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MDiv Concentration Guide

Including 2009-2011 course projections

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- The courses included in this handbook are projections for the next 2 years. There may be additions and there may be deletions to this list because course offerings are subject to change.
 - You may have already taken a class that is not listed here, but was listed in the old Concentration Handbook. If that is the case, don't worry – it will still fulfill a concentration requirement.
- Applicable courses that fulfill degree requirements (IAM, CEE, REG, SR/RP, ES/HT/ST, and Electives) also fulfill concentration requirements where so indicated in each concentration.
- Capstone courses are taken during the final year at Candler. With permission of the instructor, capstone courses are open to non-concentrators in all Candler degree programs as a general elective during the student's final year.
- All Concentrations have the option for directed studies, internships and the MDiv thesis. These cannot be substituted for the capstone courses (where applicable), but can be substituted for other requirements with the approval of the Concentration Coordinator(s).
- Non-Candler courses may be eligible to meet concentration requirements per approval of the Concentration Coordinator(s). These courses may include courses at other Emory schools and cross-registration courses at ATA schools.
 - Contact the Concentration Coordinator with a course syllabus or course description and include a written rationale for why the particular course should be an allowable course for the Concentration.
 - All courses outside Candler must meet Candler requirements for graduate work and receive the explicit approval of the concentration coordinator *before* the start of the semester.
 - Courses at other Emory schools require instructor permission for enrollment.
- Any course taken at the undergraduate level requires additional work agreed upon by the student and instructor to meet graduate-level course requirements. Instructor permission is required for enrollment.
- Within each concentration, a maximum of one concentration course may be taken S/U, in accordance with Candler's policy regarding S/U courses. Capstone courses cannot be taken S/U. All other Concentration courses must receive a grade of C or above in order to fulfill concentration requirements. Note: students who entered Fall 2007 may take up to half of concentration courses S/U.
- If there is any question about the eligibility of a course for the concentration, please contact the Concentration Coordinator.
- If you want to change your concentration, send an email to candlerregistrar@emory.edu with your name, 7 digit student ID# and the change.

Coordinator: L. Wesley de Souza (ldesouz@emory.edu)

The concentration in Formation and Witness is designed to allow students to explore in greater depth issues of Christian formation, mission, and public witness as matters of both personal and ecclesial practice.

Number of hours: 12 (minimum)

One of the following courses:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| RE 501/ 501CE | Religious Education as Formation and Transformation/ Contextualized Religious Education as Formation & Transformation | | X X | X | | X X | X |
| EV 501 | Enabling an Evangelizing Church | | X | X | X | X | X |

At least one course on the history, theology or psychology of Christian formation:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|---|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| BI/HT 631 | Paul & His Ancient Commentators | | | X | | | |
| CH 616 | Pietism: The Development of Modern Piety | | X | | | | |
| CH 644 | Dividing Community: Race, Doctrine, and Identity in America | X | | | | X | |
| CH 645 | History of Ministry in America | | | | | | X |
| HT 510 | Medieval Christian Thought | X | X | | | | |
| HT 634CEE | Teaching Spiritual Classics | | | X | | | |
| HT 698 | Special Topics in Historical Theology: American Evangelicalism, Pentacostalism & Fundamentalism | | | | X | | |
| HT 698 | Issues in Historical Theology: Holy Women in the Medieval Church: Gender & the Body in the Story of the Saint | X | | X | | | |
| RP/RE/ES 649 | Psychology of Moral Development and Education | X | | | | X | |
| RP 653 | William James: Psychology, Religion, and Ethics | | | X | | | |
| SR 621 | Howard Thurman: Spirituality and Community | X | | X | | | X |
| ST 672 | Trinitarian Praxis: The Trinity, The Person, and the Christian Life | | | | | | X |
| ST 681 | Sex, Sin, and Salvation: The Christian Doctrine of the Human Person | | | | | X | |

At least one course on the practice of Christian formation:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| CC/RE 632 | Community Ministries as Religious Education | | X | | | | |
| CC/SR 698 | Special Topics in Church & Community/Sociology of Religion: The Church in the 'Age of Migration' | | | X | | | |
| CH/EV/SR 698 | Special Topics in Church History/Evangelism/Sociology of Religion: God's TV: American Religion & the Media | | | X | | | |
| EV 511 | Renewal and Revitalization of the Church | | | | | | X |
| EV/M 697 | Evangelism Travel Seminars | | X | X | | X | |
| LA 503/503CE | Leading the Congregation/ Contextualized Leading the Congregation | | X | | X | X | |
| RE 503 | Images of God | X | | X | | | |
| RE/RP 601 | Dynamics of Faith & Identity | | X | | | | |
| RE 621 | Creativity & Pedagogy | | | X | | | |
| RE 670B | Technology for Ministry | | | X | | | |
| SR 630 | Methodist Church & Race | X | | X | | | |
| SR 635 | Christian Communalism in America | X | | X | | | |

At least one course in Missions (M) or Preaching (other than P 501).

