

Online Church Leadership

Looking for a career in the church? The Church Leadership degree will give you not only valuable course work, but also hands-on experience at one of NCU's approved Church Leadership sites. The sites provide intensive training, practical ministry opportunities, and mentoring relationships. Students who complete the Church Leadership degree will be prepared to be ministry leaders in a local church. The following elements will aid graduates of the Church Leadership major in carrying out their leadership role in a local congregation.

Church leadership grads will understand historic and contemporary theology, study the Bible and effectively practice and communicate its truths in today's world, and be familiar with the history, practices and beliefs of the Assemblies of God. They will learn to understand the operation, administration and organization of the local church, including the unique role of the lead pastor while practicing personal spiritual formation in regards to character and responsibility.

Jobs you can get with an Online Church Leadership Degree:

- » Christian School Principal
- » Missions Executive
- » Christian College President
- » Church Leader
- » Pastor
- » Church Planner

Associate of Arts in Church Leadership

Online ILE/Practicum Track

General Education and Christian Studies Core – 41 Credit Hours

Christian Studies (Select any 3 courses) - 9 Credit Hours

Old Testament History and Literature – BIBL 126
New Testament History and Literature – BIBL 127
Reading and Interpreting Scripture – BIBL 220
Select any BIBL elective – BIBL ***

English – 6 Credit Hours

Rhetoric and Research – ENG 124
Select any ENG elective – ENG ***

Social and Behavioral Sciences (Select any 2 courses) - 6 Credit Hours

General Psychology – PSYC 125
Introduction to Sociology – PSYC 126
Select any PSYC elective – PSYC ***

Mathematics and Science – 9 Credit Hours

***Select 1 Math course, 1 Science course, and 1 additional course from Math or Science:**

Applied Math and Personal Finance – MATH 110
Liberal Arts Math – MATH 115
College Algebra I – MATH 125
Statistics – MATH 260
Biology – SCI 114
Science, Technology, and Society – SCI 280
Select any MATH or SCI elective – MATH *** / SCI ***

History (Select any 1 course) – 3 Credit Hours

History of Global Christianity – HIST 212
World History – HIST 240
Select any HIST elective – HIST ***

Global Awareness (Select any 1 course) – 3 Credit Hours

Global Perspectives – ICS 111
Cultural Anthropology – ICS 112
Select any ICS elective – ICS ***

Critical Thought (Select any 1 course) – 3 Credit Hours

Visions of the Good: Ethics and Worldview – CT 213
Select any CT elective – CT ***

Fine Arts (Select any 1 course) – 2 Credit Hours

Music Appreciation – FA 112
Film Appreciation – FA 131
Select any FA elective – FA ***

Church Leadership Core – 19 Credit Hours

God and the Gospel – THEO 210 (3 Credits)
Pentecostal Distinctives – THEO 240 (3)
Church Administration – PMIN 340 (3) **or**
Non-Profit Administration – BUS 281 (3)
Integrated Learning Experience I – PMIN 281 (3) [replaces
Personal Formation/Spiritual Leader – PMIN 231]
Integrated Learning Experience II – PMIN 282 (3) [replaces
Homiletics I – PMIN 252]
Integrated Learning Experience III – PMIN 381 (3) [replaces
Pastoral Theology – PMIN 378]
Integrated Learning Experience IV – PMIN 382 (1) [replaces
Church Leadership Mentoring – PMIN 205]

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS = 60

*Integrative Learning Experiences are available to Church Partner students only.