which are initially addressed by the Core Curriculum, are that the student will be able to:

- 1. Communicate effectively orally and in writing.
- 2. Demonstrate an integrated, Christian worldview.
- 3. Operate in the areas of humanities, social science and natural science.
- 4. Demonstrate skills in critical thinking, mathematics and computer literacy.
- 5. Participate in lifestyle and activities that contribute to health and physical wellness.
- 6. Demonstrate a basic understanding of the content of the Old and New Testaments (all degrees) and of biblical theology and the basic principles of biblical interpretation (baccalaureate degrees).

FRESHMAN ENGLISH AND MATHEMATICS POLICIES:

- Freshman English Policy: A full-time student is required to enroll in the appropriate English course every semester until the student has completed ENG 101 and ENG 102 with a grade of "C" or higher.
- Freshman Mathematics Policy: All full-time students are required to enroll in an appropriate math course within the first two semesters of enrollment at Point (and each semester thereafter if necessary to pass the course).

The Core Curriculum

The Minor in Biblical Studies

Essential 3 ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Skills – 10 hours Critical Reading & Writing I	BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	The Drama of Scripture
Select 2 co	s and Fine Arts – 6 hours ourses from 2 different areas: HUM, MUS, and PHL 6		
Math and a MTH NSC NSC L	Science – 7 hours Math course		
Social Scients HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	ences – 9 hours History course	* The Bibli	ical Studies elective may be selected

^{*} The Biblical Studies elective may be selected from the BBS, MIN, NTS, OTS, PRM, THE and YTH courses for which the student has satisfied the prerequisite(s).

B.A. in English

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours	Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105 ENG 202	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1 American Literature to 1860 3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101 HIS MTH	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
	urse from: HUM, MUS, and PHL 3	PSY 103	Introduction to Psychology <u>3</u>
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	Spring Ser ENG 102 NSC	HUM, MUS or PHL course 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Natural Science course and Lab 4
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	PHE 105 SOC	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1 SOC course (103, 203, or 215) <u>3</u> 14 SECOND YEAR
	•	Fall Semes	ster
ENG 203 ENG 204 ENG 205	NG COURSES – 9 hours American Literature since 1860 3 British Literature to 1800 3 British Literature since 1800 3	BBS 202 COM 205 ENG 202	Foreign Language I
FOREIGN I	ANGUAGE – 14 hours	Spring Ser	nester
Select one GRK SPA GRK/HEB	Sequence. GRK 301, 302, 401, 402 SPA 101, 102, 201, 202 GRK 301 and 302, HEB 411 and 412	ENG 203 ENG 240 ENG	Foreign Language II 4 American Literature since 1860 3 Linguistic Theory 3 Literature elective 3 General elective
BIBLICAL	STUDIES MINOR - 15 hours		THIRD YEAR
BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	The Drama of Scripture	ENG 204 ENG 375 ENG	Foreign Language III 3 British Literature to 1800 3 Literary Theory 3 Writing course 3 General elective 2
			4 Teneral elective
	DURSEWORK – 39 hours	Spring Ser	nester
MAJOR CO ENG 240 ENG 375 ENG	Linguistic Theory	Spring Ser BBS 302 ENG 205 ENG ENG	mester Foreign Language IV
ENG 240 ENG 375	Linguistic Theory	BBS 302 ENG 205 ENG	14
ENG 240 ENG 375 ENG ENG	Linguistic Theory	BBS 302 ENG 205 ENG ENG Fall Semes ENG ENG ENG	14
ENG 240 ENG 375 ENG	Linguistic Theory	BBS 302 ENG 205 ENG ENG Fall Semes	14
ENG 240 ENG 375 ENG ENG ENG	Linguistic Theory	BBS 302 ENG 205 ENG ENG Fall Semes ENG ENG ENG	14

B.A. in English and Biblical Studies (Dual Major)

GENERAL STUDIES – 32 hours		Suggested Sequence of Courses	
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	Fall Seme BBS 102 ENG 101 HIS	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
ENG 202 Select 1 co	American Literature to 1860 3 ourse from: HUM, MUS, and PHL 3	MTH PSY 103	Math course
MTH NSC NSC L HIS	Math course	Spring Se ENG 102 NCS OTS 210 PHE 105	mester Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Natural Science course and Lab 4 The Story of Israel
PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	Introduction to Psychology 3 SOC course (103, 203, or 215) 3 Significant Cross-Cultural Exp 0	SOC	SÓC course (103, 203, or 215) <u>3</u> 14 SECOND YEAR
0110000	"NO 0011D050 401	Fall Seme	
ENG 203 ENG 204 ENG 205 HIS	ING COURSES – 12 hours American Literature since 1860 3 British Literature to 1800	BBS 201 COM 205 ENG 202 NTS 201	Foreign Language I 4 Biblical Interpretation 3 Public Speaking 3 American Literature to 1860 3 The Story of Jesus 3 16
		Spring Se	mester
Select one GRK GRK/HEB	GRK 301 and 302, HEB 411 and 412	ENG 240 ENG 203 NTS 203	Foreign Language II 4 HUM, MUS or PHL course 3 Linguistic Theory
BIBLICAL	STUDIES MAJOR – 33 hours	Fall Sama	THIRD YEAR
BBS 102 NTS 201 NTS 203 NTS 308 NTS OTS 210 OTS BBS 201	The Drama of Scripture	Fall Seme ENG 204 ENG 375 NTS 308 THE 301 Spring Se	Foreign Language III 3 British Literature to 1800 3 Literary Theory 3 Epistles of Paul 3 Theological Fnd for the Chr Life 3 mester
THE 301 THE THE 405	Theological Fnd for the Chr Life 3 Theology course	ENG 205 ENG ENG NTS	Foreign Language IV
	MAJOR – 30 hours		
ENG 240 ENG 375 ENG ENG ENG ENG 495	Linguistic Theory	Fall Seme ENG ENG ENG HIS THE	FOURTH YEAR ster Writing course 3 Literature course 3 English course (300/400 level) 3 Church History course 3 Theology course 3 15
то	TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 121	Spring Se THE 405 ENG 495 ENG ENG OTS	

B.A. in History

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours	Sug	gested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking	Fall Semes BBS 102	The Drama of Scripture 3
	Physical Fitness & Wellness 1 urses from 2 different areas: IUM, MUS, and PHL 6	ENG 101 HIS 102 MTH SOC	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Western Civilization
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	Spring Ser ENG 102 HIS 203 HUM 101	Critical Reading & Writing II 3 United States History
HIS 102 PSY 103 SOC 103	Western Civilization	NSC PSY 103	Natural Science course and Lab 4 Introduction to Psychology 3 16
CCE 301	Significant Cross-Cultural Exp 0	Fall Semes	SECOND YEAR
SUPPORTI	NG COURSES – 12 hours	r un comoc	Foreign Language I 4
HIS 203 HUM 101 SOC 203 SOC 215	United States History	BBS 202 COM 205	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Public Speaking
FORFIONI	ANOUACE 44 hours	Spring Ser	
Select one GRK SPA	<u>_ANGUAGE – 14 hours</u> sequence: GRK 301, 302, 401, 402 SPA 101, 102, 201, 202 GRK 301 and 302, HEB 411 and 412	PHE 105 SOC 203 SOC 215	Foreign Language II
	27112150 MINOS 451	-	THIRD YEAR
BBS 102	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture	Fall Semes	s ter Foreign Language III 3
BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Scripture: How We Use It 3 Biblical Studies elective 3 Christ and Culture 3	BBS 302 HIS 334 HIS	Scripture: How We Use It 3 The Twentieth Century World 3 Non-European History course
		Spring Ser	nester
MAJOR CO	DURSEWORK – 36 hours The Twentieth Century World 3		Foreign Language IV
HIS	U.S. History courses 6 Select from: HIS 204, 215, 332, 490	HIS HIS	U.S. History course
HIS	European History courses 6 Select from: HIS 202, 490,		FOURTH YEAR
	HUM 311, 315, 321, 325,	Fall Semes	ster
HIS	MUS 301, or PHL 225 Non-European History courses 6 Select from: HIS 201, 320, 408, 490 or ICM 330	HIS 495 HIS 497	Non-European History course 3 History or related elective
	History and related electives 6		15
HIS 495 HIS 497	Senior Thesis: History	Spring Ser THE 405 HIS	Christ and Culture
<u>GENERAL</u>	ELECTIVES – 11 hours	HIS	U.S. History course
тот	AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		10

B.A. in Humanities

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours	Specializa	tions:	
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	English ENG ENG ENG ENG	World, Amer, or British Lit course . 3 World, Amer, or British Lit course . 3 Writing course	3 3
ENG HUM 101	Literature course	<i>Literature</i> ENG	World, Amer, or British Lit course 3	
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	ENG ENG ENG 375	World, Amer, or British Lit course . 3 Literature course (300 or 400 level) 3 Literary Theory	3 3
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	Philosoph PHL 201 PHL PHL PHL	y Introduction to Philosophy	3 3
MUS 102 PHL 201	Music Appreciation (or MUS 301) . 3 Introduction to Philosophy 3	<i>Writing</i> ENG ENG ENG	Writing course	3
	_ANGUAGE - 14 hours	ENG	Advanced Writing course	
SPA	sequence: GRK 301, 302, 401, 402 SPA 101, 102, 201, 202 GRK 301 and 302, HEB 411 and 412	Interdiscip Select 4 co	olinary urses from: ENG, HIS, MUS, PHL and THE 12	2
	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours			
BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302	The Drama of Scripture 3 Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Scripture: How We Use It 3 Biblical Studies elective 3	Suggested	Sequence of Courses, next page	
THE 405	Christ and Culture			
	OURSEWORK – 45 hours			
HUM 311 HUM 315 HUM 321 HUM 325 ENG 425 PHL 216 PHL 425 THE 302 HUM 495	Humanities: Greek & Roman 3 Humanities: Medieval/Renaissance 3 Humanities: Baroque thr Romantic 3 Humanities: Modern World 3 Seminar in Literature 3 Philosophy of Religion 3 Major Worldviews 3 Apologetics 3 Humanities and related electives . 6 Senior Thesis: Humanities 3			
Specializati	on (select one)			

GENERAL ELECTIVES – 8 hours

TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120

B.A. in Humanities with the Minor in Biblical Studies (continued)

Suggested Sequence of Courses

FIRST YEAR

	FIRST YEAR
Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101 HUM 101 MTH PSY 103	Ster The Drama of Scripture 3 Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Introduction to Humanities 3 Math course 3 Introduction to Psychology 3 15
Spring Ser ENG 102 HIS NSC PHE 105 SOC	mester
Fall Cama	SECOND YEAR
BBS 202 COM 205 HUM 311	Foreign Language I
Spring Ser	mester
ENG HUM 315 MUS PHL 201	Foreign Language II
Fall Cama	THIRD YEAR
BBS 302 HUM 321	Foreign Language III
Spring Ser	mester
HUM 325 PHL 216	Foreign Language IV
F-11 O	FOURTH YEAR
Fall Semes	ster Humanities or related elective 3
ENG 425 HUM 495	Humanities or related elective
Spring Ser	mastar
PHL 425 THE 302	Christ and Culture

B.A. in Humanities and Biblical Studies (Dual Major)

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours	Su	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Public Speaking 3 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
ENG HUM 101	Literature course	HUM 101 MTH PHE 105 PSY 103	Introduction to Humanities 3 Math course
MTH NSC NSC L	Math course	Spring Ser ENG 102 HIS	16 mester Critical Reading & Writing II 3
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	NCS OTS 210 SOC	History course
CLIDDODT	NG COURSES – 6 hours	Fall Semes	SECOND YEAR
MUS 102 HIS	Music Appreciation (or MUS 301) . 3 Church History course 3	BBS 201 COM 205 HUM 311	Foreign Language I
Select one	<u> ANGUAGE – 14 hours</u> seguence:	NTS 201	The Story of Jesus
GRK	GRK 301, 302, 401, 402 GRK 301 and 302, HEB 411 and 412	Spring Ser ENG HUM 315	mester Foreign Language II 4 Literature course
BIBLICAL	STUDIES MAJOR – 33 hours	MUS	Music course (102 or 301) 3
BBS 102 NTS 201 NTS 203	The Drama of Scripture 3 The Story of Jesus 3 The Acts of the Apostles 3	NTS 203	The Acts of the Apostles 3 THIRD YEAR
NTS 308	Epistles of Paul 3	Fall Seme	ster
NTS OTS 210 OTS BBS 201 THE 301	New Testament course	HIS HUM 321 NTS 308 THE 301	Foreign Language III
THE THE 405	Theology course	Spring Se	mester
HUMANITI	ES MAJOR – 36 hours Humanities: Greek & Roman 3 Humanities: Medieval/Renaissance 3 Humanities: Baroque thr Romantic 3	HIS HUM 325 OTS PHL 216	Foreign Language IV
HUM 325	Humanities: Modern World 3		FOURTH YEAR
ENG 425 HIS	Seminar in Literature	Fall Seme	
PHL 216 PHL 425 THE 302	History course (300/400 level) 3 Philosophy of Religion 3 Major Worldviews 3 Apologetics 3 Humanities and related electives . 6	ENG 425 NTS THE HUM 495	Humanities or related elective 3 Seminar in Literature 3 New Testament course 3 Theology course 3 Senior Thesis: Humanities
HUM 495	Senior Thesis: Humanities 3	Spring Se THE 405	
T01	AL REQUIRED HOURS = 121	PHL 425 THE 302	Humanities or related elective

Minors offered by the Department of Humanities and General Studies

Communications – 17 Hours		History -	History – 18 Hours	
(for non-Er	nglish majors)	111111111111111111111111111111111111111	Later Lagranta III and Stan	
COM 361 COM 305 COM 365 PSY 425 COM 461 COM	Intro to Mass Communication 3 Media Effects on Children and Adol 3 Writing for Publication 3 Interpersonal Effectiveness 2 Public Relations 3 COM elective or ENG 415 3	HUM 101 HIS SOC 203 SOC 215 HIS 334 HIS	Introduction to Humanities 3 HIS 102 or HIS 203 3 Cultural Anthropology 3 Geography	
English -	– 18 Hours	Humanit	t ies – 21 Hours	
ENG ENG ENG 207 ENG ENG ENG	Amer Lit course (202 or 203) 3 British Lit course (204 or 205) 3 World Literature 3 Writing course 3 Writing course 3 ENG 240, 373 or 375 3	HUM 101 HUM 311 HUM 315 HUM 321 HUM 325 THE 405 Select 1 co	Introduction to Humanities 3 Humanities: Greek & Roman 3 Humanities: Medieval/Renaissance 3 Humanities: Baroque thr Romantic 3 Humanities: Modern World 3 Christ and Culture 3 Durse from: HUM 425, ENG 381 or 425, or PHL 425	

A minor may be added to any B.A. or B.S. degree that does not include that specific area of study as its major, except as noted.

See the section on $\it Minors$ (p. 42) for a complete explanation of adding a minor to a degree program.

DEPARTMENT OF MATH AND SCIENCE

CHAIR: DEDRA R. WOOLFOLK, Ph.D.

The degree programs offered by the Department of Math and Science are:

- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Biology
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Biology with the Pre-Professional Option
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Exercise Science
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Exercise Science with the Pre-Professional Option

The degree programs also include the Minor in Biblical Studies.

The Department offers minors (p. 109) in:

- Biology
- Mathematics

The courses offered by the Department of Math and Science are listed in the *Course Descriptions* section under the following curricular areas:

- Exercise Science (ESC, p. 125)
- Mathematics (MTH, p. 131)
- Natural Science (NSC, pp. 139)

B.S. in Biology with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Dedra R. Woolfolk, Ph.D.

The purpose of the degree programs in Biology is to provide a comprehensive foundation of the concepts and methodologies of biology (and related sciences) within a Christian worldview, preparing graduates to pursue careers in biology-related vocations and/or graduate degrees in science-related disciplines, medicine, and other health sciences. They introduce majors to the concepts and role of biology as an integrative science, helping them to discover and interpret the characteristics of nature as part of God's creation. Students who take courses in the Biology curriculum are expected to understand the concepts and processes of biology as a scientific discipline. Students are provided a depth of classroom instruction and laboratory and field work in a breadth of science courses. The Pre-Professional Option is encouraged for students who intend to pursue admission to a graduate professional program. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 105-106.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the student learning outcomes for the major in Biology are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate a knowledge base within the study of biology.
- 2. Understand the process by which biological data is gathered, analyzed and interpreted.

- 3. Develop a foundation for understanding humans in relation to the living environment.
- 4. Demonstrate personal integrity and an awareness of the ethical issues in the life sciences.
- 5. Develop an internally consistent philosophy of life that integrates science and Scripture.
- 6. Outline a basic foundation for employment in biology-related vocations.

