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## Indiana Wesleyan University at a Glance

<b>Founded:</b>	1920
<b>Mission Statement:</b>	Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christ-centered academic community committed to changing the world by developing students in character, scholarship and leadership.
<b>President:</b>	Henry L. Smith, Ph.D.
<b>Provost:</b>	David W. Wright, Ph.D.
<b>Enrollment:</b>	With approximately 15,400 students, IWU has the largest student enrollment in the Council for Christian Colleges and Universities and among private institutions in the state of Indiana.
<b>Denominational Affiliation:</b>	The Wesleyan Church
<b>Accreditation:</b>	Higher Learning Commission (see accreditation page for complete listing)
<b>Diversity of Learning:</b>	IWU serves a diverse student population through traditional and adult-centered on-site and online delivery methods.
<b>Academic Units:</b>	On July 1, 2009, Indiana Wesleyan University instituted a new structure built around the following academic units:
	<b>The College of Arts and Sciences (CAS)</b> serves primarily undergraduate residential and commuter students on the main Marion campus. CAS is comprised of five schools, which offer more than 70 majors in a traditional semester format. CAS also houses the John Wesley Honors College, the Graduate Counseling Program, and the Center for Addictions Counseling. Approximately 2,800 students are enrolled. <a href="http://www.indwes.edu/Adademics/CAS">http://www.indwes.edu/Adademics/CAS</a>
	<b>The College of Adult and Professional Studies (CAPS)</b> offers convenient adult-focused undergraduate and graduate programs at regional education centers throughout Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio, and online. Courses in the chosen program are followed in sequence with the same group of students and are delivered in intensive block, rather than semester format. Students augment their cohort experience with elective courses. CAPS houses the university's only doctoral program, the Ed.D. with a major in Organizational Leadership. CAPS enrolls approximately 10,000 students. <a href="http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAPS">http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAPS</a>
	<b>The School of Nursing (SON)</b> contains the divisions of Pre-licensure programs, Post-licensure programs, and Graduate Studies. The School of Nursing includes bachelor's- and master's-level students. Both delivery systems (traditional, adult on-site, and online) are utilized in The School of Nursing which currently enrolls approximately 2,100 students. <a href="http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/School-of-Nursing">http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/School-of-Nursing</a>

	In April 2009, the IWU Board of Trustees approved the development of <b>Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University</b> . With about 60 students in the new Master of Divinity program and nearly 100 Master of Arts in Ministry students, the first seminary of The Wesleyan Church is already impacting congregations throughout the country. <a href="http://seminary.indwes.edu">http://seminary.indwes.edu</a>	
	<b>The Graduate School</b> provides oversight of qualifications for graduate faculty, standards for curriculum development and policies that govern graduate studies in Counseling, Business, Leadership, Nursing, Education and Ministry. <a href="http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/The-Graduate-School">http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/The-Graduate-School</a>	
<b>Rankings:</b>	IWU was ranked 33rd among Midwest Master's Universities in the 2010 edition of "America's Best Colleges," published by <i>U.S. News and World Report</i> . The Best Christian Workplaces Institute included IWU on its 2009 list of certified Best Christian Workplaces in America. In a similar survey conducted by <i>The Chronicle of Higher Education</i> , IWU was named one of America's Great Colleges to Work For.	
<b>Education Centers:</b>	IWU currently offers classes for adults at the following education centers and in other locations throughout the region. This list continues to grow as the university expands into new territories.	
<b>Indiana</b>	<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>Ohio</b>
Columbus	Florence	Cincinnati
Fort Wayne	Lexington	Cleveland
Greenwood	Louisville	Cleveland East
Indianapolis North		Dayton
Indianapolis West		
Kokomo		
Merrillville		
Shelbyville		
<b>Online Courses:</b>	IWU offers a wide range of degree programs through <a href="http://iwuonline.com">http://iwuonline.com</a>	

## Primary Academic Units

### College of Arts and Sciences

#### School of Arts and Humanities

Division of Art  
Division of Communication  
Division of Modern Language and Literature  
Division of Music

#### School of Theology and Ministry

Department of Biblical Studies  
Department of Theology/Philosophy  
Department of Ministry

#### School of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Business

Division of Behavioral Sciences  
Division of Business  
Division of Social Sciences  
Department of Life Calling and Leadership

#### School of Teacher Education

Department of Elementary Education  
Department of Secondary Education  
Department of Special Education

#### School of the Physical and Applied Sciences

Division of Health and Human Performance  
Division of Natural Sciences  
Division of Mathematics and Computer Information Sciences

### College of Adult and Professional Studies

#### School of Business and Leadership

Division of Undergraduate Business Programs  
Division of Graduate Studies in Business  
Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

#### School of Educational Leadership

Department of Adult Teacher Licensure Programs  
Department of Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders  
Department of Advanced Studies for Teacher Leaders

Department of Educational Administration

**School of Liberal Arts**

Department of Behavioral and Social Sciences

Department of General Studies

Department of Public Services and Applied Sciences

Department of Religion

**School of Nursing**

Division of Pre-licensure Nursing

Division of Post-licensure Nursing

Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing

**Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University**

**The Graduate School**

## Communication with the University

### College of Arts and Sciences

**Address:**

Indiana Wesleyan University  
4201 South Washington Street  
Marion, Indiana 46953-4974  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAS>  
<http://wildcat.indwes.edu/> (current students)

**Administration:**

Academic Affairs, CAS  
765-677-2493

**General Information:**

Switchboard  
765-674-6901; 866-GO-TO-IWU  
[geninfo@indwes.edu](mailto:geninfo@indwes.edu)

Communication with College of Arts and Sciences

### College of Adult and Professional Studies

**Address:**

Indiana Wesleyan University  
College of Adult and Professional Studies  
1900 W 50th Street  
Marion, Indiana 46953-5279  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAPS>  
<http://myIWU.indwes.edu> (current students)

**Administration:**

Vice President and Dean, CAPS  
765-677-2352

Communication with the College of Adult and Professional Studies

### School of Nursing

**Address:**

Indiana Wesleyan University  
School of Nursing  
1900 W 50th Street  
Marion, Indiana 46953-5279  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/School-of-Nursing>  
<http://myIWU.indwes.edu> (current students)

**Administration:**

Executive Director, SON  
765-677-3062

Communication with the School of Nursing

**Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University**

**Address:**

Indiana Wesleyan University  
Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University  
4201 S Washington Street  
Marion, Indiana 46953-5279  
<http://seminary.indwes.edu>  
<http://myIWU.indwes.edu> (current students)

**Administration:**

Vice President for Wesley Seminary at Indiana  
Wesleyan University  
765-677-2258

Communication with Wesley Seminary at Indiana  
Wesleyan University

**The Graduate School**

**Address:**

Indiana Wesleyan University  
1900 W 50th Street  
Marion, Indiana 46953-4974  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/The-Graduate-School>  
<http://myIWU.indwes.edu> (current students)

**Administration:**

Dean, The Graduate School  
765-677-2090

Communication with The Graduate School



## Education Centers

### INDIANA

**Columbus (Indiana) Education Center**  
726 Washington Street  
Columbus, Indiana 47201

812-376-7346, 866-709-0067  
Fax: 812-376-7356  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Columbus/>

**Fort Wayne Education Center**  
8211 West Jefferson Boulevard  
Fort Wayne, Indiana 46804

260-436-7874, 866-248-2435  
Fax: 260-918-1230  
<http://www.indwes.edu/FortWayne/>

**Indianapolis Education Center North**  
3777 Priority Way South Drive  
Indianapolis, Indiana 46240

317-574-3980, 800-456-5327  
Fax: 317-818-4883  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Indianapolis-North/>

**Indianapolis Education Center West**  
6325 Digital Way, Suite 222  
Indianapolis, Indiana 46278

317-713-6150  
Fax: 317-713-6161  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Indianapolis-West/>

**Kokomo Education Center**  
1916 East Markland Avenue  
Kokomo, Indiana 46901

765-868-7305, 866-728-0431  
Fax: 765-452-0742  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Kokomo/>

**Merrillville Education Center**  
8415 Georgia Street  
Merrillville, Indiana 46410

219-769-5100  
Fax: 219-769-5104  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Merrillville>

**Shelbyville Education Center**  
2325 Intelliplex Drive  
Shelbyville, Indiana 46176

317-392-5180  
Fax: 317-392-5181  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Shelbyville/>

**Greenwood Education Center**  
1500 Windhorst Way  
Greenwood, Indiana 46143

317-859-3101  
Fax: 317-859-3105  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Greenwood/>

### KENTUCKY

**Florence Education and Conference Center**  
600 Meijer Drive, Suite 200  
Florence, Kentucky 41042

859-372-8780  
Fax: 859-372-8790  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Florence>

**Lexington Education Center**  
1792 Alysheba Way Suite 150  
Lexington, Kentucky 40509

859-519-3000  
Fax: 859-519-3006  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Lexington/>

**Louisville Education Center**  
1500 Alliant Avenue  
Louisville, Kentucky 40299

502-261-5000  
Fax: 502-261-5009  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Louisville/>

**OHIO**

**Cincinnati Education Center**

9286 Schulze Drive  
West Chester, Ohio 45069

513-881-3600  
Fax: 513-881-3607  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Cincinnati/>

**Cleveland East Education Center**

5885 Landerbrook Drive, Suite 215  
Mayfield Heights, Ohio 44124

216-328-1073  
Fax: 216-328-1190  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Cleveland-Mayfield-Heights/>

**Cleveland Education Center**

4100 Rockside Road  
Independence, Ohio 44131

216-525-6160  
Fax: 216-525-6169  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Cleveland-Independence/>

**Dayton Education Center**

2912 Springboro West Road  
Moraine, Ohio 45439

937-298-4401  
Fax: 937-298-4406  
<http://www.indwes.edu/dayton/>

## World Changing Aims

Mission: Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christ-centered academic community committed to changing the world by developing students in character, scholarship, and leadership.

A World Changer is a servant leader who exhibits the following:

### 1. Knowledge

- a) Basics of the Christian Faith: A knowledge of the basic themes and truths of the Old and New Testaments and the basic beliefs of Christianity, an awareness of Bible-based morality and social responsibility, and a reasoned understanding of a Christian worldview and the meaning of salvation as expressed in evangelical Christianity.
- b) Liberal Arts Foundation: A solid grasp of the general studies that have been associated with a liberal arts education.
- c) Competency in a Discipline: Competency in at least one major discipline of the university curriculum.
- d) Integration of Knowledge: The integration of knowledge with the Christian faith and across academic disciplines.
- e) Leadership Understanding: Knowledge of the key components and dynamics essential to effective servant-minded leadership in any setting that leads to positive world changing outcomes.

### 2. Skills

- a) Creativity: Making connections between various bodies of information.
- b) Critical Thinking: Analyzing information in order to determine the validity of competing truth claims, and to solve problems.
- c) Communication Skills: Reading critically, writing clearly, and communicating effectively.
- d) Self-discipline: Demonstrating habits of correction or regulation of oneself for the sake of improvement.
- e) Leadership: Taking action to effect change by mobilizing others to accomplish a shared vision.

### 3. Dispositions (Beliefs and Attitudes)

- a) Commitment to Truth: A commitment to the search for Truth as revealed in the Bible and in God's created order.
- b) Lifelong Learning: A commitment to discovering and processing information in preparation for a life of learning.
- c) Human Worth: The belief that God created all life and therefore all people have worth.
- d) Inclusion: The willingness to interact with persons of different perspectives and cultures without surrendering a commitment to truth.
- e) Stewardship: The belief that the created order is a trust from God and a commitment to the wise use of all the resources of life.
- f) Life Calling: The confidence of an overriding purpose for one's life based on a relationship to God, an understanding of self, and a personal response to the needs of the world.
- g) Agents of Change: A commitment to change the world for Christ.
- h) Servanthood: A commitment to meet the needs of others before one's own self interests.

# Strategic Profile

## Core Values

The primary value for Indiana Wesleyan University is Christlikeness. The challenge to follow Christ compels us to pursue a personal and professional lifestyle of...

1. Commitment.
2. Learning.
3. Serving.
4. Stewardship.

## Mission

Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christ-centered academic community committed to changing the world by developing students in character, scholarship, and leadership.

## Vision for Indiana Wesleyan University

Indiana Wesleyan University will prepare each student to become a world changer. We will accomplish this by drawing students into an integrated experience of intellectual challenge, spiritual growth, and leadership development. Thus we will...

1. Call students to Christian character.
2. Expect academic excellence.
3. Equip them for success in their vocations.
4. Mentor them in leadership.
5. Prepare them for service.

Over the next five to ten years, this vision will be operationalized through transformational strategies so that it becomes...

1. A powerful message to our students.
2. A way of building positive student self-image and Christian character.
3. The basis for integrating faith with learning and living.
4. An integrated theme in all our programs.
5. The focal point for a student-centered campus experience that integrates spiritual, educational, and leadership development.
6. The lens we use for faculty recruitment and development.
7. A new way of thinking about who our distinguished alumni are.
8. A basis for rethinking how we relate to our alumni.

# Statement of Faith

**We believe...**in God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

**We believe...**that Jesus Christ, the Son, suffered in our place on the cross, that He died but rose again, and that He now sits at the Father's right hand until He returns to judge all men at the last day.

**We believe...**in the Holy Scriptures as the inspired and inerrant Word of God.

**We believe...**that by the grace of God, every person has the ability and responsibility to choose between right and wrong, and that those who repent of their sin and believe in the Lord Jesus Christ are justified by faith.

**We believe...**that God not only counts believers as righteous, but that He makes them righteous; freeing them of sin's dominion at conversion, purifying their hearts by faith and perfecting them in love at entire sanctification, and providing for their growth in grace at every stage of their spiritual life, enabling them through the presence and power of the Holy Spirit to live a victorious life.

## Accreditation

Indiana Wesleyan University is accredited by the...

1. Higher Learning Commission (HLC), <http://www.ncahigherlearningcommission.org/> and is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (151 North Dearborn, Chicago, IL 60601; phone: 312-263-0456 and 1-800-621-7440).

In addition, specific programs are accredited by the...

1. National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), 2010 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Suite 500, Washington, D.C. 20036; phone: 202-466-7496.
2. Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE), phone: 202-887-6791.
3. Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP), 5999 Stevenson Ave., Alexandria, VA 22304; phone: 703-823-9800.
4. Council on Social Work Education (CSWE); phone: 703-683-8080.
5. Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE), <http://caate.net>; 2201 Double Creek Drive, Suite 5006, Round Rock, TX 78664.
6. National Association of Schools of Music (NASM), <http://nasm.arts-accredit.org>; phone: 703-437-0700.

The university has approvals from the Indiana Department of Education, Indiana Board of Nursing Registration, Kentucky Council of Postsecondary Education, and Ohio Board of Regents.

## Nondiscrimination in University Programs

Indiana Wesleyan University is committed to equal opportunity in employment and education. Indiana Wesleyan admits students and employs individuals of any race, sex, color, disability, or national or ethnic origin. These have access to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally made available to students or employees at the university. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, color, national or ethnic origin, disability, age, or marital status in the administration of its educational policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other administered programs. Inquiries or complaints should be addressed on the appropriate form to the vice president for Academic Affairs, Indiana Wesleyan University.

## Academic Freedom

Students and faculty of the academic community that forms Indiana Wesleyan are encouraged both to explore and discuss ideas freely and fully and also to be fully responsible to the university mission, seeking to integrate all aspects of a Christian worldview under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. Faith mandates and illuminates learning; learning clarifies and expands faith.

## Right Reserved to Change

The right is reserved to change any of the rules and regulations of the university at any time, including those relating to admission, instruction, and graduation. The right to withdraw curricula and specific courses, alter course content, change the calendar, and to impose or increase fees similarly is reserved. All such changes are effective at such times as the proper authorities determine and may apply not only to prospective students but also to those already enrolled in the university.

## Disability Services

IWU is committed to providing equal access to students with disabilities. Further information related to specific processes for seeking assistance and services can be located in the student's area of study (College of Arts and Sciences, College of Adult and Professional Studies, School of Nursing, or Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University.)

Students who believe that they have experienced discrimination on the basis of a disability can seek resolution by following the steps as outlined in the Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic).

## Records, Rights, and Privacy

The university complies with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and as it appears in final form in June 1976, with subsequent amendments. This law protects the rights of students to review their own records and to challenge any of the content of the record. Students may request access to their records from the following offices:

1. Permanent grade records (transcripts) for all students are kept in the Marion Campus Registrar's Office.
2. Records are maintained by the Registrar's Office, the Office of Student Services, the Accounting Offices, and the Offices of Financial Aid.

The law also protects students from the unlawful disclosure of information about their academic performance, personal campus discipline, or financial status.

The law allows the disclosure of five classes of "directory information" as follows:

1. Name, address, telephone number, dates of attendance, class, and religious affiliation
2. Previous institution(s) attended, major field of study, awards, honors, degree(s) conferred, including dates
3. Past and present participation in officially recognized sports and activities, physical factors (height and weight) of athletes, date and place of birth
4. Schedule of classes
5. Photograph

A student may request in writing that one or all of the five categories of directory information be restricted from publication. In no case will grade, discipline, or financial information be disclosed except in keeping with the law.

Requests are filed with either the Registrar's Office or the Office of Student Services.

## Honesty and Cheating

Academic dishonesty is inconsistent with scholarship and the pursuit of knowledge and Christian character. Thus, Indiana Wesleyan University expects students to be honest in all academic work.

### Coursework

Students are expected to exhibit honesty in the classroom, in homework and on quizzes and tests. Each instructor should define what constitutes honest work in a specific course. Any deviation from ordinary standards, such as the permitted use of notes for an examination or an "open book" test, should be stated clearly by the instructor.

Cheating is defined as the use or attempted use of unauthorized materials or receiving unauthorized assistance or communication during any academic exercise. Examples of cheating include:

1. Submitting work for academic evaluation that is not the student's own.
2. Copying answers from another student during an examination.
3. Using prepared notes or materials during an examination.
4. Permitting another student to copy one's work.
5. Plagiarism.
6. Falsification.

7. Other misrepresentations of academic achievement submitted for evaluation or a grade.

Plagiarism is defined as "the false assumption of authorship; the wrongful act of taking the product of another person's mind and presenting it as one's own" (A. Lindey, 2006, *Plagiarism and Originality*). *The Prentice Hall Reference Guide* (2006) indicates, "To plagiarize is to include someone else's writing, information, or idea in a paper and fail to acknowledge what you took by indicating whose work it is" (p. 292). In other words, it is not giving credit where credit is due. Plagiarism is both a moral and ethical offense and sometimes a legal one.

Examples of plagiarism include:

1. Copying another person's actual words without the use of quotation marks, source citation, or footnotes.
2. Presenting another person's ideas or theories in your own words without citing the source.
3. Failing to acknowledge contribution and collaboration from others.
4. Using information that is not common knowledge without citing the source.
5. Submitting downloaded papers or parts of papers, "cutting and pasting," or paraphrasing or copying information from Internet sources without proper acknowledgement of a source.

### Sanctions

It is the responsibility of each student to be aware of policies regulating academic conduct including definitions of academic dishonesty, the possible sanctions, and the appeals process.

Any undergraduate student apprehended and charged with cheating, including plagiarism, during his or her college matriculation, shall receive the following discipline:

1. First incident of cheating: failure in paper, assignment, or exam.
2. Second incident of cheating: failure in the course involved.
3. Third incident of cheating: dismissal from the university.

A graduate student is expected to understand clearly the nature of cheating and is subject to dismissal from the university for a single incident of academic dishonesty or cheating. Incidents of cheating and/or plagiarism will be investigated and judged by the appropriate graduate faculty.

Because the matter of cheating cumulatively leads to dismissal, faculty are required to report each case to the appropriate university administrator who in turn reports the case to the academic leader of the specific college/school. Unquestionable evidence must be in hand before any action will be taken to confront and accuse a student of cheating.

