

Master of Arts in Christian Leadership (MACL) 2021-2022

Preparation for organizational leadership roles in church, pararchurch, missions, and marketplace contexts.

Curriculum

Bible Exposition		22	
BE5101	Bible Study Methods and Hermeneutics	3	▲
BE5102	Old Testament History I	3	▲
BE5103	OT History II & Poetry	2	□
BE5104	OT Prophets	3	▲
BE5105	The Gospels	2	□
BE5106	Acts & Pauline Epistles	3	▲
BE5107	Hebrews, General Epistles, & Revelation	3	□
BE5109	Ruth, Psalms, Jonah, & Selected Epistles	3	

Vision, Communication, & Leadership		11	
EML5101	Designing and Leading Effective Ministries	3	
EML5105	Teaching Process & Media Presentations	3	
EML5330	Personal and Organizational Leadership	3	
EML5950	MACL Applied Research Project	2	

Internship

Internship and Electives		12	
INT5150	Ministry Formation Internship	3	
	Ministry Communication Electives	3	
	Leadership Electives	6	

Systematic Theology		18	
ST5101	Theological Method and Bibliology	3	□
ST5102	Trinitarianism	3	□
ST5103	Angelology, Anthropology, and Hamartiology	3	▲
ST5104	Soteriology	3	□
ST5105	Sanctification and Ecclesiology	3	
ST5106	Eschatology	3	

Spiritual Formation		3	
PM5101	Christian Life and Witness	3	□
SF5100	Spiritual Formation	0	

▲ ACU courses counted toward DTS via [Advanced Standing](#).

□ DTS courses counted as dual-credit at ACU.

Advanced Standing (15 hours)

(ACU courses equivalent to DTS courses)

ACU	DTS	Course Name	Credit Hours
BIB 101	BE5101	Bible Study Methods & Hermeneutics	3
BIB 102	BE5102	OT History I	3
BIB 108	BE5104	OT Prophets	3
BIB 208	BE5106	Acts and Pauline Epistles	3
BIB 222	ST5103	Angelology, Anthropology, and Hamartiology	3

Dual-Credit (19 hours)

(DTS courses credited to ACU degree)

ACU	DTS	Course Name	Credit Hours
Elective	BE5103	OT History II & Poetry	2
Elective	BE5105	The Gospels	2
Elective	BE5107	Hebrews, General Epistles, and Revelation	3
Elective	ST5101	Theological Method & Bibliology	3
Elective	ST5102	Trinitarianism	3
Elective	ST5104	Soteriology	3
Elective	PM5101	Christian Life and Witness	3

MACL Remaining Courses at DTS after ACU Graduation (32)

Course #	Course Name	Credit Hours
SF5110	Spiritual Formation	
BE5109	Ruth, Psalms, Jonah, and Selected Epistles	3
EML5101	Designing and Leading Effective Ministries	3
EML5105	Teaching Process and Media Presentations	3
EML5330	Personal and Organizational Leadership Development	3
EML5950	MACL Applied Research Project	2
INT5150	MACL Ministry Formation Internship	3
ST5105	Sanctification and Ecclesiology	3
ST5106	Eschatology	3
	Leadership Electives	6
	Electives (Ministry and Communication)	3



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Degree Plan Worksheet

Degree Plan: MACL 4+1 Plan at ACU (2021-2022)

	Fall		👤	📖	Spring		👤	📖	Summer		👤	📖
	Course	Description	Credits		Course	Description	Credits		Course	Description	Credits	
Year 4 (at ACU w/DTS dual-credit)	SF5110-1	Spiritual Formation			SF5110-1	Spiritual Formation						
	ST5101	Theological Method	3		ST5102	Trinitarianism	3					
	BE5103	OT History II & Poetry	2		ST5104	Soteriology	3					
	BE5105	The Gospels	2		BE5107	Gen. Epistles & Rev.	3					
	PM5101	Christian Life & Witness	3									
	Total		10		Total		9		Total			
Year 5 +1 (DTS)	EML5101	Designing and Leading Effective Ministries	3		EML5105	Teaching Process and Media Presentation	3		BE5109	Ruth, Psalms, Jonah, and Selected Epistles	3	
	EML5330	Personal and Organizational Leadership Development	3			Elective (Min. & Comm.)	3			Internship ends		
	ST5105	Sanctification & Eccl.	3		ST5106	Eschatology	3					
	INT5150	Internship	3			Leadership Elective	3					
		Leadership Elective	3		EML5950	MACL Applied Research Proj.	2					
						Internship (cont.)						
	Total		15		Total		14		Total		3	
Year 6												
		Total				Total				Total		