B.S. in Exercise Science with the Minor in Biblical Studies

Program Coordinator: Allison M. Kemper, D.P.T.

The purpose of the degree programs in Exercise Science is to provide a foundational, scientifically-based preparation for entry-level careers in healthcare or related fitness industries, successful completion of national certifications, and/or the pursuit of advanced or professional degrees in related fields of study. They provide a broad-based approach to the science of exercise and fitness, including strategies used to design and implement comprehensive health programs for the public and private sectors. The Pre-Professional Option is encouraged for students who intend to pursue admission to a graduate professional program. The specific degree program requirements are listed on pages 107-108.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: Building on the expected outcomes stated in the *Mission and Goals of the University* (p. 7), the objectives of the major in Exercise Science are that the graduate will be able to:

- 1. Read and write with an advanced level of reflective, critical and original thinking.
- 2. Demonstrate a knowledge base within the study of exercise science.
- 3. Identify critical elements of the bones and muscles involved in human movement and combine the concepts related to anatomy and physiology with biomechanics.
- 4. Describe physiological concepts related to exercise testing (e.g., maximal aerobic testing, anaerobic testing, and body composition analysis).
- 5. Demonstrate the ability to develop safe and effective exercise programs for normal and special populations.
- 6. Demonstrate a basic understanding of sound nutritional concept sand safe weight management techniques.
- Understand and debate current exercise physiology principles based on historical and technological changes.

Pre-Professional Option

Pre-medical, pre-dental, pre-veterinary and pre-physical therapy are not offered as majors by Point University (or most higher education institutions). Students interested in pursuing careers as physicians, dentists, veterinarians or physical therapists may choose any number of majors. However, it is critical that a student choose appropriate science courses in order to meet the course prerequisites for admission to medical, dental, veterinary or physical therapy schools and to achieve higher scores on standardized admission tests for those professional graduate programs.

The pre-professional options offered in the degree programs in Biology (p. 106) and Exercise Science (p. 108) take these considerations into account. While a student could major in any subject and gain admission to a graduate professional program, the pre-professional options in Biology and Exercise Science have been planned to assist a student in preparing for that graduate study. Admission to most professional programs of study after the completion of a

bachelor's degree is a highly competitive process. In addition to the selected program and courses at Point, the successful applicant would need to be competitive in overall GPA, science GPA, MCAT/DAT score, number of hours worked in a medical setting and types of experiences, strength of recommendation letters, and interview quality. See an academic advisor for assistance if interested in that process.

B.S. in Biology

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	gested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Fall Semes	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
PHE 105	Physical Fitness & Wellness		ENG 101 NSC 103	Critical Reading & Writing I 3 Biology I and NSC 103L 4
	urses from 2 different areas: HUM, MUS, and PHL	6	NSC 228 PHE 105	Gen Chemistry I and NSC 128L 4 Physical Fitness & Wellness <u>1</u> 15
MTH 110 NSC 103 NSC 103L	College Algebra	4	Spring Ser ENG 102 MTH 110 NSC 104	Critical Reading & Writing II 3 College Algebra 3 Biology II and NSC 104L 4
HIS PSY 103 SOC	History course	3	NSC 229 PSY 103	Gen Chemistry II and NSC 229L . 4 Introduction to Psychology <u>3</u> 17
CCE 301	Significant Cross-Cultural Exp		Fall Camer	SECOND YEAR
SUPPORT	ING COURSES - 8 hours		Fall Semes	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course .3
NSC 104 NSC 106	Biology II and NSC 104 Lab Environ Science and NSC 106L		BBS 202 COM 205 NSC 215 SOC	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Public Speaking 3 Hum Anat & Phys I and NSC 215L 4 SOC course (103, 203, or 215)
BBS 102	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture	3	Spring Ser	
BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective	3 3 3	NSC 106 NSC 216 PHE 201	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Environ Science and NSC 106L 4 Hum Anat & Phys II and NSC 216L 4 First Aid and CPR
				15
	DURSEWORK – 44 hours	4	Fall Camer	THIRD YEAR
NSC 215 NSC 216 NSC 228 NSC 229 NSC 302 NSC 303	Hum Anat & Phys I and NSC 215L Hum Anat & Phys II and NSC 216L Gen Chemistry I and NSC 228L Gen Chemistry II and NSC 229L . Statistics	4 4 4 3	BBS 302 HIS NSC 302	Scripture: How We Use It 3 History course 3 Statistics 3 General electives 6 15
NSC 307		4	Spring Ser	nester
NSC 310 NSC 401 NSC 421 PHE 201	Cell Biology	3 4 1	NSC 303 NSC 307	Biblical Studies elective
	Colonico una rolatoa cicotivos	J		FOURTH YEAR
	ELECTIVES – 21 hours TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		NSC 310 NSC 401 NSC 421	Cell Biology 3 Professional Ethics 3 Genetics and NSC 421L 4 Science or related elective 4 14
			Spring Ser THE 405	

B.S. in Biology (Pre-Professional Option)

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	ggested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101	The Drama of Scripture
	urses from 2 different areas: HUM, MUS, and PHL	6	NSC 103 NSC 228 PHE 105	Biology I and NSC 103L
MTH 211 NSC 103 NSC 103L HIS PSY 103	History course	4 1 3 3	Spring Ser ENG 102 MTH 211 NSC 104 NSC 229 PSY 103	mester Critical Reading & Writing II
SOC CCE 301	SOC course (103, 203, or 215) Significant Cross-Cultural Exp	0	Eall Camar	SECOND YEAR
			Fall Semes	
NSC 104	Biology II and NSC 104 Lab	4	BBS 202 COM 205 HIS	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course
	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours	•	NSC 215	Hum Anat & Phys I and NSC 215L 4
BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302	The Drama of Scripture Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective	3 3	Spring Ser	mester ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Medical Terminology 1
THE 405	Christ and Culture		NSC 216 PHE 201 SOC	Hum Anat & Phys II and NSC 216L 4 First Aid and CPR
MAJOR CO	OURSEWORK – 53 hours			General elective 3
NSC 215 NSC 216 NSC 228 NSC 229 NSC 302 NSC 303	Hum Anat & Phys I and NSC 215L Hum Anat & Phys II and NSC 216L Gen Chemistry I and NSC 228L Gen Chemistry II and NSC 229L . Statistics	4 4 4 3 2	Fall Semes BBS 302: NSC 320 NSC 330	Scripture: How We Use It 4 Physics I and NSC 320L 4 Org Chemistry I and NSC 330L 4
NSC 307 NSC 401	Microbiology and NSC 307L Professional Ethics	3		General elective 3
NSC 421	Genetics and NSC 421 Lab		Spring Ser	
PHE 201	First Aid and CPR	1 1 4 4	NSC 307 NSC 320 NSC 331	Biblical Studies elective
NSC 330	Org Chemistry I and NSC 331L			FOURTH YEAR
NSC 440	Biochemistry		Fall Semes	
	Entrance Exam Prep Review ELECTIVES – 16 hours	0	NSC 302 NSC 401 NSC 421	Statistics 3 Professional Ethics 3 Genetics and NSC 421L 4 General electives 4 14 4
топ	TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		Spring Sei THE 405 NSC 303 NSC 440	

B.S. in Exercise Science

GENERAL	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	gested Sequence of Courses	
ENG 101	Critical Reading & Writing I	3		FIRST YEAR	
ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing II Public Speaking	3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101 NSC 103	The Drama of Scripture	3
	urses from 2 different areas: IUM, MUS, and PHL	6	PHE 105 PHE 201 PSY 103	Physical Fitness & Wellness First Aid and CPR	1 1
MTH 110 NSC 103 NSC 103L	College Algebra	4	Spring Ser ENG 102	Critical Reading & Writing II	3
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	3	MTH 110 NSC 104 PHE 115 PHE 130 SOC	College Algebra Biology II and NSC 104L Cardiovascular Conditioning Weight Training SOC course (103, 203, or 215)	4 1 1
	NG COURSES – 8 hours	4	E-II 0	SECOND YEAR	J
NSC 104 PHE 115	Biology II and NSC 104 Lab Cardiovascular Conditioning	4	Fall Semes	ster ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course .	3
PHE 130 PHE 201 PHE 220	Weight Training	1 1	COM 205 ESC 230 NSC 215	Public Speaking	3 4 3
BIBLICAL	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours	_	Spring Ser	nester	_
BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	The Drama of Scripture Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Scripture: How We Use It Biblical Studies elective Christ and Culture	3 3 3	BBS 202 ESC 240 HIS NSC 210 NSC 216 PHE 220	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture Human Nutrition History course Medical Terminology Hum Anat & Phys II and NSC 216L Exercise and Weight Control	3 1 4
	OURSEWORK – 44 hours			THIRD YEAR	J
NSC 210 NSC 215	Medical Terminology	1	Fall Semes		2
NSC 215 NSC 216 NSC 302 NSC 303 NSC 401 ESC 230	Hum Anat & Phys I and NSC 215L Hum Anat & Phys II and NSC 216L Statistics	4 3 2 3	BBS 302 ESC 340 NSC 302	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . Scripture: How We Use It Kinesiology and Biomechanics Statistics	3 3 3
ESC 240	Human Nutrition	3	Spring Ser	nester	
ESC 340 ESC 350 ESC 430 ESC 420 SPM 427	Kinesiology and Biomechanics Exercise Physiology Exercise Physiology for Spec Pop Exercise Testing and Prescription Adm of Fitness & Wellness Prog	3 3 3	ESC 350 NCS 303	Biblical Studies elective Exercise Physiology Research Methods General elective	3 2 6
3F W 427	NSC, ESC and related electives			FOURTH YEAR	4
			Fall Semes ESC 430		2
	ELECTIVES – 21 hours AL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		NSC 401	Exercise Physiology for Spec Pop Professional Ethics	3 6
101	AL ILEGUILLE HOUNG = 120		Spring Ser	nester	
			THE 405 ESC 420 SPM 427	Christ and Culture	3 3 3 3

B.S. in Exercise Science (Pre-Professional Option)

<u>GENERAL</u>	STUDIES – 32 hours		Sug	gested Sequence of Courses
ENG 101 ENG 102 COM 205 PHE 105	Critical Reading & Writing I	3 3	Fall Semes BBS 102 ENG 101	FIRST YEAR ster The Drama of Scripture
Select 2 co	urses from 2 different areas: HUM, MUS, and PHL		NSC 103 NSC 228 PSY 103	Biology I and NSC 103L
MTH 211 NSC 103 NSC 103L	Calculus 3 Biology I 4 Biology I Lab 5	4	Spring Ser ENG 102 MTH 211 NSC 104	mester Critical Reading & Writing II 3 Calculus
HIS PSY 103 SOC CCE 301	History course	3 3	NSC 229 PHE 105 PHE 115	Gen Chemistry II and NSC 229L 4 Physical Fitness & Wellness 1 Cardiovascular Conditioning 1 16
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	ING COURSES – 8 hours	_	Fall Semes	ster
NSC 104 PHE 115 PHE 130 PHE 201 PHE 220	Biology II and NSC 104 Lab	1 1 1	COM 205 ESC 230 NSC 215 SOC	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course . 3 Public Speaking 3 Foundations of Health & Wellness 3 Hum Anat & Phys I and NSC 215L 4 SOC course (103, 203, or 215)
			Spring Sei	mester
BIBLICAL BBS 102 BBS 202 BBS 302 THE 405	STUDIES MINOR – 15 hours The Drama of Scripture	3 3 3	BBS 202 ESC 240 HIS NSC 216 NSC 210 PHE 130 PHE 220	Jesus: The Focus of Scripture 3 Human Nutrition 3 History course
MAJOR CO	OURSEWORK - 51 hours			THIRD YEAR
NSC 210	Medical Terminology	-	Fall Semes	ster
NSC 215 NSC 216 NSC 302 NSC 303 NSC 401 ESC 230	Hum Anat & Phys I and NSC 215L 4 Hum Anat & Phys II and NSC 216L 4 Statistics	4	BBS 302 ESC 340 NSC 320 PHE 201	ENG, HUM, MUS or PHL course 3 Scripture: How We Use It 3 Kinesiology and Biomechanics 3 Physics I and NSC 320L 4 First Aid and CPR
ESC 240		3	Spring Sei	
ESC 340 ESC 350 ESC 430 ESC 420	Kinesiology and Biomechanics 3 Exercise Physiology	3 3 3	ESC 350 NSC 321	Biblical Studies elective 3
NSC 228	Gen Chemistry I and NSC 228L 4	4		FOURTH YEAR
NSC 229 NSC 320 NSC 321	Gen Chemistry II and NSC 229L . 4 Physics I and NSC 320L 4 Physics II and NSC 321L	4 4	Fall Semes ESC 430 NSC 302 NSC 401	Exercise Physiology for Spec Pop 3 Statistics
	TAL REQUIRED HOURS = 120		Spring Sei THE 405 ESC 420 NCS 303	

Minors offered by the Department of Math and Science

Biology – 18 Hours (for non-science majors)			Mathematics – 18 Hours	
	NSC 103 NSC 103L NSC 215 NSC 215L NSC 216 NSC 216L NSC 401	Biology I	1 3 1 3 1 3	MTH 107 Geometry 3 MTH 211 Calculus 1 3 MTH 212 Calculus 2 3 MTH 202 Statistics 3 Select 2 courses from: MTH 213, 301, 302 6

A minor may be added to any B.A. or B.S. degree that does not include that specific area of study as its major, except as noted.

See the section on $\it Minors$ (p. 42) for a complete explanation of adding a minor to a degree program.

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

The courses taught by all the academic departments of the University are listed. Each course description includes a course number, name, the number of semester hours, and a short explanation of course content. The course number identifies the area of the curriculum by a three-letter prefix and a general sequence by three numbers. In general, 100-level courses are taken by freshmen, 200-level courses by sophomores, and 300- and 400-level courses by juniors and seniors. The number of semester credit hours granted for each course is specified in parentheses after the course name. The semester during which a course is usually offered is indicated for some courses as fall, spring, summer or alternate year and is subject to change.

Courses and their descriptions may change, be added, or be deleted without notice through normal academic processes. The University reserves the right to withdraw any scheduled course for which there is insufficient registration. Not all courses described in the following pages are offered each year.

CURRICULAR AREAS AND PREFIXES:

Biblical Studies (BBS)111	Middle Grades Instruction (MGI) . 132
Business (BUS)	Ministry (MIN)
Communication (COM) 115	Music, Applied (MAP) 135
Counseling and Human Services (CHS) 116	Music, Ensembles (MEN) 136
Criminal Justice (CJU) 117	Music, Lecture (MUS) 137
Cross-Cultural Experience (CCE) 118	Natural Science (NSC) 139
Early Childhood Instruction (ECI) 119	New Testament Studies (NTS) 143
Education (EDU)	Old Testament Studies (OTS) 144
English (ENG)	Philosophy (PHL) 145
English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESL) . 125	Physical Education (PHE) 146
Exercise Science (ESC)	Preaching Ministry (PRM) 147
Fine Arts (FIN)	Psychology (PSY) 148
Graduation (GRD)	Social Sciences (SOC) 150
Greek (GRK)	Social Work (SWK) 151
Hebrew (HEB)	Spanish (SPA) 151
History (HIS)	Sports Management (SPM) 152
Humanities (HUM)	Theology (THE) 152
Intercultural Missions (ICM) 130	Youth Ministry (YTH) 153
Mathematics (MTH)	-

TERMINOLOGY:

- Prerequisite A student must have completed the prerequisite course(s) or have attained a
 designated status before enrolling in the course; abbreviated as "Pre."
- *Co-requisite* A student must be enrolled in the listed co-requisite course at the same time (concurrent enrollment) in order to enroll in the course; abbreviated as "Co-req."
- *Prerequisite or co-requisite* A student must have previously completed or be concurrently enrolled in the pre- or co-requisite course(s) to enroll in the course.
- Junior or Senior Standing A student must have completed 60 or more hours for junior

standing and 92 or more hours for senior standing to enroll in the course.

- *Permission* A student must have an approval from an instructor, academic advisor or other designated academic official to enroll in the course.
- *Audition* A student must participate in an audition conducted by the professor to determine enrollment in the course.
- Admission to ... A student must have been admitted to the specified program to enroll in the course.
- Graded Pass/Fail See page 26 for an explanation of pass/fail grading.