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| M 603 | The Church's Mission in a Pluralistic World | | | X | | | |
| M 609CEE | Global Church in God's Mission | | X | | | X | |
| M 619/ ES 609 | Theology of Social Ministry/ Social Mission of the Christian Church | | X | | | | |
| M/EV 642(D) | Religion, Culture (Society) and Mission in Latin America | X | X | (X) | | X | |
| M 650 | Mission & International Health | | | X | | | X |
| M/CC 655 | The Church on the Border | X | | | | | X |
| M 698J | Mission in Contemporary North America | | | | | | X |
| P 613 | Oral Presentation of Scripture & Sermon | | | X | | | X |
| P 617CEE | Lectionary Preaching & Life of the Church | | X | | | | |
| P 620 | Prophetic Voices for a New Century | | | | | | X |
| P 631 | Contemporary Black Preaching | X | X | | | | |
| P/NT 636 | Preaching about Death: NT Themes & Perspectives | | | X | | | |
| P 642 | Women and Preaching | X | | | | X | |
| P 698 | Special Topics in Preaching: Preaching & the Cross: A Stumbling Block in the Pulpit? | | | X | | | |

Leadership in Church and Community

Coordinators: David Jenkins (dojenki@emory.edu) & Luther Smith (lsmit03@emory.edu)

The mission of the concentration in Leadership in Church and Community is to form students in the analytic frameworks, critical perspectives, practices, skills, and practical theological patterns of reflection necessary for effective leadership in contemporary churches and community organizations.

Number of hours: 12 (minimum)

Requirements: Upon selecting the Leadership in Church and Community concentration the student will choose 12 hours of courses from among the following:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| CC 502/ 502CE | Church & Community Leadership/Contextualized Church & Community Leadership | | X | X | | X | |
| CC 511/ 511CE | Urban Ministries/Contextualized Urban Ministries | | X | | | | |
| CC 619/ SR 620 | Nonviolent Strategies for Social Change | X | X | | | X | |
| CC 650/ SR 650 | Faith and Health: Transforming Communities | | | X | | | |
| CC 655 | The Church on the Border | X | | | | | X |
| CC/ES 698 | Special Topics in Church & Community/Ethics: The Legacies of Bonhoeffer and King for Social Thought and Practice | | | | X | | |
| CC/SR 698 | Special Topics in Church & Community/Sociology of Religion: The Church in the 'Age of Migration' | | | X | | | |
| CH 645 | History of Ministry in America | | | | | | X |
| CH/EV/SR 698 | Special Topics in Church History/Evangelism/Sociology of Religion: God's TV: American Religion & the Media | | | X | | | |
| ES 698 | Issues in Christian Ethics: Life & Thoughts, MLK, Jr. | X | X | | | | |
| ES 609/ M 619 | Theology of Social Ministry | | X | | | | |
| ES 624 | Feminist & Womanist Ethics | X | X | | | | |
| ES/WR 663 | Religion, Violence & Peacebuilding | | X | | | | |
| ES 669 | Theology of Ethics & Reconciliation | | | | X | | |
| LA 501 | Introduction to Religious Leadership and Administration | | X | X | | X | X |
| LA 503/503CE | Leading the Congregation/Contextualized Leading the Congregation | | X | | X | X | |
| LA 505 | Leading the Small Membership Church | | | | | X | |
| LA 613 | Women in Religious Leadership and Administration | X | X | | | | |
| M 650 | Mission & International Health | | | X | | | X |
| OT 670CEE | The Bible and the Care of the Earth | | | X | | | |

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| P 620 | Prophetic Voices for a New Century | | | | | | X |
| PC 610 | Crisis Ministry | | | X | | | X |
| PC 628 | Caring for Marginalized Populations | | | X | | | |
| RE 525R | Issues in Education Ministry with Youth: Unlearning Violence, Learning Nonviolence | | | X | | | |
| RE 621 | Creativity & Pedagogy | | | X | | | |
| RE 698Y | Youth Ministry from the Ground Up | | X | | | | |
| RE/CC 632 | Community Ministries as Religious Education | | X | | | | |
| RE 670B | Technology for Ministry | | | X | | | |
| SR 621 | Howard Thurman: Spirituality & Community | X | | X | | | X |
| SR 607CEE | Morality in American Life | | | X | | | |
| SR 625CEE | Ecclesiology in Action | | | | | | X |
| SR 630 | Methodist Church & Race | X | | X | | | |
| SR 635 | Christian Communalism in America | X | | X | | | |

Coordinator: Karen Scheib (kscheib@emory.edu)

The concentration in Religion, Health and Science seeks to provide students with greater depth of reflection on the relationship between religious practice, faith communities and the sciences, including the health sciences, natural sciences, and environmental sciences. In particular, it explores issues of social justice related to individual, communal, and public health within the church as well as in the larger society.