A student who is not satisfied with the disciplinary action may follow the grievance and appeal policies below.

**Falsification of Academic Records or University Documents:** Falsification of academic records or documents includes but is not limited to altering any documents affecting academic records; forging signatures; or falsifying information of an official document such as a grade report, ID card, financial receipt, or any other official university letter or communication. This includes information downloaded (printed) from student information available via Web (online) services.

**Unauthorized Access to Computerized Academic or Administrative Records or Systems:** Unauthorized access to computerized academic or administrative records or systems means viewing or altering the university's computer records without authorization; copying or modifying the university's computer programs or systems without authorization; releasing or dispensing information gained through unauthorized access; or interfering with the use or availability of computer systems information.

Students who are found to have falsified university documents or participated in unauthorized access to computerized academic or administrative records or systems are subject to dismissal from the university for a single incident. The university may consider legal action for any individual found to have participated in these actions.

# Safety Policies and Campus Crime Statistics

IWU Safety Policies can be accessed at <http://www.indwes.edu/safety> and includes crime statistics on certain reportable crimes, as well as policies concerning alcohol and drug use, crime reporting and prevention, sexual assault, and other related matters. Anyone wishing a paper copy of the policies may contact the Office of Institutional Research at 765-677-1566.

## Drug Abuse Prevention

Drug abuse in the United States has become a major problem, and students at Indiana Wesleyan University are not immune. If you need assistance with a drug abuse problem, we encourage you to seek help at your local community drug abuse prevention center. To talk to someone in a strictly confidential atmosphere, please feel free to contact The Center for Student Success (800-332-6901) at our Marion campus. All conversations are private and will not affect your attendance at the university.

If you would like to talk to someone outside Indiana Wesleyan University, please feel free to call one of the following numbers, or a hospital or treatment center in your area:

1. The National Cocaine Hotline, (800) COCAINE, (800) 262-2463.
2. National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10A-30, Rockville, MD 20857, (800) 662-HELP, (800) 662-4357.

## Alcohol, Illegal Drugs, and Firearms

Alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, and firearms are not permitted on Indiana Wesleyan University premises, including rented classrooms and any building or parts of buildings owned or operated by Indiana Wesleyan University. Refusal to comply may result in dismissal from the university.

## Tobacco Usage Prohibited

Students are to refrain from using tobacco products in all Indiana Wesleyan University classrooms, including rented classrooms and any building or parts of buildings owned or operated by Indiana Wesleyan University. Refusal to comply may result in dismissal from the university.

## Technology - Acceptable Use Policy

Indiana Wesleyan University (IWU) provides technology systems for the purposes of educating university students, promoting academic research, communicating with university constituents, and administering the daily business of IWU. It is the desire of IWU that technology systems provided by the university be used in a manner that reflects the goals and mission of Indiana Wesleyan. These policies have been established to promote an environment that is safe and secure for all constituents and encourage students to act in a professional and responsible manner.

### Technology Equipment:

Technology equipment provided by the university is the property of IWU, and as such IWU retains the right to remove, reallocate, or change equipment at its discretion. No information residing on any computer hardware owned by IWU should be considered private and therefore is subject to review by university staff.

Reporting abuses of technology equipment is expected as it assists the university in providing functional equipment and services to the IWU community.

### Computer and Network Access:

Students shall not access files or retrieve any digitally stored information unless authorized to do so. Students shall not attempt to gain access to any entity via electronic means without authorization. Examples of activities that are inappropriate include; attempting to gain unauthorized access to computers or networks owned and or operated by another person or group; and use of an account on a shared computer or network other than the one assigned to the user.

### Internet Usage:



Inappropriate use of the internet to access sites such as pornography, gambling, illegal downloads of content, and hate speech is outside of legitimate academic research and is therefore prohibited. IWU monitors and filters all internet activity conducted on university equipment and systems and will, at its discretion, use evidence gathered for disciplinary actions if necessary.

### **E-mail:**

#### **1. Email account creation / account termination**

- Email accounts are created when a student enrolls for classes at IWU. The accounts are maintained while the student is actively taking classes.
- Accounts will be terminated for inappropriate use, after graduation, or termination of their enrollment.

#### **2. Accessing email**

- Email access is achieved via a university supported web browser. These include MS Explorer, Firefox, and Safari.
- Only users for which an email account has been created are approved to use the Indiana Wesleyan University email system.
- Students are required to protect their user name and password and NEVER share this confidential information.
- Students should never allow someone else to use their email account for sending or receiving email unless under direct supervision of them. By granting access, the student assumes responsibility of any and all activities of the guest user.

#### **3. Proper and Ethical Use of Email**

- The email system exists to enhance the communication abilities of the Indiana Wesleyan University community. It should be used for purposes that enhance communication and reflect our desire to be Christ-like.
- Appropriate Content
  - At any time and without prior notice, Indiana Wesleyan University administration reserves the right to examine email, personal file directories, and other information stored on Indiana Wesleyan University computers. This examination helps to ensure compliance with internal policies, supports the performance of internal investigations, and assists with the management of Indiana Wesleyan University information systems. As such, the Vice President for Information Technology or any of his/her assigned representatives may monitor the content of email. Use of the email system constitutes acceptance of such monitoring.
  - This policy should be read and interpreted in conjunction with all other Indiana Wesleyan University policies including but not limited to policies prohibiting harassment, discrimination, offensive conduct or inappropriate behavior. Students are expressly prohibited from using email for any unethical purposes, including but not limited to pornography, violence, gambling, racism, harassment, or any illegal activity. Further, transmitting any message that may be perceived as containing derogatory, obscene, profane, lewd, harassing, or inflammatory images or remarks about an individual or group's race, color religion, national origin, age, disability, gender, or other protected class status is strictly prohibited, and is subject to corrective action.
  - Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to use email filtering/spam blocking technologies in an effort to minimize unsolicited bulk email. As a result, there may be instances where legitimate email may be inadvertently blocked or quarantined. In such cases, the office of Information Technology will make every effort to correct those situations.

#### **4. E-mail messages cannot be considered private and may be monitored by university personnel. Such messages may be subject to disclosure to outside third parties, including the court system and law enforcement agencies, under certain circumstances. Please be aware that e-mail messages are not encrypted and can be viewed by anyone with the intention, ability, and equipment to do so.**

### **Copyright:**

Students are responsible to comply with copyright laws and applicable licenses that apply to software, files, documents, messages and other material they wish to download or copy. Proprietary materials belonging to entities other than the student should not be transmitted on the university's e-mail system or via the university's Internet connection. All students obtaining access to any material prepared or created by another company or individual must respect any attached copyrights and may not copy, retrieve, modify or forward such copyrighted materials, except with written permission of the lawful owner. Students receiving electronic files via the Indiana Wesleyan University's e-mail system or Internet connection should ensure the sender is the lawful owner or has obtained the necessary license.

### **Use of Indiana Wesleyan University Identity:**

The Indiana Wesleyan University name, seal, logo, telephone numbers or address are reserved for official university business and may not be used for any other purpose including electronically (fax, internet, etc.) in advertising or for non-university sponsored events without explicit written permission.

**Exclusive Property:**

All equipment, services and technologies provided to students as part of Indiana Wesleyan University's computer system constitute the exclusive property of Indiana Wesleyan University. Similarly, all information composed, transmitted, received or stored via the IWU computer system is also considered the property of Indiana Wesleyan University. As such, all stored information is subject to disclosure to management, law enforcement and other third parties, with or without notice to the student.

**Policy Remedies:**

Individuals found to be in violation of any part of the policy will be subject to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal from the university. Any known or suspected violations of this or any other university policy should be reported immediately to the office of the Vice President for Student Development and the Vice President for Information Technology.

## Non-Academic Appeal

A student may seek recourse from any university nonacademic program or employment-related dispute, alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or other state or federal legislation. Students in programs within the College of Arts and Sciences may use the link below to review appropriate steps toward filing a non-academic appeal. All other students should contact their appropriate school for further assistance.

College of Arts and Sciences non-academic appeal

## Transcripts

The student's official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

## Academic Terms - CAS

The regular academic year consists of a fall semester and a spring semester. Instructional time is typically 750 minutes per credit hour. A student is classified as full-time when enrolled for 12-16 credit hours in a semester. Students may complete the 124 semester credits required for a baccalaureate degree with four semesters of 15 credits and four semesters of 16 credits. Students who wish to register for more than 16 hours must meet the following criteria: 17 credit hours must have a 2.75 GPA, 18 credit hours a 3.0 GPA, and 19 hours a 3.5 GPA. Students who do not meet these criteria and wish to register for more than 16 hours can request an exception by submitting an academic petition.

Evening classes are offered on campus to meet the needs of individuals who seek university credit courses but are unable to pursue class work in the day session. These courses are of the same caliber as those offered in the day session and are open to those who are eligible to pursue university work. Usually they will run concurrently with the academic calendar of the day session.

Special sessions include...

1. May Term (MA) - three-weeks.
  - A three-week May term is offered at discounted rates for student acceleration, to make up for a course dropped, or to allow for a lighter semester load. Most May courses are three credits but a maximum of four credits may be earned. Two to four credits in May is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is four credit hours.
2. Summer Session 1 (S1) - five-week summer session (see detailed information following Summer Session 2).
3. Summer Session 2 (S2) - five week summer session.
  - An integral part of the regular university calendar with the same academic standards, these sessions (S1 and S2) may vary in length and in amount of credit that may be earned. Four semester hours of credit in each summer session (S1 and S2) is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is six credit hours.
4. Summer 1 Term (S1T) - end of spring semester thru end of Summer Session 2.
  - An integral part of the regular university calendar with the same academic standards, this session may vary in length and in amount of credit that may be earned. Four semester hours is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is six credit hours.

Address all application information to Indiana Wesleyan University, Admissions Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, Indiana 46953. Call 1-866-468-6498, ext. 6507, or 765-677-2138. Email address: [admissions@indwes.edu](mailto:admissions@indwes.edu); Internet: <http://www.indwes.edu>.

## Academic Terms - CAPS

### College of Adult and Professional Studies (CAPS)

CAPS courses are offered under the semester hour system but in a nontraditional academic calendar. Each program consists of specific courses that are taught in a modular format and taken sequentially. Courses follow a block sequence, one course at a time, with cohort groups pursuing programs that continue year round, until the program requirements have been completed. Core groups meet on the same day for the duration of the program. Classes meet for four hours on weeknights or Saturdays (classes in the M.Ed. program meet for eight hours on Saturdays). Students are also required to complete project team assignments.

## Enrollment Limitations

Students may only be active in one college due to financial and academic credit implications and may not switch back and forth between the term and non-term programs. **IWU students enrolled in IWU colleges other than the College of Arts and Sciences may not enroll in classes in the College of Arts and Sciences.** Students in the College of Arts and Sciences can take designated classes in the College of Adult and Professional Studies elective offerings ONLY if the class begins after the first day of May term and ends prior to August graduation and if the course has been approved for CAS credit. Students who plan to change from programs and degrees in one college to programs and degrees in the other should carefully examine the ability to apply courses from one program to the other. See the Registrar's Office for more information.

# College of Arts and Sciences

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Welcome to the College of Arts and Sciences. We invite you to join us as we explore the enduring questions that people have asked across time. For us, these questions begin with “Who is God calling you to be?” As you discern the answer to this question, we encourage you to discover what you are called to do, what you need to learn to live out your calling, and how you can engage the world in a way that glorifies God and promotes justice, righteousness and mercy. To pursue answers to these questions and discover your life calling, we encourage you to investigate our academic programs, connect with our faculty members, explore how our community can nourish your Christian commitment, and learn how opportunities for leadership and service are waiting for you at IWU.

## Communication with the College of Arts and Sciences

Address:	4201 South Washington Street Marion, Indiana 46953-4974
General Information:	Switchboard: 765-674-6901; 866-GO-TO-IWU; geninfo@indwes.edu
Administration:	Academic Affairs: 765-677-2493
Admissions:	Undergraduate: 866-GO-TO-IWU; 765-677-2138; admissions@indwes.edu
Business Office:	765-677-2411 Billing, Cashiering
Center for Life Calling and Leadership:	765-677-2520; Career Guidance: clcl@indwes.edu
Financial Aid:	765-677-2116; Scholarships and Financial Assistance: finaids@indwes.edu
Registrar's Office:	765-677-2131; Registration, Course Information, Transcripts and Grade Reports: registrar@indwes.edu
Student Accounts:	765-677-2122; Cashier/Business Office: howtopay@indwes.edu
Student Development:	765-677-2201; Housing, Student Organizations and Activities: studev@indwes.edu
The Center for Student Success: Student Support Services	765-677-2257; Counseling, Handicapped Student Assistance, Tutoring: center4success@indwes.edu
Catalog:	<a href="http://www.indwes.edu/catalog">http://www.indwes.edu/catalog</a>

## Academic Calendar - CAS

Academic Year 2010-2011	
Final Registration for Fall Semester	September 3
Fall Semester Classes Begin	September 7
Fall Break	October 22
Thanksgiving Recess	November 24-26
Final Examinations*	December 13-15
Commencement	December 18
New Student Registration - Spring Semester	January 10
Spring Semester Classes Begin	January 11
Spring Vacation	March 7-11
Final Examinations*	April 21
Easter Recess	April 22-25
Final Examinations* (Final Exams resumes at 8:00 a.m.)	April 26-27
Baccalaureate	April 29
Commencement	April 30
May Term	May 4-24
Summer 1 Term	May 4-August 5
Summer Session I	May 31-July 1
Summer Session II	July 5-August 5
Commencement	August 13

Academic Year 2011-2012	
Final Registration for Fall Semester	September 2
Fall Semester Classes Begin	September 6
Fall Break	October 11
Thanksgiving Recess	November 23-25
Final Examinations*	December 12-14
Commencement	December 17
New Student Registration - Spring Semester	January 9
Spring Semester Classes Begin	January 10
Spring Vacation	March 5-9
Easter (Classes resume Monday, April 9, 6 p.m.)	April 6-9
Final Examinations*	April 23-25
Baccalaureate	April 27
Commencement	April 28
May Term	May 2-22
Summer 1 Term	May 2-August 3
Summer Session I	May 29-June 29
Summer Session II	July 2-August 3
Commencement	August 11
<b>Cancellation of Classes:</b>	Announcements are made over radio stations WBAT-1400 AM, WCJC-99.3 FM, WGOM-860 AM, WMRI-106.9 FM, and WWKI-100.5 FM - Kokomo
<b>*NOTE:</b>	<b>Students will not be excused from classes or examinations for early departure at vacation times or end of semester examinations.</b>



## Policies and General Information - College of Arts and Sciences

This section of the catalog contains information regarding: admissions, orientation and registration, academic policies, academic information, financial aid and tuition, as well as student activities.

### Admission

Indiana Wesleyan University welcomes applications for admission from any academically qualified person whose motivation is in keeping with the university's purposes. Admission is based on the careful review of all credentials presented by an applicant, and in no case is admission denied due to race, color, national origin, disability, religion, or sex. Students are admitted in one of the following categories:

**Distinction**—Based on high school grade-point average and SAT/ACT scores or college GPA. Distinction students are eligible for academic scholarships.

**Regular**—Standard admission with no restrictions.

**Conditional**—Students whose GPA and/or national test scores are below the required level may be required to take courses in reading, study skills, and writing.

**Provisional**—First-year and transfer students who have a previous GPA below 2.0 on a 4.0 scale; restricts extracurricular activities and limits students to 13 credits in a semester. Some provisional students will be required to take courses in reading, study skills, and writing.

**Unclassified**—Students who are taking only a course or two and are not admitted to a program of study. Students may register for up to six hours per semester. A maximum of 18 credit hours may be taking in this status. This does not constitute admission to a university program.

Prospective students are welcome to visit the campus. Appointments for interviews with an admissions counselor and/or a professor in a student's field of interest are encouraged. Overnight lodging for students is available on campus and may be reserved in advance through the Admissions Office. Call toll-free 1-866-468-6498, ext. 6507, or direct to the Admissions Office at 765-677-6507; E-mail address: [admissions@indwes.edu](mailto:admissions@indwes.edu). Internet: <http://www.indwes.edu>

### First Year Admission

Interested students are encouraged to apply for admission at the close of their junior year in high school. Applications are accepted throughout the senior year of high school, but should be submitted before March 1 for full consideration. Applications after March 1 will be considered as space is available. The completed application, high school transcript, test scores including an essay (SAT or ACT), recommendation, community values contract and personal essay are necessary for an admission decision. A tuition deposit is required before registration and is fully refundable until May 1.

The admission decision may be made with a high school transcript at the end of the junior year. It is to be followed later by the full four-year record and certification of graduation.

A student should have a minimum of each of the following: 8 credits in language arts (equivalent to 4 years); 6-8 credits in mathematics (equivalent to 3-4 years); 6 credits in science (equivalent to 3 years); 6 credits in social studies (equivalent to 3 years); 4 credits in foreign language (equivalent to 2 years); 2 credits in health, physical education, safety (equivalent to 1 year); and 4-6 credits from other courses offered (equivalent to 2-3 years). Regular admission requires that applicants have at least a 2.6 cumulative high school GPA on a 4.0 scale and a 880 SAT (Math and Critical Reading) or 18 ACT score. Applicants who do not meet the requirements for regular admission may request special consideration.

Applicants may make arrangements at their local high school counseling office to take the SAT or ACT in the junior year or as early as possible in the senior year. Applicants who are unable to present SAT or ACT scores can make special arrangements with The Center for Student Success at the IWU campus to be tested.

Individuals not receiving a high school diploma must take the General Education Development Exam (GED) and achieve satisfactory scores to be considered for admission.



## **Transfer Student Admission**

Students who have attended other colleges or universities may be admitted at advanced levels depending on the amount of credit transferable from the other institutions. Transcripts of all other college work must be submitted with other admission credentials at the time of application to the Indiana Wesleyan University Admissions Office. All transcripts must be sent directly from the office of the registrar at the college or university attended. Students are also required to have a form (Transfer Information Form) completed from the last institution attended verifying that the student left the college in good academic and social standing. All students must complete their last 30 credit hours at IWU.

## **Transfer of Credit Policy - CAS**

Credit is granted for work with a satisfactory grade (“C” or above) taken at an approved college or university accredited at the same level, provided the courses are applicable to the curriculum the student wishes to pursue at Indiana Wesleyan University. An “approved college or university” generally refers to those institutions that are accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education (formerly the Accrediting Association of Bible Colleges). The university registrar is responsible to approve the transferability of all credits. Credit hours accepted in transfer are recorded, but quality points and grades are omitted and used only for the purposes of graduating with Honors.

Credit taken by correspondence from an accredited institution may be applied toward a degree at Indiana Wesleyan University, with a maximum of 12 semester hours accepted.

Credits from unaccredited colleges and universities and from schools/colleges/universities not accredited at the same level—such as proprietary business schools, vocational/technical schools, or other single purpose institutions—will not be transferable without individual assessment. The number of credits transferable from such institutions will be limited to two years (62 semester hours).

Credit from nontraditional learning by life experience may only be awarded with an Indiana Wesleyan University individual assessment. Credit will be determined through the assessment and approval process. Credit through examination (CLEP/DANTES/Advance Placement) may only be awarded with official test scores from an official testing center and an Indiana Wesleyan University individual assessment. The maximum number of credits awarded shall be limited to a total of 40 semester hours for the baccalaureate degrees and 18 semester hours for the associate degrees, and ordinarily will not be applied to upper-division requirements in the major (junior and senior levels). It is the responsibility of the student to obtain approval from the appropriate division for the application of credits to the majors.