BIBLICAL STUDIES (BBS)

BBS 102 The Drama of Scripture (3)

This course will serve as an introduction to the Bible. It will focus on the major stories of Scripture, e.g., creation, fall, Israel, Jesus and the early church. A student successfully completing this course should be able to understand and share the "major plot line" of biblical revelation. (Fall and Spring)

BBS 201 Biblical Interpretation (3)

This course will review basic principles of how language works, the historical stages during which Scripture was written, and practical approaches of getting from text to teaching in a way that respects the nature of the Bible. It will prepare students to faithfully interpret the Bible for ethics, spirituality, public discourse and congregational development. Pre: BBS 102. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

BBS 202 Jesus: The Focus of Scripture (3)

This course will focus on what Scripture says about the identity of Jesus of Nazareth as well as the implications of understanding who He is. Credit will not be given for BBS 202 if NTS 201 has been completed. Pre: BBS 102. (Fall and Spring)

BBS 302 Scripture: How We Use It (3)

The course is to help students become more competent in using Scripture in a way that would enhance their ability to engage the life of the local church, be spiritual leaders in their families, and engage their work place as a person of faith. Credit will not be given for BBS 302 if BBS 201 or THE 301 has been completed. Pre: BBS 102. (Fall, Spring and Summer)

BBS 350 Women in the Bible (3)

A study of the place of women in biblical and inter-testamental literature and in the sociocultural context of antiquity. Special attention to the ongoing influence of biblical texts on the lives of women in the church and world. Pre: Pre: BBS 201.

BBS 425 Readings in the Hebrew Bible and the Septuagint (3)

Comparative readings in the Hebrew Bible and Septuagint with emphasis on textual variants, translation techniques and history of interpretation. Pre: GRK 402 and HEB 412. (alternate year)

BUSINESS (BUS)

BUS 202 Business Statistics (3)

A course designed to teach research methodologies, statistical analyses and the appropriate usage of statistical methods, with primary emphasis on the ability to use statistical methods to measure and improve business performance. Pre: BUS 209 and MTH 110 or 191 or 211. (Fall)

BUS 209 Computer Information Systems (3)

This course is designed to acquaint a student with the organizational use of computers so that he/she may function better as a managerial or professional user of computer resources and/or as a participant in the systems-building process. (Spring)

BUS 211 Financial Accounting (3)

An introductory study of accounting with emphasis on accounting cycle, accounting terminology, collection of accounting data, the recording of data into the accounting system, and the preparation and interpretation of basic financial statements. Pre: MTH course. (Fall)

BUS 212 Managerial Accounting (3)

Building on BUS 211, an introductory study of accounting concepts which furnish management with the necessary "tools" to plan and control activities. Pre: BUS 211. (Spring)

BUS 225 Principles of Management (3)

A study of management functions and processes as applicable to a variety of organizations, including dominant schools of thought, fundamentals of employee management, leadership and motivation, and organizational development and change. (Spring)

BUS 238 Business Communication (3)

A study of the communication processes within organizations with an emphasis on skills in oral and written communication. Pre: ENG 102 and COM 205. (Fall and Spring)

BUS 247 Principles of Marketing (3)

A survey of marketing theory and practice, including customer segmentation and targeting, product development, pricing, distribution, advertising and marketing strategy. (Fall)

BUS 310 Organizational Behavior (3)

The scientific study of behavioral processes that occur in work settings. Pre: BUS 225 (Spring)

BUS 311 Intermediate Accounting I (3)

A study of accounting theory and the application of underlying accounting concepts of financial accounting. The income statement, statement of changes in financial position and portions of the balance sheet will be studied in depth. Pre: BUS 212. (Fall)

BUS 312 Intermediate Accounting II (3)

Students will learn how to account for the economic resources and liabilities of an enterprise. Preparation, utilization and analysis of cash flow and fund statements are also discussed. Pre: BUS 311. (Spring)

BUS 320 Principles of Microeconomics (3)

Introduction to consumer behavior and demand, organization of production, market structures, factor markets and the world economy in relation to microeconomics. Pre: MTH 110 or 191 or 211. (Spring)

BUS 321 Principles of Macroeconomics (3)

Introduction to national income analysis, money and banking, monetary and fiscal policies, inflation, unemployment and the world economy in relation to macroeconomics. Pre: MTH 110 or 191 or 211. (Fall)

BUS 325 Survey of Music Business (3)

An overview of the music industry including songwriting, live performance, the record industry, music merchandising, contracts and licenses, and career opportunities. Same as MUS 325. (Spring)

BUS 327 Project Management (3)

This course introduces project management for the standpoint of a manager who must organize, plan, implement, and control tasks to achieve an organizations schedule, budget, and performance objectives. Pre: BUS 225. (Fall)

BUS 329 Managerial Economics (3)

The course applies economic analysis to business decision-making. Economic theory and quantitative methods are applied to managerial decisions involving prices, production, and the maximization of stakeholder and shareholder value. Additionally the course will address some of the ethical considerations of managerial decision making. Pre: BUS 321 (Fall)

BUS 336 Principles of Finance (3)

A survey of financial management and decision making, with an emphasis on financial analysis, budgeting and capital management. Pre: BUS 202, BUS 209 and BUS 212. (Spring)

BUS 349 Marketing Metrics (3)

A study of the contribution of marketing to overall firm strategy and performance. Statistical and analytical techniques for evaluating marketing effectiveness are introduced and applied. Pre: BUS 202, BUS 209 and BUS 247. (Spring)

BUS 358 Production and Operations Management (3)

A study of the issues, processes, and decision making of management for the production of goods and services and the operations activities within an organization. Pre: BUS 225. (Fall)

BUS 364 Income Tax Accounting (3)

A study of the principles of federal income taxation with an emphasis on the taxation of individuals, including tax rules, dangers that arise in particular tax situations and guidelines for keeping taxes at a legal minimum. Pre: BUS 212. (Fall)

BUS 370 Marketing Communication (3)

A study of the various means used by marketers to effectively communicate with customers, including traditional means such as advertising and personal selling as well as newer means such as shopper marketing and social media. Pre: BUS 247. (Fall)

BUS 380 Brand Management (3)

This course is designed to develop students' understanding of the importance of brand equity as well as how to build, measure and manage brand equity. Pre: BUS 247. (Fall)

BUS 405 Cost Accounting (3)

The study of cost determination as applied to a variety of business operations. An emphasis is placed on job order, process and standard cost accounting systems. Pre: BUS 212. (Fall)

BUS 414 Management Information Systems (3)

A study of the role of information technology in solving business problems at operational, tactical and strategic levels of the organization. Topics include information systems analysis and design, database creation and management, and the strategic use of management information, with emphasis on the exploration of real-life business scenarios involving MIS. Pre: BUS 209.

BUS 421 Consumer Behavior (3)

A study of the decision process of buyers, the factors affecting purchasing decisions, customer satisfaction, and the resulting implications for marketing strategies and tactics. Pre: BUS 320 and BUS 247. (alternate year, Spring)

BUS 423 Professional Selling (formerly Salesmanship) (3)

A survey of personal sales, including types of selling, sales training, communications and the psychology of selling. Pre: BUS 247. (alternate year, Spring)

BUS 426 International Business (3)

A study of the international operations of businesses, international competition in domestic markets, and related economic, political, legal and cultural issues. Pre: BUS 320, BUS 321, BUS 247 and senior standing. (Spring)

BUS 434 Business Law (3)

A study of the legal environment of business, the development and change of laws relating to business, substantive law relating to liability, employment, contracts, property and government regulation. Pre: BUS 225. (Spring)

BUS 436 Professional Ethics (3)

A study of ethical theories, principles, problems and considerations, including specific applications to business administration and other professions. Pre: senior standing. (Fall)

BUS 442 Small Business Management (3)

An examination of the aspects of management unique to small and entrepreneurial firms. Pre: BUS 225. (alternate Fall)

BUS 446 Auditing (3)

A study of the standards and procedures used in examining financial statements and supporting records. Emphasis is placed on the evaluation of internal control, the auditor's responsibilities to clients and third parties, and the ethical framework in which one operates. Pre: BUS 212. (alternate Spring)

BUS 450 Human Resources Management (3)

An overview of human resources management, including job analysis, job requirements, job selection, employee training, career development, performance appraisal, motivation, supervision, leadership, compensation, discipline and termination. Pre: BUS 225. (Spring)

BUS 455 Employee and Labor Relations (3)

The study of managing relationships with employee groups in order to maximize productivity, including wages and benefits, quality-of-life programs, communications, leadership, employee morale, collective bargaining and conflict resolution. Pre: BUS 450. (alternate year)

BUS 461 Public Relations (3)

An introduction to the theory and practice of public relations, with emphasis on the

responsibilities of public relations practitioners and how those practitioners deliver messages to various audiences. Pre: junior or senior standing. Same as COM 461. (alternate year)

BUS 465 Strategic Management and Planning (3)

The integration of business concepts, methods, and skills for the formulation of strategy and policy within an organization, emphasizing analysis, decision making and ethical considerations. Pre: BUS 225 and senior standing. (Spring)

BUS 475 Organizational Leadership (3)

The assessing of organizations in light of strategic objectives and how to make recommendations for improvement. Pre: senior standing. (Fall)

BUS 490 Studies in Business (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of business. Pre: as announced.

BUS 497 Business Internship (varies)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: permission. Graded Pass/Fail. (Both)

COMMUNICATION (COM)

COM 205 Public Speaking (3)

The study of communication and rhetorical theory with emphasis on preparation and presentation of both informative and persuasive speeches; students will learn to be critical consumers of public speaking by studying effective listening, basic argument construction and basic criticism. Pre: ENG 102. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

COM 238 Professional Writing (3)

A study of writing for the workplace, including business writing and e-writing. Pre: ENG 102. Same as ENG 364 (Fall)

COM 305 Media Effects on Children and Adolescents (3)

A study of media literacy with an emphasis on the psychological, social, and educational effects on children and adolescents. (Spring)

COM 361 Introduction to Mass Communications (3)

An introduction to the theories, major forms, and systems of today's media marketplace, including print, radio, film, television, advertising, public relations and Internet. This survey includes the consideration of how moral and religious issues are addressed by secular news and entertainment media. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate year)

COM 461 Public Relations (3)

An introduction to the theory and practice of public relations, with emphasis on the responsibilities of public relations practitioners and how those practitioners deliver messages to various audiences. Same as BUS 461. Pre: junior or senior standing. (alternate year)

COUNSELING AND HUMAN SERVICES (CHS)

CHS 202 The Family (3)

The study of courtship, marriage, and family relationships from both a biblical and cultural perspective. Same as SOC 202. Pre: PSY 103 or SOC 103. (Fall, Spring)

CHS 211 Introduction to Counseling (3)

An overview of the practices and skills which facilitate personal growth in others, for counselors, teachers, administrators, ministers and others who deal with people in helping relationships. This course serves as a prerequisite for other courses in counseling. Pre: PSY 103. (Fall)

CHS 310 Prenatal Development (2)

A study of human growth and development from conception through the first two years of life with an emphasis on prenatal development, labor and delivery. Pre: PSY 103. (alternate Fall)

CHS 312 Counseling Diverse Populations (2)

A course designed to broaden the counselor's understanding and skills when counseling people of various backgrounds. Different approaches to counseling will be considered with regard to ethnic groups, women, the elderly, homosexuals and people with various handicaps. Pre: SOC 103 and CHS 211. (Spring)

CHS 325 Working with People with Disabilities (2)

A study of disabilities and the programs and services appropriately provided for those with disabilities, with an emphasis on ministry opportunities. (alternate year)

CHS 341 Introduction to Social Work (3)

An introductory course in which students learn about the profession of social work as well as the populations and issues that concern social workers. Students will examine the characteristics, function and requirements of social work as a profession. Pre: PSY 103 or SOC 103. (Fall)

CHS 343 Communication Skills for Social Services (2)

This course focuses on the usual communication patterns between the social work generalist and client systems, emphasizing the true meaning of good communication in the process of problem solving through both written and oral communication. The role of technology in facilitating and managing communication is examined for its application to social work. Pre: CHS 211 or CHS 341. (Spring)

CHS 345 Case Management (2)

A study of the practice of case management, describing how service providers assess needs of the client and family as well as arrange, coordinate, advocate for, monitor, and evaluate the package of multiple services designed to meet the client's needs. Pre: CHS 341 or permission. (alternate year)

CHS 392 Careers in Helping Professions (2)

A course which exposes a student to career opportunities in various fields of counseling and human services. Pre: CHS 211. (Spring)

CHS 396 Counseling Theory and Procedures (3)

A survey of various counseling theories and an evaluation of these theories from a Christian perspective. Pre: PSY 204 and CHS 211. (Spring)

CHS 410 Family Counseling (3)

A course to consider the family as a system in which each member influences and is influenced by other members. Healthy and unhealthy relationships will be explored with some understandings of how each develops. Pre: SOC 103, PSY 204 and CHS 211. (Spring)

CHS 413 Counseling the Elderly (2)

A course designed to explore the unique stresses of dealing with aging parents, retirement, lower incomes, long term illness and ways of offering help in these tough times. Pre: CHS 211. (alternate year)

CHS415 Pastoral Counseling (3)

A study of counseling principles and techniques within the context of the ministerial functions. Same as MIN 317. Pre: CHS 211 or MIN 313. (Fall)

CHS 417 Counseling Adolescents (3)

A study of the significant clinical issues facing adolescents in the areas of physical, emotional, social and cognitive development. Pre: CHS 211 or MIN 313. (Spring)

CHS 420 Counseling Children I (3)

An overview of counseling methods and theories, practice in counseling children through role play sessions, and discussion of practical applications of counseling methods with children. Pre: SOC 103, PSY 204 and CHS 211. (Fall)

CHS 421 Counseling Children II (3)

A continuation of CHS 420. A practicum is involved. Pre: CHS 420. (alternate year)

CHS 437 Conflict Management (3)

A study of skills and strategies for the effective intervention and resolution of conflict, with applications in a variety of personal, interpersonal, group and organizational contexts. Pre: PSY 103 or SOC 103. (Spring)

CHS 490 Studies in Counseling and Human Services (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of counseling and human services. Pre: as announced.

CHS 497 Counseling and Human Services Internship (varies)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: (a) junior or senior standing; (b) successful completion of PSY 103 and CHS 211; and (c) successful completion of at least nine hours in the counseling and human services major, including at least one course from CHS 396, CHS 202, CHS 312 or CHS 317. Graded Pass/Fail.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE (CJU)

CJU 300 Introduction to Criminal Justice (3)

This course is an introduction to the basic concepts of criminal justice and the structure of the American criminal justice system, including the roles of the courts and police. Pre-requisite: SOC 103, SOC 200. (Fall)

CJU 310 Criminology (3)

A study of the theories and practices surrounding crime, its nature and causes, and the nature and causes of the crimes and offenders. This course examines how law enforcement works to curtail these crimes. Pre-requisite: CJU 300. (Spring)

CJU 320 Constitutional Law (3)

A study of the powers and civil rights granted by the United States Constitution to both government entities afforded by the Bill of Rights. Pre-requisite: CJU 300. (Fall)

CJU 340 Criminal Investigation (3)

A study of the nature and complexities of criminal investigations. Discussions will include such topics as: the fundamentals of investigation, interviews and interrogations, and crime scene processing, to include the gathering and processing of forensic evidence. Pre-requisite: CJU 300. (alternate fall)

CJU 400 Criminal Law (3)

A study of the necessary elements of crime in modern society. Actus reus, mens rea, intent, causation, concurrence and other principles are examined in addition to various criminal defenses used in courts of law. Pre-requisite: CJU 320. (Spring)

CJU 410 Criminal Procedure (3)

A study of rules and regulations surrounding the criminal justice system. Topics include arrest, interrogation, search and seizure, arrest and search warrants and the various rights of a suspected offender. Pre-requisite: CJU 310. (Fall)

CJU 420 Police Administration (3)

Examines theories of organization, management, and administration as they relate to criminal justice agencies. Leadership, human resources process, resource management, and other critical administrative issues are addressed. Seniors only. (Spring)

CJU 497 Criminal Justice Internship (6)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation for Criminal Justice majors only. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: permission. Graded Pass/Fail. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

CROSS-CULTURAL EXPERIENCE (CCE)

CCE 301 Significant Cross-Cultural Experience (no credit hours, no grade)

The student enrolls in CCE 301 after participation in a significant cross-cultural experience (SCCE) in order to debrief, self-assess, evaluate, and summarize what has been achieved relative to the goals of the SCCE program (pp. 32-34). Successful completion of CCE 301 is a co-curricular requirement for graduation with a baccalaureate degree (p. 35, point 5). (Fall, Spring)

CCE 497 Cross-Cultural Studies (varies)

This learning experience engages students to gain practical wisdom and to approach issues of global concern with cultural relevance. It enhances Point's vision to stimulate service within a cross-cultural setting by integrating faith, practice and experiential learning. Credit requires department chair approval. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

EARLY CHILDHOOD INSTRUCTION (ECI)

ECI 232 Math and Science for Teachers (3)

A course designed to give students an understanding of the content, concepts and processes of mathematics and science needed for teaching P-5, focusing on problem solving, reasoning and methods of inquiry. Pre or Co-req: one science course and one math course. (Fall, Pre-TEP)

ECI 300 Children's Literature (3)