Number of hours: 12 (minimum)

Requirements: Upon selecting the Religion, Health and Science concentration the student will select among the following courses listed below. Students are encouraged to take at least one course outside of Candler* (not including the required foundational seminar).

The student must take one of the following required foundational seminars (each course is 3 hours):

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|--------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| CC 650/ SR 650/ | Faith and Health: Transforming Communities | | | X | | | |
| SR 658 | Health and Healing: Understanding the Role of Religion | | X | | | | |

The student must take at least one course in the category communal, public, global, or social justice dimensions of health and religious life (courses vary from 2-3 hours):

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| BSHE 504 | Social Behavior in Public Health | | X | X | | X | X |
| BSHE/GH 563 | AIDS: Public Health Implications | | X | | | | |
| BSHE 565 | Violence As a Public Health Problem | | | X | | | |
| CC 502/502CE | Church & Community Leadership/ Contextualized Church & Community Leadership | | X | X | | | |
| CC/RE 632 | Community Ministries as Religious Education | | X | | | | |
| GH 507/ ES 654 | Health as Social Justice | | X | | | | |
| GH 557 | Global Health: Anthropological Perspectives | | X | | | | |
| GH 573 | Gender Sexuality and Global Health | | X | | | | |
| M/EV 642(D) | Religion, Culture (Society) & Mission in Latin America | | X | (X) | | X | |
| M 650 | Mission & International Health | | | X | | | X |
| WR/ES 663 | Religion, Violence & Peace Building | | X | | | | |

The student must take at least one of the courses listed in categories A or B below. The courses are grouped in categories for informational purposes only. Students are not required to take course from both A and B categories, but may choose to do so.

A. Ethical, theological, or Biblical perspectives on religion and health or religion and science (courses vary from 2-3 credit hours).

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| ES 656 | Religion, Science and Mortality | | X | | | | |
| GH 570 | Ethnography, Reproductive Health and Religious Ethics | | X | | | | |
| GH 507/ ES 654 | Health as Social Justice | | X | | | | |
| GH 508 | Health and Human Rights | | | X | | | |
| NT 622CEE | New Testament and Healing | | X | | | | |
| NT/P 636 | Preaching about Death: New Testament Themes & Perspectives | | | X | | | |
| OT 670CEE | The Bible and Care of the Earth | | | X | | | |
| ST 673 | Natural Science and the Doctrine of Creation | | X | | | | |

B. Practices related to religion, health, and science with an emphasis on individuals and families (courses vary from 1-3 credit hours).

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|---|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| GH 503 | Psychosocial Issues for Vulnerable Children & Families: A Global Perspective | | X | | | | |
| GH 541 | Technology of Fertility Control | | X | | | | |
| NT 639 | Sexuality in the Bible | X | | X | | | |
| PC 603 | Pastoral Genetics | | | | | | X |
| PC 610 | Crisis Ministry | | | X | | | X |
| PC 640 | Pastoral Care of Women | X | | | | | X |
| PC 650CEE | Global Perspectives in Pastoral Care | X | | | | | X |
| PC 628 | Caring for Marginalized Populations | X | | X | | | |
| PC 670M | Pastoral Care with the Aging | | X | | | | |
| PC 670R | Sabbath Keeping | | | X | | | |
| PC 671A | Pastoral Care with Victims of Domestic Violence | | | X | | | |
| PC 671C | Creative Pastoral Care in Chaplaincy | | X | | | | |
| PC 670D | Pastoral Care in the Midst of Trauma | | X | | | | |
| PC 672T | Pastoral Care with Persons with Mental Illness | | | X | | | |

***Important Note:** All courses with a GH or BSHE prefix are offered at the Rollins School of Public Health and require permission for enrollment. Permission for GH classes should be requested from Angela Rozo (arozo@sph.emory.edu) and permission for BSHE classes should be requested from Deanne Dunbar (ddunba2@sph.emory.edu). Forward email permission for enrollment to candlerregistrar@emory.edu to be enrolled in the class.

Coordinator: Teresa Fry Brown (teresa.brown@emory.edu)

The concentration in Religion and Race seeks to provide students with greater depth of reflection on the history, construction, expression, and influence of race and ethnicity in our modern world.

