

SAMPLE IGNITE & EQUIP MACF PATHWAY

course sequence | four years, part time

The Seminary academic year is comprised of two (2) main semesters: fall (August–December) and spring (January–May), and a shorter summer term. Ignite and Equip students take courses during each term in two primary formats: hybrid intensive and hybrid synchronous. In **hybrid intensive** courses, the majority of instruction time is held in a one-week, in-person intensive, with readings and assignments extending across the full term. **Hybrid synchronous** courses gather virtually each week across the semester for live instruction on Mondays, 7–8:30pm CT, with additional instruction delivered asynchronously. Ignite students complete fall intensives at Mission Springs Camp and Conference Center; Equip students complete fall intensives at Carol Joy Holling Camp and Retreat Center. Both cohorts complete summer elective intensives at North Park campus each June. Students attend the Covenant Midwinter Conference during their first year where they complete intensive field education modules.

YEAR 1 | FALL 6 academic credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
CEDF 5100 Christian Education and Formation in the Church	3	Hybrid Intensive	Ignite: Mission Springs Equip: Carol Joy
BIBL 5210 Old Testament 1: Pentateuch and Interpretation	3	Hybrid Synchronous	Virtual
VSFL 5010 Seminary Orientation	0	Asynchronous	Virtual

YEAR 1 | SPRING 3 academic credit hours, 2 field education credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
FLDC 5300 Vocational Excellence	1	Hybrid Intensive	Midwinter Conference
FLDC 7315 Intercultural Development Module	1	Hybrid Intensive	
BIBL 5240 New Testament 1: The Texts and Their World	3	Hybrid Synchronous	Virtual

YEAR 1 | SUMMER 4 academic credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
CEDF Elective*	3	Hybrid Intensive	North Park Campus
SPFM 5201 Journey: The Story of Our Lives	1	Hybrid Intensive	

YEAR 2 | FALL 6 academic credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
MNST 5108 Ministry Identity and Practice	3	Hybrid Intensive	Ignite: Mission Springs Equip: Carol Joy
THEO 5110 Christian Theology	3	Hybrid Synchronous	Virtual

YEAR 2 | SPRING 3 academic credit hours, 2 field education credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
HSTY 5210 Christian History 1: The Early Church to the Early Reformation	3	Hybrid Synchronous	Virtual
FLDC 7310 Internship	2	NA	At internship site
VSFL 5030 Mid-Program Review	0	NA	Virtual

YEAR 2 | SUMMER 4 academic credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
MNST Elective*	3	Hybrid Intensive	North Park Campus
SPFM 5211 Intercultural Spirituality: Praying Together	1	Hybrid Intensive	

YEAR 3 | FALL

6 academic credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
Cultural Diversity Elective+	3	Hybrid Intensive	Varied+
HSTY 6300 History and Theology of the Evangelical Covenant Church	3	Hybrid Synchronous	Virtual

YEAR 3 | SPRING

3 academic credit hours, 2 field education credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
CEDF Elective	3	Hybrid Synchronous	Virtual
FLDC 7310 Internship	2	NA	At internship site

YEAR 3 | SUMMER 4 academic credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
General Elective*	3	Hybrid Intensive	North Park Campus
SPFM Elective*	1	Hybrid Intensive	

YEAR 4 | FALL 6 academic credit hours

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
THEO 5120 Christian Worship	3	Hybrid Intensive	Ignite: Mission Springs Equip: Carol Joy
BIBL 5250 New Testament 2: The Texts and Their Theology	3	Hybrid Synchronous	Virtual

YEAR 4 | SPRING 3 academic credit hours, 1 field education credit hour

Course Title	Credits	Modality	Location
BIBL 5220 Old Testament 2: Prophets and Preaching Legacy or BIBL 5230 Old Testament 3: Wisdom and Israel's Praise	3	Hybrid Synchronous	Virtual
FLDC 7318 Theological Reflection Module	1	1-day synchronous module	Virtual

NOTES

* Over the course of the three summers of study, students can enroll in the following requirements in any order preferred: Christian education and formation elective (3 credits), ministry elective (3 credits), general elective (3 credits), and a spiritual formation elective (1 credit).

+ The Cultural Diversity Elective may be fulfilled in conjunction with any of the following denominational or conference learning experiences: Sankofa, Journey to Mosaic, Weaving Justice and Peace, or Practicing Neighborology. International travel courses also fulfill this degree requirement.