A study of literature appropriate for children in preschool through fifth grade, with emphasis on selection of materials and techniques for creating interest and enjoyment through presentation. Pre: admission to the Teacher Education Program or permission. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses or permission. (Fall)

ECI 301 Social Studies for Early Childhood (3)

A study of the concepts and skills taught and developed in the social studies curriculum in the early childhood grades, with emphasis on integrating social studies units with other subject-matter areas. Pre: admission to the Teacher Education Program or CYD major in junior or senior year. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 2 courses. (Spring)

ECI 302 Reading Skills (3)

A study of the dynamics of the reading process and major issues in reading instruction for early childhood classrooms. Pre: admission to the Teacher Education Program. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses. (Fall)

ECI 303 Health and PE for Early Childhood (2)

A course designed to expose the student to health education and physical education activities in the early childhood grades, with emphasis on giving the student experience in actually teaching physical education activities. All students will become infant and child CPR certified by the Heart Association as partial fulfillment of course requirements. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses. (Fall)

ECI 305 Mathematics for Early Childhood (3)

A course dealing with the concepts and materials which are appropriate for the cognitive development of the young child, with a portion of the class devoted to mathematics principles. Pre: TEP Block 1 courses. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 2 courses. (Spring)

ECI 310 Language Arts Skills for Early Childhood (2)

This course focuses on the early childhood classroom and the nature of language and how it is acquired. Students will demonstrate knowledge of content and competence in materials selection and teaching methodology. Pre: admission to the Teacher Education Program. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses. (Fall)

ECI 314 Creative Arts for Early Childhood (3)

An overview of the principles of creativity in art, music and drama, the techniques utilized in integrating creative arts in the general curriculum areas of early childhood, the facilitation of the development of sensitivity and perception and the communication of ideas and feelings. Pre: TEP Block 2 courses or CYD major in junior or senior year (or permission). Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 3 courses. (Fall)

ECI 391 Block 1 Lab Experience (1)

Observation, participation, and directed teaching in an approved school setting coinciding with

Block 1 education courses. (Fall)

ECI 392 Block 2 Lab Experience (1)

Observation, participation, and directed teaching in an approved school setting coinciding with Block 2 education courses. (Spring)

ECI 401 Science for Early Childhood (3)

The selection and organization of content and materials for instruction, the application of scientific principles and laws of learning to science instruction, and the identification of goals in science instruction in the early childhood grades, with an emphasis on a discovery approach to learning. Pre: TEP Block 1 courses or permission. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 2 courses. (Spring)

ECI 490 Studies in Early Childhood Education (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of ECE. Pre: as announced.

ECI 493 Block 3 Lab Experience (1)

Observation, participation, and directed teaching in an approved school setting coinciding with Block 3 education courses. (Fall)

ECI 497 Teaching Practicum—Student Teaching (12)

Observation, participation and directed teaching in an approved school setting will be carried out under the supervision of a selected supervising early childhood teacher and University personnel. A seminar with the University supervisor is scheduled throughout the semester of the student teaching experience. Assessment will focus on preparation and teaching procedures. Pre: Completion of all other courses and passing score on the GACE test.

EDUCATION (EDU)

EDU 102 Educational Foundations (3)

An introductory study of the foundations of American education that covers issues related to the areas of pedagogy, historical and philosophical movements in education, and social factors that influence classroom interactions. (Spring)

EDU 204 Developmental Psychology (3)

A study of human growth and development from conception and the prenatal period through adolescence. Special emphasis is given to applications in the school setting. Pre: PSY 103. (Fall)

EDU 300 Educational Psychology (3)

A study of learning theory and its application to such problems as classroom control, the organization of learning activities, understanding individual differences, and evaluating teaching and assessing learning. Emphasis is given to factors which facilitate and/or interfere with the learning process. Pre: EDU 204. (Spring)

EDU 306 Characteristics of Learning Disabilities (3)

A student will gain knowledge, insight and understanding of children with learning disabilities in the areas of cognition, perceptual impairment, hyperactivity, attention disorders, tension, language coordination, academics and socio-familial problems with appropriate field work. Pre:

admission to the Teacher Education Program and permission.

EDU 350 Curriculum and Assessment (2)

A comprehensive introduction to assessment in education, including standardized tests and informal strategies, selection and administration, classroom assessment of academic achievement, and the appropriate interpretation and use of findings. A study of the history and theory of curriculum and modern trends in curriculum Pre: TEP Block 1 courses. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 2 courses. (Spring)

EDU 401 The Exceptional Child (3)

A study of the characteristics by which exceptional children are identified in the school setting and the special needs of children with learning disabilities. Students will also survey learning disorders, assessment techniques and the use of appropriate instructional strategies and materials. Pre: TEP Block 2 courses or CYD major in junior or senior year. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 3 courses. (Fall)

EDU 402 Educational Administration (3)

A study of the theories and practices of leadership and administration with relevant application to school and ministry settings.

EDU 405 Integration of Technology (3)

Practical training in the usage of technology for the classroom. Pre: TEP Block 1 courses or CYD major in junior or senior year. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 2 courses. (Spring)

EDU 407 Classroom Management (3)

A study of the interaction process and patterns of communication in the classroom, designed to increase student and teacher effectiveness as an influence on the learning process. Attention will be given to both preventive and remedial techniques for handling discipline problems in the classroom. Pre: TEP Block 2 courses or CYD major in junior or senior year. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 3 courses. (Fall)

EDU 410 Reading Diagnosis and Remediation (2)

This course focuses on the nature and diagnosis of reading problems and the techniques, methods and materials involved in remediation. Pre: TEP Block 2 courses. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 3 courses. (Fall)

EDU 433 Differentiated Instruction (2)

An exploration of the many different teaching methods that adapt curriculum and instructional approaches to the specific and individual learning needs of each student in the diverse classroom. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 3 courses. (Fall)

EDU 497 Child and Youth Internship (varies)

This course provides students an opportunity to work in an early childhood or youth setting, practicing the skills and professionalism associated with supervising and leading children and youth.

ENGLISH (ENG)

Freshman English Policy: A full-time student is required to enroll in the appropriate English course every semester until the student has completed ENG 101 and ENG 102 with a grade of "C" or higher.

ENG 101 Critical Reading and Writing I (3)

An introduction to college reading and writing. A minimum grade of "C" is required to satisfy degree requirements. (Fall, Spring)

ENG 101H Critical Reading and Writing I, Honors (3)

An introduction to college reading and writing for those who place high on the SAT/ACT. A minimum grade of "C" is required to satisfy degree requirements. Pre: permission. (Fall)

ENG 102 Critical Reading and Writing II (3)

A continuation of college reading and writing with emphasis on principles of argumentation and research skills. A minimum grade of "C" is required to satisfy degree requirements. Pre: ENG 101. (Fall, Spring)

ENG 102H Critical Reading and Writing II, Honors (3)

A continuation of college reading and writing with emphasis on principles of argumentation and research skills for those who perform at a superior level in ENG 101. A minimum grade of "C" is required to satisfy degree requirements. Pre: ENG 101 and permission. (Spring)

ENG 202 American Literature to 1860 (3)

A survey of the life and literature of the American people covering the period of literature beginning with the settlement of the American colonies and ending with the start of the Civil War. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Spring)

ENG 203 American Literature since 1860 (3)

A survey of the life and literature of the American people covering the period of literature beginning with the Civil War and ending with a study of modern American authors and their works. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Fall)

ENG 204 British Literature to 1800 (3)

A study of the major British writers from the Middle Age through the 18th century. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Spring)

ENG 205 British Literature since 1800 (3)

A study of the major British writers from 1800 through the present. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Fall)

ENG 207 World Literature (3)

Reading and discussion of important works of world literature from the beginning of the Middle Ages to the present, with emphasis on the philosophical, political and religious thought of the writers. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Spring)

ENG 240 Linguistic Theory (3)

A study of the nature and structure of the English language and language acquisition in order to enhance professional activity, e.g., teaching language arts, teaching English to speakers of other languages, and editing and writing. Same as ESL 240. Pre: ENG 102. (Spring)

ENG 250 Modern Short Stories (3)

This course examines the development of the short story during the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. (alternate Summer)

ENG 262 Advanced Writing: Non-Fiction (3)

Intensive practice in writing non-fiction expository prose with emphasis on rhetorical principles and style. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Fall)

ENG 264 Advanced Writing: Poetry and Drama (3)

An introduction to creative writing in the genres of poetry and drama in which students explore the work of a number of writers as models while creating a portfolio of their own original works. Taught in a combined lecture/workshop atmosphere in which students share their own work with others. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Spring)

ENG 300 Shakespeare (3)

A study of representative tragedies, comedies, romances, history plays, and selected poetry of Shakespeare. Emphasis is given to critical problems and the value and importance of his works. Pre: ENG 102. (Fall and alternate Summer online)

ENG 330 Adolescent Literature (3)

A study of literature appropriate for adolescents, with emphasis on selection of materials and techniques for creating interest and enjoyment through presentation. Pre: ENG 102. (Fall)

ENG 332 Literature of Women in America (3)

This course has been designed as an introduction to the history and literature of women in the U.S. from the colonial period to the present. Same as HIS 332. (alternate Spring)

ENG 340 African American Studies (3)

This interdisciplinary course studies African-American culture: politics, history, literature, philosophy, religion and art. Emphasis is placed on the experience of African Americans. Pre: HUM 101 or HIS 203 or ENG 102. Same as HIS/HUM 340. (alternate Fall)

ENG 350 Christian Literature (3)

A study of John Milton and other selected works of literature written to serve the needs of Christians, works that have shaped or influenced Christian ideas and narratives and works that interact with Christian ideas. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Fall)

ENG 362 Journalistic Writing (3)

A study of writing intended primarily for newspapers, including magazines or professional publications. Pre: ENG 102.

ENG 364 Professional Writing (3)

A study of writing for the workplace, including business writing and e-writing. Same as COM 238. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Spring)

ENG 365 Writing for Publication (3)

A study of writing for magazines, both secular and Christian, with emphasis on analyzing published articles and markets with the goal of getting the student's original work published. Taught in a combined lecture/workshop atmosphere. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Fall)

ENG 373 Modern Grammar (3)

A thorough analysis of sentence-level grammar of English with emphasis on structure and function for rhetorical purposes. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Fall)

ENG 375 Literary Theory (3)

A study of literary terminology and practice in reading and analysis of a variety of literary genres in multiple historical periods and analytical methods. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Fall)

ENG 413 Editing for Publication (3)

Hands-on editing and publication of student-centered writing. May include campus newsletters and announcements, a student magazine or material for the University website. May be repeated once with a different emphasis for a total of six hours of credit. Pre: ENG 102 and permission. (alternate Fall)

ENG 415 Student Publication Practicum (2)

Advanced hands-on editing and publication of the student publications, including the training and mentoring of newer staff members. May be repeated for credit with permission. Does not satisfy a requirement in Writing, Literature, Humanities or English. Pre: ENG 413 and permission. Graded Pass/Fail.

ENG 417 Rhetoric for Writing (3)

A study of the principles and practices of classical and modern rhetoric, including logic and argumentation, through advanced practice in reading and writing expository prose. Pre: ENG 102. (alternate Spring)

ENG 420 History and Literature of Latin America (3)

This interdisciplinary course explores the rich diversity of peoples, histories and literature that together define Latin America. History is explored by reading a number of novels by Latin American writers, and discussing the events and personages depicted therein. Same as HIS 420. Pre-requisite: ENG 102. (alternate Fall)

ENG 425 Seminar in Literature (3)

An integrated examination of a specific topic in Literature. May be repeated for different topics. Pre: Literature course and as announced.

ENG 490 Studies in English/Literature (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of literature. Pre: as announced.

ENG 495 Senior Thesis: English (3-6)

The senior thesis provides an opportunity for a senior majoring in English to complete an extended independent study project in preparation for graduate school. The project includes a rigorous research component on a topic of interest to the student and is supervised by a full-time faculty member. Pre: permission, based on a senior thesis proposal.

ENG 497 English Internship (varies)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation for English majors only. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. May serve as a substitution for major coursework. Pre: permission. Graded Pass/Fail. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

ENGLISH TO SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES (ESL)

ESL 240 Linguistic Theory (3)

A study of the nature and structure of the English language and language acquisition in order to enhance professional activity, e.g., teaching language arts, teaching English to speakers of other languages, and editing and writing. Same as ENG 240. Pre: ENG 102. Prerequisite for Education Majors: Admission to TEP. (Spring)

ESL 441 Methods for ESOL (3)

An examination of past and current approaches, methods, and techniques for teaching English as a second language. Pre: TEP Block 3 courses. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 3 courses. (Fall).

ESL 442 Culture and Education (3)

This course is designed to give a culturally pluralistic and global perspective to the equitable education of culturally and linguistically diverse student populations. Students will examine, evaluate, and develop curricular materials for culturally and linguistically diverse populations. Pre: Admission to TEP. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses. (Fall)

EXERCISE SCIENCE (ESC)

ESC 230 Foundations of Health and Wellness (3)

This course is an overview of personal health and wellness issues. Emphasis will be placed on lifestyle changes that promote long-term wellbeing. (Fall)

ESC 240 Human Nutrition (3)

This course explores the basic scientific principles as they apply to human nutrition. Pre: NSC 103 and NSC 104. (Fall)

ESC 340 Kinesiology and Biomechanics (3)

The study of human movement, this course investigates the musculoskeletal, neuromuscular and mechanical basis for human movement. Pre: NSC 216. (Spring)

ESC 350 Exercise Physiology (3)

This course is an application of human physiology principles to sport, exercise and training with regard to body systems and performance. Pre: NSC 216. (Spring)

ESC 420 Exercise Testing and Prescription (3)

This course examines fitness testing and exercise prescription concepts with attention to sports nutrition, weight management, the aging process and prevention as well as management of chronic diseases. This class will also complete the student's preparation to sit for both the Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist Exam and Conditioning and the Certified Personal Trainer Exam.

ESC 430 Exercise Physiology for Special Populations (3)

This course provides a framework for developing exercise programs for individuals with disease, disabilities, or special health issues. Pre: ESC 350 (Fall)

FINE ARTS (FIN)

FIN 203 Acting I (3)

This course is designed to develop basic skills and techniques of acting, including increased sensory awareness, ensemble and solo performing, character analysis, script analysis, stage presence and improvisation skills. Pre: ENG 101.

FIN 204 Acting II (3)

This course builds upon the fundamentals of FIN 203. Pre: FIN 203.

GRADUATION (GRD)

GRD 400 Graduation (no credit, no grade)

The student registers in GRD 400 in the last semester or summer session of enrollment, at the end of which the student intends to graduate. This "course" notifies the Registrar, who verifies that the student will have met the academic requirements for graduation.

GREEK (GRK)

GRK 301 Greek I (4)

A thorough study of Koine Greek involving the acquisition of a basic vocabulary and extensive drill in grammar and syntax, with a gradually increasing emphasis on translation from the Greek New Testament. (Fall)

GRK 302 Greek II (4)

A continuation of GRK 301. Pre: GRK 301. (Spring)

GRK 401 Greek III (3)

A review of the basic principles of Koine Greek, with advanced study of Greek grammar and syntax and vocabulary building. Emphasis is placed on the translation and exegesis of the Greek New Testament. Pre: GRK 302. (Fall)

GRK 402 Greek IV (3)

A continuation of GRK 401. Pre: GRK 401. (Spring)

GRK 422 Advanced Greek Readings (3)

A course flexible in content emphasizing advanced acquisition of Koine Greek. Pre: GRK 402.

HEBREW (HEB)

HEB 411 Hebrew I (3)

A study of biblical Hebrew covering grammar, the verb system and vocabulary, leading to readings in the Hebrew Scriptures. (alternate Fall)

HEB 412 Hebrew II (3)

A continuation of HEB 411. Pre: HEB 411. (alternate Spring)

HISTORY (HIS)

HIS 102 Western Civilization (3)

A general survey of the history of Western culture from its beginning in the ancient Near East to the present time. Major religious, political, economic, social and global events will be emphasized within a chronological context. (Fall)

HIS 201 Church History I (3)

A study of the development of the church from AD 30 through Thomas Aquinas. The establishment, spread and development of the Christianity is studied paying particular attention to major trends, personalities, and events influencing the life of the church as it took shape in the Jewish culture and the Greco-Roman world. (Fall)

HIS 202 Church History II (3)

A continuation of Church History I where study of the development of the Christian church Begins with the scholastics through the 20th century. (Spring)

HIS 203 United States History (3)

A general survey course of the history of the United States from the era of exploration through the 20th century. Special emphasis is placed on the religious, political, economic, and social development of the American nation. (Spring)

HIS 204 History of Religion in America (3)

This course examines the significance of religion in American society from European colonization to the present. Topics will include, but are not limited to, Puritanism, revivalism, women, slavery, ethnicity and immigration, and pluralism. (alternate Fall)

HIS 215 Native American Studies (3)

This course provides an overview of Native American history from pre-colonial times until the present. Emphasis is placed on cultural interaction, U.S. policy development, and the roles played by Native American peoples to ensure their survival and on-going cultural integrity into the 21st century. (alternate Spring)

HIS 225 History of Philosophy (3)

This course will provide an initial encounter with the great philosophers and their ideas in an historical context. The course will also provide an introduction to various philosophical concepts, including metaphysics, epistemology, ethics and logic. Same as PHL 225. (alternate Spring)

HIS 301 Restoration History (2)

A study of the emergence and development of the 19th-century Restoration Movement in America. This course highlights the history of the Christian churches and Churches of Christ. (Alternate Fall)

HIS 307 Laws of Israel (3)

A study of the legal literature of the Pentateuch analyzing the moral, social, and religious legislation of ancient Israel. Same as OTS 307. Pre: OTS 210 and either BBS 201 or BBS 302.