Number of hours: 12 (minimum)

Requirements: Upon selection of the Religion and Race concentration, the student will select among the following:

At least one course on the history of race:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|----------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| AAS 190 | History of African American Education | | * | * | | * | * |
| BCS 501 | Introduction to Black Church Studies | X | X | | | | |
| HIST 362 | History of the Carribean | | * | * | | * | * |
| HIST 566 | African Historiographies | | * | * | | * | * |
| HIST 585 | 20th Century Black Experience | | * | * | | * | * |
| LAS 270 | Cultures of Latin America | | * | * | | * | * |
| M/EV 642(D) | Religion, Culture (Society) and Mission in Latin America | X | X | (X) | | X | |

At least one of the following courses on the construction of race, or another appropriate course:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| ANT 585 | Brazil: Race & Ethnicity | | * | * | | * | * |
| ILA 790 | Theorizing Diaspora (or equivalent) | | * | * | | * | * |
| SR 621 | Howard Thurman: Spirituality and Community | X | | X | | | X |
| ST 660 | Introduction to Womanist Theology | X | | | | X | |
| ST 683/ 683CEE | Theological Anthropology in Womanist Thought | X | | X | | | |
| WS 585 | Race, Gender and Sexuality in Post-Colonial Africa (or equivalent) | | * | * | | * | * |

At least two of the following courses on the expression and influence of race, or other appropriate courses:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|---|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| AAS 190 | African American Poetry: The Black Arts Movement to Hip Hop | | * | * | | * | * |
| AAS 247 | Racial and Ethnic Relations | | * | * | | * | * |
| AAS 385 | Black Music: Culture, Commerce and Racial Imagination | | * | * | | * | * |
| BI 617 | African American Biblical Interpretation | X | | | | | |
| CH/EV/SR 698 | Special Topics in Church History/Evangelism/Sociology of Religion: God's TV: American Religion & the Media | | | X | | | |
| CM 620 | Music and Worship in the Black Church | X | X | | | | |
| ES 625 | Sexuality in the Black Church | X | | | | | X |
| ES 698 | Issues in Christian Ethics: Life & Thoughts: MLK, Jr. | X | X | | | | |
| ES/CC 698 | Issues in Christian Ethics/Church & Community: The Legacies of Bonhoeffer and King for Social Thought and Practice | | | | X | | |
| LAS 490RSWR | Caribbean Women Writers | | * | * | | * | * |
| P 620 | Prophetic Voices for a New Century | X | | | | | X |
| P 631 | Contemporary Black Preaching | X | X | | | | |
| PC 650CEE | Global Perspectives on Pastoral Care | X | | | | | X |
| SOC 247 | Racial and Ethnic Relations | | * | * | | * | * |
| SR 630 | Methodist Church & Race | | | X | | | |
| WR 624 | Rastafari Religion | X | | X | | | |

Students are encouraged to take **at least one course** in a department or unit of Emory University outside of the Candler School of Theology.

*Courses offered outside Candler – offerings/availability unknown

Coordinator: Brent Strawn (bstrawn@emory.edu)

The concentration in Scripture and Interpretation seeks to provide students with additional depth and proficiencies in the interpretation, teaching, proclamation, or context of the Bible.

Number of hours: 12-13 (minimum)

Foundational Requirements: OT 501 Interpretation of the Old Testament I, OT 502 Interpretation of the Old Testament II, NT 501 Interpretation of the New Testament I, and NT 502 Interpretation of the New Testament II.

Additional Requirements: Upon selection of the Scripture and Interpretation concentration:

1. The student will be required to choose between two language options: full language instruction in either Greek *or* Hebrew (6 hours) or lexical language instruction in *both* Greek and Hebrew (4 hours).

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|------------------------|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| BL 511 | Elementary Hebrew I | | X | | X | X | |
| BL 512 | Elementary Hebrew II | | | X | X | | X |
| BL 513 | Lexical Hebrew | | X | X | | X | X |
| BL 523 | Lexical Greek | | X | X | | X | X |
| BL 521 | New Testament Greek I | | X | | X | X | |
| BL 522 | New Testament Greek II | | | X | X | | X |

2. The student must take at least two courses beyond the language requirements (and the foundational courses). Options for these courses include various (a) exegetical courses (focusing on a single text); (b) synthetic, integrative, or thematic courses (comparative reading across texts); or (c) hermeneutical or contextual courses (appropriating texts for a particular setting).

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|---------------------------------|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| BI 650 | Archaeology and the Bible | | X | | | | |
| BL 611R | Hebrew Readings | | X | | | X | |
| BL 621R | Greek Readings | | X | | | | |
| BI/HT 631 | Paul & His Ancient Commentators | | | X | | | |
| NT 603 | Luke | | | | | X | |
| NT 604 | John | | | X | | | |
| NT 612 | Romans | | X | | | | |
| NT 622CEE | New Testament & Healing | | X | | | | |
| NT 626CEE | Paul's Theology of Ministry | | | | | | X |
| NT 639 | Sexuality in the Bible | | | X | | | |