## **International Student Admission**

Indiana Wesleyan University is authorized under federal law to enroll nonimmigrant alien students. It is recommended that interested students contact the Admissions Office as early as possible (preferably one year in advance) as there are usually delays in preparing visas, passports, and transcripts. All application forms, documents, test scores, and payments must be received by July 1 of the year of intended study.

Students who do not speak English as their first and primary language must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) prior to admission to the university. A score of at least 550 (paper-based) or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission. Please visit the TOEFL Web site ([www.toefl.org](http://www.toefl.org)) for more information. Before the immigration form I-20 can be sent, students from all countries except Canada must send to the university (a) money equivalent to the first semester’s tuition, room, and board; and (b) a \$1000.00 U.S. emergency deposit to be held for the complete duration of a student’s enrollment and to be used in case of family or medical emergency. Students from all countries including Canada must send to the university (a) a letter of financial commitment with certified bank statements indicating sufficient funds for attendance; and (b) proof of health insurance coverage in the U.S. or \$500 for approximately one year of insurance premium (must be renewed annually).

Contact the Admissions Office for specific admissions procedures.

## **Re-enrollment**

A student who has previously been enrolled in Indiana Wesleyan University and has discontinued enrollment for one semester or more must reapply. Application for re-enrollment may be made at the Admissions Office. Students who are not enrolled for one academic year or longer must meet the requirements of the governing catalog for the re-enrollment date. Any student who attended other institutions of higher learning must submit the transfer information form completed by the last college attended and official transcripts of all work completed before a readmission decision can be made. All transcripts must be sent directly from the office of the registrar at the college or university attended.

## **Credits-in Escrow (High School Students)**

Qualified high school students are offered a head start on their university education by enrolling under the Credits-in-Escrow program. A student must have maintained a 3.0 average on a 4.0 scale in high school classes and be recommended by a high school counselor or principal to qualify. A qualified student who has completed the first semester of the junior year may begin taking courses in the spring semester, continue each summer session, and take one course each semester of the senior year, not to exceed four courses. There is no tuition charge for credits earned under the Credits-in-Escrow program; however, a registration fee of \$50 per course is charged at the time of registration. Students must be registered by the first day of classes.

## **Special/Unclassified Admission**

Students not pursuing a university degree, who want to take individual courses for personal development, may have an unclassified admission and register for up to six hours per semester. This does not constitute admission to a university program. A maximum of 18 credit hours may be taken in this status.

Students wishing to pursue a degree program must reapply for regular admission. Guest students from other colleges should have the approval of their home institution. By special arrangement, high school students may register under this classification while meeting requirements for high school graduation. By special arrangement, senior adults may register at a reduced fee. Information on these programs is available in the Registrar's Office.

**Students are permitted to audit courses. Those wishing to audit a course may not register until the first day of classes on a space-available basis.**

## **Professional Program**

Acceptance in the freshman class with a major in teacher education, nursing education, social work, Christian/youth ministries, or other professional programs does not necessarily imply admission to these professional programs. Each department has specific requirements that must be met at different levels of the program. See the section entitled "Schools of Instruction" in this catalog for specific details.

## **Orientation and Registration**

### **New Students Orientation**

All students anticipating enrollment for the first time at Indiana Wesleyan University are required to participate in an orientation program conducted at the beginning of the semester. This program is designed to acquaint students with the university programs and services available from the various offices. There are information sessions for parents and students. The orientation time is also designed to assist students with meeting new friends and adjusting to life at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Entrance Examinations**

All freshmen are required to take entrance examinations in order to be accepted at Indiana Wesleyan University. Academic placement examinations are a part of new student registration. These tests are used to determine the level at which a student shall enter a sequence of courses. Some majors require specific placement examinations.

### **Registration Procedures - CAS**

Specified dates are set at three times in the summer and once in January for new students to come to the campus and register for the coming semester's classes. New students are notified by the Admissions Office of their acceptance to Indiana Wesleyan University. The Registrar's Office will then send information about registration procedures and the appropriate time to come to the campus for testing and advisement in the selection of courses and registration.

## **Returning Students**

Returning students may register for the fall semester and summer sessions in the spring and summer. Registration for the spring semester and May term occurs in the late fall. All students are expected to complete their registration during the time set by the director of records for advanced registration or at the specific time established in the current calendar for this purpose. Detailed instructions for registration will be provided by the Registrar's Office. Arrangements for financial payment, in accord with one of the plans approved under the section on university charges, must be made in advance or at the time of registration. All students must be registered by the first day of classes in any term. When a student registers at an advanced registration, he or she is responsible upon return to the campus to report to the Business Office for initial payment and verification of attendance.

## **Academic Advising - CAS**

Students are responsible to meet all course requirements as stated in the catalog at the time they began enrollment. A faculty advisor is assigned to each student and is available at registration periods for advisement on program requirements. Every student is, however, personally responsible to meet all requirements, including stated competencies, grade-point indexes, specified courses, total numbers of credits in each stated area of study, and total number of credits for the degree program. Each identified faculty advisor is required to approve through web advising the student's registration form. Each student has Web access to their academic record and degree/major requirements.

## **Schedule Changes**

### **Drop/Add**

The student's choice of classes, once made and filed, is expected to be permanent for the semester. However, the last date to add a course shall be the Friday after the first day of the term, except for those students who wish to change their schedule as a result of dropping or adding a Monday evening course. In this circumstance, the deadline for adding courses shall be the Tuesday after the first day of classes. The last date to drop a course is the second Friday after the start of classes. For May term and summer I and II terms, the last date to add or drop a course is the second day of classes. For Summer I Term the last day to add a class is the end of the first week. The last day to drop a class is the end of the second week. This includes any desired change in audit registrations. Any drop/add changes made thereafter, require the approval of the student's advisor, the professors involved, and the director of records as well as academic affairs signature.

### **Withdrawing from Classes**

Up until the tenth week of the semester (or same percent {5/7} of partial semester classes), students may withdraw from a course with a grade of "W." This should be done only after consultation with academic advisors, the Registrar's Office, and the Financial Aid Office, as reduction of course load below 12 credits may affect eligibilities for athletics, scholarships, or financial aid. After the tenth week of the semester, no change in registration is permitted except for total withdrawal from the university.

### **Withdrawal from the University**

A student desiring to voluntarily withdraw from the university must obtain a form from the director of records. This form must be completed and filed with the director of records before the student leaves campus. No refunds will be made by the Business Office until the director of records certifies that the withdrawal procedure has been completed. A student failing to complete proper withdrawal remains a student and will be charged as such and receive a grade at the end of the semester. Students who fail to check out of their rooms properly will be subject to an administrative charge.

## **Semester Away**

Students who wish to take a course in the summer or during a special session at another college or university and not as study abroad (see Study Abroad) should get advice from the major advisor and permission from the director of records prior to registration at the external institution to ensure courses will transfer back to Indiana Wesleyan University. The form, Transfer of Credit Policy, is available in the Registrar's Office to process this request. All courses must be reviewed by the Registrar's Office prior to attending the external university. The transfer of credit policy will govern the acceptability of external credits. Semester away may impact institutional aid, and room and board freeze.

## Academic Terms - CAS

The regular academic year consists of a fall semester and a spring semester. Instructional time is typically 750 minutes per credit hour. A student is classified as full-time when enrolled for 12-16 credit hours in a semester. Students may complete the 124 semester credits required for a baccalaureate degree with four semesters of 15 credits and four semesters of 16 credits. Students who wish to register for more than 16 hours must meet the following criteria: 17 credit hours must have a 2.75 GPA, 18 credit hours a 3.0 GPA, and 19 hours a 3.5 GPA. Students who do not meet these criteria and wish to register for more than 16 hours can request an exception by submitting an academic petition.

Evening classes are offered on campus to meet the needs of individuals who seek university credit courses but are unable to pursue class work in the day session. These courses are of the same caliber as those offered in the day session and are open to those who are eligible to pursue university work. Usually they will run concurrently with the academic calendar of the day session.

Special sessions include...

1. May Term (MA) - three-weeks.
  - A three-week May term is offered at discounted rates for student acceleration, to make up for a course dropped, or to allow for a lighter semester load. Most May courses are three credits but a maximum of four credits may be earned. Two to four credits in May is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is four credit hours.
2. Summer Session 1 (S1) - five-week summer session (see detailed information following Summer Session 2).
3. Summer Session 2 (S2) - five week summer session.
  - An integral part of the regular university calendar with the same academic standards, these sessions (S1 and S2) may vary in length and in amount of credit that may be earned. Four semester hours of credit in each summer session (S1 and S2) is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is six credit hours.
4. Summer 1 Term (S1T) - end of spring semester thru end of Summer Session 2.
  - An integral part of the regular university calendar with the same academic standards, this session may vary in length and in amount of credit that may be earned. Four semester hours is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is six credit hours.

Address all application information to Indiana Wesleyan University, Admissions Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, Indiana 46953. Call 1-866-468-6498, ext. 6507, or 765-677-2138. Email address: [admissions@indwes.edu](mailto:admissions@indwes.edu); Internet: <http://www.indwes.edu>.

## Enrollment Limitations

Students may only be active in one college due to financial and academic credit implications and may not switch back and forth between the term and non-term programs. **IWU students enrolled in IWU colleges other than the College of Arts and Sciences may not enroll in classes in the College of Arts and Sciences.** Students in the College of Arts and Sciences can take designated classes in the College of Adult and Professional Studies elective offerings ONLY if the class begins after the first day of May term and ends prior to August graduation and if the course has been approved for CAS credit. Students who plan to change from programs and degrees in one college to programs and degrees in the other should carefully examine the ability to apply courses from one program to the other. See the Registrar's Office for more information.

## Records, Rights, and Privacy

The university complies with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and as it appears in final form in June 1976, with subsequent amendments. This law protects the rights of students to review their own records and to challenge any of the content of the record. Students may request access to their records from the following offices:

1. Permanent grade records (transcripts) for all students are kept in the Marion Campus Registrar's Office.
2. Records are maintained by the Registrar's Office, the Office of Student Services, the Accounting Offices, and the Offices of Financial Aid.

The law also protects students from the unlawful disclosure of information about their academic performance, personal campus discipline, or financial status.

The law allows the disclosure of five classes of "directory information" as follows:

1. Name, address, telephone number, dates of attendance, class, and religious affiliation
2. Previous institution(s) attended, major field of study, awards, honors, degree(s) conferred, including dates
3. Past and present participation in officially recognized sports and activities, physical factors (height and weight) of athletes, date and place of birth
4. Schedule of classes
5. Photograph

A student may request in writing that one or all of the five categories of directory information be restricted from publication. In no case will grade, discipline, or financial information be disclosed except in keeping with the law.

Requests are filed with either the Registrar's Office or the Office of Student Services.

## Academic Information

The university seeks to meet the interests of the widest possible community of students within the commitment to a Christian world and life view. Many different major programs, disciplines, and degree routes are offered.

## Degrees Offered

Indiana Wesleyan University College of Arts and Sciences confers the following degrees:

- Associate of Arts (A.A.)
- Associate of Science (A.S.)
- Bachelor of Arts (A.B.)
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.)
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (B.S.N.)
- Bachelor of Music (B.Mus.)

## Degree - Requirements

### College Of Arts And Sciences (CAS)

To earn a degree from Indiana Wesleyan University, the last 30 semester hours of course credit must be taken at IWU. Nine hours of the major or minor course credit must be earned at IWU. The clinical experience required of medical technology majors, or a semester away in a university-approved program, is accepted as in residence.

### Associate Degree

1. Completion of 62 semester hours
2. Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
3. Completion of at least 24 semester hours in the major area with a GPA of 2.0 or higher; major requirements as prescribed by each department must be met.
4. Completion of general education requirements. If a student chooses to have multiple majors, the degree designation is based upon the first major.

### Bachelor's Degree

1. Completion of 124 semester hours
2. Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
3. Completion of at least 40 semester hours in the major area with a GPA of 2.25 or higher; major requirements as prescribed by each department must be met.
4. Completion of general education requirements. If a student chooses to have multiple majors, the degree designation is based upon the first major.

## Catalog Governing Graduation - CAS

Students may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the university catalog under which they enrolled, provided they maintain continuous enrollment and make normal progress toward a degree so that the degree may be earned within a maximum of six years. **If they withdraw from Indiana Wesleyan University, the graduation requirements, as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment, will apply.** Students changing majors, programs, moving from the College of Adult and Professional Studies to the College of Arts and Sciences programs, or vice-versa, must meet requirements as stated in the catalog that is current at the time they make such changes. Students may at any time change from an earlier catalog to a subsequent current catalog, but must meet all requirements for graduation of that catalog. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

## Undergraduate Majors and Degrees Offered

### Majors—A.S. and A.A. Degrees

Most programs leading to the A.S. or A.A. degree require 24 hours in the major subject. Each department offering these degrees specifies the required courses. Each major designates the degree.

### Majors—B.S., B.S.N., B.Mus., and A.B. Degrees

Most programs leading to the B.S. or A.B. degree require a minimum of 40 hours in a major. Professional programs may require more than 40 hours. Each major specifies the designated course requirements.

A minimum of 12 hours in the major must be in courses above the sophomore level. A grade-point average of 2.25 or higher, or as defined in each major, must be earned in courses specified in the major. More than one major may be taken.

Students should make application for admission to the major by the end of the sophomore year in most cases.

### Minors

Students may also take a minor subject as noted in each department. Most minor programs require at least 18-24 hours in the subject area. Each department offering the minor may specify required courses.

### Second Majors and Second Degrees

A second major may be declared with the Registrar's Office by any current student. No more than nine credits may be shared between two majors. After graduating with a baccalaureate degree, a student may add a major by completing the requirements of the major subject as listed in the current catalog. If no courses in the proposed added major have been taken within 10 years of graduation, a minimum number of nine new credits in the major are required. New general education requirements will not need to be met to post an additional major.

If an Indiana Wesleyan University bachelor's degree graduate wishes to return to the university to earn a **second degree**, he or she may do so if the degree is distinct from the first. All current requirements for the second degree must be met, including general education requirements, and at least 30 additional semester hours must be taken.

To have this opportunity, a student must make application to the Registrar's Office at the beginning of the semester in which the second major/degree will be completed.

Late declaration of a major, double majoring, or the addition of a minor may delay the date of graduation.

## Undergraduate Majors - CAS

Accounting	AS	BS
Addictions Counseling	AS	BS
Adolescent Ministries	AS	BS
Applied Health and Fitness		BS
Art Education		BS
Athletic Training		BS
Biblical Literature	AA	AB
Biochemistry		BS
Biochemistry Pre-Med		BS
Biology	AS	BS
Biology Education		BS
Biology Pre-Med		BS
Business Administration	AS	BS
Ceramics		BS
Chemistry	AS	AB, BS
Chemistry Education		BS
Chemistry Pre-Med		BS
Children's Ministry	AS	BS

Christian Education	AS	BS
Christian Ministries	AA, AS	AB, BS
Christian Worship		BS
Church Music		AB
Communication Studies		BS
Computer Information Systems	AS	BS
Computer Internet Development		BS
Computer Graphics		BS
Computer Science	AS	BS
Computer Software Engineering		BS
Criminal Justice		BS
Economics	AS	BS
Education--Elementary		BS
Education--Secondary		BS
Art Education	P-12	
English Education	5-12	
Exceptional Needs Education	P-12	
Mathematics Education	5-12	
Music Education	P-12	
Physical and Health Education	P-12	
Science Education	5-12	
Social Studies Education	5-12	
Spanish Education	P-12	
TESOL Education	P-12	
English		AB
English Education		BS
Entrepreneurship		BS
Exercise Science		BS
Finance		BS
Fine Art		BS
General Studies	AS	BS
Health Promotion and Wellness		BS
History		AB
Illustration		BS
Intercultural Studies	AS	BS
Interior Design		BS
International and Community Development		BS
International Relations		BS
Journalism		BS
Leadership	AS	BS
Management		BS
Marketing		BS
Mathematics		BS
Mathematics Education		BS
Mathematics - Interdisciplinary		BS
Media Communication		BS
Media Design		BS



Medical Technology		BS
Music-Applied		AB
Music Composition		BMus
Music Education		BS
Nursing		BSN
Painting		BS
Performance		BMus
Physical Education		BS
Photography		BS
Political Science		BS
Political Science Pre-Law		BS
Pre-Art Therapy		BS
Printmaking		BS
Psychology		BS
Public Policy		BS
Public Relations		BS
Recreation Management		BS
Philosophy and Theology	AA	AB
Science Education		BS
Social Studies	AS	BS
Social Studies Education		BS
Social Work		BS
Spanish		AB
Spanish Education		BS
Sports Management		BS
Sports Ministries		BS
TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)		AB, BS
Theatre		BS
TTN - Transition to Nursing (Accelerated 2nd degree)		BSN
Writing		AB
Youth Ministries	AS	BS
<b>OTHER PROGRAMS</b>		
Pre-Medical Science		Not a stand alone major
Pre-Physical Therapy		Not a stand alone major

**General Education Requirements - Associate Degree**

	<b>A.A.</b>	<b>A.S.</b>
<b>Humanities</b> (ENG-180/HST-180/MUS-180/PHL-180 and UNV-180)	15	9
<b>Biblical Literature or Religion</b> (BIL/REL)	6	3
<b>English</b> (ENG-120/Grade of "C")	3	3

<b>Language and Literature</b> (COM/ENG/FRE/GRK/HBR/SPA)	3	0
<b>Physical Education</b> (PHE-101 and one additional PHE course numbered 102-139)	2	2
<b>Social Science</b> (ECO/HST/POL/PSY/SOC)	3	3
<b>Science and Mathematics</b> (BIO/CHE/CIS/EAR/MAT-103 or above/PHY/SCI)	3	3
	<b>35</b>	<b>23</b>

## General Education Requirements - Bachelor's Degree

### General Education Requirements

The general education requirements provide a common experience for all students; therefore, these courses in ENG, HST, MUS, PHL, and UNV must be completed at Indiana Wesleyan University and are not eligible as transfer credit once the student is enrolled. These courses target specific outcomes desired of all graduates in accordance with IWU's mission. The 180 courses (ENG, HST, MUS, PHL, and UNV) are required of all students as a designed common experience component. However, the rest of the general education requirements, except science lab, biblical literature and health and wellness courses, can be met by demonstrating proficiency or competency in a given area. Students should check the program guidelines or the Registrar's Office for ways to demonstrate proficiency or competency.

Core Requirements		Hours
<b>UNV-180</b>	Becoming World Changers: Christian Faith and Contemporary Issues	<b>3</b>

This course will provide students with a clear sense of the university's mission. It will enrich their understanding of the role of various academic disciplines in preparing them to become world changers, and will provide a clear challenge early in their academic career to do so.

Humanities Core		Hours
ENG-180	World Literature	3
HST-180	World Civilization	3
MUS-180	Fine Arts	3
PHL-180	Philosophy	3

These courses are built on the model of a basic focus on seven major historical periods: Great Age of the Greeks, Greco-Roman World, Medieval Era, Renaissance and Reformation, Rise of Modern Empire and Age of Enlightenment, Nineteenth Century, and Twentieth Century.

Biblical Literature		Hours
		<b>6</b>

Two courses in biblical literature--one from the New Testament and one from the Old Testament.

Advanced Writing or Literature		Hours
		<b>3</b>

One course in writing (WRI) above 120 or literature (ENG) above 200 except for ENG-140, ENG-141, ENG-170, ENG-201, ENG-241, ENG-352, ENG-383, ENG-455 and WRI-210, COM-223, WRI-360, WRI-356, WRI-475.