HIS 320 Art History (3)

This course is a thematic study of art produced in global cultures from antiquity to the present day. Emphasis is placed on exploring the relationship between art and its historical and cultural

background. Same as HUM 320. (alternate Spring)

HIS 332 History of Women in America (3)

This course has been designed as an introduction to the history and literature of women in the U.S. from the colonial period to the present. It will be surveying the field of American women's history in order to understand how specific political, social and religious and economic transformation in the nation's past have affected the female half of the population. Same as ENG 332. (alternate Spring)

HIS 334 The Twentieth Century World (3)

An introduction to the major individuals and political, economic, social and cultural events of the world during the twentieth century. Emphasis will be placed on global relationships, conflict, and changing patterns of interaction among cultures and peoples in an era of near-constant change. (Fall)

HIS 340 African American Studies (3)

This interdisciplinary course studies African-American culture: politics, history, literature, philosophy, religion and art. Emphasis is placed on the experience of African Americans. Pre: HUM 101 or HIS 203 or ENG 102. Same as ENG/HUM 340 (alternate Fall)

HIS 408 Ancient Near Eastern History (3)

The purpose of this course is to explore systematically the history and culture of the ancient Near East, focusing on Mesopotamia, Egypt and Syria-Palestine ca. 3000-323 B.C.E. Pre: HIS 102. Same as OTS 408. (alternate Fall)

HIS 410 Thought of the Restoration Movement (3)

An examination of views prevalent within the Restoration Movement with particular attention to significant documents and to the thought of Thomas and Alexander Campbell and other influential spokesmen. Same as THE 410. Pre: HIS 301 and THE 301. (alternate Spring)

HIS 420 History and Literature of Latin America (3)

This interdisciplinary course explores the rich diversity of peoples, histories and literature that together define Latin America. History is explored by reading a number of novels by Latin American writers, and discussing the events and personages depicted therein. Pre-requisite: ENG 102. Same as ENG 420. (alternate Fall)

HIS 490 Studies in History (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of history. Pre: as announced.

HIS 495 Senior Thesis: History (3)

The senior thesis provides an opportunity for a senior majoring in history to complete an extended independent study project in preparation for graduate school. The project includes a rigorous research component on a topic of interest to the student and is supervised by a full-time faculty member. Pre: permission, based on a senior thesis proposal.

HIS 497 History Internship (6)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation for history majors only. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. May be a substitute for CCE 497 for History majors. Pre: permission. Graded Pass/Fail. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

HUMANITIES (HUM)

HUM 101 Introduction to Humanities (3)

A general introduction to the humanities, with attention given to the nature of philosophy, art, architecture, music and literature, with concepts from these disciplines applied to key cultural artifacts of the Western world. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

HUM 311 Humanities: Greek and Roman (3)

An integrated examination of Western culture from the Minoan-Mycenaean roots to the fall of the Roman empire as expressed in art, literature, music, philosophy, religion and architecture, emphasizing the development and influence of classical ideas and values. Pre: HUM 101. (alternate fall)

HUM 315 Humanities: Medieval and Renaissance (3)

An integrated examination of the dominant ideas and values of Western culture from the fall of the Roman empire through the 17th century as expressed in art, literature, music, philosophy, religion and architecture. Pre: HUM 101. (alternate Spring)

HUM 320 Art History (3)

This course is a thematic study of art produced in global cultures from antiquity to the present day. Emphasis is placed on exploring the relationship between art and its historical and cultural background. Same as HIS 320. (alternate Spring)

HUM 321 Humanities: Baroque through Romanticism (3)

An integrated examination of the dominant ideas and values of Western culture during the 18th and 19th centuries as expressed in art, literature, music, philosophy, religion and architecture. Pre: HUM 101. (alternate Fall)

HUM 325 Humanities: The Modern World (3)

An integrated examination of the dominant ideas and values of Western culture during the 20th century as expressed in art, literature, music, philosophy, religion and architecture. Pre: HUM 101. (alternate Spring)

HUM 340 African American Studies (3)

This interdisciplinary course studies African-American culture: politics, history, literature, philosophy, religion and art. Emphasis is placed on the experience of African Americans. Pre: HUM 101 or HIS 203 or ENG 102. Same as ENG/HIS 340. (alternate Fall)

HUM 425 Seminar in Humanities (3)

An integrated examination of a specified topic in the humanities. May be repeated for different topics. Pre: HUM 101 and one HUM 300-level course. (occasional)

HUM 490 Studies in Humanities (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study from the humanities. Pre: HUM 101 and as announced.

HUM 492 Theology and the Arts (3)

This is an interdisciplinary course on the relationship between theology and the arts in both theory and practice. This course will overview the recent major work on a theology *of* the arts, while also investigating how theology is done *through* the arts. (alternate Spring)

HUM 495 Senior Thesis: Humanities (3)

The senior thesis provides an opportunity for a senior majoring in humanities to complete an extended independent study project in preparation for graduate school. The project includes a rigorous research component on a topic of interest to the student and is supervised by a full-time faculty member. Pre: permission, based on a senior thesis proposal.

HUM 497 Humanities Internship (varies)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation for Humanities majors only. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: permission. Graded Pass/Fail.

INTERCULTURAL MISSIONS (ICM)

ICM 202 Introduction to World Missions (3)

The nature of Christian outreach; a study of principles, history and methodology of worldwide missions. (Spring)

ICM 253 Applied Anthropology and Missions (3)

Study of humankind, culture, and environment with special emphasis on the manner in which their relationship with one another is affected by change agents. Pre: ICM 202 and SOC 203.

ICM 305 The History of Christianity in Missiological Perspective (3)

A review of missiologicial literature that traces the spread and development of Christianity as a world movement from Pentecost to the modern era. Special attention is given to the kind(s) of Christianity that spread; the processes by which it spread; the effect Christianity had on the socio-cultural and political environments; and the effect environment had on Christianity and its subsequent development.

ICM 310 Theology of Missions (3)

An examination of the theological foundations of mission derived from a study of the history of salvation. This course will encompass a study of the mission given to Israel and to the Church, including some interaction with contemporary theologies of mission. Pre: ICM 202 and either THE 301 or BBS 302.

ICM 330 World Religions (3)

A survey of major world religions, including Judaism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Taoism and a variety of primal religions. Attention is given to the nature of religious truth claims and their rational assessment, the challenge of religious pluralism and relativism and the prospects for fruitful interreligious dialogue. (alternate Spring)

ICM 342 Urban Cross-Cultural Evangelism (3)

A study of both cultural and communication processes that enable persons from differing backgrounds to interact effectively. Skills and insights learned will be applied to evangelism. Pre: ICM 202.

ICM 406 Contemporary World Issues (3)

A study of the basic theological, anthropological, secular, and practical issues encountered by the mission of the Church in the contemporary setting. Pre: ICM 202 and junior standing.

ICM 490 Issues and Trends in Missions (3)

Current missiological issues and trends, including church-mission relationships, the ecumenical movement, nationalism and their significance to the worldwide mission of the Church. Opportunity for individual student research in a particular area of interest is provided. Pre: ICM 202 and as announced.

ICM 497 Missions Internship (varies)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: junior standing and permission. Graded Pass/Fail.

MATHEMATICS (MTH)

Freshman Mathematics Policy: A full-time student is required to enroll in an appropriate math course within the first two semesters of enrollment at Point (and each semester thereafter if necessary to pass the course).

MTH 103 College Mathematics (3)

This course presents a comprehensive survey of college-level mathematics and emphasizes practical applications and problem-solving strategies. Not open to students who have previously taken a higher-numbered MTH course. (Fall, Spring)

MTH 104 Math Modeling (3)

An introduction to mathematical modeling that uses elementary mathematics—numbers and measurement, algebra, geometry and data exploration—and graphing-calculator technology to investigate real-world problems and questions. Not open to students who have previously taken a higher-numbered MTH course.

MTH 105 Finite Mathematics (3)

This course focuses on set theory, linear equations and inequalities, matrices, linear programming, probability, statistics and game theory and how to apply these topics to business, economics, social and life sciences. Pre: Lower-numbered MTH course or satisfactory math placement assessment.

MTH 107 Geometry (3)

A comprehensive coverage of University-level plane geometry, utilizing discovery activities and exercises. Pre: Lower-numbered MTH course or satisfactory math placement assessment.

MTH 110 College Algebra (3)

A college-level algebra course that includes these topics: equations and inequalities with an emphasis on problem-solving; graphing; functions; exponential and logarithmic functions; polynomial functions; systems of equations; matrices; and sequences. Pre: Lower-numbered MTH course or satisfactory math placement assessment. (Fall and Spring)

MTH 125 Applied Calculus (3)

A study of algebraic, exponential, logarithmic, and trigonometric functions and equations which emphasizes using these to model phenomena and solve problems that concern business and the social sciences. Not open to students who have previously taken MTH 191. Pre: MTH 105 or 110, or satisfactory math placement assessment.

MTH 191 Pre-Calculus (3)

Covers polynomial and rational functions, exponential and logarithmic functions, trigonometric functions and theory of equations. Not open to students who have previously taken MTH 125. Pre: MTH 105 or 110, or satisfactory math placement assessment. (Fall)

MTH 211 Calculus 1 (3)

A study of limits and derivatives, differentiation rules, applications of differentiation, integrals and the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus. Pre: MTH 125 or 191, or satisfactory math placement assessment. (Spring)

MTH 212 Calculus 2 (3)

This course is a continuation of MTH 211, Calculus 1, covering applications of integration, differential equations and infinite sequences and series. Pre: MTH 211.

MTH 213 Calculus 3 (3)

This course is a continuation of MTH 212, Calculus 2, covering vectors and the geometry of space, vector functions, partial derivatives, multiple integrals, line integrals, and Stoke's and Green's theorems. Pre: MTH 212.

MTH 301 Linear Algebra (3)

This course is an introduction to the concepts and methods of linear algebra. Among the most important topics are general vector spaces and their subspaces, linear independence, spanning and basis sets, solution space for systems of linear equations, linear transformations and their matrix representations, and inner products. Pre: MTH 212.

MTH 302 Probability and Statistics (3)

This course is a calculus-based introduction to mathematical statistics. Topics include: basic probability, random variables (continuous and discrete), multivariate distributions, the central limit theorem, and statistical inference, including parameter estimation and hypothesis testing. Pre: MTH 212.

MIDDLE GRADES INSTRUCTION (MGI)

MGI 300 Adolescent Literature (3)

A study of literature appropriate for adolescents, with emphasis on selection of materials and techniques for creating interest and enjoyment through presentation. Pre: admission to the Teacher Education Program. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses or permission. (Fall)

MGI 302 Reading Skills (3)

A study of the dynamics of the reading process and major issues in reading instruction for secondary classrooms. Pre: admission to the Teacher Education Program. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses. (Fall)

MGI 305 Mathematics for Middle Grades (3)

A course dealing with the concepts and materials which are appropriate for the cognitive development of the middle grades learner, with a portion of the class devoted to mathematics principles. Pre: TEP Block 1 courses. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 2 courses. (Fall)

MGI 321 Social Studies for Middle Grades (3)

A study of the concepts and skills taught and developed in the social studies curriculum in the

middle grades, with emphasis on integrating social studies units with other subject-matter areas. Pre: admission to the Teacher Education Program. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 2 courses. (Spring)

MGI 330 Language Arts for Middle Grades (3)

This course focuses on curriculum and methods for developing linguistic and communicative competence in language arts classes in the middle school. Pre: admission to the Teacher Education Program. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses. (Fall)

MGI 391 Block 1 Lab Experience (1)

Observation, participation, and directed teaching in an approved school setting coinciding with Block 1 education courses or one area of concentration. (Fall)

MGI 392 Block 2 Lab Experience (1)

Observation, participation, and directed teaching in an approved school setting coinciding with Block 2 education courses or one area of concentration. (Spring)

MGI 421 Science for Middle Grades Childhood (3)

The selection and organization of content and materials for instruction, the application of scientific principles and laws of learning to science instruction, and the identification of goals in science instruction in the middle grades, with an emphasis on a discovery approach to learning. Pre: TEP Block 2 courses. Pre or Co-req: other TEP Block 1 courses. (Spring)

MGI 493 Block 3 Lab Experience (1)

Observation, participation, and directed teaching in an approved school setting coinciding with Block 3 education courses. (Fall)

MGI 490 Studies in Middle Grades Education (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of MGI.

MGI 497 Teaching Practicum-Student Teaching (12)

Observation, participation, and directed teaching in an approved school setting will be carried out under the supervision of a selected supervising middle grades teacher and University personnel. A seminar with the University supervisor is scheduled throughout the semester. Assessment will focus on preparation and teaching procedures. Pre: Completion of all courses and passing scores in two of the five GACE tests for Middle Grades.

MINISTRY (MIN)

MIN 202 Effective Learning in the Church (3)

A survey course including the history of Christian education and its purposes, principles, and practice in the local church. Pre: BBS 102. (Fall)

MIN 301 Principles and Methods of Teaching (3)

A course emphasizing the principles of teaching, learning, and providing insight into various methods of teaching and their effective use in the church. Pre: PSY 204 or EDU 204 or MIN 202. (Spring)

MIN 313 Practice of Christian Ministry (3)

An introduction to the theological and theoretical foundations of ministry from historical and

practical perspectives. Pre: BBS 102 and sophomore standing. (Fall)

MIN 323 Small Group Ministry (3)

A survey of biblical foundations, theory, and practice for small groups in congregations. The course will introduce the design, structure, administration, and ongoing evaluation of a healthy small group system. Pre: MIN 202.

MIN 340 Christian Spiritual Formation (3)

This course explores the process of being formed through historic Christian practices by identifying how God uses Scripture, people, contexts, literature, disciplines and events to transform believers through the work of the Holy Spirit. The course will also introduce principles of congregational formation. Pre: MIN 313 or permission. (Spring)

MIN 342 Introduction to Urban Ministry (3)

This course explores the history of the church's relationship to the city, the role of reflection in urban mission, the importance of narrative in evangelism, relations with the poor and community-based approaches to ministry. Pre: MIN 313 or permission

MIN 400 Administration and Leadership in Ministry (3)

A study of the functioning church and church leadership, examining organization and administration, planning, programming and ministry in the local congregation. Pre: MIN 101 and junior standing. Pre: MIN 313 or permission. (Spring)

MIN 415 Pastoral Counseling (3)

A study of counseling principles and techniques within the context of the ministerial functions. Same as CHS 415. Pre: MIN 313 or CHS 211. (Fall)

MIN 464 Healthy Congregations (3)

An introduction to the theory and practice of healthy congregational life with a focus on characteristics of healthy, growing churches, cultural contexts of American culture and leadership processes. The course will introduce congregational and personal evangelism, developing congregational identity, congregational size, systems theory, team-building and strategic planning within the frameworks of church growth and missional models. Pre: MIN 313 and senior standing. (Fall)

MIN 495 Leadership Colloquium (2)

An overview of the art of leadership, including management skills and facilitative helping skills adapted to a Christian context. Such issues as leadership styles, staffing, supervision and personnel will be discussed, with attention given to application of concepts. Pre: MIN 400.

MIN 497 Christian Ministry Internship (varies)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: Junior/senior standing and permission. Graded Pass/Fail.

MUSIC, APPLIED (MAP)

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Beginning Voice Class (1)
MAP 112
MAP 113
            Beginning Piano Class: Level 1 (1)
MAP 123
            Beginning Piano Class: Level 2 (1)
MAP 114
            Beginning Percussion Class (1)
MAP 117
            Beginning Guitar Class (1)
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Beginning Class: specified instrument (1) MAP 118

Group instruction in the basics of the chosen instrument. No experience required.