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| NT/RE 540CEE | Teaching the Bible | | | X | | | |
| NT/P 636 | Preaching about Death: NT Themes and Perspectives | | | X | | | |
| OT 601 | Genesis | | | X | | | |
| OT 604 | Moses Amends the Constitution: The Book of Deuteronomy | | | | X | | |
| OT 616 | Book of Job | | X | | | | |
| OT 551 | Daily Life in Ancient Israel | | | X | | | |
| OT 552 | Exodus & Settlement of Canaan | | | X | | | |
| OT 617CEE | Pslams | | | | | | X |
| OT 622 | Jeremiah | | | | | | X |
| OT 624 | Bible and/as Poetry | | | | | X | |
| OT 632CEE | The Decalogue | | | | | X | |
| OT 650I | Hebrew Exegesis: Introductory | | | X | | | |
| OT 670CEE | Bible & Care of the Earth | | | X | | | |
| OT 698 | Issues in OT: Work & Vocation in the OT | | | X | | | |

Notes:

- a. BI, BL, OT, and NT courses may be taken to fulfill concentration requirements. Other courses may also fit the concentration but these are subject to approval by the concentration coordinator. Such courses are often cross-listed with BI/BL/OT/NT numbers.
- b. The student who chooses the lexical language option under requirement #1 above is required to make one additional course selection beyond the four-unit lexical track; this will typically result in a total of 13 units done to fulfill the concentration requirements.
- c. Elementary language instruction can be done at other institutions (e.g., Columbia Theological Seminary or other schools in the Atlanta consortium), but fulfillment of language requirements in these cases must be approved by the concentration coordinator.
- d. Proficiency in a language via work done prior to matriculation at Candler must be demonstrated to the concentration coordinator. Students who demonstrate proficiency may use the language requirement to take additional work in the language of their choice or work in different languages. Alternatively, those units may be devoted to further courses within the concentration.

Coordinator: John Snarey (jsnarey@learnlink.emory.edu)

The concentration in Society and Personality explores the personal and social dynamics of religious experience, practice, and community with keen attention to their felt meaning, cultural expression, and institutional embodiment. Through psychological, sociological, and cultural inquiry, it enables students to engage and interpret faith lived out in love and work and public witness, in local churches, national denominations, and global movements, across the lines of gender, race, generation, and nation.

Number of hours: 12 (minimum)

Requirements: Upon selection of the Society and Personality concentration, the student will complete:

At least one course (3 hours) in Religion and Personality (RP)

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|---|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| RP/RE/ES 649 | Psychology of Moral Development and Education | X | | | | X | |
| RP/HT 651 | Shame, Guilt & the Rites of Reconciliation | | | X | | | |
| RP 653 | William James: Psychology, Religion, and Ethics | | | X | | X | |
| RP/RE 601 | Dynamics of Identity and Faith | | X | | | | |
| RP 655CEE | Erik Erickson: The Life Cycle & Generativity | | | | | | X |

At least one course (3 hours) in Sociology of Religion (SR)

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| SR 601 | Sociology of Religion | X | X | | | | |
| SR 607/607CEE | Morality in American Life | X | | X | | X | |
| SR 613 | Gender in US Religion | X | X | | | | |
| SR 621 | Howard Thurman: Spirituality and Community | X | | X | | | X |
| SR 620/ CC 619 | Nonviolent Strategies for Social Change | X | X | | | | |
| SR 625CEE | Ecclesiology in Action | | | | | | X |
| SR 630 | Methodist Church & Race | X | | X | | | |
| SR 635 | Christian Communalism in America | X | | X | | | |
| SR/CC 650 | Faith & Health: Transforming Communities | | | X | | | X |
| SR 698 | Issues in Sociology of Religion: Jesus on the Silver Screen | | | X | | | |
| SR/CH/EV 698 | Issues in Sociology of Religion/Church History/Evangelism: God's TV: American Religion & the Media | | | X | | | |
| SR/CC 698 | Issues in Sociology of Religion: The Church in the 'Age of Migration' | | | X | | | |

At least one course in World Religions (WR)

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|---|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| WR 605 | Introduction to Islam | | | X | | | |
| WR 624 | Rastafari Religion | X | | X | | | |
| WR/ES 663 | Religion, Violence & Peacebuilding | | X | | | | |
| WR 630 | Sacred Space in Judaism, Christianity and Islam | X | | | | | |
| WR 698 | Special Topics in World Religions: From Diatribe to Dialogue: Jewish-Christian Relations Past & Present | | X | | | | |
| WR 698 | Special Topics in World Religions: Chaplaincy in a Multifaith Context | | | X | | | |

A fourth course from either RP, SR, or WR.

With the approval of the concentration director, the fourth course also may be taken outside of Christianity and Culture (Area IV) or outside of Candler if the academic work addresses the central scholarly concerns of the concentration. Courses offered in the Graduate School in areas such as anthropology, sociology, psychology, and religion require doctoral level academic work. Students must obtain instructors' permission, and along with that of the concentration director, to enroll in such courses.

