

# Christian Leadership Minor (CHL)

The Christian Leadership minor is designed to prepare students for service and leadership in the church and beyond (including but not limited to non-profit organizations and community organizing), aiming for cultivating faithful Christian witness in the global marketplace. With a biblical, theological, and vocational foundation, students benefit from the expertise of multiple disciplines in an innovative curriculum. Along with classroom experience, students will participate in service learning and practical experiences to better prepare them to serve in the twenty-first century. Students majoring in Religion may not minor in Christian Leadership without special departmental permission.

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At least six hours must be from 300-400 level courses.

**Department:** Religion

**Type:** Minor

Core Courses	21 hours
Vocation	
Christian Imagination	
Religion	
Engaging the World	
Interdisciplinary Engagement	
Total	21

## Core Courses

### Vocation

Select one course from the following:

Item #	Title	Credit Hour(s)
PHI195	Discovering Vocation	3
PHI395	Seminar on Vocation	3
REL257	Basic Christian Thought	3

### Christian Imagination

Item #	Title	Credit Hour(s)
REL211	Love of God and Neighbor	3

# Religion

Select two courses from the following:

Item #	Title	Credit Hour(s)
REL117	The Biblical Canon	3
REL213	Missional Community	3
REL231	New Testament: Gospels	3
REL233	New Testament: Acts, Letters, Apocalypse	3
REL235	Old Testament: Story of Ancient Israel	3
REL237	Old Testament: Prophecy and Poetry	3
REL243	History of Christianity	3
REL341	Women in the Christian Tradition	3
REL345	Advanced Topics in Cultural/Historical Studies	3
REL357	Advanced Topics in Theological Studies	3
REL371	Advanced Topics in New Testament Interpretation	3
REL373	Advanced Topics in Old Testament Interpretation	3

# Engaging the World

Select two courses from the following:

Item #	Title	Credit Hour(s)
PHI151	Ethics	3
PHI325	Business Ethics	3
PHI345	Environmental Philosophy and Ethics	3
PHI385	Medical Ethics	3
REL253	Religions of the Modern World	3
REL379	Advanced Studies in Christian Ministry	3
REL460	Internship	1-3
SOC311	Ethics in Social and Criminal Justice	3
SOC365	Education for Social Change	3

# Interdisciplinary Engagement

Select one course from the following:

Item #	Title	Credit Hour(s)
BUA377	Organizational Behavior	3
COMM350	Entrepreneurial Leadership	3
COMM400	Organizational Communication	3
COMM413	Leadership for Change	3
EDU423	Classroom Management	2
PSY365	Industrial/Organizational Psychology	3
SOC400	Community Resilience and Leadership	3

*Note:*

Religion majors on the Religious Studies Track who wish to minor in Christian Leadership must earn 21 unique hours to complete minor.

**Total credits:**

**21**

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