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MAP 232
            Intermediate Voice Class (1)
            Intermediate Piano Class (1)
MAP 233
MAP 234
            Intermediate Percussion Class (1)
            Intermediate Guitar Class (1)
MAP 237
            Intermediate Class: specified instrument (1)
MAP 238
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Group instruction in techniques.

MAP 242 Voice Class for Worship Leaders (1)

Group instruction in the techniques required to lead worship with emphases on developing good habits for tone production, adapting contemporary techniques without harming the voice, and using microphones and monitors properly. Pre: MAP 112 and permission.

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Advanced Voice Class (1)
MAP 252
MAP 253
            Advanced Piano Class (1)
            Advanced Percussion Class (1)
MAP 254
MAP 257
            Advanced Guitar Class (1)
MAP 258
            Advanced Class: specified instrument (1)
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Group instruction in techniques.

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MAP 362-1 Private Instruction: Voice (1)
MAP 362-2 Private Instruction: Voice (2)
MAP 363-1 Private Instruction: Piano (1)
MAP 363-2 Private Instruction: Piano (2)
MAP 364-1 Private Instruction: Percussion (1)
MAP 364-2 Private Instruction: Percussion (2)
MAP 367-1 Private Instruction: Guitar (1)
MAP 367-2 Private Instruction: Guitar (2)
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MAP 368-1 Private Instruction: specified instrument (1) MAP 368-2 Private Instruction: specified instrument (2)

Advanced private instruction in techniques and repertoire. Student must perform 10-12 minutes of music from memory on a jury exam at the end of the semester. Pre: audition and permission.

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MAP 369-1 Applied Music Technology (1)
MAP 369-2 Applied Music Technology (2)
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Private instruction in specific applications of music technology leading to a worship/concert project, publication of a CD, printed format or a recital performance. Pre: MUS 317 and permission.

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MAP 382
            Junior Recital: Voice (1)
MAP 383
            Junior Recital: Piano (1)
MAP 384
            Junior Recital: Percussion (1)
            Junior Recital: Guitar (1)
MAP 387
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MAP 388 Junior Recital: specified instrument (1)

Guided preparation for the presentation of a 30-minute public solo recital. Pre: Permission and eight semester hours in the applied area (two of these eight hours may be concurrent with the semester of the recital).

MAP 436 Private Conducting Instruction (varies)

Advanced private instruction in conducting techniques. Pre: MUS 312 and permission.

MAP 462	Advanced Private Instruction:	Voice (2)
MAP 463	Advanced Private Instruction:	Piano (2)
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MAP 464	Advanced Private Instruction:	Percussion (2)

MAP 468 Advanced Private Instruction: specified instrument (2)

Senior-level private instruction in techniques and repertoire for the Performance and Pedagogy specialization. Student must perform 12-15 minutes of music from memory on a jury exam at the end of the semester. Pre: senior standing and permission.

MAP 470 Worship/Concert Project (2)

This course will cover the aspects of planning and implementation for a worship service or concert. Attention will be given to selection of a unifying theme/idea, enlisting and rehearsing participants, choice of music/materials to be presented, coordination of technical aspects, and logistical considerations. Public presentation of the worship service or concert will represent completion of course requirements. (The course may be taken one semester before the actual worship service or concert is presented. A grade will be assigned following the public presentation.) Pre: senior standing and permission.

MAP 482	Senior Recital: Voice (2)
MAP 483	Senior Recital: Piano (2)
MAP 484	Senior Recital: Percussion (2)
MAP 487	Senior Recital: Guitar (2)
MAP 488	Senior Recital: specified instrument (2)

Guided preparation for the presentation of a one-hour public solo recital. Pre: permission, a successfully completed Junior Recital, and four semester hours in Advanced Private Instruction (two of those four hours may be concurrent with the semester of the recital).

MUSIC, ENSEMBLES (MEN)

MEN 201 Concert Choir (1)

A touring mixed choir demonstrating advanced choral tone and interpretation of repertoire. Pre: audition. (Both)

MEN 202 Community Concert Band (1)

A wind ensemble including members of the greater Valley community and students from Point University playing a variety of music.

MEN 203 Honors Ensemble (1)

Specific ensemble chosen on basis of talent and service to community and institution.

MEN 207 Guitar Ensemble (1)

An auditioned ensemble for 5-10 guitarists open to all Point students. A variety of repertoire

will be performed.

MUSIC, LECTURE (MUS)

MUS 102 Music Appreciation (3)

A survey of various styles and forms of music, including non-western, popular and art music. Emphasis is placed on the coordinated training of the ear, eye, memory and mind for participatory listening. (Fall, Spring)

MUS 103 Music Theory I (3)

The study of contemporary and traditional theory applicable to the 21st century musician including diatonic triads, added 2nds, sus chords, phrase structure and melodic analysis. Pre: MUS 101 or satisfactory placement test score. Co-req: MUS 103L. (Fall)

MUS 103L Functional Theory Skills I (1)

Practical application of concepts studied in MUS 101, including ear training, sight singing, improvisation and guitar/keyboard harmony. Co-req: MUS 103.

MUS 104 Music Theory II (3)

The study of contemporary and traditional theory applicable to the 21st century musician with emphasis on the use of substitute chords, non-harmonic tones, 4-part chord progressions and modulations. Pre: MUS 103 or satisfactory placement test score. Co-req: MUS 104L. (Spring)

MUS 104L Functional Theory Skills II (1)

Practical application of concepts studied in MUS 104. Pre-requisite: MUS 103L. Co-req: MUS 104.

MUS 204 Hymnology (2)

A survey of the development of congregational song and the use of various styles of congregational music in the worship and evangelism of a congregation. Pre: MUS 102.

MUS 205 Music Theory III (3)

The study of contemporary and traditional theory applicable to the 21st century musician with emphasis on upper triad structures, pentatonic scale, blues scales and harmonies. Pre: MUS 104 or satisfactory placement test score. Co-req: MUS 205L. (Fall)

MUS 205L Functional Theory Skills III (1)

Practical application of concepts studied in MUS 205. Pre-requisite: MUS 104L. Co-req: MUS 205.

MUS 206 Music Theory IV (3)

The study of contemporary and traditional theory applicable to the 21st century musician with emphasis on modes and the application of the Nashville Numbering System. Final projects will include a synthesis of all four courses in the music theory sequence. Pre: MUS 205 or satisfactory placement test score. Co-req: MUS 206L. (Spring)

MUS 206L Functional Theory Skills IV (1)

Practical application of concepts studied in MUS 206. Pre-requisite: MUS 205L. Co-req: MUS 206.

MUS 216 Music Technology (3)

This course covers basic instruction in music technology applications. Specific attention will be given to sound re-enforcement.

MUS 295 Christian Songwriting (2)

This course will cover the essential elements of song writing, publishing and basic business principles which accompany performance ministry. Special attention will be given to crafting lyrics and appropriate melodies. Copyright considerations will be included. Pre: permission.

MUS 301 Music History I (3)

A study of the history of Western art music from the time of the Greeks to the early Classical period with an emphasis on the cultivation of listening skills. Pre: MUS 102. (Fall)

MUS 302 Music History II (3)

A study of the history of Western art music from the Classical period through the present day with an emphasis on listening to representative repertoire. Pre: MUS 301. (Spring)

MUS 317 Advanced Music Technology (3)

A continuation of the Music Technology course covering advanced applications of music sequencing, Finale and Sibelius notation systems, digital voice recording and additional applications of computers and digital keyboards. Pre: MUS 216.

MUS 312 Beginning Conducting (2)

An introduction to basic patterns, use of baton, score preparation, and rehearsal procedures. Pre: MUS 101 and 102. (Fall)

MUS 322 Music Methods for Children (3)

A survey of the materials and techniques for using music to teach children.

MUS 325 Survey of Music Business (3)

An overview of the music industry including songwriting, live performance, the record industry, music merchandising, contracts and licenses, and career opportunities. Same as BUS 325. (Spring)

MUS 341 Keyboard Skills (2)

Practical aspects of keyboard music for accompanying solos and choirs, and playing for services.

MUS 412 Philosophy of Music (3)

This course surveys the place and function of music in culture. Attention will be given to music as communication, art, entertainment and worship. Students explore theological and functional aspects of music in western and non-western cultures. Pre-requisite or Co-req: MUS 302. (Fall)

MUS 415 Worship Leadership (2)

A coverage of the principles of worship from Scripture and their application in current worship styles.

MUS 425 Music Ministry in the Local Church (2)

A study of the philosophy and programming of the music program of a congregation. Pre: MUS 102. (alternate Fall)

MUS 431 Advanced Conducting (2)

A coverage of advanced techniques of instrumental and choral conducting. Pre: MUS 312.

MUS 432 Choral Techniques (2)

A study of the techniques for rehearsing a choir and developing a unified, expressive choral tone. Pre: MUS 312.

MUS 434 Survey of Choral Literature (2)

A study of the music literature for choral groups. Pre: MUS 302.

MUS 441 Piano Literature (2)

A survey of the music literature for piano. Pre: MUS 302.

MUS 443 Vocal Literature (2)

A survey of the music literature for voice. Pre: MUS 302.

MUS 446 Music Pedagogy (3)

A study of the methods and materials for teaching applied music. A special project is required for students who are declared applied majors. Pre: Junior standing in applied study.

MUS 448 Vocal Pedagogy (2)

A study of the methods and materials for teaching voice. Pre: advanced private voice lessons.

MUS 451 Arranging (2)

An advanced theory course emphasizing techniques of vocal, choral, and instrumental arranging. Pre: MUS 206.

MUS 453 Orchestration (2)

An advanced theory course emphasizing techniques of orchestration. Pre: MUS 206.

MUS 490 Studies in Music (varies)

A study in an advanced topic of music. Pre: as announced.

MUS 497 Music Internship (varies)

Practical application of principles and techniques learned in the classroom in a supervised church, school, or other approved situation. Pre: permission. Graded Pass/Fail. (Fall, Spring)

NATURAL SCIENCE (NSC)

NSC 103 Biology I (3)

The essential concepts and fundamental principles of modern biology with major emphasis on the basic chemistry of life, the cell as the basic unit of life, the fundamentals of DNA and genetics, and a general overview of bacteria, fungi and protists. (Fall)

NSC 103L Biology I Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes the scientific method, involving observation, experimentation, data analysis and critical thinking, as applied in the study of the biology in NSC 103. Co-req or Pre: NSC 103. (Fall)

NSC 104 Biology II (3)

A continuation of the study of the essential concepts and fundamental principles of modern biology with a focus on the animal kingdom, comparative animal biology, the plant kingdom and topics in ecology. (Spring)

NSC 104L Biology II Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes the scientific method, involving observation, experimentation, data analysis and critical thinking, as applied in the study of biology in NSC 104. Co-req or Pre: NSC 104. (Spring)

NSC 106 Environmental Science (3)

An introduction to the study of the human environment. Topics include general ecology, resources, pollution, aspects of health, economics, and law as related to environmental science. (Fall, Spring and Summer)

NSC 106L Environmental Science Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes the scientific method, involving observation, experimentation, data analysis and critical thinking, as applied in the study of environmental science in NSC 106. Co-req or Pre: NSC 106. (Fall, Spring and Summer)

NSC 210 Medical Terminology (1)

This course will introduce medical terminology through a unique memorization strategy that focuses on common medical prefixes and suffixes to enable students to have a greater understanding of complex medical terminology. (Fall and Spring)

NSC 215 Human Anatomy and Physiology I (3)

An introduction to the structure and function of the human body, including a general orientation, the integument, support and movement, and the nervous, sensory and endocrine systems. (Fall)

NSC 215L Human Anatomy and Physiology I Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes the scientific method, involving observation, experimentation, data analysis and critical thinking, as applied in the study of human anatomy and physiology in NSC 115. Co-req or Pre: NSC 215. (Fall)

NSC 216 Human Anatomy and Physiology II (3)

A continuation of the study of the structure and function of the human body, including the circulatory, excretory, immune, respiratory, digestive and reproductive systems. Pre: NSC 215. (Spring)

NSC 216L Human Anatomy and Physiology II Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes the scientific method, involving observation, experimentation, data analysis and critical thinking, as applied in the study of the human anatomy and physiology in NSC 215. (Spring)

NSC 228 General Chemistry I (3)

The first of two courses emphasizing the fundamental principles of chemistry including the laws of chemical combinations, gas laws, simpler structure of atoms, periodic system, states of matter, chemistry of the non-metals and their important compounds, chemistry of metallic elements and their compounds and thermochemistry. Topics include: chemical nomenclature, stoichiometry, atomic structure, bonding theories, thermochemistry, periodic properties and gas laws. (Fall)

NSC 228L General Chemistry I Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes the scientific method, involving observation, experimentation, data analysis and critical thinking, as applied in the study of general chemistry in NSC 228. Co-req: NSC 228. (Fall)

NSC 229 General Chemistry II (3)

A continuation of the study of the principles of chemistry and their applications. The topics include solution properties, acids and bases, ionic equations, oxidation-reduction, equilibrium, kinetics, chemical thermodynamics, electrochemistry, nuclear chemistry and an introduction to organic chemistry. (Spring) Pre: NSC 228. (Spring)

NSC 229L General Chemistry II Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes the scientific method, involving observation, experimentation, data analysis and critical thinking, as applied in the study of general chemistry in NSC 228. Co-req: NSC 229. (Spring)

NSC 302 Statistics (3)

A course designed to teach the student research methodologies, statistical analyses and the appropriate usage of statistical methods, with primary emphasis on the ability to read and understand research. Same as PSY 302. Pre: MTH course. PSY 302. (Fall)

NSC 303 Methods in Research (2)

A continuation of NSC 302, with primary emphasis on applications. Same as PSY 303. Pre: NSC/PSY 302. (Spring)

NSC 307 Microbiology (3)

A study of the characteristics of bacteria, viruses, protozoa and fungi, including the diseases they cause, the control of these microorganisms and their beneficial uses and the basics of immunology. Pre: NSC 103. (Spring)

NSC 307L Microbiology Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes proper handling techniques, identification methods, and properties of microorganisms. Co-req: NSC 307. (Spring)

NSC 310 Cell Biology (3)

An in-depth study of cell structure and function, including molecular components of the membrane, organelles, bioenergetics, metabolism and enzymes. Lectures will expound upon topics such as membrane transport, the endomembrane system, protein targeting and sorting, endocytosis/exocytosis, cell shape, motility, cell-to-cell interaction and signal transduction processes. Pre: NSC 103.

NSC 320 Physics I (3)

This is a non-calculus based course covering the essentials of mechanics, including kinematics, vector analysis, forces, impulse and momentum, rotational forces and motion, angular momentum, torque and fluids. Waves, including sound, will also be covered. Both a conceptual foundation and problem solving abilities are emphasized. Pre: MTH course. (Fall)

NSC 320L Physics I Lab (1)

This laboratory course emphasizes experiments in mechanics, wave motion and should be taken concurrently with NSC 320. (Fall)

NSC 321 Physics II (3)

This course is a continuation of Physics I, completing the one year of physics. Included is an introduction to the concepts and problems of electricity and magnetism, light and modern physics. Topics include: electrical forces and fields, electrical potential, current and resistance, circuits, capacitors and capacitance, magnetic forces and fields, force on a moving charge, Maxwell's Equation, electromagnetic waves, geometrical and physical optics, interference and diffraction, and special relativity. Pre: NSC 320. (Spring)

NSC 321L Physics II Lab (1)

This laboratory course is a continuation of NSC 320L and emphasizes experiments in mechanics and wave motion and should be taken concurrently with NSC 321.

NSC 330 Organic Chemistry I (3)

As an introduction to the chemistry of carbon compounds, this course presents an integration of aromatic and aliphatic compounds treating the principal classes of each with an emphasis on molecular structure theory, stereochemistry, structure and reactivity, and reaction mechanisms. Pre: NSC 228 and 229. (Fall)

NSC 330L Organic Chemistry I Lab (1)

A study of laboratory techniques in synthesis, purification and chemical and instrumental analysis of organic compounds. Pre or Co-req: NSC 330. (Fall)

NSC 331 Organic Chemistry II (3)

This course is designed to explore in more detail the specifics of the reactivity of various functional groups. Topics will include the study of aromatic compounds, including phenols and aryl halides as well as a thorough discussion of delocalized chemical bonding; aldehydes and ketones, amines, carboxylic acids and their derivatives; lipids such as fatty acids and triglycerides; and carbohydrates. Pre: NSC 330. (Spring)

NSC 331L Organic Chemistry II Lab (1)

A continuation of the study of laboratory techniques in synthesis, purification and chemical and instrumental analysis of organic compounds. Pre or Co-req: NSC 331. (Spring)

NSC 401 Professional Ethics (3)

This course provides a springboard from which students can develop a reasoned ethical approach to dilemmas faced in the sciences.

