



PAYNE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

82 CREDIT HOUR CURRICULUM

BIBLICAL STUDIES

BS 401 Introduction to the Hebrew Scriptures	3
BS 403 Introduction to the New Testament	3
BS 570 Cultural Hermeneutics	3
BS Elective	3
Total	12

HISTORICAL STUDIES

HS 410 Christian History in Context I	3
HS 420 Christian History in Context II	3
HS 521 AME Church History (AME Students)*	3
HS Elective	3
Total	12

**Non-AME students substitute with HS Elective*

THEOLOGY, RELIGION AND ETHICS

TRE 400 Introduction to Systematic Theology	3
TRE 405 Introduction to Liberation Theologies	3
TRE 501 Introduction to Christian Ethics	3
TRE 510 African American Religious Experience	3
TRE 560 Ecological Theology	3
TRE Elective	3
Total	18

PRACTICAL MINISTRY

CM 400A Introduction to Theological Research & Writing	3
CM 401 A, B Supervised Ministry (2, 2)	4
CM 402 Pulpit Communications I	3
CM 520 AME Polity and Practice (AME Students)*	3
CM 540 Pastoral Care & Counseling	3
CM 544 Health Care: What Effective Clergy Should Know	3
CM 601 A, B Senior Seminar (3, 3)	6
CM 603 Ministerial Sexual Ethics	3
CM Elective	3
Total	31

**Non-AME students substitute with CM Elective*

REQUIRED CREDITS	73
ELECTIVE CREDITS	9
TOTAL HOURS FOR MDIV DEGREE	82