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Department of Intercultural Leadership Programs

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BACHELOROF ARTS IN INTERCULTURAL LEADERSHIP

Program Overview

The Bachelor of Arts in Intercultural Leadership degree program is for those who want to deepen their understanding of intercultural issues and cross-cultural perspectives; and develop skills in leadership in intercultural contexts. The program explores the increasingly frequent intersection of cultures in today's world, while instilling in students the qualities of respect and justice necessary for leaders in intercultural situations.

Program Objectives

- 1. Develop and demonstrate an increased understanding of different cultures, their social customs, and their peoples through an understanding of history, anthropology, and sociology
- 2. Comprehend the importance of diversity and inclusion in an increasingly global and multicultural environment
- 3. Be able to analyze the complexities of relationships between cultures, including racism, communications issues, human rights, and social justice
- 4. Apply learned leadership skills to the mitigation of issues in cross-cultural dynamics, from the personal to the group level, with compassion, respect, sensitivity, and cultural awareness.

Program Requirements

- The BAIL degree program requires students to maintain a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or higher.
- A full-time student will be able to complete the program in 8 semesters or 4 years.

University Core Courses	9 credits
General Education Courses	24 credits
Major Core Courses	45 credits
Major Elective Courses	15 credits
Departmental Elective courses	27 credits
Total	120 credits

BAIL COURSE REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE (9 credit hours require	ed)	Foreign Language	Credit Hours
University Core	Credit Hours	FLS101 Spanish I	3
UC210 Leadership Seminar	3	FLS102 Spanish II	3
		FLC101 Chinese I	3
Writing and Communication	Credit Hours	FLC102 Chinese II	3
ENG101 College English I	3	FLJ101 Japanese I	3
ENG102 College English II	3	FLJ102 Japanese II	3
		FLK101 Korean I	3
GENERAL EDUCATION ELECTIVES (24 credit hours	required)	FLK102 Korean II	3
Choose at least one course from each category: Humanities an	d Fine Arts;	FLG151 Elementary Biblical Greek I	3
Behavioral and Social Sciences; Natural Science and Math.		FLH141 Elementary Biblical Hebrew I	3
Humanities and Fine Arts			
Communication	Credit Hours	History	Credit Hours
COMM101 Introduction to Communication	3	HIS130 American History I	3
COMM102 Public Presentation	3	HIS131 American History I	3
ENG105 Business English	3	HIS140 History and Culture in Asia	3
		HIS150 History of Modern Business	3
Fine Arts	Credit Hours	HPR105 History of the Black Church	3
ART100 Drawing Studio	3	HPR120 World Civilization	3
PNT100 Painting Studio	3	RLA120 Civil Rights and the Black Consciousness Move	ment 3
DNC100 Introduction to Dance	3		
DNC102 Appreciation of Dance	3	Law/Business/Leadership	Credit Hours
DNC110 Elements of Performing	3	BS120 Dynamics in Leadership	3
MUS100 Music Appreciation	3	ECON101 Principles of Economics I	3
MUS105 Fundamentals of Music	3	LDS101 Developing the Healthy Leader	3
MUS106 University Chorus	3	LDS102 Leadership and Interpersonal Relationships	3
MUS120 Introduction to Music	3	LDS105 Life and Time Management of a Leader	3
MUS150 Introduction to World Music	3	POL101 Introduction to Political Science	3
		POL102 American Government	3
		RLA105 Justice among Nations	3
		RLA110 American Public Policy and Religious Freedom	3

Philosophy	Credit Hours	Education	Credit Hours
PHIL101 Introduction to Philosophy	3	RCE101 Introduction to Today's Education	3
PHIL102 Critical Thinking	3	RCE201 Survey of Christian Education	3
PHIL103 Ideas that Changed the World	3		
PHIL104 A Life of Happiness and Fulfillment	3	Natural Science and Math	
PHIL120 Ethics and Film	3	Mathematics / Statistics	Credit Hours
PHIL121 Philosophy and Film	3	MAT101 College Algebra I	3
PHIL200 Ethics	3	MAT102 Probability	3
		MAT103 Statistics	3
Religion	Credit Hours	MAT104 College Algebra II	3
HPR150 Civilization and Religions	3	MAT151 Calculus I	3
HPR201 Church and Race	3		
ICS104 Survey of World Religions	3	Science	Credit Hours
RPS110 Science and Religion	3	BIO101 Topics in Biology	3
RPS115 Personality and Morality	3	CHEM110 Contemporary Chemistry	3
SPT115 Religious Experience in Film	3	CSI110 Basic Computer and Microsoft Applications	3
SPT120 Society and Moral Value	3	CSI130 Introduction to Social Media	3
SPT201 Comparative Religions	3	CSI160 Basic Graphic Design	3
SPT210 Gandhi/Marx/Niebuhr	3	PHY103 Survey of Physics	3
		PHY191 Physics in Modern Technology	3
Behavioral and Social Sciences	Credit Hours		
ICS205 Intercultural Communications	3	Physical Education	Credit Hours
PSY101 Introduction to Psychology	3	PED101 Physical Education I	3
PT203 Career Development	3	PED102 Physical Education II	3
RCE103 Introduction to Learning Environment	3		
RCE125 Psychology in Education: Cognitive Developme	ent 3		
RCE150 Parent-Child Relationships	3		
RCE120 Theories of Faith Development	3		
RPS105 Marriage and Family	3		
RPS120 Stress Management	3		
RS105 Sociology of Religion	3		
RS115 Race and Ethnic Relations	3		
SOC101 Introduction to Sociology	3		