Health and Wellness		Hours
PHE-101	Concepts of Health and Wellness	1

PHE-102-PHE-139	One additional PHE course	1
<b>Social Science and Psychology</b>		<b>9</b>
Three courses - No more than one from any of the following areas:		
ECO	Economics	3
HST	History	3
POL	Political Science	3
PSY	Psychology	3
SOC	Sociology	3
<b>Science/Mathematics</b>		<b>7</b>
Lab science		4
Mathematics (at or above MAT-103 excluding MAT-108 and MAT-110) or		
Computer course (at or above CIS-110 excluding CIS-450)		3
<b><i>Students who elect to meet this general education requirement with a CIS course must still pass the mathematics competency.</i></b>		

### Competency and Proficiency Requirements

Courses taken to satisfy any of the following competencies must be passed with a grade of “C” or better. Students may only achieve a grade of “C” or better in any course used to satisfy university-required competencies only if they have met the competency requirements embedded in the respective course(s).

<b>Writing Competency Requirement</b>	<b>0-3 hours</b>
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Demonstrated by one of the following: Successful completion of English composition (ENG-120), CLEP Exam, or AP Credit. Students with Advanced Standing in English must either successfully complete one of the following courses (WRI-165, WRI-234, WRI-281, WRI-282) or may elect to successfully complete a portfolio to demonstrate competency. Requirement must be met within the first 30 hours of coursework.

<b>Mathematics Requirement</b>	<b>0-3 hours</b>
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Demonstrated by one of the following: Successful completion of a math course (MAT) at or above 103, or passing the Math Competency Exam before the beginning of the junior year. Transfer students who have not met math competency have two semesters (from enrollment date) to pass the exam. If a student does not pass the exam in two attempts, a course is required.

<b>Communication Requirement</b>	<b>0-3 hours</b>
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Demonstrated by one of the following: Successful completion of Speech Communication (COM-110) or Interpersonal Communication (COM-352); or when specified by the student’s major, completing specific course/competency requirements.

<b>Intercultural Experience</b>	<b>0-3 hours</b>
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Requirement met by taking an approved course. Some majors have designated a specific course; other majors allow the student to select from a university approved list. Some courses will involve travel. May not be met by CLEP or AP Credit.

<b>Supporting Requirements</b>	<b>0-10 hours</b>
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At the time students enroll at IWU, they will be informed whether it is necessary to take any of the following preparatory courses:

ENG-100	English Pre-Composition – Required based on SAT exam score
ENG-101	Critical Reading and Study Skills – Required based on acceptance Status, SAT/ACT exam scores and placement test score
MAT-101	Basic Math – Required based on SAT exam score

### Requirements - Other - CAS

<b>Major Requirements</b>	<b>40-74</b>
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Each major has a specified list of courses and requirements. The number of required credits ranges from 40 to the maximum of 60, unless there are strong extenuating circumstances and an exemption has been made due to outside accreditation requirements or as

passed by the Academic Affairs Council. Some of the major requirements overlap with general education requirements. Students should consult the requirements for their majors before registering for any courses. Students are responsible for registering for the proper courses and should heed the advice of their advisors.

#### **Placement Testing**

Before registering for French or Spanish courses, placement testing is required for all students who have previously taken French or Spanish at the high school level.

#### **Health and Wellness Credit Limit**

Students may take two PHE Activity courses in one semester. The courses must be taken sequentially (i.e. one must meet in the first half of the term, the other must meet in the second half of the term). Students may add the second class up until the day the class starts if there are openings in the class, and the drop/add slip is signed by the professor of the class.

#### **Music Large/Small Ensembles**

Students will be allowed to count up to 8 credits toward graduation from courses numbered MUS-177-179, 185-188, 192-199, and to be taken no more than one per semester.

### **Returning Students**

Returning students may register for the fall semester and summer sessions in the spring and summer. Registration for the spring semester and May term occurs in the late fall. All students are expected to complete their registration during the time set by the director of records for advanced registration or at the specific time established in the current calendar for this purpose. Detailed instructions for registration will be provided by the Registrar's Office. Arrangements for financial payment, in accord with one of the plans approved under the section on university charges, must be made in advance or at the time of registration. All students must be registered by the first day of classes in any term. When a student registers at an advanced registration, he or she is responsible upon return to the campus to report to the Business Office for initial payment and verification of attendance.

### **Dean's List**

At the end of fall and spring semester, a dean's list is published that includes all students who have passed a minimum of 12 semester hours with a grade-point average of 3.5 or higher. The 12 hours must be passed with a letter grade other than "CR."

### **Credit**

#### **Classroom Study**

The most common way to earn university credit in the College of Arts and Sciences is by registering in the semester programs of the university, attending classes under the instruction of a university professor, submitting the required work, and passing the required examinations.

#### **Transfer**

Students who have attended other accredited colleges or universities may transfer credit toward their education at advanced levels, depending on the amount of credit transferable from the other institutions. Transcripts of all other university work must be submitted directly to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office from the office of the registrar at the college or university attended. All students must complete their last 30 credit hours at IWU.

#### **Advance Placement**

Many high schools offer Advanced Placement (AP) courses to students. These are evaluated as subequivalent to university freshman-level courses and appropriate credit will be given for grades of 3 or above.

All other requests for credit are subject to the completion of 12 credits in an IWU program, acceptance into a major, and the achievement of a grade-point index of 2.0, and approval by the appropriate offices and advisors. A \$25 per credit hour transcription fee will be assessed.

Incoming Freshman who prior to their enrollment at Indiana Wesleyan University, pass the AP Spanish Language Exam with a minimum score of 4 will receive credit for SPA-237 and SPA-238. Students who pass the AP Spanish Language Exam with a minimum score of 3 will be awarded credit for SPA-117 and SPA-118. AP credit for these courses will not meet intercultural competence.

### **Achievement Examinations**

The College Level Examination Program (CLEP), the Proficiency Examination Program (PEP), and DANTES offer examinations of university-level achievement. CLEP examinations may be accepted for credit by the university upon admission and registration. Scores on selected examinations at a level of "C" or above will be acceptable for credit in appropriate areas. Examinations can be scheduled by The Center for Student Success after consulting with the director of records. A \$25 per credit hour transcription fee will be assessed.

### **Assessment - Portfolio**

Students with life experience education may have developed a body of information equivalent to university-level learning. This may be work experience, nonaccredited institutions, or other nontranscribed learning. After a student has been admitted into a major and has accumulated at least 12 classroom credits, assessment of such learning may be attempted. Students must work through their advisors. Guidelines and applicable fees are available in the Registrar's Office or Office of Student Services.

### **Independent Learning Contract**

Occasionally, students may benefit from academic enrichment by Independent Learning. Such learning is generally intended for on campus course work in a subject not offered in the current schedule of classes. Independent Learning contracts are a privilege extended to degree seeking students who have a 3.0 cumulative GPA, have met the university writing competency requirement, have completed all course prerequisites, and have earned a minimum of 60 credit hours. Students on Academic Probation may not participate in Independent Learning.

- No more than six credit hours may be earned by Independent Learning during the student's academic career at IWU.
- No more than one Independent Learning course may be taken per semester.
- Courses with a 180 number may not be taken by Independent Learning.
- A fee of \$100 per credit hour will apply to all Independent Course work.
- Students may not take an incomplete grade in an Independent Learning course.

Students who wish to take an Independent Learning course should work closely with the professor of the course and the Registrar's Office to petition for permission to do so.

### **Graduation Requirements and Procedures - CAS**

Application for graduation must be made prior to the student's final semester, preferably two semesters before graduation. The application form must be completed and signed by all academic advisors. A student may complete his/her requirements at midyear, in the spring, or in the summer. Commencement exercises are held in December, April, and August. Only those completing all requirements by August and December are eligible to participate in the August and December commencements, respectively. Undergraduate CAS students whose graduation is conditional upon May or summer school attendance may be granted the right to special participation in the spring commencement exercises before all graduation requirements have been met. The degree would then be awarded in August, after all degree requirements have been completed.

1. The total number of prescribed courses will vary depending on the major selected and the proficiencies and competencies of a student.
2. Assuming that no credits were transferred in, or were in escrow, a student could have as few as 62 prescribed credits, which would allow for 62 elective credits.
3. If a student takes a professional major, such as Christian ministries, education, or nursing, he or she might have more than 124 credits of prescribed courses, depending on proficiencies and competencies.
4. A typical student could take the following combination
  - 42 general education core requirements;
  - 6 proficiency or competency requirements;
  - 6 preparation requirements; and
  - 45 credits in a major area.

This student would have 99 of 124 graduation credits met in the above categories, with 25 left as free electives.

<b>Total Credits Needed For Graduation</b>	124
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- Completion of 124 semester hours
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Completion of at least 40 semester hours in the major area with a GPA of 2.25 or higher; major requirements as prescribed by each department must be met.
- Completion of all general education requirements

Attendance at graduation exercises is required. Petitions for the “in absentia” granting of degrees must be approved by the university registrar.

### Academic Honors - CAS Undergraduate Candidates

Graduation Honors are a recognition given to baccalaureate students at commencement to acknowledge outstanding grade point averages earned. Eligibility for Honors is determined as follows

1. A minimum of 80 graded hours from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education (formerly the Accrediting Association of Bible Colleges).
2. A minimum of 40 graded hours must be from Indiana Wesleyan University.
3. All graded hours transferred and transcribed are counted for transfer students.
4. For students with transfer work, the Indiana Wesleyan University GPA will appear on the transcript and in the shaded portion of the Grade Report Mailer; the Honors GPA, which will include grades from transferred courses, will appear below the shaded portion on the Grade Report Mailer.

Baccalaureate degree candidates will be awarded Honors as follows

1. GPA of 3.5 or higher - “cum laude” (with honors)
2. GPA of 3.7 or higher - “magna cum laude” (with high honors)
3. GPA of 3.9 or higher - “summa cum laude” (with highest honors)

No Honors are awarded at the associate or the master's degree level.

### Diplomas

Diplomas are mailed after the conferral of degrees. The university confers degrees three times a year in the spring, fall and winter (April, August and December). Diplomas indicate degree earned, date of degree, major, specialization, and honors. A student's financial account must be settled to receive a diploma.

### Study Abroad

Indiana Wesleyan University students may participate study in a variety of international and domestic locations. Students may attend IWU's program in Zambia or pick from affiliated programs offered by other institutions or agencies.

Up to 16 credits may be earned for participation in a full semester of study in one of the cooperating programs. Students who wish to attend a semester abroad must be in good standing with Student Development and may not be on disciplinary probation, must have at least a 2.75 GPA, and have earned 30 credits at IWU.

Students who wish to attend a semester abroad must visit the Global Studies Office and their Academic Advisor very early in the process of their considerations, preferably a full year or more prior to the participatory semester. The academic advisor and student will need to consult with the director of records to find the best application of credits from these programs.

All students wishing to spend a semester abroad must apply and be approved through the Global Studies Office by the appropriate semester deadline (December 15 for fall of the next year; April 30 for spring of the next year).

Students are required to register for course work with the Registrar's Office at Indiana Wesleyan University prior to departure for the semester program.

All semester abroad programs will cost at least the amount of the current year's IWU tuition, room and board. Any tuition and room and board costs over and above those charged by IWU will be forwarded to and are the responsibility of the student. Remittance is made by the student to IWU and will be forwarded to the cooperating institution by the IWU Business Office. Any other costs (travel, in-country excursions, insurance, vaccinations, medications and incidentals) not included in the program charges of the cooperating institution are the responsibility of the individual student and not paid to IWU.

Any external sources of scholarship and financial aid will be applicable, such as state grants, PELL grants, and student loans. Partial institutional aid may be awarded to students for cooperative programs. All IWU institutional aid is applicable to IWU Zambia.

### **IWU Zambia**

IWU's first semester-long study abroad program takes students to Choma, Zambia. Students are accompanied by IWU faculty and take a minimum of 12 credits. Various courses will be offered indifferent semesters; students should contact the Global Studies Office for more information.

Students are charged the current year's tuition, room and board and are responsible for travel costs, insurance, vaccinations, medications and personal incidental expenses. IWU students may apply their full institutional aid package to this program. Housing, meals, transportation and other in-country resources are provided by World Hope International. For more information, contact: [globalstudies@indwes.edu](mailto:globalstudies@indwes.edu)

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#### **American Studies Program (Washington, D.C.)**

"Since 1976, the American Studies Program has served as an experiential learning laboratory for students committed to connecting their faith to public affairs. More than 2000 students have come to Washington and nearly 500 alumni currently work in the D.C. metro area in a variety of professional fields — private and public, for-profit and not-for-profit. Each student enrolls in the programs two practicum courses: Internship and Topics in Leadership and Vocation. Students have the option of enrolling in a one-credit Professional Mentorship course. In addition, students apply to either the Public Policy Initiatives track or the Global Humanitarian Enterprise track. The Public Policy Initiatives track equips and supports students in their analysis of a pressing public policy issue. Each student produces original research by engaging area experts and practitioner off-site and in the classroom as they investigate the local, national, and global factors that influence policy-making in Washington D.C. The Global Humanitarian Enterprise track focuses on partnership initiatives taken by leaders in commercial, governmental, and non-governmental organizations as they explore the impact they can achieve by collaborating to address issues of sustainable development worldwide."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/asp>

#### **Australia Studies Center (Sydney, Australia and New Zealand)**

"Since Spring 2004, the CCCU has partnered with the Wesley Institute in Sydney, Australia to offer the Australia Studies Centre. Throughout the semester, students study theology, global justice issues affecting Australia, Indigenous cultures and the arts. Every student is required to take the courses "The View from Australia: Issues in Religion, Politics, Economics & Cultural Values" and "Indigenous History, Cultures & Identify." Additionally, students choose electives in theology/ministry, music, drawing/graphic design, dance and/or drama. Home stays, service learning and travel around Australia are important components of the ASC. Students observe Australia's beautiful landscape, live in the cosmopolitan melting pot of Sydney, connect with the poor of Sydney's multi-cultural ghettos, and engage the political capital of Canberra and its power players. Students also come to know the traditions of Aboriginal people during an Outback excursion and spend the last week of each semester traveling to New Zealand to meet the Maori people."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/asc>

#### **China Studies Program (Hong Kong, China)**

"The China Studies Program enables students to engage China's ancient history and intrigue from an insider's perspective. While immersed in Chinese culture, students participate in seminar courses on the historical, cultural, religious, geographic and economic realities of this strategic and populous nation. Students choose between completing a broad Chinese Studies Concentration or a Business Concentration, which includes an internship at an international business in China. Students also study standard Chinese language and apply their skills by serving in an orphanage or tutoring Chinese students in English. The program begins and finishes the semester in Hong Kong and introduces students to the diversity of China, including Beijing, Shanghai, Xi'an and Xiamen. This program enables students to communicate and understand the unique culture and people of China with an informed, Christ-centered perspective."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/csp>

### **Contemporary Music Center (Nashville, Tenn.)**

This program provides students with the opportunity to live and work in the refining context of community while seeking to understand how God will have them integrate music, faith and business. The CMC offers three tracks: Artist, Executive and Technical. The Artist Track is tailored to students considering careers as vocalists, musicians, songwriters, recording artists, performers and producers. The Executive Track is designed for business, arts management, marketing, communications and related majors interested in possible careers as artist managers, agents, record company executives, music publishers, concert promoters and entertainment industry entrepreneurs. The Technical Track prepares students for careers in live sound, concert lighting and studio recording. Students within each of the tracks receive instruction, experience and a uniquely Christ-centered perspective on creativity and the marketplaces, while working together to create and market a recording of original music. Each track includes coursework, labs, directed study and a practicum. For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/cmc>

### **Los Angeles Film Studies Center (Hollywood, Calif.)**

"Founded in 1991, the Los Angeles Film Studies Center trains students to serve in various aspects of the film industry with professional skill and Christian integrity. Each semester, students live, learn and work in L.A. The curriculum consists of two required seminars: Hollywood Production Workshop and Theology in Hollywood, focusing on the role of film in culture and the relationship of faith to work in this very influential industry. In addition, students choose one elective course from a variety of offerings in film studies. Internships in various segments of the film industry provide students with hands-on experience. The combination of the internship and seminars allows students to explore the film industry within a Christian context and form a liberal arts perspective."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/lafsc>

### **Latin American Studies Program (San José, Costa Rica)**

"Based in San José, Costa Rica, the LASP introduces students to a wide range of experiences through the study of the language, literature, culture, politics, history, economics, ecology, and religion of the region. Through living with local families, students become a part of the day-to-day lives of Latin Americans. Students take part in a practicum/internship and travel to nearby Central American nations. Some students participate in one of four concentrations: Latin American Studies (offered both fall and spring terms), Advanced Language and Literature (designed for Spanish majors and offered both fall and spring terms), International Business (offered only fall terms), or Environmental Science (offered only during spring terms). Depending on their concentration, students travel to nearby Central American nations including Nicaragua, Guatemala, Cuba and Panama."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/lasp>

### **Middle East Studies Program (Cairo, Egypt)**

"This program offers students a unique opportunity to explore and interact with the complex and strategically important world of the modern Middle East. Students explore diverse religious, social, cultural and political traditions of Middle Eastern peoples through interdisciplinary seminars. They also study the Arabic language and may work as volunteers with various organizations in Cairo. Through travel in the region (typically Israel, Palestine, Lebanon, Jordan, Syria and Turkey), students are exposed to the diversity and dynamism of the local culture. At a time of tension and change in the Middle East, MESP encourages and equips students to relate to the Muslim, Eastern Christian and Jewish worlds in an informed, constructive and Christ-centered manner."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/mesp>

### **Scholar's Semester In Oxford (Oxford, England)**

"This program is designed for the high-achieving student who wants to study intensively and to a high standard. Students develop their academic writing and research skills while exploring disciplines and interests of their choice. As Visiting Students of Oxford University and members of Wycliffe Hall, students study in the oldest university in the English speaking world. SSO students enroll in a primary and secondary tutorial, an integrative seminar (or thesis in the case of second term students), and the British landscape course. Students group their work in a concentration so that all elements of their program work together. SSO is designed for students interested in classics, English language and literature, theology and the study of religion, philosophy, and history, though all majors may apply. Applicants are generally honors and other very high-achieving student and must have a 3.5 GPA to be considered for the program."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/sso>

### **Uganda Studies Program (Mukono, Uganda)**

"The Uganda Studies Program provides students with both immersion in a local community and broad exposure to a variety of people and places in Uganda and Rwanda. Students in the Uganda Studies Emphasis live on campus at Uganda Christian University (UCU), an international affiliate member of the CCCU, sharing their lives with university students from Uganda and other parts of Africa."



Students in the Intercultural Ministry & Missions Emphasis live with host families within walking distance of the university. All USP students take classes from UCU professors and share meals with UCU students. These relationships give students a firsthand perspective as they explore issues such as poverty, aid and missions, and as they seek to reconcile the realities of East Africa with their Christian faith. Students also spend time in Rwanda and rural Uganda. In addition to the core experiential course, students will choose from an approved selection of courses from the UCU Honours College.

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/usp>

#### **Washington Journalism Center (Washington, D.C.)**

"This program is designed for the student interested in the field of journalism. Students will take courses focusing on personal writing skills as well as the history and future of the media. These classes — Foundations of Media Involvement; Reporting in Washington; and Washington, News and Public Discourse — combined with an internship at a top news publication help students learn to integrate their faith in a journalism career. Students also participate in service learning opportunities as part of the WJC experience.

