



MA Counseling: Interdisciplinary Studies Specialization

Our Interdisciplinary Studies specialization is intended to offer you the most flexibility as you pursue your ministry goals. The three courses that make up this specialization include Marriage and Family Counseling as well as any other two courses that we offer at Grand Rapids Theological Seminary. Remember that some classes have prerequisites that must be completed before taking the class.

COU-521 Marriage and Family Counseling 3 credits

This course is focused on issues currently impacting marriage and family, including divorce and single parent situations. Consideration will be given to subject matter from a theological, sociological, and psychological perspective. Students will perform basic research in this important area, and they will participate in learning activities that foster skill development and strategy formation.

And any other two classes - some potential options include:

COU-532 Counseling Women through the Life Cycle 3 credits

COU-520 Child and Adolescent Counseling 3 credits

COU-651 Clinical Diagnostic Assessment of Addictions 3 credits

COU-652 Sociology of Addictions 3 credits

COU-653 Addictions Counseling: Treatment and Intervention 3 credits

COU-660 Abnormal Psychology 3 credits

COU-662 Human Growth and Development 3 credits

COU-670 Diagnostic and Clinical Assessment of Mental Disorders 3 credits