NSC 421 Genetics (3)

An introduction to the principles of heredity using common experimental organisms. Topics include: transmission of genes in cellular and organism reproduction, structure and arrangement of genetic material in the cell, control and function of genes and population genetics. Pre: NSC 103. (alternate fall)

NSC 421L Genetics Lab (1)

The Genetics Lab will introduce students to experimental approaches in both classical and molecular genetics. Pre or Co-req: NSC 421. (alternate fall)

NSC 440 Biochemistry (3)

This course is designed as an introduction to the organic structure of living systems. Pre: NSC 330. (alternate Spring)

NEW TESTAMENT STUDIES (NTS)

NTS 201 The Story of Jesus (3)

A study of what the four gospels reveal about the life, ministry, and message of Jesus, with particular attention given to Jesus' redemptive purposes in God's narrative. Pre: BBS 102. (Fall)

NTS 203 The Acts of the Apostles (3)

An historical and exegetical study of the Acts of the Apostles, which contains a record of the establishment and development of the church. Credit will not be given for NTS 203 if NTS 204 has been completed. Pre: NTS 201 or BBS 202. (Spring).

NTS 204 The Story of Jesus' Followers (3)

A study of the early church from Jesus' ascension to the end of the New Testament period in order to understand the faith and practices of God's people in light of Jesus Christ. Credit will not be given for NTS 204 if NTS 203 or NTS 308 has been completed. Pre: BBS 102 or NTS 201. (Spring)

NTS 308 Epistles of Paul (3)

A survey of Paul's writings, including their basic contents and theological themes. Credit will not be given for NTS 308 if NTS 204 has been completed. Pre: either NTS 203 or BBS 202/BBS 302. (Fall)

NTS 320 Romans (3)

An in-depth exegetical study of the epistle, including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to contemporary Christian life and theology, focusing on the historical context and doctrinal themes peculiar to the epistle. Pre: either NTS 308/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 321 I Corinthians (3)

An in-depth exegetical study of the epistle, including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to contemporary Christian life and theology, focusing on the historical context and doctrinal themes peculiar to the epistle. Pre: either NTS 308/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 323 Ephesians and Colossians (3)

An in-depth exegetical study of the epistles, including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to contemporary Christian life and theology, focusing on the historical context and doctrinal themes peculiar to the epistles. Pre: either NTS 308/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 324 Philippians and Philemon (3)

An in-depth exegetical study of the epistles, including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to contemporary Christian life and theology, focusing on the historical context and doctrinal themes peculiar to the epistles. Pre: either NTS 308/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 326 I and II Timothy, Titus (3)

An in-depth exegetical study of the epistles, including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to contemporary Christian life and theology, focusing on the historical context and doctrinal themes peculiar to the epistles. Pre: either NTS 308/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 330 Hebrews (3)

An in-depth exegetical study of the epistle, including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to contemporary Christian life and theology, focusing on the historical context and doctrinal themes peculiar to the epistle. Pre: either NTS 308/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 332 James, I, II, III John, Jude (3)

An in-depth exegetical study of the epistles, including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to contemporary Christian life and theology, focusing on the historical context and doctrinal themes peculiar to the epistles. Pre: either NTS 308/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 334 Gospel of Mark (3)

A study of the Gospel of Mark as theological literature and as an historical resource for understanding the life of Jesus of Nazareth. Pre: either NTS 201/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 401 The Revelation of John (3)

A study of the final book of the Bible, giving special attention to its historical setting, Christology, and various interpretations. Pre: either BBS 102/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 402 Gospel of John (3)

An in-depth exegetical study of the fourth Gospel, including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to contemporary Christian life and theology, focusing on the historical context and doctrinal themes peculiar to the Gospel of John. Pre: either NTS 201/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 425 Scripture Within Scripture (3)

A study of the use of the Old Testament by the New Testament writers, particularly as it related to their portrayal of the work of Jesus Christ. Pre: either BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 430 The Passion and Resurrection Narratives of the Gospels

A historical, literary, and theological study of the passion and resurrection narratives of the four canonical gospels, beginning with Matthew 26:1-5 and parallels and moving to the terminus of all the gospels. Pre: either NTS 201/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

NTS 490 Studies in New Testament (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content emphasizing independent research and formal classroom presentation. Such areas as backgrounds, history, text and canon, or exegetical principles may be covered. Pre: BBS 201 and as announced.

NTS 495 Research Methods in Biblical Studies (3)

An advanced course which explores the range of methods employed in Old Testament and New Testament study up to the present day. The entire research process – from delineating a thesis to the presentation of research – will be discussed, modeled, and practiced. NTS 495 or OTS 495 is required for all Biblical Studies students enrolled in the Honors Program. Same as OTS 495 with alternating focus each year. Pre: Senior standing and permission.

OLD TESTAMENT STUDIES (OTS)

OTS 210 The Story of Israel (3)

A study of God working out his purposes through the ancient people of Israel a disclosed in the Old Testament. Pre: BBS 102. (Fall, Spring)

OTS 240 Old Testament Prophecy (3)

A survey of the prophetic literature of the Old Testament analyzing the origin, purpose and basic contents of each book. Pre: either OTS 210 or BBS 202/BBS 302. (Spring)

OTS 270 Old Testament Poetry (3)

A survey of the poetic literature of the Old Testament analyzing the origin, purpose and basic contents of each book. Pre: either OTS 210 or BBS 202/BBS 302. (Fall)

OTS 301 Genesis (3)

An exegesis of the biblical book of Genesis with emphasis given to the origin, purpose and major theological themes of the text. Pre: either OTS 210/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

OTS 305 Isaiah (3)

An exegesis of the biblical book of Isaiah with emphasis given to the origin, purpose and major theological themes of the text. Pre: either OTS 210/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

OTS 307 Laws of Israel (3)

A study of the legal literature of the Pentateuch analyzing the moral, social and religious legislation of ancient Israel. Pre: either OTS 210/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

OTS 313 Psalms (3)

A systematic survey of ancient Hebrew Hymnody including an exegesis of several selected Psalms. Pre: either OTS 210/BBS 201 or BBS 202/BBS 302.

OTS 408 Ancient Near Eastern History (3)

The purpose of this course is to explore systematically the history and culture of the ancient Near East, focusing on Mesopotamia, Egypt and Syria-Palestine ca. 3000-323 B.C.E. Pre: OTS 210 and HIS 102. (alternate Fall)

OTS 490 Studies in Old Testament (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study from the Old Testament. Pre: BBS 201 and as announced.

OTS 495 Research Methods in Biblical Studies (3)

An advanced course which explores the range of methods employed in Old Testament and New Testament study up to the present day. The entire research process – from delineating a thesis to the presentation of research – will be discussed, modeled, and practiced. NTS 495 or OTS 495 is required for all Biblical Studies students enrolled in the Honors Program. Same as NTS 495 with alternating focus each year. Pre: Senior standing and permission.

PHILOSOPHY (PHL)

PHL 201 Introduction to Philosophy (3)

An examination of key philosophical themes and ideas, such as the nature of the universe, the nature of knowing, human nature and ethics, through the writings of significant philosophers. (alternate Fall)

PHL 203 Logic (3)

A study of the art and science of correct reasoning, including major types of fallacies, criteria of definition and elementary deductive arguments.

PHL 216 Philosophy of Religion (3)

An examination of classical and contemporary arguments for the existence of God and a philosophical inquiry into the coherence of Christian theism. Topics include a variety of theistic

proofs, the problem of faith and reason, divine foreknowledge and human free will, the problem of evil, God's eternity, the trinity, the incarnation and others. (alternate Spring)

PHL 225 History of Philosophy (3)

This course will provide an initial encounter with the great philosophers and their ideas in a historical context. The course will also provide an introduction to various philosophical concepts, including metaphysics, epistemology, ethics and logic. Same as HIS 225. (alternate Fall)

PHL 302 Apologetics (3)

A study of the theological and philosophical defense of Christianity with an emphasis on the key aspects of a variety of models of apologetics. Pre: THE 301 or BBS 302.

PHL 325 Ethics (3)

An examination of influential theories regarding the nature of morality and the human good life. Readings in Plato, Aristotle, Hobbes, Hume, Kant, Mill and others. Includes a focus on the relationship between religion and morality. Pre: one PHL course.

PHL 330 World Religions (3)

A survey of major world religions, including Judaism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Taoism and a variety of primal religions. Attention is given to the nature of religious truth claims and their rational assessment, the challenge of religious pluralism and relativism, and the prospects for fruitful interreligious dialogue. (Spring)

PHL 421 Ancient and Medieval Philosophy (3)

A critical survey of the history of Western philosophy, beginning with the Pre-Socratics and including prominent figures such as Plato, Aristotle, Plotinus, Augustine, Aquinas, Scotus, Ockham and Suarez. Attention will be given to topics in metaphysics, epistemology, philosophy of religion and ethics as they arise in their historical contexts. Pre: one PHL course and permission.

PHL 422 Early Modern Philosophy (3)

A critical survey of the history of Western philosophy from Descartes through Kant. Attention will be given to issues in metaphysics, epistemology, philosophy of religion and ethics. Pre: one PHL course and permission. Pre: one PHL course.

PHL 425 Major Worldviews (3)

An examination of the different worldviews that have developed in or been introduced into the Western world and how they influence the modern mind and society. Pre: one PHL course. (alternate Spring)

PHL 490 Studies in Philosophy (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of philosophy. Pre: as announced.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION (PHE)

PHE 105 Physical Fitness and Wellness (1)

A total fitness program designed to acquaint the student with the theory and practice of good physical fitness and wellness. (Fall and Spring)

PHE 110 Leisure Life Skills I (1)

Co-ed instruction and activity in volleyball and/or badminton. (Fall)

PHE 115 Cardiovascular Conditioning (1)

Instruction and activity in principles and procedures of cardiovascular conditioning.

PHE 120 Leisure Life Skills II (1)

Co-ed instruction and activity in racquetball and/or tennis. (Spring)

PHE 125 Recreational Games (1)

Instruction in rules and skills of individual and team games and sports for use in school, church or playground programs. (Spring)

PHE 130 Weight Training (1)

Instruction and activity in principles and procedures of weight training that contribute to physical fitness. (Fall, Spring)

PHE 201 First Aid and CPR (1)

Accident scene management, victim assessment and basic life support, injury management and victim care knowledge and practice are emphasized. Certification can be earned. (Fall and Spring)

PHE 220 Exercise and Weight Control (1)

A nutrition, exercise and weight management course emphasizing the basics of proper nutrition and exercise. Emphasis on lifestyle changes and their relationship to appropriate weight management. (Fall)

PHE 300 Internship in Sports and Recreational Management (1)

This course is a supervised, structured work experience designed to augment and develop practical experience in sports record keeping and management. Same as SPM 300. Pre: Permission (Fall, Spring)

PREACHING MINISTRY (PRM)

PRM 201 Introduction to Preaching (3)

A study of the fundamentals of constructing and delivering sermons that are based on the Word of God. Pre: COM 205. (Spring)

PRM 320 Advanced Preaching (3)

A continuing study of the principles and skills of sermon preparation and delivery. Pre: PRM 201. (Fall)

PRM 403 Expository Preaching (3)

An advanced study in the art and science of preparing and delivering expository sermons. Pre: BBS 201 and PRM320. (Spring)

PRM 405 History of Christian Preaching (3)

The history of Christian preaching from the first century C.E. to the present. Pre: PRM 320.

PRM 430 Preaching and Story (3)

An advanced study of the preparation and delivery of various forms of contemporary narrative preaching. Pre: PRM 320.

PRM 475 New Testament and Preaching Seminar (3)

In-depth exegetical studies of designated New Testament literature including careful analysis of the text and thoughtful application to preaching. Pre: PRM 320 and BBS 201.

PRM 490 Studies in Preaching (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of preaching ministry. Pre: PRM 320 and as announced.

PRM 497 Preaching Ministry Internship (varies)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: PRM 320, junior standing and permission. Graded Pass/Fail. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

PSYCHOLOGY (PSY)

PSY 103 Introduction to Psychology (3)

A study of psychological structures and functions, designed to help students better understand themselves and others. This course is a prerequisite for all other courses in psychology. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

PSY 200 Social Psychology (3)

A course designed to integrate issues in psychology and sociology as they relate to human interaction. Same as SOC 200. Pre: PSY 103 and SOC 103. (Fall and Spring)

PSY 204 Developmental Psychology (3)

A study of human growth and development from conception and the prenatal period through adulthood and death. Pre: PSY 103. (Fall)

PSY 302 Statistics (3)

A course designed to teach the student research methodologies, statistical analyses and the appropriate usage of statistical methods, with primary emphasis on the ability to read and understand research. Pre: MTH course. (Fall)

PSY 303 Methods in Research (2)

A continuation of PSY 302, with primary emphasis on applications. Previously listed as HRL 303. Pre: PSY 302. (Spring)

PSY 305 Adolescent Psychology (3)

A study of human growth and development from late childhood to early adulthood. Pre: PSY 204. (Spring and Summer)

PSY 315 Group Dynamics (2)

The analysis of how groups work and how to improve relationships in order to function effectively with all groups. Pre: PSY 103 or SOC 103. (Fall)

PSY 341 Abnormal Psychology (3)

This introductory abnormal psychology course is designed to help students understand the physiological, social, psychological nature of abnormal behavior as well as an understanding of the diagnosis and treatment of mental disorder. Pre: PSY 204. (Fall)

PSY 414 Human Sexuality (3)

A course designed to explore male, female differences in regard to emotions, perceptions, attitudes of relationships, and power of sexuality. It focuses on psychological and socio-cultural influences on human sexuality and incorporates a life span perspective. Pre: PSY 204. (alternate Spring)

PSY 420 Violence in Society (3)

A study of the nature of violence and violent crimes in contemporary society. Examines how the American criminal justice system attempts to prevent violent acts, and examines the nature and treatment of the offenders. Same as SOC 420. Pre: junior or senior standing.

PSY 421 Sports Psychology (3)

An overview of the psychological factors affecting behavior in exercise and sports settings. (Spring)

PSY 425 Interpersonal Effectiveness (2)

A course designed to enhance the students' ability to be effective in interpersonal interaction, learning more about themselves and the skills necessary for quality communication, relationship building, problem solving, conflict resolution and dealing with difficult people. Pre: PSY 103 or SOC 103.

PSY 442 Personality Theory (3)

A survey of major theories of personality from Freud to the present, including psychodynamic theory, influences of genetic and biochemical factors on behavior, social learning and environmental influences, and internal versus external locus of control. Pre: PSY 204. (Fall)

PSY 465 Psychology of Religion (3)

A course designed to develop an understanding of the development of religion from historical, cultural, developmental, and psychological perspectives. Pre: senior standing or permission. (Spring)

PSY 490 Studies in Psychology (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of psychology. Pre: as announced.

PSY 497 Field Work in Psychology

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer.

SOCIAL SCIENCES (SOC)

SOC 103 Introduction to Sociology (3)

A study of the effects of group relations on human behavior with special emphasis on developing a Christian world view. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

SOC 200 Social Psychology (3)

A course designed to integrate issues in psychology and sociology as they relate to human interaction. Same as PSY 200. Pre: PSY 103 and SOC 103. (Fall and Spring)

SOC 202 The Family (3)

Dating, courtship, marriage, and family relationships from both a biblical and cultural perspective. Same as CHS 202. Pre: PSY 103 or SOC 103. (Fall and Spring)

SOC 203 Cultural Anthropology (3)

A study of the nature, functions, and manifestations of culture in diverse human societies. (Fall)

SOC 215 Geography (3)

Introductory world regional geography focusing on the ways in which cultural groups around the world utilize and modify their landscapes and environments. (Fall and Spring)

SOC 300 Social Theory (3)

An introduction to the major theories and theorists in sociology. Includes an examination of the development of sociological theory and the influences of those theories on contemporary society. Pre: SOC 103. (Fall)

SOC 350 Social Problems (3)

Overview of contemporary problems in society including addiction, race relations, prejudice, overpopulation, mental health and ageism. Examines how sociological methods and analysis are applied to social problems in an effort to create solutions to the problems. Pre: SOC 103 (Spring)

SOC 355 Human Behavior and the Social Environment (3)

Overview of the theories on various aspects of human behavior and their effects on cognitive development. Examines how various social influences - economics, religion, politics and other demographics – cause deviations from supposed human norms. Pre: SOC 103. (Spring)

SOC 412 Death, Loss and Grief (3)

A study of the individual and social practices regarding death, and how death, loss and grief are perceived differently by various groups and cultures. Examines ho death and bereavement exist as process of society. Pre: SOC 103. (Fall)

SOC 420 Violence and Society (3)

A study of the nature of violence and violent crimes in contemporary society. Examines how the American criminal justice system attempts to prevent violent acts, and examines the nature and treatment of the offenders. Same as PSY 420. Pre: junior or senior standing. (alternate Fall)

SOC 430 Race, Ethnicity and Gender (3)

A survey of the sociological theories and problems surrounding race, ethnicity and gender in contemporary society, including stereotypes of each classification. Pre: SOC 103.