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/wjc>

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#### **Other Affiliated Semester Programs: (description information compiled from program Web sites):**

##### **Azusa Pacific University - Los Angeles**

"Los Angeles is home to one of the most diverse cultural realities in America and one of its largest cities. Students are impacted with the church's opportunity to reach urban dwellers, and equipped to live out their faith and values in postmodern urban culture. Students stay with local families of Los Angeles and rely on public transportation to take classes and fulfill service requirements of an internship in the heart of this urban cultural icon." *Description adapted from [www.apu.edu/laterm/](http://www.apu.edu/laterm/)*

For more information: <http://www.apu.edu/laterm/>

##### **Focus Leadership Institute (Colorado Springs, Colo.)**

"Focus Leadership Institute is a multidisciplinary educational program that delves into psychology, sociology and family studies as well as leadership, social ethics, public policy, philosophy and theology. Students come from diverse academic majors—from art education to finance to marketing to ministry. Faculty members create a crucible of critical thinking, challenging students to question the assumptions that underlie their beliefs and actions. Students build a coherent worldview that can be productively applied to the challenges of living in today's world. A professional practicum assignment and opportunities for intentional reflection are important parts of the learning process." *Description adapted from [www.focusleader.org](http://www.focusleader.org).*

For more information: <http://www.focusleadership.org>

##### **Gordon College in Aix - (Aix, France)**

"This program emphasizes gaining fluency in French. Located in the southeast province of France, students are provided homestays with French families and are encouraged to expand their knowledge of traditional European culture and how that culture is adapting to the pressures of 21st century issues. Although they are around Aix is rich in history, with various museums and ancient architectural features, the atmosphere of art and culture make it vibrant and appealing. Note: There may be language requirements. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.gordon.edu/inaix>

##### **Gordon College in Orvieto - (Orvieto, Italy)**

"This program emphasizes looking and listening for new inspiration in the traditions of artists, poets, saints and mystics of the past. Although students will study the Italian language, they also will take three of six courses offered in the visual arts, creative writing, history and literature. Students will live together in community amongst vineyards and olive groves, and excursions throughout the Italian countryside are part of the experience. NOTE: This program has a higher GPA requirement. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.gordon.edu/inorvieto>

##### **Gordon College in Boston - (Boston, Mass.)**

"This program combines urban studies courses, professional internships and cross registration options at six partnering colleges and universities all while students study and live together among Boston's urban poor in a richly multi-ethnic neighborhood. This urban semester seeks to develop the next generation of influential urban leaders by introducing students to well-rounded presentations of the

issues and realities of urban culture, all while developing cross-cultural communication skills. Students must be prepared for cultural diversity and being a respectful member of a diverse community. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.gordon.edu/inboston>

### **Houghton in London - (London, England)**

Students will live in the center of London with access to all its rich historical and cultural resources and study at the London Institute for Contemporary Christianity and London School of Theology taught by both British and Houghton College professors. Academic options include English, Bible, history, social sciences, and art. Different options are offered each semester, and there are a variety of ministry and travel options available. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.houghton.edu/academics/ocp/London>

### **Houghton in Tanzania - (Tanzania, Africa)**

An intensive 12-week semester offering the unique opportunity to experience life as most Africans themselves experience it. Students will be exposed to Africa on a broad front including history, anthropology, environment, languages, politics, and religion. Students will see needs and evaluate them in the light of their Christian beliefs. Extended trips away from Iringa Houghton campus site (Tanzania) include nearby game reserves and Wahehe and Maasai tribal villages. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.houghton.edu/academics/ocp/tanzania>

### **Irish Studies Program - Taylor University - (Greystones, Ireland)**

This program is designed to expand cultural and spiritual awareness through the opportunities students have for studying and experiencing the history and culture of Ireland, including Celtic and contemporary Irish studies and the fine arts. Students will also experience fine Irish hill-climbing as part of the curriculum. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.taylor.edu/academics/ocp/semester/irishstudies/>

### **Jerusalem University College (Jerusalem, Israel)**

This program is located in Jerusalem, Israel, and introduces students to the culture and religions of the area, especially Judaism, Islam and the variety of Christian traditions. Students gain a better understanding of the interplay of ideologies and customs in the Middle Eastern historical, political, and social relationships. Students also gain an understanding of biblical studies, especially the Old Testament Scriptures, the roots of the New Testament in the Old Testament, and the Greco-Roman-Judean world of the first century. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.juc.edu>

### **Trinity Christian College Semester in Spain**

Semester in Spain provides high quality Spanish language, history and culture instruction in an experiential format. All instruction is in Spanish, and students are required to speak only Spanish while on the premises. Students are housed in homes where continued language and cultural immersion can be experienced. The program is accredited through Trinity Christian College by the Higher Learning Commission of North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The program offers courses at beginning, intermediate, and advanced levels based upon student entrance exam scores. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.semesterinspain.org>

### **Affiliated Summer Programs:**

The following affiliated programs offer summer options:

#### **Au Sable Institute for Environmental Studies**

##### **(Campuses in the Great Lakes, the Pacific Rim and Florida)**

The Institute has several locations including the north woods country of Michigan's Lower Peninsula and along the Pacific Rim of Washington state, and the tropical region of southern Florida. The human and natural resources available to students through the Institute's programs in teaching and research are extensive. Students interested in an outdoor/environmental emphasis in their major should ask their advisor about planning for this opportunity. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.ausable.org/au.main.cfm>

### **CCCU - Oxford Summer Programme: (Oxford, England)**

The Oxford Summer Programme allows students as an affiliate member of Wycliffe Hall, University of Oxford, to do intensive scholarship in the oldest university in the English speaking world. During the five-week program, students hone their research and writing skills and delve into the areas that interest them most while exploring the relationships between Christianity and the development of the British Isles. Seminars and tutorials are given on specialized topics under expert Oxford academics in the areas of English language and literature, history, including the history of art and history of science, philosophy, and theology and the study of religion. The program is structured for rising college sophomores, juniors and seniors, graduate and seminary students, non-traditional students, teacher, and those enrolled in continuing education programs. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/osp>

### **Focus Leadership Institute (Colorado Springs, Colo.)**

"Focus Leadership Institute is a multidisciplinary educational program that delves into psychology, sociology and family studies as well as leadership, social ethics, public policy, philosophy and theology. Students come from diverse academic majors—from art education to finance to marketing to ministry. Faculty members create a crucible of critical thinking, challenging students to question the assumptions that underlie their beliefs and actions. Students build a coherent worldview that can be productively applied to the challenges of living in today's world. A professional practicum assignment and opportunities for intentional reflection are important parts of the learning process." *Description adapted from [www.focusleader.org](http://www.focusleader.org).*

For more information: <http://www.focusleadership.org>

### **Jerusalem University College: (Jerusalem, Israel)**

Various courses including those based in biblical studies, geography and history are offered throughout the summer months at various times. Please consult the Web site for more information. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.juc.edu>

### **Trinity Christian College - Semester in Spain (Sevilla, Spain)**

Although designed for the experienced student in Spanish, the courses offered greatly enrich the Spanish major or minor with literature, culture, history and art options. Travel throughout Spain is possible, and home-stays enable the student to experience the culture of Spain up close. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.semesterinspain.org>

## **Cooperative Programs**

Indiana Wesleyan University cooperates with various business, church, educational, and social agencies in the community and beyond to make special facilities available to enrich the programs offered to students.

Taylor University and Indiana Wesleyan University cooperate by allowing certain courses (a limit of one per regular semester) to be available for full time students from both institutions. Although there is no extra charge for the courses in this exchange, the students are responsible for their own transportation between campuses and for payment of any fees beyond tuition.

## **Center for Life Calling and Leadership (CLCL) and Career Services**

The Center for Life Calling & Leadership (CLCL) enables individuals to find an overriding purpose for their lives, equips them to make life decisions based on this purpose, and empowers them to develop this purpose into world changing leadership. Through the CLCL, students are encouraged to explore the concept of vocation in the context of spirituality and faith, and to approach the idea of vocation through stewardship—much broader than just a job, position, or occupation. Vocation should be seen in the context of a life calling that produces confidence in an overriding purpose for one's life to bring about positive change in the world, and then living out one's life consistently with that purpose.

The CLCL directs various programs for students who have declared a major as well as students who are still exploring for a major (pre-declared). These programs help to facilitate the discovery of purpose and to integrate leadership development into this discovery process.

- *Pre-declared Community:* Students coming to IWU as a part of the pre-declared program have an immediate support system in place that will facilitate their discovery of life calling, both curricular and co-curricular. The 3-credit freshman course, UNV-180LC, focuses on developing an understanding of the concept of life calling and the discovery of one's God-given design

as a basis for this calling. Students evaluate their strengths, values, spiritual gifts, passions, abilities, personality, and experiences in order to develop a calling-based perspective in selecting a major and planning a vocational course of action.

- *Life Coaching for All Students:* The Life Coaching program assists both declared and pre-declared students in discovering their unique, God-given design; developing a life plan; and equipping them with fundamental life skills for academic success, and future personal and professional development. Life Coaches meet with students one-on-one and in workshops, utilizing a positive approach with students as they look for solutions to future questions.
- *Career Development:* The Career Development program provides strategies and innovative resources to help students develop the skill of lifelong purposeful career navigation. Students can meet with a Career Coach, enroll in a course, participate in internships, connect with a professional mentor, visit on-campus events hosted by the CLCL, and involve themselves in various stage-appropriate CLCL sponsored programs to develop a strengths-based plan for their lives.
- *Adventure Learning:* The Adventure Learning program facilitates experiential activities that directly support students' discovery process of their life calling and personal leadership development. The program includes high and low ropes courses, a rock climbing wall, and Soul Search Adventure spring break trips led by qualified students or staff. Adventure Learning programs supplement the student learning experience by challenging them in hands-on environments to apply their leadership skills and develop a deeper understanding of their life calling.
- *Leadership Studies:* CLCL faculty, teaching in the School of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Business, facilitate the Leadership Studies academic program which consists of a major and minor in Leadership.

## Instructional Facilities

Indiana Wesleyan has up-to-date classrooms, well-equipped laboratories, and studio spaces for academic use. The following buildings serve as academic resources:

### John Wesley Administration Building

The John Wesley Administration Building, which opened in 1894, is the only building that remains from the original campus. A major renovation of the building was completed in 2003. The building houses offices for the president and the university Advancement Department, along with a meeting room for the university's Board of Trustees.

### APS Educational Centers

The College of Adult and Professional Studies has educational centers in Fort Wayne, Kokomo, Columbus, Indianapolis, Merrillville, Greenwood, and Shelbyville, Indiana; Lexington and Louisville, Kentucky; and Cincinnati, Cleveland, and Dayton, Ohio. See Education Centers for detailed listing.

### Beard Arts Center (BAC)

This classroom building, named after Lee and Edna Beard, has the Division of Art, art studios and shops, art galleries and four classrooms.

### Botany Glen

This tract of land is designated a nature preserve where biology and botany classes can explore creation in a living laboratory. Home to a low and high ropes course, Botany Glen is an experiential learning classroom and training center for the IWU community and constituents.

### Burns Hall of Science and Nursing (BHSN)

This facility includes classrooms, science and nursing laboratories, Porter Auditorium, Academic Computer Center, departmental offices for the Divisions of Natural Sciences and Mathematics and Nursing.

### Center Hall (CS)

This classroom building provides additional space for math, computer and art courses.

### New College Wesleyan Church (CWC)

College Wesleyan Church is an independent but cooperating agency with the university. Occasionally classrooms are scheduled in this facility located on the main campus.

### Elder Hall (ELDR)

This building houses the Division of Behavioral Sciences and the Division of Modern Language, Literature, and Communication, including audio and video studios and WIWU-FM and WIWU-TV 51.

**Goodman Hall (GMN)**

This classroom building houses 5 classrooms and divisional offices for the Division of Education.

**Indiana Wesleyan University Canadian Campus**

A 100-acre outdoor classroom on St. Joseph Island is located 40 miles east of Sault St. Marie, Ontario. The grounds include a modern log lodge with dining facilities and insulated log cabins for accommodations.

**Jackson Library (JLB)**

This state-of-the-art, 79,000-square-foot library is named after alumnus and benefactor Dr. Lewis A. Jackson. Dr. Jackson, a 1939 Indiana Wesleyan University (then Marion College) graduate, trained the “Tuskegee Airmen” during WWII, became a university president in 1970, and was a life-long entrepreneur. This uniquely designed library contains leading-edge technology. Student Internet connections are located conveniently throughout the library. Over 20 miles of voice and data cable were laid in the floors and walls, connecting its 700 outlets to IWU’s information network.

**Maxwell Center for Business and Leadership (MAX)**

The Maxwell Center is a spacious, state-of-the-art facility that meets a variety of needs. The 63,000-square-foot building contains six classrooms. It houses the Admissions Office, Human Resources, Print Shop, the university Information Technology Department, and offices for the Division of Social Science, as well as the Division of Business for CAS students.

**Noggle Christian Ministries Center (NMC)**

This classroom and faculty office building is the home office for the School of Theology and Ministry.

**Outdoor Athletic Complex**

The Outdoor Athletic Complex serves athletic and intramural competition. It includes an indoor sports complex, track, two baseball fields, two softball fields, and three soccer fields. The main venues are lighted. Complementing the outdoor complex is a concession/public use facility. This building also serves as an athletic training facility and officials’ changing room.

**Phillippe Performing Arts Center (PPAC)**

This building houses the Tom and Joan Phillippe Chapel-Auditorium, the RCA Theater, the Joan Phillippe Music Building, and the Herman Baker Recital Hall. The music wing includes teaching studios, practice rooms, a piano laboratory, and three classrooms.

**Recreation and Wellness Center (RWC)**

The 120,000-square-foot indoor facility includes the Robert R. Luckey Gymnasium, a natatorium, racquetball courts, recreation activity center, weight room, fitness room, elevated track, locker facilities, classrooms, a lab area, office area, and a state-of-the-art athletic training facility.

**Adult and Graduate Studies Administrative Building (AGS)**

Located at the intersection of 50th Street and State Road 37, this building houses administrative offices for the College of Adult and Professional Studies and the graduate schools and programs in Nursing, Counseling and Ministry. In addition, there are four classrooms and a counseling clinic.

## Academic Policies

### Classification

Students enrolled for 12 hours or more are considered full-time. All students having met regular entrance requirements are classified by the university registrar. Classification is based on the following scale:

Freshmen	0-28 Semester Hours Completed
Sophomore	29-59 Semester Hours Completed

Junior	60-89 Semester Hours Completed
Senior	90 or more Semester Hours Completed

Evaluations are not made for unclassified students who are admitted without submitting full credentials for regular admission. Such students are auditory, guest students, postgraduates, or pre-university students and may take up to 18 hours under this classification but no more than 6 hours in one semester. By submitting proper application, an unclassified student may change to regular admission.

## Grading and Evaluation - CAS

A letter grade is used to evaluate coursework. For the purpose of determining scholastic standing and awarding honors, grade points are granted according to the letter grades and semester hours of credit. The grade-point average (GPA) is the number of quality points earned divided by the number of credit hours attempted.

Grade	Quality Point	Definition
A	4.0	Superior
A-	3.7	
B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Above average
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	
C	2.0	Average
C-	1.7	
D+	1.3	
D	1.0	Passing
F	.0	Failure/Also given for all
		unofficial withdrawals
WF	.0	Failing work at time of official withdrawal after the tenth week of the semester. Counted as "F" in grade-point average

**The following grades are not figured into the student's grade-point average:**

O	Outstanding
S	Satisfactory
U	Unsatisfactory
W	Passing work at time of official withdrawal
I	Incomplete
CR	Credit
NC	No Credit
AU	Audit
NA	No Audit

## Incomplete Courses

A grade of "I" may be given if circumstances beyond the student's control prevent completion of the work. A faculty person, at his or her discretion and within approved guidelines, may award an incomplete grade to a student. Any incomplete extended beyond the end of the next term must be approved by the Associate Dean of the governing school. Once an incomplete grade has been awarded, the student can not withdraw from the class. The entire incomplete policy is available at the Registrar's Office.

## Repeating Courses

A student may repeat once any course in which a grade below “C” (“C-,” “D+,” “D,” “F,” or “NC”) was previously earned. Some specific graduate level courses are identified as repeatable and can be repeated if a student earns a grade higher than “C” but below the level required for that specific course. The course may be repeated once. Whenever a course is repeated, the last grade and credits earned replace the previous grade in computing the student’s grade-point average (GPA). All entries, however, remain a part of the student’s permanent academic record. Duplicate credit hours are not given for two or more passing efforts. A course taken in a classroom format may not be repeated for a grade through independent learning, credit-by-examination, by assessment of prior learning, by transfer of credit, or online.

Since a course may be repeated once, failure to achieve a satisfactory grade in a required course after two attempts will result in academic suspension or ineligibility to complete the major in which the course was repeated.

## Audit

No credit is received when a course is audited; however, a transcript record is made. With the approval of the instructor, any student is eligible to audit any course for which the prerequisites have been met. Students may not register under this category until after the first day of class and on a space-available basis. Those auditing courses will be charged the current audit fee. No grades or evaluations of papers or tests are given. No change may be made from audit to credit, or credit to audit, after registration closes.

## Grade Reporting

At the midpoint of each semester, grades below “C” are reported to the director of records. A progress report is then sent to each student who falls into this category. A copy also is sent to advisors and professors for counseling purposes. Mid-semester grades are not recorded in any way on the student’s permanent record. Final grade reports are sent to all students at the end of each term.

## Grade Changes

A final grade cannot be changed after it has been verified by the Registrar's Office unless there has been an error in calculation or assignment. In the event a non-routine change of grade becomes necessary, a written recommendation must be submitted by the faculty member to the Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences who will determine the validity of the recommendation.

If a student registers for classes but does not attend any classes, the registration may be cancelled by the director of records if the student has not attended by the last day to add or drop classes.

## Transcripts

The student’s official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

## GPA Requirements

The following table indicates the minimum cumulative grade-point averages (GPA) that will result in the application of academic sanctions:

Earned Credits	Academic Probation	Academic Suspension	Academic Dismissal
0-28 credits	< 1.80	< 1.70	< 1.50

29-44 credits	< 1.90	< 1.80	< 1.70
45-89 credits	< 2.00	< 1.90	< 1.80
90 + credits			< 2.00

The sequence of levels of achievement is allowed in order to help students accommodate the graduation requirement of 2.0 for most programs (students should be aware that some programs require more than this minimum for graduation).

## Probation - CAS

Students who fall below the minimum GPA levels indicated above and are allowed to remain at the university will be placed on “academic probation,” will be limited to a registration of 13 credits, must meet all requirements made by the Enrollment Management Committee, and are ineligible for most extracurricular activities. No student is entitled to more than one semester on probation.

Students who fall below the minimum GPA levels indicated above and have been placed on “academic probation” status are ineligible to participate in campus leadership or represent the university unless such participation is connected with a credit bearing course required in the student's current major area of study. Ineligibility for participation includes, for example, cheer team, club teams, extramural teams, intercollegiate athletics, music performance groups, ministry teams, student organization officer, and theatre productions/performances. Students on academic probation are not eligible to enroll in courses offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies.

Most student leadership positions have requirements in addition to the minimum above. Please reference *IWU Student Handbook*. <http://www.indwes.edu/Residence-Life/>

Music majors on probation may register for ensembles and attend scheduled rehearsals for academic purposes but may not participate in performances.

Certain organizations have requirements in addition to the minimum above.

## Suspension - CAS

Students suspended for academic reasons may reapply after one semester away and must complete the following to be considered for readmission

1. Must attend a regionally accredited college.
2. Must complete 12 semester credit hours of coursework numbered at 100 or above (not developmental courses) with a "C" or above.
3. Must earn a minimum of 2.2 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale.
4. Fulfill all other readmission requirements.

Readmission is not guaranteed; however, all applications will be reviewed by the Enrollment Management Committee.

## Dismissal - CAS

Students dismissed for academic reasons may reapply after two semesters away and must complete the following to be considered for readmission

1. Must attend a regionally accredited college.
2. Must complete 12 semester credit hours of coursework numbered at 100 or above (not developmental courses) with a “C” or above.
3. Must earn a minimum of 2.2 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale.
4. Fulfill all other readmission requirements.