MAJOR CORE (45 credit hours required)

Course	Credit Hours
CS101 Introduction to Culture	3
CS210 Culture, Religion, Film	3
CS340 Cultural Development and Eco-Responsibilities	3
CS410 Gender and Diversity	3
LDS101 Developing Healthy Leader	3
LDS210 Diversity and Leadership	3
MGT328 Foundations of Leadership	3
LDS410 Leadership in Cross-Cultural Context	3
SOC101 Introduction to Sociology	3
ICS104 Survey of World Religions	3
ICS205 Intercultural Communication	3
ICS370 Development of Intercultural Community	3
ICS410 Cultural Anthropology	3
RS115 Race and Ethnic Relations	3
RS255 Social Perspectives on Religion	3

MAJOR ELECTIVES (15 credit hours required)

Course	Credit Hours
COMM230 Postmodern Approaches to Communication	n 3
CS270 Tribal Cultures and Contemporary Societies	3
ISM320 Leadership and Community Development	3
ICS300 World Canons	3
ICS345 Urban Subcultures	3
ICS425 Postmodernism and Cross-Culturalism	3
RPS250 Counseling for Multicultural Society	3
RCE200 Learning in Intercultural Context	3
RPS201 Marriage and Family in Multicultural Backgrou	nd 3
RPS420 Resolving Conflicts	3
PHIL320 Multi-Cultural Ethics and Film	3

Departmental Electives (27 credit hours required)

Course	Credit Hours
SOC420 Human Rights and Social Justice	3
PHIL200 Ethics	3
ART340 Survey of Folk Art	3
LNG210 Folklores and Mythologies	3
HPR200 History of Asian Americans in the US	3
HPR202 History of African Americans in the US	3
HPR204 History of Hispanic Americans in the US	3
RPS400 Psychological Perspectives on Religious Experie	nces 3
RCE125 Psychology in Education: Cognitive Development	nt 3
LNG180 World Literature	3
SPT210 Gandhi/Marx/Niebuhr	3
ICS310 Contextualization	3

MASTER OF ARTS IN INTERCULTURAL LEADERSHIP

Program Overview

The Master of Arts in Intercultural Leadership (MAIL) program is designed for students who wish to deepen their understanding of intercultural relationships and perspectives with an emphasis on leadership in intercultural contexts. In the rapidly-globalizing world of today, there is an emergent need not only for intercultural and cross-cultural awareness, but for leadership skills that can be used across cultures. The MAIL program inculcates the student with the necessary qualities of advanced leadership for intercultural situations.

Program Objectives

- 1. To enable students to form an integrated and culturally competent perspective on global societies and cultures by gaining deeper understanding of and empathy with the views of others
- 2. To generate understanding of the importance of culture and intercultural perspective to global issues in terms of arts, anthropology, and sociology
- 3. To cultivate a respectful, tolerant, and sensitive attitude to other cultures through analysis of cultural interactions and differences, and to understand how leadership is viewed differently around the world
- 4. To provide opportunities for critical analysis of and reflection on interculturalism and cultural exchange as enriching lives through exposure to theories of intercultural relations, philosophies, and conflicts, and how to mediate such exchanges through selfless leadership.

Program Requirements

- The MAIL degree program requires students to maintain a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher.
- A full-time student will be able to complete the program in 4 semesters or 2 years.

Major Core Courses	24 credits
Major Elective Courses	24 credits
Total	48 credits

MAIL COURSE REQUIREMENTS

INTERCULTURAL LEADERSHIP CORE (24 credit hours red	quired)	Choose one from the following three history courses:	
Course	Credit Hours	HPR500 History of Asian Americans in US	3
ICS505 Cultural Anthropology	3	HPR502 History of African Americans in US	3
ICS510 Intercultural Communication	3	HPR504 History of Hispanic Americans in US	3
ICS540 Cross-Cultural Development and Learning	3		
ICS560 Postmodern Issues for Cross-Cultural Society	3		
LDS500 Leadership and Inter-Relationship	3		
LDS550 Diversity and Cultural Leadership	3		
LDS555 Human Development and Educational Leadershi	ip 3		
UC504 Seminar in Intercultural Leadership	3		
INTERCULTURAL LEADERSHIP ELECTIVES (24 credit hou	rs required)		
•	Credit Hours		
ART547 Visual Art across Different Cultures	3		
CS520 Race Relations, Ethnicity and Cross-Culturalism	3		
CS530 Literary Traditions in Cultures	3		
CS570 Worldview Formation in Multi-Ethnic Context	3		
HPR506 History and Culture in Asia	3		
ICS541 Theories in Intercultural Studies	3		
ICS573 Multicultural Experiences in Film	3		
ICS595 Independent Study in Intercultural Leadership	3		
LDS540 Leadership, Interpersonal and Inter-group Relati	ionship 3		
RS540 Psychological Perspectives to Belief Systems	3		
PHIL520 Philosophical Approaches to Different Belief Sys	stems 3		
PHIL580 Ethics and World Traditions	3		
RS510 Society and Religion	3		
RS520 Comparative Study of Religions	3		
RS560 Religion within the Scientific World	3		
RS580 Conflict Resolution	3		