SOCIAL WORK (SWK)

SWK 401 Social Work Policy I (3)

This course is an introduction to the history, structure and theories of social work, and the various policies of social welfare. The first course examines the theories and theorists of social work and the nature of society's need for social workers. Pre: SOC 300. (Fall)

SWK 402 Social Work Policy II (3)

This course is an introduction to the history, structure and theories of social work, and the various policies of social welfare. The second course examines the processes and analytic models used in social work, and how social workers can affect political processes for social justice. Pre: SWK 401. (Spring)

SWK 410 Social Work Practice (3)

This course is an introduction to evaluation techniques, problem-solving in a social work setting and the ethics of practicing as a social worker. Pre: SOC 300. (Fall)

SWK 497 Field Work in Social Work (6)

This course is an introduction to evaluation techniques, problem-solving in a social work setting and the ethics of practicing as a social worker. Pre: SWK 410 (Spring)

SPANISH (SPA)

SPA 101 Spanish I (4)

Introduction to the four basic skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing in Spanish with emphasis on speaking in everyday situations, an introduction to Hispanic culture(s), and a required lab component. Designed for students with little or no previous language training. (Fall)

SPA 102 Spanish II (4)

Continued development of listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills within a cultural context, with a required lab component. Pre: SPA 101 or permission. (Spring)

SPA 201 Intermediate Spanish I (3)

Continued development of listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in Spanish with a review of language fundamentals, practice in conversation, a study of Hispanic civilization, and a required lab component. Pre: SPA 102 or permission. (Fall)

SPA 202 Intermediate Spanish II (3)

Extensive oral and written work in Spanish, including an expansion of Spanish vocabulary and syntactical structures, an introduction to Spanish prose, poetry, drama and essays of moderate difficulty, and a required lab component. Pre: SPA 201 or permission. (Spring)

SPA 303 Spanish Conversation (3)

Practice in conversation skills integrated with listening comprehension, reading, and writing skills. Pre: SPA 202 or permission.

SPA 401 Spanish Literature (3)

Critical reading and interpretation of literature written in Spain through the study of

representative texts in various genres. Includes practice in listening, speaking and writing skills. Taught in Spanish. Pre: SPA 202 or permission.

SPORTS MANAGEMENT (SPM)

SPM 300 Internship in Sports and Recreational Management (1)

This course is a supervised, structured work experience designed to augment and develop practical experience in sports record keeping and management. Same as PHE 300. Pre: permission. (Fall, Spring)

SPM 423 Sports Facilities Management (3)

The principles and procedures involved in the design and management of sports facilities as well as programming and events management. Pre: BUS 225 and junior standing. (alternate Fall)

SPM 425 Team Management (3)

An overview of the motivational, psychological and organizational considerations involved in the coaching of teams and individual athletes. Pre: BUS 225 and junior standing. (alternate Spring)

SPM 427 Administration of Fitness and Wellness Programs (3)

Designed to examine all phases of fitness and wellness programs including the administration of fitness tests, program planning and evaluation. Pre: BUS 225 and junior standing. (alternate Spring)

SPM 429 Issues in Sports Management (3)

An examination of finance, marketing and promotion, selected legal problems, and human relations in the field of sports management. Pre: BUS 225 and junior standing. (alternate Fall)

SPM 497 Sports Management Internship (3)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: two SPM courses and permission.

THEOLOGY (THE)

THE 301 Theological Foundations for the Christian Life (3)

This course is a review of major theological ideas found in Scripture with a focus on how they inform Christian thought. Designed to introduce how to think and live theologically, this study offers a solid theological basis for integrating biblical ideals into life, ethics, business and church community. Pre: BBS 102 and BBS 201. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

THE 302 Apologetics (3)

A study of the theological and philosophical defense of Christianity with an emphasis on the key aspects of a variety of models of apologetics. Pre: THE 301 or BBS 302.

THE 331 Christian Doctrine of God (3)

A study of the biblical teachings concerning the nature of God, including a consideration of the attributes of God, the Trinity, and the incarnation. Special attention is given to the nature and work of Christ and the Holy Spirit. Pre: THE 301 or BBS 302.

THE 345 Christian Doctrine of Sin and Salvation (3)

A study of the biblical doctrine of the nature and effects of human sin and of God's provision of salvation. Attention is given to the doctrines of grace, redemption and atonement, the person and work of Christ, the nature of saving faith and the role of the Holy Spirit in the life of the believer. Pre: THE 301 or BBS 302.

THE 352 Theology of the Cults (3)

A critical survey of the teachings of a variety of contemporary cults in light of relevant biblical doctrines. Pre: THE 301 or BBS 302.

THE 392 Theology and the Arts (3)

This is an interdisciplinary course on the relationship between theology and the arts in both theory and practice. This course will overview the recent major work on a theology *of* the arts, while also investigating how theology is done *through* the arts. Pre: THE 301 and HUM 101. (alternate Spring)

THE 401 Systematic Theology (3)

This course will consist of an overview of the enterprise called systematic theology, followed by a systematic theological treatment of the sacraments of baptism and the Eucharist. Pre: THE 301 or BBS 302.

THE 405 Christ and Culture (3)

An integrated course that brings together knowledge gained from previous courses in Biblical Studies, Theology, and Humanities. This capstone course focuses on the integration of culture and the Christian worldview. The final section of the course involves discussion of one tangible outcome of the Christian worldview in contemporary culture, namely, the integration of students' faith and calling in their projected career field and place of work. Pre: Senior standing and either BBS 302 or THE 301. (Fall, Spring, Summer)

THE 410 Thought of the Restoration Movement (3)

An examination of views prevalent within the Restoration Movement with particular attention to significant documents and to the thought of Thomas and Alexander Campbell and other influential spokesmen. Same as HIS 410. Pre: HIS 301 and THE 301.

THE 416 Morality and Christian Ethics (3)

An examination of a variety of contemporary moral issues, such as abortion, euthanasia, pornography, marriage and divorce, homosexuality, war, and capital punishment, in light of biblical principles. Pre: THE 301 or BBS 302.

THE 490 Studies in Religion and Theology (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study from the fields of Christian theology or contemporary religions. Pre: as announced.

YOUTH MINISTRY (YTH)

YTH 220 Introduction to Youth Ministry (3)

An overview of the field of youth ministry that covers the philosophy of youth work as well as practical methods and programming. Pre: MIN 202 or MIN 313. (Spring)

YTH 323 Programs in Youth Ministry (2)

A study of the various programs in youth work occurring in the week-to-week operations of the local church. Pre: YTH 220. (alternate Spring)

YTH 324 Youth Leadership (2)

A study of the recruitment, training, and nurturing of adults who work with the youth program of the local church. Pre: YTH 220. (alternate Spring)

YTH 360 Recreational Leadership (3)

A course designed to assist in the planning, promoting, and conducting of church-related recreation programs, stressing the needs of all ages and the variety of forms. (Spring)

YTH 426 Youth Ministry Seminar (varies)

An in-depth study of the youth ministry ministerial objective, adult relationships in the church and youth program development. Pre: YTH 323.

YTH 487 Christian Camping Internship (varies)

A program designed to give students practical training for leadership in Christian camping, including a practicum in an approved camping situation. Same as CED 487. Pre: permission.

YTH 490 Studies in Youth Ministry (varies)

A course flexible in procedure and content focused on a selected study in the field of youth ministry. Pre: YTH 220 and as announced.

YTH 497 Youth Ministry Internship (varies)

Field education providing an opportunity to learn through observation and participation. Specific training models are designed by the student and professor in cooperation with an approved field observer. Pre: permission. Graded Pass/Fail. (Spring, Fall)

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Beach, Forrest B. (Butch): Professor of Criminal Justice (2012).

B.S. in Criminal Justice, Troy State University; M.S. in Criminal Justice, Troy State University; M.P.A. in Justice Administration, Columbus State University; D.P.A. in Public Sector Leadership, Valdosta State University.

Berry, Kristen J. R.: Instructor of Communication (2006).

B.A. in Communications, Johnson C. Smith University; M.A. in Human Communication Studies, Howard University.

Carey, Holly J.: Professor of Biblical Studies (2007).

B.A. in Biblical Studies, Point University; M.A. in Biblical Studies, Asbury Theological Seminary; Ph.D. in New Testament and Christian Origins, University of Edinburgh.

Cartwright, Byron J.: Professor of Music (1993).

B.S.M. in Music, Cincinnati Bible University; M.S.M. in Music, Cincinnati Bible Seminary; M.M. in Vocal Performance, University of Cincinnati; D.M.A. in Voice, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Cartwright, Katie L.: Professor of Music (1993).

B.S. in Music Education, Eastern Illinois University; M.A. in Piano Performance, Eastern Illinois University; Ph.D. in Music, Emphasis in Music Theory Pedagogy, Union Institute & University.

Cook, Donald B., Jr.: Assistant Professor of Natural Science (2011).

B.S. in Psychology, Mississippi State University; M.Ed. in Sciences, Mississippi College.

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B.A. in Biblical Studies and Humanities, Point University; M.Litt. Theology, Imagination and the Arts, University of St. Andrews; Ph.D. in Theology and the Arts, University of St. Andrews.

Donovan, James C.: Professor of Education (1984).

B.A., B.Th., Point University; M.Ed., Georgia State University; Ph.D. in Education, Georgia State University.

Dycus, D. J.: Professor of English and Humanities (1998).

B.A. in English, Milligan College; M.A. in English, East Tennessee State University; Ph.D. in English, Georgia State University.

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B.S. in Mathematics, B.S. Computer Science, Milligan College; M.S. Mathematics, Nicholls State University.

Haverly, Jeffrey A.: Professor of Business (1997).

B.S. in Accounting, Missouri Baptist University; M.B.A. with MIS emphasis, Southern Illinois University; D.Mgt. in Management, Webster University. Certified Public Accountant, Certified Management Accountant.

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B.S. in Natural Science, Spelman College; M.S. in Science Education, Georgia State University; Ed.D in Teacher Leadership, Walden University.

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B.A. in Human Relations, Trinity College; M.A. in School Counseling, Clark Atlanta University; Ed.D. in Counseling Psychology, Argosy University, 2008.

Hooks, Stephen M.: Professor of Biblical Studies (1988).

B.A. in Christian Ministry, Point University; M.Div. in Bible, Emmanuel School of Religion; Ph.D. in Hebrew Bible, Hebrew Union University.

Huxford, Sarah G.: Instructor of Communications and English (2009).

B.A. in English and German, Wofford College; Master of Mass Communications, University of South Carolina.

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B.A. in English, University of Montevallo; M.A. in English, Auburn University.

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B.A. in History, Milligan University; M.A.T. in History, Georgia State University; Ph.D. in Social Foundations of Education, Georgia State University.

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B.S. in Equine Facilitated Therapeutics and English, Wilson College; M.A. in English Literature, Auburn University.

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B.A. in Human Relations, Milligan College; M.S. in Community Counseling, Georgia State University; B.Th. in New Testament, Point University; Ph.D. in Educational Psychology, Georgia State University.

Morris, John H.: Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies (2010).

B.A. in Biology, Emory University; Master of Divinity, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary; Master of Theology, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary; Ph.D. in New Testament, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

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B.A. in Sociology, University of Virginia; Master of Social Work, University of Georgia.

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B.S. in English, University of Southern Mississippi; M.A. in English, University of Mississippi; Ed.D in Curriculum Studies, Georgia Southern University.

Schock, Carlye: Instructor of English (2012).

B.A. in Comparative Humanities, Bucknell University; M.A. in English, National University.

Southerland, Lacey Ann: Professor of Education (1998).

B.S. in Elementary Education/TYC, Stephen F. Austin State University; M.Ed. in Early Childhood Education, Stephen F. Austin State University; Ph.D. in Early Childhood Education, Georgia State University.

Thompson-Lewis, Shirley A.: Instructor of Human Relations (2012).

B.S. in Social Work, Loyola University of Chicago; M.A. in Christian Studies, Grand Canyon University; Master of Social Work, University of Illinois at Chicago.

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B.S in English, Abilene Christian University; M.A. in Composition and Rhetoric, Abilene Christian University.

Weaver, S. Todd: Professor of Business (2010).

B.B.A., University of Georgia; M.B.A., University of North Carolina; Ph.D. in Business, Georgia State University.

Woolfolk, Dedra R.: Professor of Natural Science (2004).

B.S. in Biology, Morris Brown University; M.S. in Biological and Biomedical Science, Emory University School of Medicine; Ph.D. in Pharmacology, Emory University School of Medicine.

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Beirne, Christopher: Instructor of Biblical Studies, Director of Student Life (2012). B.S. in Civil Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology; Master of Arts in Religion, Emmanuel Christian Seminary.

Douglas, Randy: Instructor of Sports Management, Coach (2000).

B.S. in Business Administration, Tennessee Temple University; Master of Sports Science, U.S. Sports Academy.

Glenn, Dennis E.: Professor of Christian Ministries and Education, V.P. for Institutional Effectiveness and Dean of Accreditation (1994).

A.B. in Bible-Ministries, Manhattan Christian University; M.S. in Education, Kansas State University; Ed.S. in Educational Supervision, Eastern New Mexico University; Ph.D. in Education, Kansas State University.

Harrison, W. Darryl: Instructor, Chief Academic Officer (2010).

B.A. in Religion and Philosophy, Samford University; M.A. in Christian Education, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; Ed.D. in Instructional Leadership, University of Alabama.

Huxford, Samuel W. (Wye): Instructor of Biblical Studies, V.P. for Spiritual Formation and Dean of the Chapel (1976).

B.A. in Christian Ministry, Point University; M.Div. in New Testament, Cincinnati Bible University and Seminary.

Tyler, Jennifer Perkins: Instructor of Physical Education, Coach (2011).

B.S. in Biology, Trevecca Nazarene University; M.A. in Teaching, Lee University.

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B.S. in Global Economics and Modern Languages, Georgia Institute of Technology; M.S. in International Affairs, Georgia Institute of Technology.

ADJUNCT FACULTY (partial listing, traditional curriculum):

Beale, Roger D.: Adjunct Instructor of Music (1999).

B.Mu.Ed., Southern Illinois University; M.C.M., Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

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B.A. in Bible, Harding University; M.Th. in Bible, Harding Graduate School of Religion; M.A. in New Testament, Harding Graduate School of Religion; Ph.D. in New Testament Exegesis, University of Aberdeen.

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B.A. in History, University of Georgia; M.A. in History, University of Nebraska at Kearney.

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B.S. in Elementary Education K-9, Auburn University; M.Ed. in Specific Learning Disabilities K-12, Auburn University; M.Ed. in Administration, Auburn University.

Cook, Emma A.: Adjunct Instructor of Nutrition (2014).

B.A. in Psychology, Auburn University; M.S. in Nutrition, Auburn University.

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B.S. in Applied Mathematics, Auburn University; Master of Applied Mathematics, Auburn University.

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B.B.A. Business, Universidad Rafael Landivar, Guatemala; M.A in Spanish, Auburn University.

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Bachelor of Music in Instrumental Music Education, Middle Tennessee State University.

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B.A. in Christian Ministries, Point University; M.Div. in Church History, Emmanuel School of Religion; Ph.D. in American Studies, Emory University.

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B.A. in History, LaGrange College; M.A. in Classics, University of Durham.

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Bachelor of Social Work, Freed Hardeman University; Master of Social Work, Clark Atlanta University.

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B.S. in Biology, Tuskegee University, 2005; M.A. in Education, University of Phoenix, 2011.

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B.S in Early Childhood Education, Atlanta Christian College; M.S. in Elementary Reading Literacy Instruction, Walden University.

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Portwood, Seth A.: Adjunct Instructor of Counseling and Human Services (2009). B.A. in Psychology, Mercer University; Master of Social Work, University of Georgia.

Powers, Charles C.: Adjunct Instructor of History (2012).

B.S. in History and Political Science, Shorter College; M.A. in History, University of West Georgia.

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B.S. in Chemical Engineering, Tennessee Technological University; Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering, Vanderbilt University.

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B.A. in Political Science, Baylor University; Master of Social Science (History and Political Science), Mississippi College.

Sharp, Paula: Adjunct Instructor of Mathematics (2014).

B.S. in Mathematics, University of North Alabama; M.Ed. in Secondary Mathematics, Alabama A & M University.

Smith, Brian: Adjunct Instructor of Music (2007).

Bachelor of Music in Guitar Performance, University of Georgia.

Stinson, Melissa: Adjunct Instructor of Education (2010).

B.S. in Early Childhood Education, Atlanta Christian College; M.Ed. in Early Childhood Education, University of West Georgia.

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B.S. in Education (Music), Jacksonville State University; Master of Music Education, Columbus State University.

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