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The Theology and the Arts concentration involves theological reflection on and critical engagement with musical, visual, and literary arts.

Number of hours: 15 (minimum)

Requirements:

3 hours:

MDIV 524 (Concentration Capstone: Theology & the Arts)

12 hours from among the following:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| CH/EV/SR 698 | Special Topics in Church History/Evangelism/Sociology of Religion: God's TV: American Religion & the Media | | | X | | | |
| CM 610 | Congregational Song | | | X | | | |
| CM 615 | Introduction to Church Music | | | X | | | |
| CM 620 | Music and Worship in the Black Church | | X | | | | |
| HT 510 | Medieval Christian Thought | | X | | | | |
| HT 624 | Jesus: Faith & History | | | X | | | |
| OT 616 | Book of Job | | X | | | | |
| OT 617CEE | The Psalms | | | | | | X |
| OT 634 | Through the Museum with the Bible | | | | | | X |
| SR 698 | Issues in Sociology of Religion: Jesus on the Silver Screen | | | X | | | |
| ST 618 | Theology, Art & Architecture | | | X | | | |
| W 501 | Introduction to Public Worship | | X | X | | X | X |
| W 622 | Worship Practicum: Service of Word & Initiation | | | X | | | |
| W 623 | Worship Practicum: Eucharist | | | X | | | |
| W 624 | Worship Practicum: Weddings & Funerals | | | X | | | |
| W 638 | Planning Christian Worship | | | X | | | |
| W 642 | Worship Practicum: Writing Liturgical Texts | | X | | | | |
| W 643 | Worship Practicum: Ash Wednesday to Pentacost | | X | | | | |
| W 644 | Worship Practicum: Advent to Epiphany | | X | | | | |
| WR 624 | Rastafari Religion | | | X | | | |

The following courses are offered outside Candler and will fulfill Concentration requirements.
Offerings/availability unknown, contact the individual department for information.

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| ARTHIST 470 | Defying Death: Art & Afterlife in Ancient Rome |
| ARTHIST 719 | Controlling the Cosmos: Kingship in Ancient Egypt |
| ARTHIST 729 | Architecture & Ritual in the Sanctuary of the Great Gods, Samothrace |
| ARTHIST 739 | Medieval Art as Text for the Illiterate |
| ARTHIST 739 | A Puzzling Mirror: The Image of God in Medieval Art |
| ENG 357WR | Southern Literature |
| ENG 387R | Literature & Religion |
| ENG 389R | Special Topics in Literature: Reading Alice Walker |
| ENG 389RWR | Special Topics: Literature and Film |
| ENG 389RWR | Special Topics: Literature and Psychology: On Going Mad in America |
| FILM 373 | African American Women and Cinematic Representations |
| FILM 392S | Genre Studies: The Western |
| FILM 405 | Experimental/Avant Garde Cinema: Gender & Sexuality in Experimental Film |
| MUS 511 | Choral Literature I |
| MUS 512 | Choral Literature II |
| MUS 516 | Impoverisation and Service Playing |
| MUS 528 | Organ Literature |
| MUS 536 | Organ Construction and Design |
| MUS 541 | Vocal Pedagogy |
| MUS 572R | Special Topics in Choral Literature |
| MUS 590A | Sacred Music Colloquy |
| MUS 590B | Sacred Music Colloquy |
| REL 387R | Literature & Religion |

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The concentration in Theology and Ethics seeks to provide students with an opportunity to explore the ways in which theology and ethics inform each other as complementary disciplines oriented to critical reflection on the proper shape of Christian faith and practice in the world.

Number of hours: 12 (minimum)

Foundational Requirements: ES 501 Christian Ethics and ST 501 Introduction to Systematic Theology. It is recognized that students will generally not have completed both these courses when they enroll in the concentration. The concentration is designed with the expectation that some concentration requirements can be fulfilled prior to or concurrently with completion of ES 501 and ST 501.

Additional Requirements: In order to complete the Theology and Ethics concentration, students will fulfill the following course requirements:

1. One course in theology: any ST or HT course, not including HT 501, HT 503 or ST 501. Examples include, but are not limited to:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|-------------------|---|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| HT 621 | Seminar in Thomas Aquinas: Happiness | | | X | | | |
| HT 623 | Theology of Augustine | | X | | | | |
| HT 624 | Jesus: Faith & History | | | X | | | |
| HT/BI 631 | Paul & His Ancient Commentators | | | X | | | |
| HT 636K | Reformation Theology & Historiography | | | X | | | |
| HT 649 | John Wesley's Theology & 18th Century Thought | | | X | | | X |
| HT/RP 651 | Shame, Guilt & the Rites of Reconciliation | | | X | | | |
| HT 698 | Special Topics in Historical Theology: American Evangelicalism, Pentacostalism & Fundamentalism | | | | X | | |
| HT 698 | Special Topics in Historical Theology: Holy Women in the Medieval Church: Gender & the Body in the Story of the Saint | X | | X | | | |
| ST 607 | Doctrine of God: Women's Voices Past & Present | X | X | | | | |
| ST 616 | Theology of Friedrich Schleiermacher | | | | | | X |
| ST 618 | Theology, Art & Architecture | | | X | | | |
| ST 631CEE | Rites of Christian Initiation | | X | | | | |
| ST/ES 641 | Christology & Ethics | | | X | | | |
| ST 647 | Theology of Dietrich Bonhoeffer | | | | | | X |
| ST 656 | Theology of Jurgen Moltmann | | X | | | X | |
| ST 660 | Introduction to Womanist Theology | X | | | | X | |
| ST 673 | Natural Science and the Doctrine of Creation | | X | | | | |
| ST 681 | Sex, Sin, and Salvation: The Christian Doctrine of the Human Person | | | | | X | |
| ST 683/ 683CEE | Theological Anthropology in Womanist Thought | X | | X | | | |

2. One course in Christian ethics: any ES course, not including ES 501. Examples include, but are not limited to:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|---|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| ES 624 | Feminist & Womanist Ethics | X | X | | | | |
| ES 625 | Sexuality in the Black Church | X | | | | | X |
| ES 654 | Health as Social Justice | | X | | | | |
| ES 698 | Issues in Christian Ethics: Life & Thoughts: MLK, Jr. | X | X | | | | |
| ES/ST 641CEE | Christology and Ethics | | | X | | | |
| ES/RP/RE 649 | Psychology of Moral Development and Education | X | | | | X | |
| ES 669 | Theology of Ethics and Reconciliation | | | | X | | |
| ES 678 | Morality of Peace & War | | | X | | | |
| ES/CC 698 | The Legacies of Bonhoeffer and King for Social Thought and Practice | | | | X | | |

3. Either one additional course in theology or ethics from those listed in 1 or 2 above, or one of the following:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|--|-----|--------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Summer 2009 | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| SR 621 | Howard Thurman: Spirituality and Community | X | | | X | | X |

4. In addition to the above requirements, concentrators must also take MDiv 526 - Concentration Capstone: Theology and Ethics in Conversation (the concentration's capstone course) in their final year.

Traditions of the Church

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The Traditions of the Church concentration will allow students to reflect on aspects of Christian tradition and history in a focused way. It will allow students to develop historical and denominational interests with some explicit attention given to interpretative and methodological questions.

Number of hours: 12 (minimum). Foundational Requirements: HT 501 and HT 503.

Additional Requirements: Students concentrating in Traditions of the Church may choose three courses relating to the Church's history and tradition identified below and must complete a capstone seminar (MDiv 522) during the final year that includes explicit reflection on methodology and historiography.

Courses that fulfill concentration requirements are divided into three categories. The three courses students take to meet concentration requirements may be from any category. Students are not required to complete a course from each category.

The first category includes those courses students may self-select without any consultation with the concentration coordinator. These include all CH and HT courses, with the exception of HT501 and HT503. In addition, some ST, BL, DS, ES, and EV also count.

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| CH 616 | Pietism | | X | | | | |
| CH 644 | Dividing Community: Race, Doctrine & Identity in America | X | | | | X | |
| CH 645 | History of Ministry in America | | | | | | X |
| CH 659 | Religion in America | | X | | | | |
| CH/EV/SR 698 | Special Topics in Church History/Evangelism/Sociology of Religion: God's TV: American Religion & the Medis | | | X | | | |
| ES 698 | Issues in Christian Ethics: Life & Thoughts: MLK, Jr. | X | X | | | | |
| CH/EV 623CEE | Evangelism and the Camp Meeting Movements in North America | | | | | X | |
| DS 533 | Anglican Theologians* | | X | | | | |
| HT 510 | Medieval Christian Thought | | X | | | | |
| HT 621 | Seminar in Thomas Aquinas: Happiness | | | X | | | |
| HT 624 | Jesus: Faith & History | | | X | | | |
| HT/BI 631 | Paul & His Ancient Commentators | | | X | | | |
| HT 634CEE | Teaching Spiritual Classics | | | X | | | |
| HT 636K | Reformation Theology & Historiography | | | X | | | |
| HT 645 | Theology in America | | X | | | | |
| HT 649 | John Wesley's Theology & 18th Century Thought | | | X | | | X |
| HT 669CEE | History of Eucharistic Worship | | | | | | X |
| HT/RP 651 | Shame, Guilt and the Rites of Reconciliation | | | X | | | |
| HT 653CEE | Reality of God | | | | | | X |
| HT 698 | Special Topics in Historical Theology: American Evangelicism, Pentacostalism & Fundamentalism | | | | X | | |