Readmission is not guaranteed; however, all applications will be reviewed by the Enrollment Management Committee.



## Attendance Policy - CAS

Students are expected to attend all sessions of classes for which they are registered. Official excuses may be given by the Academic Affairs Office for absences due to university-sponsored activities\* (see below), for illness requiring hospitalization, death of a first degree relative, or other emergencies. University and World Impact groups taking students on off campus trips which require those students to miss class shall notify and gain approval of the Academic Affairs office prior to final arrangements for the trip. Faculty may not give a penalty for a university approved absence. A student is responsible directly to the instructor for all classes missed and to see that all work is made up. A student failing to attend classes and not withdrawing officially will receive a grade of "F." Students are not allowed to attend classes for which they are not registered.

### \* Policy on Excused absences for Organizational Activities

Students participating in one or more student organizations may receive only one excused absence per semester for each course (evening courses excluded) in order to participate in an approved activity.

1. Requests for the student to be excused must come from the faculty advisor of the student organization on prescribed form and include written justification for the absence based upon the university's World Changer outcomes.
2. Organizations without a faculty advisor must submit the same form, including justification and approval from the Academic Affairs Office, at least one week prior to the activity.
3. This form must be received by the instructor of the class prior to the missed class period.
4. A student may request to be excused from evening classes; however, the decision in these cases will be at the discretion of the professor.

## Final Examination Policy

A final examination is required in each course. It should be comprehensive in nature, requiring the student to use the accumulated knowledge and skills of the whole course. The two hours of final examination are scheduled as part of the total hours required in the semester. If a student has more than two final exams scheduled on one day, arrangements can be made with the professor to change the exam that falls in the middle. Request forms may be obtained in the Registrar's Office.

Certain kinds of courses such as clinicals, practica, student teaching, studio instruction, and seminars may be exempted from final examinations but must plan to meet for instruction in the scheduled time.

**Scheduled final examination times are expected to be adhered to unless an emergency situation arises. If a student requires a makeup examination, it must be given at a time later than the scheduled period.**

## Honesty and Cheating

Academic dishonesty is inconsistent with scholarship and the pursuit of knowledge and Christian character. Thus, Indiana Wesleyan University expects students to be honest in all academic work.

### Coursework

Students are expected to exhibit honesty in the classroom, in homework and on quizzes and tests. Each instructor should define what constitutes honest work in a specific course. Any deviation from ordinary standards, such as the permitted use of notes for an examination or an "open book" test, should be stated clearly by the instructor.

Cheating is defined as the use or attempted use of unauthorized materials or receiving unauthorized assistance or communication during any academic exercise. Examples of cheating include:

1. Submitting work for academic evaluation that is not the student's own.
2. Copying answers from another student during an examination.
3. Using prepared notes or materials during an examination.
4. Permitting another student to copy one's work.
5. Plagiarism.
6. Falsification.
7. Other misrepresentations of academic achievement submitted for evaluation or a grade.

Plagiarism is defined as "the false assumption of authorship; the wrongful act of taking the product of another person's mind and presenting it as one's own" (A. Lindey, 2006, *Plagiarism and Originality*). *The Prentice Hall Reference Guide* (2006) indicates, "To plagiarize is to include someone else's writing, information, or idea in a paper and fail to acknowledge what you took by indicating whose work it is" (p. 292). In other words, it is not giving credit where credit is due. Plagiarism is both a moral and ethical offense and sometimes a legal one.

Examples of plagiarism include:

1. Copying another person's actual words without the use of quotation marks, source citation, or footnotes.
2. Presenting another person's ideas or theories in your own words without citing the source.
3. Failing to acknowledge contribution and collaboration from others.
4. Using information that is not common knowledge without citing the source.
5. Submitting downloaded papers or parts of papers, "cutting and pasting," or paraphrasing or copying information from Internet sources without proper acknowledgement of a source.

### Sanctions

It is the responsibility of each student to be aware of policies regulating academic conduct including definitions of academic dishonesty, the possible sanctions, and the appeals process.

Any undergraduate student apprehended and charged with cheating, including plagiarism, during his or her college matriculation, shall receive the following discipline:

1. First incident of cheating: failure in paper, assignment, or exam.
2. Second incident of cheating: failure in the course involved.
3. Third incident of cheating: dismissal from the university.

A graduate student is expected to understand clearly the nature of cheating and is subject to dismissal from the university for a single incident of academic dishonesty or cheating. Incidents of cheating and/or plagiarism will be investigated and judged by the appropriate graduate faculty.

Because the matter of cheating cumulatively leads to dismissal, faculty are required to report each case to the appropriate university administrator who in turn reports the case to the academic leader of the specific college/school. Unquestionable evidence must be in hand before any action will be taken to confront and accuse a student of cheating.

A student who is not satisfied with the disciplinary action may follow the grievance and appeal policies below.

**Falsification of Academic Records or University Documents:** Falsification of academic records or documents includes but is not limited to altering any documents affecting academic records; forging signatures; or falsifying information of an official document such as a grade report, ID card, financial receipt, or any other official university letter or communication. This includes information downloaded (printed) from student information available via Web (online) services.

**Unauthorized Access to Computerized Academic or Administrative Records or Systems:** Unauthorized access to computerized academic or administrative records or systems means viewing or altering the university's computer records without authorization; copying or modifying the university's computer programs or systems without authorization; releasing or dispensing information gained through unauthorized access; or interfering with the use or availability of computer systems information.

Students who are found to have falsified university documents or participated in unauthorized access to computerized academic or administrative records or systems are subject to dismissal from the university for a single incident. The university may consider legal action for any individual found to have participated in these actions.

### Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic)

A student may seek recourse from any university nonacademic program or employment-related dispute, alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title

IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or other state or federal legislation through the following procedures:

**A. Informal Procedure**

1. The student should seek informal resolution with the individual department concerned before initiating a written complaint.
2. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved, the student may request a hearing with the dean for mentoring and accountability, the assistant vice president for Student Development or the associate dean of Adult and Professional Studies.
3. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at this level, the student may request a hearing with the vice president for Student Development or the vice president for Adult and Professional Studies.
4. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at this level, the student may submit a written grievance form.

**B. Formal Procedure**

1. The informal resolution may be ended at any time and the complainant may begin the formal procedure by submitting a written grievance within 30 days of the event or action. Grievances must include the demographic information regarding the complainant, the clear facts of the case, the disposition or resolution achieved thus far and the requested resolution by the complainant. Additional information or clarification may be requested before a hearing is scheduled. NOTE: Appeals that are based solely on the severity of a sanction that upon investigation are within the parameters of the available sanctions for an event or action are not considered grounds for appeal.
2. A hearing will be held with the dean for mentoring and accountability, the assistant vice president for Student Development or the associate dean of Adult and Professional Studies, ordinarily within 15 working days from the filing of the written grievance.
3. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the respective assistant vice president, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the vice president for Student Development or the vice president for Adult and Professional Studies. This hearing will ordinarily be held within 15 working days following the request.
4. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the respective vice president, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the Student Development Council, which will make recommendations back to the vice president within 15 working days.
5. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the Student Development Council and the vice president, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the president of the university. This final hearing with the president will ordinarily take place within 15 working days. This is the final appeal.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

The complainant will be notified of results at each step of the grievance process. All grievances, with all papers, recommendations, and decisions related to federal or state regulations, will be reported to the vice president for Academic Affairs in whose office all files will be kept.

Because grievance and appeal processes are private university administrative hearings, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

## **Grievance and Appeal Policy (Academic)**

A student who has a grievance related to a course grade or an academic policy decision, including those believed to be discriminatory based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, should follow these procedures for resolution.

Students must begin with the awareness that the university follows generally accepted college and university practice in the development of academic policies, the operation of classrooms, and use of grading techniques. These differ widely from professor to professor and from college to college. Indiana Wesleyan University allows its instructors independence in following generally accepted practices.

### **Protest of Grade**

If the student feels that an instructor has not followed fair practice nor followed his or her own published grading policy, the following procedures should be followed:

**A. Protest of a Grade - Informal Procedure**

1. The student should contact the professor for a full explanation of the grade given and the basis for making the grade.

2. If there is no resolution of the problem, the student may request a review with the division chairperson (or the dean of the college if the complaint involves the chairperson).
3. The chairperson or the dean will notify the faculty member of the grievance and its nature and seek to mediate the dispute through the following steps:
  - Informal discussion of the facts of the case seeking resolution within 15 working days.
  - If the faculty member's stated policy for calculating the grade has not been followed, the chairperson or dean will insist that it be followed.
  - If the dispute is about a grade on a specific paper or an examination, the chairperson or dean will request that the professor reevaluate the paper or the examination to examine the grade given.
  - If the student is not satisfied with this informal process, the formal procedure may be initiated.

#### **B. Protest of Grade - Formal Procedure**

1. The informal resolution may be ended at any time and the complainant may begin the formal procedure by submitting a written grievance form within 30 days of receiving the grade. Grievance forms are available in the office of the dean of the college.
2. The chairperson or the dean within 15 working days will request a second reading of the specific paper or examination by two faculty members with knowledge in the academic discipline. They will submit their evaluations to the chairperson or dean within 15 working days. That person will make a judgment, within 15 working days, as to whether the grade has been definitely mis-evaluated by more than one full grade. If so, the grade may then be changed by the academic administration. The decision of the academic dean will be final in all grade disputes.

The complainant will be notified of results at each step of the grievance process. All grievances, with all papers, recommendations, and decisions related to federal or state regulations, will be reported to the vice president for Academic Affairs in whose office all files will be kept.

#### **Protest of Policy**

If a student believes that the university has not followed published policies regarding academic decisions or has been discriminated against based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504, the student may follow the following procedures:

##### **A. Informal Procedure**

1. The student should contact the person who has made the decision for a full explanation of the university policy, or the federal or state policy, and how the policy was followed. If the university policy has been followed, that should resolve the complaint.
2. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved, the student may request a hearing with the division chairperson.
3. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the division chairperson or dean, the student may request a hearing with the vice president for Academic Affairs or the vice president for Adult and Professional Studies.
4. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the vice president informally, the formal procedure may be initiated.

##### **B. Formal Procedure**

1. The informal resolution may be ended at any time and the complainant may begin the formal procedure by submitting a written grievance form within 30 days of the policy decision. Grievance forms are available in the office of the vice president for Academic Affairs.
2. The student may then make a request within 15 working days for a hearing with the vice president for Academic Affairs or the vice president for Adult and Professional Studies to review the formal grievance.
3. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the vice president, the student may then request within 15 working days a hearing with the Academic Affairs Council of the university.

The decision of the Academic Affairs Council will be made within 15 working days of such a request and will be final in all academic policy disputes.

The complainant will be notified of results at each step of the grievance process. All grievances, with all papers, recommendations, and decisions related to federal or state regulations, will be reported to the vice president for Academic Affairs in whose office all files will be kept.

Because grievance and appeal processes are private university administrative hearings, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

## Student Development

### Purpose

The Indiana Wesleyan University mission statement emphasizes the development of students in character, scholarship, and leadership. The emphasis of the Student Development Office is on helping students to achieve this growth by being concerned about the environment outside of the formal classroom-lecture-laboratory setting. Thus, the following statement of purpose:

Student Development purposes to help students grow and develop psychologically, intellectually, physically, spiritually, and socially by structuring the campus environment in ways that will give each student the opportunity and potential for such personal growth.

Luke 2:52 states that Jesus “. . . grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.” Scripture presents a model for personal growth psychologically, intellectually, physically, spiritually, and socially that focuses on building committed leaders for the Kingdom. Student Development attempts to evaluate all programs and services with this model in mind.

### Academic, Counseling, and Testing Services

The Center for Student Success provides students with academic, personal, and testing support. Academic support includes guidance in college preparation and study skills, such as effective reading and note taking, study habits, test taking, and time management.

Tutoring services are available on a limited basis in all basic education and many specialized courses. Tutoring helps to strengthen a student's basic academic skills and course content knowledge so that he/she experiences further academic development. Tutors are IWU students recommended by faculty, trained by professional staff, and paid to assist their fellow students. The program is beneficial for the students as well as the faculty.

Testing services include the SAT, MAT, ACT, CLEP, PRAXIS, testing accommodations (see “Disability Services”), and counseling assessment. Tests are scheduled individually, except for the ACT and PRAXIS, which are given on national test dates.

The Center for Student Success also houses a federally funded TRIO program that offers a range of services for eligible students. The main goal of the program is to provide support services necessary to increase college retention and graduation. The program is open to first generation and low-income students and individuals with disabilities.

Counseling services focus on assisting each student in developing skills, abilities, and potential within the academic, social, spiritual, physical, and emotional climate of the campus. Counseling is professional and confidential. Personal counseling includes support for psychological and emotional issues, as well as behavioral transitions.

### Athletics

The Indiana Wesleyan University athletic program is an integral part of the institution's total education program, subject to the same aims, policies, and objectives as other institutional programs. The four core values of the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics are Spiritual Growth, Academic Excellence, Leadership Development, and Athletic Excellence.

The Wildcat men compete in intercollegiate soccer, tennis, cross-country, basketball, baseball, golf, and track and field. Memberships are held in the NAIA (National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics), the NCCAA (National Christian College Athletic Association), and the MCC (Mid-Central Conference).

The Wildcat women compete in intercollegiate soccer, tennis, cross-country, volleyball, basketball, softball, and track and field. Memberships are held in the NAIA (National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics), the NCCAA (National Christian College Athletic Association), and the MCC (Mid-Central Conference). Our co-ed competitive cheer team competes in UCA National Competitions as well as cheering at all home basketball games.

The physical education and intramural sports departments provide vital programs to the students as well. Lifetime sport participation is emphasized in the physical education instruction program, while the intramural sports program allows students to pursue leisure time needs and interests in an organized and competitive manner.

## Commuter Students

Students who do not live on campus are expected to abide by the community standards listed in the *Student Handbook* while on campus or in the presence of resident students. Handbooks are available in the Student Development Office and online at <http://www.indwes.edu/Residence-Life/>

Commuter students receive the same services and opportunities as all other students on campus. The Student Center has a lounge specifically designed for commuter students with a kitchen, lockers, lounge furniture, and tables for group studying. Commuter students have representatives on the Student Government Association to whom they may register concerns or work toward better services for commuter students. Questions concerning commuter students may be directed to the Student Development Office.

## Conduct Standards

Indiana Wesleyan University, as a Christian university, is a community joined together to further academic achievement, personal development, and spiritual growth. Together the community seeks to honor Christ by integrating faith, learning, and living, while its members' hearts and lives mature in relationships to Jesus Christ and each other. With this purpose, it is desired that each member of this community is either committed to Christ or has respect for a Christian perspective.

Living in a community of believers is a special privilege. This quality is emulated by demonstration of God's grace. IWU, therefore, places great value on the following relationship characteristics: 1) being dependent and accountable to one another; 2) serving one another in the community, nation, and world; 3) supporting one another, especially those experiencing personal trials; 4) resolving problems through loving confrontation; and 5) restoring relationships that have been hurt.

Faith in God's Word should lead to behavior that displays His authority in our lives. The following statements exhibit the university's continuing desire to integrate faith and action in a relevant manner; however, these positions are not set forth as an index of Christianity.

Scripture teaches that certain attributes such as love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control are to be manifested by members of the Christian community. By contrast, Scripture condemns such attitudes as greed, jealousy, pride, lust, needless anger, an unforgiving spirit, harmful discrimination, and prejudice. Furthermore, certain behaviors are expressly prohibited by Scripture. These include theft, lying, dishonesty, gossip, slander, profanity, vulgarity, adultery, homosexual behavior, premarital sex, drunkenness, gluttony, immodesty, and occult practices.

Corporate worship aids in community building and support of the body of Christ. We gather as a community at special times for nurture and admonition in the things of God. These activities include chapel, spiritual emphasis weeks, and other university-related religious events.

Scripture teaches that all actions (work, study, play) should be performed to the glory of God. The university endeavors, therefore, to be selective in choices of entertainment and recreation, promoting those which strengthen the body of Christ and avoiding those which would diminish sensitivity to Christian responsibility.

All Indiana Wesleyan University students are expected to keep the rules of the university from the time they are accepted for admission to the university until they either graduate or officially withdraw from school (this includes vacation times).

All public activities, such as social gatherings, outings, or campus programs sponsored by student groups or by an individual must have plans submitted for approval in advance to Student Development.

All automobiles, motorcycles and bicycles must be registered with Campus Police and a permit secured and positioned on the vehicle/bicycle properly to have permission to be parked on campus.

Resident students desiring to be married during the school year must notify the dean of the chapel at least 60 days in advance.

Students at the time of their application for admission agree to live within the framework of the university's student code of conduct. Any violation of behavior standards of the university would be sufficient reason for placing the student on citizenship probation, suspension, dismissal, or in some instances, withdrawal from school.

Each student is responsible to be familiar with regulations concerning the residence hall, regulations published in the *Student Handbook* and other official university publications, and to abide by them consistently.

## **Disability Services - CAS**

Indiana Wesleyan University is committed to providing equal access to students with disabilities. The Center for Student Success works to make programs and facilities available in a non-arbitrary and beneficial manner. The Disability Services coordinator is responsible for receiving a request for academic or physical accommodations. The coordinator will work with the student to obtain and review the required documentation and will assign reasonable accommodations based on documentation that supports the student's request. Academic accommodations include, but are not limited to, alternative testing formats, note-taking services, taping lectures, books in alternate format, and adaptive technology.

## **Drug Abuse Prevention**

Drug abuse in the United States has become a major problem, and students at Indiana Wesleyan University are not immune. If you need assistance with a drug abuse problem, we encourage you to seek help at your local community drug abuse prevention center. To talk to someone in a strictly confidential atmosphere, please feel free to contact The Center for Student Success (800-332-6901) at our Marion campus. All conversations are private and will not affect your attendance at the university.

If you would like to talk to someone outside Indiana Wesleyan University, please feel free to call one of the following numbers, or a hospital or treatment center in your area:

1. The National Cocaine Hotline, (800) COCAINE, (800) 262-2463.
2. National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10A-30, Rockville, MD 20857, (800) 662-HELP, (800) 662-4357.

## **Food**

Within the Student Center there are a variety of campus dining options. The food service contractor provides well-balanced meals at reasonable cost.

A standard meal plan is automatically part of a resident student's room and board contract. Residents dine in the Baldwin dining room for all their meals but have conversion meal options in the Wildcat Express (food court) as well. Due to cleanliness and health reasons, students are not allowed to cook in their residence hall rooms. During holiday vacations, between semesters, and during spring recess food service is not available.

Commuter students are encouraged to eat their meals in the Baldwin dining room or the Wildcat Express. Commuter students purchase points that are applied to their ID card and used on a declining balance system.

## **Health Services**

Students must submit a health history with required immunizations and insurance information as part of the admissions process to Indiana Wesleyan University. The university Health Center is staffed by registered nurses and a nurse practitioner and serves the students within the College of Arts and Sciences. Students may be seen on a walk-in basis by a registered nurse or by appointment with the nurse practitioner. There is a fee to see the nurse practitioner, which can be billed to the student's insurance or paid by students. The Health Center has some prescription medications, including antibiotics, for a fee.

**IMPORTANT:** All students need to provide for their own health insurance. Health insurance is strongly encouraged for all students. The university has available a student health insurance plan for students that are not covered through parents, guardian, or employee. Information on the policy and premiums is available at [www.IWUInsurance.com](http://www.IWUInsurance.com).

## **Information Desk - Marion Campus**

The Information Desk, located on the first floor of the Student Center, is the best location on campus to find details regarding phone numbers, campus events, and campus offices. Phone (765)-677-4636 for more information.

