

Perkins School of Theology
M.Div Course Planning Guide for 12 hours per term and the Internship (3 year option)

First Year Recommended	Courses Proposed Courses	Concentration
Fall Term (12 term hours)	Fall Term	
Interpretation of the Old Testament I OT 6301 – no prerequisites or Interpretation of the New Testament I NT 6301 - no prerequisites		
Christian Heritage I HX 6305 – no prerequisites		
Interpretation of the Christian Message (Systematics) ST 6301 – prereq: one term Bible (OT or NT)* HX 6305 or 6306		
The Church in Its Social Context XS 6310 – no prerequisites		
Spiritual Formation XX 6003 – no prerequisites		
January Interterm (3 or 6 hrs)	January Term	
Elective		
Elective – OT/NT, HX, WX, ST		
Spring Term (13 term hrs includes 1 hour for Spiritual Formation)	Spring Term	
Interpretation of the Old Testament II OT 6302 – no prerequisites or Interpretation of the New Testament II NT 6302 - no prerequisites		
Christian Heritage II HX 6306 – no prerequisites		
Introduction to Christian WO 6313 – prereq: one term of Bible, XS 6310*, HX 6305		
Interpretation of the Christian Message II (Systematics) ST 6302 – prereq: ST 6301		
Spiritual Formation (one term hour) XX 6104 – prereq: XX6003		
May and Summer Terms (6 -9 hours)	Summer Term	
Elective		
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*This course may be taken concurrently.

Second Year Recommended Courses	Proposed Courses	Concentration
Interpretation of the Old Testament II OT 6302 – no prerequisites or Interpretation of the New Testament II NT 6302 - no prerequisites	Apply for Internship Course	
Preaching PR 6300 – prereq: one term of Bible, XS 6310*, HX 6305 or 6306		
Interfaith Studies HR 6302 – no prerequisites or Moral Theology MT 6303 – prereq: two terms of Bible (one OT or NT*), HX 6305/6306		
Elective		
Elective		
January Term (6 term hours)	January Term	
Elective – Immersion Course		
Elective – OT/NT, HX, WX, ST		
Spring Term (12 term hours)	Spring Term	
Interpretation of the Old Testament II OT 6302 – no prerequisites or Interpretation of the New Testament II NT 6302 - no prereq		
World Religions and Christianity: A Global Perspective HR 6302 – no prereq or Moral Theology MT 6303 – prereq: two terms of Bible (one OT or NT)*, HX 6305/6306		
Elective		
May and Summer Terms (6 -9 term hours)	Summer Term	
Elective		
Elective or UMC Studies		
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Third Year Recommended Courses	Proposed Courses	Concentration
Fall Internship Begins in August XX 8451 Recommend – completion of 37 term hours		
Elective		
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January Term (6 term hours)		
Elective – Immersion Course		
Elective – OT/NT, HX, WX, ST		
Spring Internship – Continues and ends in May XX 8452		
Elective		
Elective		

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