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|------------|---|---|---|-----|--|---|---|
| HT 698 | Special Topics in Historical Theology: Holy Women in the Medieval Church: Gender & the Body in the Story of the Saint | X | | X | | | |
| M/EV642(D) | Religion, Culture (Society) & Mission in Latin America | X | X | (X) | | X | |
| SR 621 | Howard Thurman: Spirituality and Community | X | | X | | | X |
| SR 635 | Christian Communalism in America | X | | X | | | |
| ST 616 | Theology of Friedrich Schleiermacher | | | | | | X |
| ST 631CEE | Christian Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation & Renewal | | X | | | | |
| ST 647 | Theology of Dietrich Bonhoeffer | | | | | | X |

The second category are courses that would qualify for concentration credit if there is a term paper or other major project that focuses on an historical aspect of the Christian tradition. To count for the concentration, these courses require an explanation of the project, the approval of the concentration coordinator, and the consent of the course instructor indicating that the proposed project is practical and consonant with the goals of the course. Approval must be secured *before* the start of the semester in which the course is taught. These courses include but are not limited to the following:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| CM 610 | Congregational Song | | | X | | | |
| M 609CEE | Global Church in God's Mission | | | | | X | |
| M 650 | Mission & International Health | | | X | | | X |
| NT 639 | Sexuality in the Bible | | | X | | | |
| OT 670CEE | Bible & Care of the Earth | | | X | | | |
| P 642 | Women and Preaching | X | | | | X | |
| RE 503 | Images of God | X | | X | | | X |
| SR 613 | Gender in US Religion | X | X | | | | |
| ST 607 | Doctrine of God: Women's Voices Past & Present | X | X | | | | |
| ST 656 | Theology of Jurgen Moltmann | | X | | | | |
| WR 624 | Rastafari Religion | X | | X | | | |

The third category of courses that fulfill Traditions of the Church are taught elsewhere in the university and in the ATA, especially but not limited to the Law School, History Department, Art History, ITC, and Columbia Seminary. All courses outside Candler must meet Candler requirements for graduate work and receive the explicit approval of the concentration coordinator prior to the start of the semester.

Denominational courses beyond the introductory can fulfill concentration requirements, including those offered at ITC and Columbia through the ATA.

*may complete additional 1 credit directed reading for 3 hours with instructor approval

Women and Religion

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The concentration in Women and Religion explores issues regarding women and Christianity, to be introduced to issues emerging from women in other religious traditions, and to gain introductory proficiency in one form of gender analysis. Unlike the certificate in Women, Theology, and Ministry (WTM), this concentration does not contain a programmatic component.

Number of hours: 12 (minimum)

At least two courses on the history of women, feminist theology or feminist theory:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|----------------------|---|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| AAS 385 | Reading Alice Walker | | * | * | | * | * |
| ES 624 | Feminist & Womanist Ethics | X | X | | | | |
| RE 503 | Images of God | X | | X | | | |
| SR 613 | Gender in US Religion | X | X | | | | |
| ST 607 | Doctrine of God: Women's Voices Past & Present | X | X | | | | |
| ST 681 | Sex, Sin, and Salvation: The Christian Doctrine of the Human Person | | | | | X | |
| ST 683/ ST 683CEE | Theological Anthropology in Womanist Thought | X | | X | | | |

At least one course on a topic related to women or gender identity and culture:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| ES 625 | Sexuality in the Black Church | X | | | | | X |
| ES/WR 663 | Religion, Violence & Peacebuilding | | X | | | | |
| HT 698 | Issues in HT: Holy Women in the Medieval Church: Gender & the Body in the Story of the Saint | X | | X | | | |
| NT 639 | Sexuality in the Bible | X | | X | | | |
| PC 671A | Pastoral Care with Victims of Domestic Violence | | | X | | | |
| REL 328 | Women, Religion, and Ethnography | | * | * | | * | * |
| SR 607/ 607CEE | Morality in American Life | | | X | | X | |
| WS 385 | Women, Health, and Development | | * | * | | * | * |
| WS 585 | Caribbean Women Writers | | * | * | | * | * |

At least one course on the expression or influence of women in a religious context:

| Course Number | Course Title | REG | Term Offered | | | | |
|---------------------|--|-----|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | Fall 2009 | Spring 2010 | Summer 2010 | Fall 2010 | Spring 2011 |
| LA 613 | Women in Religious Leadership and Administration | X | X | | | | |
| P 620 | Prophetic Voices for a New Century | | | | | | X |
| P 631 | Contemporary Black Preaching | X | X | | | | |
| P 642 | Women and Preaching | X | | | | X | |
| PC 640 | Pastoral Care of Women | X | | | | | X |
| RE 501/ RE 501CE | Religious Education as Formation & Transformation Contextualized Rel Ed as Formation & Transformation | | X | X | | | X X |

*Courses offered outside Candler – offerings/availability unknown