Advanced Course of Study for Continuing Education Units

What is the difference between taking an Advanced Course of Study class for Academic Credit or for Continuing Education Credit?

- Those who register for academic credit will receive a grade for the course and complete all the course work.
- Those registering for Continuing Education Credit will have the opportunity to fully participate in the course but do not complete the course work.

If you are interested in registering for an ACOS course for the information and not the academic credit this is the perfect option and way to receive Continuing Education Units (CEUs). All UM pastors are required to complete CEUs each year (COS counts in place of CEUs until you graduate).

If you opt for the Continuing Education Units you will not be eligible to receive a grade for the course, but you would be responsible for reading all the course materials, attending all the class sessions, and you should be prepared to actively participate in the conversation. You would not be required to submit any of the precourse work nor course work during the class time. The faculty will not grade any material submitted as you have not registered to take the class for academic credit. Once you register for a course via CEU you cannot start the course and then shift to credit, you must select credit or CEU from the start, and the same is true from credit to CEU.

Registration Process and Fees

Complete the registration form and submit to the Course of Study Office with the appropriate registration fee. There is a $200 per-class registration fee. If you want to attend classes during summer school you will be responsible for the cost of housing as well, which is $375 per-session for a shared apartment ($750 for four-weeks) or Private/Family housing is $650 per-session ($1300 for four-weeks). If you attend a class that meets during the weekend you are responsible for all your housing costs and arrangements. The COS Office will provide you with the information for a local hotel where we receive a discount.

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