## **Intercultural Student Services**

The mission of IWU's Intercultural Student Services is to use Biblical principles that provide every student with a positive and productive learning environment. We desire to create settings that will encourage students, faculty and staff to ask questions and engage in discussion. Our vision is to increase awareness, sensitivity, knowledge and understanding of multicultural issues and allow for such a change to take place through creative programming. The program allows students to become social agents in developing a culturally sensitive community, thus, changing the world. We believe the necessary components are the discovery, value and

importance of diversity, the integration of our faith, Gods' spiritual mandate to reconciliation and engaging in relationships and partnerships that will continue multicultural education well beyond the college experience.

## **New Students Orientation**

All students anticipating enrollment for the first time at Indiana Wesleyan University are required to participate in an orientation program conducted at the beginning of the semester. This program is designed to acquaint students with the university programs and services available from the various offices. There are information sessions for parents and students. The orientation time is also designed to assist students with meeting new friends and adjusting to life at Indiana Wesleyan University.

## **Performing Arts**

The mission of the Phillippe Performing Arts Center is to provide opportunities for students, guests, faculty, and staff to experience a range of performing arts events.

The Phillippe Performing Arts Center hosts performances by the IWU Music Division and IWU Theatre Guild. Performances are open to the campus community and the public.

This mission remains focused on a higher goal: to experience the limitless, wondrous creativity of how God is revealed to us through ministry and the arts.

## **Publications**

Staff positions on the *Sojourn* (the student newspaper) and the *Legacy* (the university yearbook) are available for students interested in writing, photography, layout, and editing for print media. Paid editorial positions are available for students on both staffs.

The *Sojourn* is usually published every other week and made available to students. The newspaper covers many aspects of campus life through accurate and investigative reporting.

The *Legacy* is created throughout the year by a highly motivated publishing staff. The *Legacy* covers the entire year's events and is printed over the summer with distribution occurring in early fall. Using themes, photos, and creative touches from the editorial staff, each yearbook has a unique look and approach to capturing the memories of the school year.

## **Recreation**

The mission of the Department of Campus Recreation is to provide a wide variety of quality recreation, sports, fitness, and leisure activities that will increase the overall wellness of the campus community and to provide dynamic programming that enhances leadership and social development in an environment that is fair, safe, and Christ-centered.

All enrolled students, (resident and commuters), as well as faculty, staff, administrators, and their spouses are eligible to participate in activities sponsored by the Department of Campus Recreation.

Activities include, but are not limited to: intramural sand volleyball, flag football, softball, racquetball, tennis, wallyball, soccer, volleyball, basketball, golf, ultimate frisbee, bowling, table tennis, and billiards.

Students, faculty, staff and administrators also have access to a state-of-the-art recreation and wellness facility.

## **Residence Life**

The Residence Life program at Indiana Wesleyan University is designed to provide each resident with the opportunity to grow not only academically but also socially and spiritually. The most successful students after graduation have mastered not only their course of study but have developed other areas of their lives, becoming well-rounded and balanced. With this in mind, the residence hall becomes much more than a place to sleep and study. It is a community of learning that helps students more effectively grow into the image of Christ. Our hope is that students will find the residence halls a place where individuals will join together as a family to learn from one another.

The Residence Life program is administered by the Associate Vice President for Residence Life. Each residence hall or area has a trained professional resident director (RD) living in the hall. Each living unit (approximately 35 students) has a specially selected and trained undergraduate resident assistant (RA). Residents are supported through the growth process by the RA, who also coordinates a weekly devotional Bible study for residents. In addition, the Resident Hall Chaplain supplies spiritual support and guidance for the



residents. The Residence Life Staff and Unit Parent Program (where the families of faculty and staff interact with each unit) provides abundant opportunity for personal support. Residents are challenged to grow into the fullness of Christ through planned activities and programs.

The Residence Life program at IWU provides a developmental approach for housing students. Freshman and sophomore students live in one of the traditional residence halls. Reed, Martin, Evans, Shatford, North Hall Complex and Carmin halls are traditional women's residence halls. Bowman, Hodson, and South Hall Complex are traditional men's residence halls. Bowman and Shatford are designated as "freshman houses" and house first-time students who desire an environment intentionally designed to meet their unique needs. Each "house" has 10 specially selected upper class students who serve as leaders and mentors for the first-year students. The North Hall and South Hall Complexes are a purposeful environment, tied closely to the university's mentoring program, which was established to provide upper class student mentors for each freshman living in the North and South Hall Complexes. Sophomores, juniors and seniors have opportunity to live in pod style units within Kem Hall and Scripture Hall. Junior, senior, and nontraditional students may stay in one of the apartment-style living areas. These include the Lodges and the Townhouse apartments. Resident students begin their stay on campus in the traditional residence halls with more support and accountability. As they grow older and more self-disciplined, they may move into more independent-style living in the apartments. The University Court holds Married and Family Housing apartments for married students and those with children.

Prospective students interested in attending IWU and living on campus must submit a \$100 tuition deposit prior to completing an on-line housing application. The New Student Housing Application must be sent to the Admissions Office. Room assignments will be made according to the date the tuition deposit is paid and the housing application is complete.

Returning students who wish to reserve a certain room may do so according to the procedure outlined in the reapplication process. A Returning Student Application must then be completed and returned with a \$50 housing deposit (paid at the Business Office). This money will be applied to their account after the drop-and-add period. All cancellations must be received prior to June 1 for a refund of the \$50 deposit.

The residence halls and apartments are closed during Thanksgiving, Christmas, and spring break vacations. There is no food service offered during these periods. During these times students must secure their own housing and food arrangements. The international student advisor will assist international students in securing break housing. Students will be charged for room damage beyond normal wear and tear.

All single students enrolled in seven credit hours or more must live in university-supervised housing unless they are 23 years of age or live with their parents. All exceptions must be granted by the Student Development Office.

## **Resident Students**

All residence hall students (or those who have resided on campus for at least one semester) are expected to live by these additional standards:

Since the body of the Christian is the temple of the Holy Spirit, deserving respect and preservation of its well-being, the university therefore disapproves of the use of tobacco in any form and the use of alcoholic beverages. Under no circumstances should controlled substances such as marijuana, hallucinogens, depressants, stimulants, cocaine, and narcotics be used, possessed, sold, or distributed on or away from campus unless prescribed by a physician. Members are expected not to abuse the use of legal substances.

Scripture teaches the stewardship of God-given resources. Therefore, we disapprove of gambling (the exchange of money and goods by betting or wagering) in its various forms. A number of evangelical denominations have historically taken a stand against social dancing as an expression of their commitment to the Christ-exalting life. Our community, considering itself in the mainstream of the evangelical tradition and recognizing the temptations inherent in the sensuous and erotic nature of some social dancing, disapproves of social dancing by members of the community. Some forms of performance choreography as it relates to the public presentations of drama, music, and cultural performances are permitted by the artists involved. Celebratory, folk, ethnic or group dance at wedding receptions is acceptable as long as it remains wholesome and avoids any hint of sensuality. Performances on campus are carefully screened and exclusively selected by university personnel as educational and appropriate to the performance.

## **Safety Policies and Campus Crime Statistics**

IWU Safety Policies can be accessed at <http://www.indwes.edu/safety> and includes crime statistics on certain reportable crimes, as well as policies concerning alcohol and drug use, crime reporting and prevention, sexual assault, and other related matters. Anyone wishing a paper copy of the policies may contact the Office of Institutional Research at 765-677-1566.

## Spiritual Life

Providing spiritual growth opportunities for students has been a hallmark of Indiana Wesleyan University from its beginning. Students are introduced to many different growth opportunities. This includes what takes place in the classroom, where faculty integrate faith and learning and have a vital interest in the spiritual life of students.

Providing chapel for students is another spiritual growth opportunity. Chapel is held Monday, Wednesday, and Friday throughout the semester and on Tuesday during special emphasis weeks. Chapel is a time for the university community to join together for worship and growth. Being able to attend Chapel is a wonderful opportunity and privilege.

Regular attendance at chapel-convocation sessions is expected for all students and required for all resident students and full-time commuting students under the age of 23 who have classes both before and after the chapel period. Excessive absences must be made up. See the *Student Handbook* for details.

Residence halls also provide spiritual growth opportunities. Halls have weekly devotional times and students are encouraged to join a small group where Scripture memorization, accountability, prayer, and Bible study occur.

Soul-search adventure discipleship trips take students into God's creation to grow from lessons learned through camping, rock-climbing, trekking, and similar experiences.

Christian service teams minister in area churches, family camps, and youth camps through music, sermons, drama, and testimonies. The University Chorale, Wind Ensemble, and music teams travel extensively, ministering through Christian music. IWU, through World Impact, also plans and promotes several short-term mission trips through the year. A student can also find opportunities to serve through local community ministry organizations, churches and on-campus student organizations.

Spiritual growth and service opportunities are offered to students to help them to grow deeper in their relationship with God and for them to have a better understanding of how they can better serve Him and humankind with their gifts and talents.

## Student Center

The Student Center is the community center of the university for all members of the university family--students, faculty, administration, alumni, and guests. It represents a well-considered plan for the community life of the university.

The Student Center provides for the services, conveniences, and amenities that the members of the university family need in their daily life on campus and for getting to know and understand one another through informal association outside the classroom.

The Student Center is part of the university educational process. It provides a social and recreational program, aiming to make free time activity a cooperative factor with study in education. Its goal is the development of persons as well as intellects.

## Student Life and Activities

Student organizations and other activities provide co-curricular and extracurricular opportunities on campus in leadership and personal growth. Students are encouraged to participate in a variety of campus student organizations and activities with the intent to develop leadership skills as well as grow spiritually. The following groups and activities are designed to meet students' needs and interests.

### Student Activities Council

The Student Activities Council (SAC) consists of student coordinators who organize campus activities. SAC activities are designed to promote spiritual growth, develop and maintain school spirit, and provide fun and meaningful programs for students, faculty, staff, and the IWU community. Activities planned by the council range in interest, appeal, and complexity. Traditional events include Homecoming activities, Family Weekend, Kids' Day, SAC Weekend, and Spotted Cow Music Festival. The purpose of the Student Activities Council is to provide opportunities for students to interact socially, spiritually, and intellectually outside of the classroom.

### Student Government Association

The Indiana Wesleyan University Student Government Association (SGA) represents students in matters of self-government and problems of mutual interest to the student body and the university. Student Government is made up of an executive board (president and cabinet), senators for academic divisions, resident halls, and representatives from student organizations. The Indiana Wesleyan University Student Government Association represents the concerns of the students to the university administration and elects students to sit as members on university faculty committees.

### **Student Organizations**

IWU proudly offers many opportunities for students to be involved in extracurricular activities. More than 30 student organizations are organized and run by students and are designed to meet a variety of interests. Student organizations exist in the areas of spiritual life, academic clubs, student activities, student government, and student publications. Other student leadership opportunities exist in the New Student Orientation Program. For a listing of specific organizations, please contact the Student Development Office or visit the Wildcat page at <http://wildcat.indwes.edu/Student-Organizations/>

### **Upward Bound**

Upward Bound at IWU is a four-year federal grant program. It targets youth in five area high schools who are from homes where parents meet certain income guidelines and/or do not have baccalaureate degrees. During the school year, support is given through tutoring and twice monthly Saturday sessions. Intensive academic instruction is offered by means of a six-week on-campus summer program. IWU students and staff are utilized to provide tutoring, residence hall supervision, and classroom instruction.

## Financial Information - College of Arts and Sciences

### Tuition and Fees - CAS

It has always been the intent of Indiana Wesleyan University to keep the benefits of education within the financial possibilities of all who wish to attend. This is done by charging the student less than the actual cost and by using numerous financial assistance programs.

#### Tuition

Tuition charges include all academic services, except those that require special fees, as listed on the Student Expense sheet, included in all schedule of classes, for each semester.

Charges are based on the total number of credit hours per semester. The same rate applies to day and night classes. Special rates may apply to May term and Summer Sessions.

Students taking six or more credit hours may qualify for financial aid and should contact the Financial Aid Office.

The total cost of tuition depends on the total number of credit hours (either day or night classes) taken per semester, as follows (for the 2010/2011 school year):

Number of Credit Hours	Cost Per Semester
1	\$451
2	902
3	1353
4	1804
5	2255
6	4548
7	5306
8	6064
9	6822
10	7580
11	8338
12 - 16	10607

Credit hours above 16 per semester will be charged at \$758 per credit hour.

#### Fees

Art Studio Courses and Graphics	\$75 per course
Late/Change Registration Fee	\$25 additional chg
Medical Laboratory Technology	\$30 per semester
PSY-150 Fee	\$32 per course
PSY-290 Fee	\$35 per course
PSY-291 Fee	\$125 per course
SWK-343 Fee	\$125 per course

ADC-291 Fee	\$125 per course
Nursing/Clinical Fee	\$15 per credit hour
Nursing testing fees...	
vary depending on the semester and will be assessed to student accounts on a semester basis. Please contact the Nursing office to determine if you will have a testing fee for the current semester.	
Private Lessons	
(1/2 hour lesson)	\$175 per semester
(1 hour lesson)	\$300 per semester
Senior Recital	\$200 per course
Teaching/Psychology	
Practicum Fee	\$25 per credit hour
Independent Learning Fee	\$100 per credit hour
Transcript Fee	\$3 per request
Music Uniform Fee	\$30 per semester
Cross-cultural Student Teaching Fee	\$300
ATR-196	\$20 per course
Athletic Training Education Program Fee	\$70 total for traditional 4 year student
Annual TB Test	\$10
Physical Examination	\$10
Audit (Record is made)	\$25 per credit hour
Credits-in-Escrow	\$50 per course

### Examination/Assessment Fees

Portfolio Fee	\$150
Life Experience	\$35 per credit hour
Other Assessment	\$40 per credit hour
Credit by Examination	\$25 per credit hour

### Room Cost

Cost for the fall 2010 semester, as well as for the spring 2011 semester, is \$1695 per semester. This cost covers the periods of time while school is in session, per the approved university calendar.

**Summer Housing Charges** - There is a charge for all students living in campus housing. One may contact the Business Office for the charge for summer. Arrangements for summer housing must be made in the Student Development Office.

### Meal Plan Cost

The full meal plan for the fall 2010 semester, as well as for the spring 2011 semester, costs \$1809 per semester.

The above charges cover the time when school is in session, per the approved university calendar. No refunds will be given for meals missed unless approved by the associate dean of Student Development. All arrangements for meal plans must be made in the Student Development Office.

**Freeze Room and Board: Room and board will be frozen at entry level** through the student's years at IWU, including the graduate level, providing:

1. Students eligible for the freeze must complete the freeze application each semester and return it to the Business Office to receive the freeze discount. (Students will receive the application in their campus mailbox the first week of each semester.)

2. The student must remain full-time each semester of each subsequent year.
  3. The student must abide by available payment methods. Late payment of the school bill will be cause for forfeiture of this benefit.
  4. The student must elect the full meal plan each semester and live on campus consecutive semesters.
- The freeze discount takes effect at the beginning of the student's third semester on campus and will be credited to the student's account upon meeting the above requirements.

### Estimated Costs

	2010-2011 Per Semester	2010-2011 Per Academic Year
Tuition (full-time student)	\$10,607	\$21,214
Room (would not apply to commuter students)	1695	3390
Board - Full Meal Plan (would not apply to commuter students)	1809	3618
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$14,111</b>	<b>\$28,222</b>

(\$10,607 per semester for a full-time commuting student)

Special fees, books, supplies, travel, and personal expenses are additional.

### Payment Terms

The fall 2010 semester charges are due and payable by September 7, 2010. Spring 2011 charges are due and payable by January 11, 2011, except for any financial aid still pending, as long as all requested information has been submitted. If all requested documents have not been submitted to the Financial Aid Office by August 22 (for the fall) and December 26 (for the spring), the remaining balance is due immediately.

### Payment Options

You may choose one, all, or any combination of the following:

#### Cash Payment Plan

Pay the net amount due by September 7 for the fall 2010 semester or by January 11 for the spring 2011 semester. The net amount due represents the total charges less any scholarships, grants, or campus-administered loans confirmed by the Financial Aid Office. In addition to cash, Indiana Wesleyan University will accept personal or cashier checks, VISA, MASTERCARD, or DISCOVER.

#### Loan Payment Plan

Pay the net amount from any Federal Stafford or PLUS loan. All paperwork must be received in the Financial Aid Office by August 22 for the fall or December 26 for the spring.

#### Campus Employment

Pay the net amount from authorized campus employment. Contact Student Accounts to make arrangements for this plan.

#### Installment Payment Plan

See Academic Management Services brochure that is available in the Business Office.

### Refund of Tuition

Registration is an agreement between the student and the university. If a student withdraws, a refund may be given, depending upon the period of time that has elapsed from the beginning of the semester. Refunds apply to those completely withdrawing from school, not to those who drop a course.

### Notice about Withdrawal

Failure to pay one's bill does **not** automatically withdraw a student from classes. Should one decide not to attend IWU, the Registrar's Office must be notified before the first two weeks of the semester in order to receive 100% refund. If a student does not formally withdraw through the Registrar's Office, grades of "F" will be given for the semester. The following table reflects the percentage/amount of refund allowable to those who completely withdraw from school.

Tuition and Fee	Tuition Refund	Room Refund
During the first week	100%	75%
During the second week	100%	50%
During the third week	75%	25%
During the fourth week	50%	-0-
During the fifth week	25%	-0-

### No refunds after the fifth week.

\*Special fees, such as private lesson fees, are refundable according to the same percentages as tuition.

### Refund of Meal Plan

A student will be charged or refunded \$18.00 per day. No board refunds will be given after December 1, 2010, for the fall semester or April 1, 2011, for the spring semester.

Scholarships and other forms of financial aid are taken into consideration when refunds are calculated and are prorated according to program restrictions.

## Financial Aid

### General Information - CAS Financial Aid

The role of financial aid at Indiana Wesleyan University is to make a quality Christian education affordable to each and every student who qualifies.

**Criteria for Aid:** Students at Indiana Wesleyan University qualify for financial aid by virtue of their need, academic performance, major area of study, or church affiliation. For the purposes of student financial aid, "need" is defined as the difference between the total cost of education and the amount a family may be expected to contribute toward that education. Most financial aid at Indiana Wesleyan University is awarded on the basis of demonstrated need. In addition, most forms of federal, state, and institutional financial aid are intended to assist those students who have not already earned a first baccalaureate degree.

**Types of Aid:** Student financial aid can be classified under four major headings: scholarships, grants, loans, and work programs.

Scholarships and grants are both forms of nonrepayable aid. The term "scholarship" usually is applied to an award that recognizes academic achievement or promise. Sometimes the amount of a scholarship depends on the financial need of the recipient. Grants, on the other hand, are based solely on financial need.

Loans and work programs are forms of self-help aid. Student loans often contain desirable features such as deferred payments during periods of schooling, low interest rates, interest subsidies, or provision for working off the loan obligation through future service in a particular profession. Work assignments connected with the student aid program consist of part-time campus jobs.

**Applying for Aid:** All students desiring financial aid must submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) available on the Web at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). After evaluation by the Financial Aid Office, this information is used to determine the kinds and amounts of need-based aid for which the student qualifies.

### Calendar for Financial Aid

January 1-Earliest date to file Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

March 10-All students applying for financial aid must have their FAFSA filed **and** received by the federal processor by this date to ensure consideration for all forms of financial aid.

### A Complete File Consists of the Following:

1. Submission of the FAFSA to the federal processing center indicating IWU as one of the schools to which the data should be sent.

2. Notice of acceptance to students for admission to the university.
3. Additional documents (i.e., tax returns) as needed and requested by the Financial Aid Office.

**Awarding of Aid:** Once application forms begin to arrive in the Financial Aid Office, notices are sent to make applicants aware of any missing forms or to request additional information that may be required. Additional documents must be provided by the date specified in the letter. Without these documents, no financial aid can be awarded. All financial forms are thoroughly edited, and the Financial Aid Office communicates with the student or parents to resolve any significant questions. When the financial aid award has been made, the student is notified via the Financial Aid Award Letter or email notification.

The aid package offered to an applicant consists of a combination of scholarships, grants, loans, or work, depending upon the recipient's aid eligibility. If an aid package includes certain kinds of federal assistance, the sum total of the individual awards cannot exceed the student's calculated financial need. Also, the total of awards that apply only to tuition/fees is limited to the amount of standard tuition/fee charges. While student aid awards are committed for the whole school year, just one-half the amount of each scholarship, grant, or loan is applied to the student's account each semester.

Failure to register at the beginning of a semester, or enrollment for fewer than the required number of credit hours, automatically cancels all awards for the semester. A financial aid recipient who officially withdraws from the university or drops below the required number of credit hours during the refund period of a semester will have an adjustment made in the student aid package. Copies of the university's Packaging Policy are available upon request.

**Requirements for Receiving Aid:** In order to qualify for all federal funds with the exception of a Federal Pell Grant, a student must be enrolled at least half-time. A student is classified as half-time if registration is for a minimum of six credit hours per semester or a total of six credit hours during the summer sessions. Institutional and state scholarships and grants, however, require full-time enrollment (a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester). In addition, Pell Grant, FSEOG, state aid programs, and most forms of institutional aid require that the student does not have a previous baccalaureate degree. Financial aid recipients are required to maintain satisfactory progress toward a degree in their chosen course of study. The institutional Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy outlines the specific details of this requirement. Any student receiving an institutional grant award is expected to maintain an acceptable citizenship record.

**Satisfactory Academic Progress**

Students must make Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) towards earning a degree as stipulated below to receive financial aid at IWU from all federal and state student aid grants, Work Study and loan programs. Some additional grants and scholarships may also use part or all of the SAP standards as minimum criteria for funding eligibility.

REVISED effective May 2008	Undergraduate Programs		
Total Hours Earned and Recognized by IWU for Degree Consideration from All institutions	1-28	29-44	45-up
Minimum Cumulative GPA	1.80	1.90	2.00
Minimum Pass Rate Percentage of Total Hours Successfully Completed (Measured as Hours Earned ÷ Hours Attempted)	67%	67%	67%
Maximum Total Credit Hours or Time Allowed to Complete Current Primary Degree Requirements	150% of the specific degree programs published length		

Students who fail to meet the minimum standards as shown will be placed on financial aid probation for one semester. During their probation semester, students are still fully eligible for financial aid. They must improve their cumulative academic measures by the end of that semester to meet the policy requirements in order to continue to have financial aid eligibility for subsequent semesters. Eligibility resumes when the student raises his or her cumulative academic measurements to the required levels.

SAP SUSPENSION may be appealed if unusual and/or mitigating circumstances affected academic progress. Such circumstances may include a severe illness or injury to the student or an immediate family member, the death of a student's relative, student activation into military service or other circumstances as deemed appropriate for consideration by the SAP Appeals Committee.



To appeal, the student must submit a legible letter, a completed SAP Appeal Form and supporting documentation to the IWU Financial Aid Office. These should explain in detail why the student failed to meet the minimum academic standards, what unusual and/or mitigating circumstances contributed to the failure and how his or her situation has improved. Appeals must be received by the Financial Aid Office no later than 15 business days before the end of the term for which reinstatement is desired. Early appeal submission is strongly encouraged. A committee will review the appeal and will notify the student in writing of their decision. If an appeal is approved, the student will regain financial aid eligibility for a designated period of time.

## Scholarships

### National Merit Finalist/Semifinalist Scholarship

National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test finalists and semifinalists may receive an \$8000 award but are not eligible for other IWU academic scholarships. The student must be an entering freshman, submit a copy of the National Merit Certificate, have a 3.5 high school GPA, and enroll full-time each semester. National Merit Scholarships are renewable for up to eight consecutive semesters. To renew, students must be enrolled full-time (at least 12 credit hours fall and spring semesters) and must achieve a 3.2 minimum cumulative GPA. These credits must be completed by the end of May term each year. National Merit Scholarships are not available for enrollment in summer sessions, nor will credits earned or GPA achieved in summer sessions count toward eligibility requirements until the following fall or spring calculation. If lost, the scholarship may be reinstated following completion of the next fall or spring term, if eligibility requirements are met; however recipient will have fewer semesters of eligibility remaining.

### Academic Scholarship

A full-time incoming freshman may qualify for an academic scholarship by scoring a minimum SAT 1100 (excluding writing score, math and verbal sections only) or ACT 24 (excluding writing score) and by having at least a 3.40 high school GPA (on a 4.00 scale). Academic Scholarships are renewable for up to eight consecutive semesters. To renew, students must be enrolled full-time (at least 12 credit hours fall and spring semesters) and must achieve a 3.2 minimum GPA for scholarships valued at \$6,000 per year or higher, or a 3.0 minimum cumulative GPA for scholarships with annual awards below \$6,000. These credits must be completed by the end of May term each year. Academic scholarships are not available for enrollment in summer sessions, nor will credits earned or GPA achieved in summer sessions count toward eligibility requirements until the following fall or spring calculation. If lost, the scholarship may be reinstated following completion of the next fall or spring term, if eligibility requirements are met; however recipient will have fewer semesters of eligibility remaining.

### Eligibility Grid For Academic Scholarship

1. BOTH minimum GPA and test score requirements must be met to qualify.
2. GPA updates are made only through the 7th semester in high school.
3. Test scores may not be updated after an April 15 test date.

GPA/GED	POINTS	SAT/ACT Scores
3.40	1	1100/24
3.50	2	1130/25
3.60	3	1170/26
3.70/60-63	4	1210/27
3.80/64-67	5	1240/28
3.90/68-71	6	1280/29
4.00/72+	7	1360/31
POINTS	ANNUAL AMOUNT	
2 – 3	=\$3000/year	
4 – 5	=\$3500/year	
6 – 7	=\$4000/year	
8 – 9	=\$5000/year	
10 – 11	=\$6000/year	
12 – 14	=\$7000/year	

Example: A student with 3.50 GPA (worth 2 points) and 1100 SAT (worth 1 point) would have a total of 3 points and qualify for \$3000/year (\$1500/semester).

### Transfer Academic Scholarship

A full-time transfer student who has attended at least one full-time year (at least 24 credit hours) at an approved college or university may qualify with a minimum transfer GPA of at least 3.40 on a 4.00 scale. A GPA on transfer work from more than one college or university will be calculated using a weighted average. A student with less than 24 credit hours must meet the requirements for the freshman Academic Scholarship. It is the student's responsibility to submit the necessary transcripts and test scores at the time of application for admission to Indiana Wesleyan University.

Transfer Academic Scholarships are renewable for students who enroll full-time (at least 12 credit hours fall and spring semesters) and achieve a 3.2 minimum cumulative GPA for scholarships valued at \$6,000 per year or higher, or a 3.0 minimum cumulative GPA for scholarships with annual awards below \$6,000. These credits must be completed by the end of May term each year. Transfer Academic Scholarships are not available for enrollment in summer sessions, nor will credits earned or GPA achieved in summer sessions count toward eligibility requirements until the following fall or spring calculation. If lost, the scholarship may be reinstated following completion of the next fall or spring term, if eligibility requirements are met; however, recipient will have fewer semesters of eligibility remaining. The number of semesters of eligibility will be determined by the grade level at which the student enters IWU. The chart below shows semesters of eligibility for transfer students entering at each grade level:

Freshman		eight semesters of full-time enrollment (normally four years)
Sophomore		six semesters of full-time enrollment (normally three years)
Junior		four semesters of full-time enrollment (normally two years)
Senior		two semesters of full-time enrollment (normally one year)

### Transfer Academic Scholarship

GPA	AMOUNT
3.40	\$2250
3.50	\$3000
3.60	\$3500
3.70	\$4000
3.80	\$5000
3.90	\$6000
4.00	\$7000

### Valedictorian or Salutatorian Scholarship

Awards are made to all high school valedictorians (\$1000) or salutatorians (\$500) who are first-year students (first-time college students) at Indiana Wesleyan University and whose graduating class had a minimum of 5 members. Scholarship is nonrenewable.

### Presidential Scholarship

Funds for these awards are made available through a trust given to Indiana Wesleyan University in memory of Henry M. and Anna Shugart. Awards are given annually to graduates of Grant County, Indiana, high schools who have attained at least a 3.50 cumulative GPA (on a 4.00 scale) and possess positive leadership and citizenship traits. The award amount is \$2,000 per year for four years to entering freshmen, full-time students only. Students must apply through the high school guidance office by the announced filing deadline. The student must maintain a 3.50 cumulative GPA to renew the scholarship.

### Athletic Service Grant

Several awards are granted each year to both men and women participating in intercollegiate athletics. Awards are made upon recommendation of coaches of the individual sports.

### Music Scholarship

Scholarships are available by audition to qualified full-time students majoring in music. Contact the Division of Music for additional information.

### **Art Scholarship**

Scholarships are available to qualified full-time students majoring in art. Contact the Division of Art for additional information.

### **Theatre Scholarship**

Scholarships are available to qualified full-time students. Contact the Division of Communication for additional information.

### **Church Matching Scholarship Program**

Indiana Wesleyan University will match a local church's contribution to its Matching Church Scholarship Fund up to a maximum of \$900 per student. To qualify, the church must file an application with the Church Relations Office prior to the first day of classes each academic year.

### **Indiana Foundation for Home Schooling Scholarship**

A \$1000 award is available to a home schooled student participating in the IFHS graduation ceremony. Students must submit an application and have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 with SAT score of 1000 or an ACT score of 21. Scholarship renewable by maintaining a 3.0 cumulative GPA.

### **Indiana Higher Education Award (HEA) - Indiana Residents Only**

The State Student Assistance Commission of Indiana (SSACI) administers this grant program based on financial need. Potential recipients must submit the FAFSA and have it received at the federal processor by March 10. Recipients must be full-time students. Awards vary and are dependent on the type of diploma received and state funding.

### **Indiana Freedom-of-Choice Grant (FOC) - Indiana Residents Only**

Full-time students who qualify for the Indiana HEA and who attend an approved Indiana private institution, such as Indiana Wesleyan University, are considered for this need-based award. It is not necessary for the applicant to file any forms other than those required for the Indiana HEA award.

### **Indiana 21st Century Scholars Program - Indiana Residents Only**

Potential recipients applied in their 6th, 7th or 8th grade year to be part of the program and fulfilled a pledge of good citizenship. Recipients must submit their FAFSA and have it received at the federal processor by March 10. The student must also enroll full-time in an approved Indiana institution. Awards vary based on eligibility received for the Indiana Higher Education Award and Indiana Freedom of Choice Grant.

### **Family Tuition Discount**

The discount will be \$1,000 toward tuition only for each full-time undergraduate student from the same family. The definition of family is meant in the traditional, not extended sense. This could be any combination of husband/wife/father/mother/unmarried dependent sons or daughters. It is intended to assist families where two or more "living under the same roof" are attending Indiana Wesleyan University on a full-time basis in traditional programs of study.

### **Pastor Dependent Grant**

A recipient must be a dependent undergraduate child of a full-time ordained minister serving in a local church during the academic year in which the award is granted. The student must enroll full-time; the amount is \$1,800 per academic year.

## **Grants**

### **Federal PELL Grant**

Any U.S. citizen who does not have a baccalaureate degree can apply for a Pell grant by completing the FAFSA. Awards are based on financial need and range from \$565-\$5550 for the 2010-2011 academic year.

### **Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)**

These awards range from \$100 to \$4,000 per year, depending upon financial need and funding received by IWU. Recipients must also be eligible for the federal Pell Grant.

### **Indiana Wesleyan University Grant**

Funds provided by IWU available to students who file a FAFSA that is received by the federal processor by March 10. Amount varies based on student's calculated need, other financial aid received, and funding level.

### **Shugart Grant**

Funds for this award are made available through a trust given to Indiana Wesleyan University in memory of Henry M. and Anna Shugart. Recipients must reside in Indiana and file a FAFSA that is received by the federal processor by March 10. Amount varies based on student's calculated need, other financial aid received, and funding level.

### **Wesleyan Student Aid**

Acknowledging its Wesleyan heritage, Indiana Wesleyan University wishes to strengthen its relationship to The Wesleyan Church and enroll increased numbers of Wesleyan students. The following financial aid programs have been developed to meet these goals and assist Wesleyan students in furthering their education at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Wesleyan Student Grant**

This award of \$1,000 is given to all Wesleyan students who demonstrate financial need as calculated by the FAFSA information.

### **Wesleyan Missionary Dependent Grant**

The award amount is 50 percent of tuition for up to eight semesters. The recipient must demonstrate financial need, reside on campus, be a full-time undergraduate student, and apply for all other forms of federal and state financial aid. Parent(s) must serve full-time under direct appointment of the Global Partners or Wesleyan Native American Ministries during the academic year in which the award is received. The recipient may NOT also receive the Out-of-State Wesleyan Grant, the International Wesleyan Grant, or the Wesleyan Pastor Dependent Grant.

### **Out-of-State Wesleyan Grant**

This award is available to full-time students who regularly attended a Wesleyan Church outside the state of Indiana immediately prior to enrolling at Indiana Wesleyan University. The award of \$2,000 is given only to full-time, undergraduate, U.S. resident students who demonstrate financial need on the FAFSA, which must be completed each year.

### **Wesleyan Pastor Dependent Grant**

A recipient must be a dependent undergraduate child of a full-time ordained minister serving in a local Wesleyan church during the academic year in which the award is granted. The student must enroll full-time; the amount is 50 percent of tuition and will be provided through the combination of all scholarships and grants from federal, state and institutional programs, excluding academic honors, athletic awards, Campus Challenge and Wesleyan Bible Bowl awards.

### **Campus Challenge/Wesleyan Bible Bowl (WBB) Scholarship**

The recipient must submit the original scholarship certificates to the Financial Aid Office prior to fall enrollment. Awards earned or certificates submitted AFTER that time may be available for use in future academic years. Full-time students may use up to \$1,000 per academic year (divided one-half each semester) UNLESS the current certificates held total in excess of \$4,000, in which case the student may use one-fourth of the total per academic year. Recipients must also attend full-time.

### **John Wesley Scholarship**

Accepted Wesleyan undergraduate students must submit an application prior to the deadline to the Admissions Office to be considered for this award. This award is provided by various donors to allow funding for students who may otherwise be unable to attend IWU. Award amounts vary based on funds available and the scholarship committee's determination of the student's need for the scholarship.

### **Canadian Wesleyan Scholarship**

Wesleyan Canadian students who enroll full-time may be awarded a scholarship equal to 25 percent of the tuition for the academic year. This amount is awarded to recognize the difference in monetary values and does not necessarily represent par on any given date.

### **International Wesleyan Grant**

International Wesleyan students who attended a Wesleyan church in their home country are eligible for \$3,000 per year. A 2.5 grade average is required to renew these monies each year. The award may be received once for a total of eight semesters.

### **Wesleyan Ministerial Loan/Grant**

The Wesleyan Church and Indiana Wesleyan University cooperate in providing Ministerial Loan Grants for full-time junior and senior Christian ministries students who are members of The Wesleyan Church. Indiana Wesleyan University cooperates with The Wesleyan Church and local districts in providing funds for graduate students as well. Juniors may receive \$4,000 per year, while seniors may receive \$6,000 per year from the university. In addition, The Wesleyan Church provides funds per credit hour as available to assist with educational expenses. Students, including transfer students, must complete one full year at IWU before becoming eligible for the

IWU portion. The funds are subject to all policies and procedures governing university financial aid. A separate application is required each semester by the announced deadline.

Conditions of eligibility for both undergraduate and graduate ministerial aid are as follows:

1. Student must be a member of a local Wesleyan church of the North American General Conference.
2. Examination and approval as a licensed ministerial student by the District Board of Ministerial Development prior to the beginning of the semester in which the loan/grant is to be received.
3. Cumulative grade-point average of 2.0 or higher.
4. Admission to the appropriate undergraduate or graduate Christian ministries or youth ministries major (See School of Theology and Ministry).
5. Approval by the director of financial aid.

Each award is issued as a loan with separate promissory notes to be signed for repayment of the denominational and university shares. However, recipients who later serve The Wesleyan Church under district appointment have the privilege of canceling 20 percent of the total loan obligation for each year of full-time service rendered. Those who are employed otherwise will repay their loan(s) over a period of five years with an annual interest rate of 10 percent. Further information about the operation of this program can be found online at the Wesleyan headquarters Web page <http://www.wesleyan.org> or secured by writing the Department of Education and the Ministry of The Wesleyan Church, P.O. Box 50434, Indianapolis, Indiana 46250-0434.

## Loans

### Federal Perkins Loan

Students qualify for these loans on the basis of financial need and according to the institution's Packaging Policy. Eligible students may be assigned Perkins Loans up to \$3,000 per year, with an aggregate limit of \$15,000 as undergraduates.

For first-time borrowers, repayment of Perkins Loans begins nine months after termination of at least half-time enrollment at an eligible institution and continues over a period of 10 years (or less) with interest charges of 5 percent per year and a minimum monthly payment of \$40.

### TYPICAL REPAYMENT OF LOANS

Total Loan Amount	Number of Payments	Monthly Payment	Total Interest Charges	Total Repaid
\$4500	120	\$47.73	\$1227.60	\$5727.60
9000	120	95.46	2455.20	11455.20
15000	120	159.10	4091.73	19091.73

### IWU Student Loan

Awards in this institutional loan program range from \$200 to \$3,000 per academic year to students who demonstrate financial need. Repayment begins six months after the student terminates at least half-time enrollment at an eligible institution. Repayments are similar to the schedule for the federal Perkins Loan. The interest rate on the IWU student loan is 8.75 percent.

### Typical Repayment Of Loans

Total Loan Amount	Number of Payments	Monthly Payment	Total Interest Charges	Total Repaid
\$4500	120	\$56.40	\$2267.43	\$6767.43
9000	120	112.79	4534.58	13535.58
15000	120	187.99	7558.82	22558.82

Due to the large number of loan accounts, the inherent complexities of the federal Perkins Loan program, and the new importance of loan repayments, Indiana Wesleyan University has contracted with University Accounting Service, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to handle the billing and collection functions for all federal Perkins Loans and IWU Student Loans administered by the university.

### Federal Direct Loan

Direct Loans are need-based and/or non need-based loans for which a student applies through the Direct Loan Program. Repayment begins six months after the student ceases to be at least a half-time student and is spread over a period of up to 10 years. Deferments are available if the student meets certain conditions. A first-year student may borrow up to \$5,500 per academic year, a second-year student may borrow up to \$6,500, and students during the third year and thereafter may borrow up to \$7,500, based on financial need.

The total amount of undergraduate loans may not exceed \$31,000. All students must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid to qualify for a Direct Loan.

Students with financial need may qualify for a 4.5 percent interest rate subsidized Direct Loan, which means the government is paying or subsidizing the interest while the student is in school or in the grace period. Students without financial need qualify for the unsubsidized Direct Loan at 6.8 percent interest, in which their interest is not paid by the government. Students may pay the interest monthly while in school, or the lender will capitalize the accrued interest each year causing the loan to increase more rapidly.

### Typical Repayment Of Unsubsidized Direct Loans

Total Loan Amount	Number of Payments	Monthly Payment	Total Interest Charges	Total Repaid
\$5500	120	\$63.00	\$2095.00	\$7595.00
10500	120	120.83	4000.00	14500.00
15000	120	172.61	5714.00	20714.00
23000	120	264.68	8762.00	31762.00

### Federal PLUS (Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students)

Parents may borrow funds through this program to assist with their child(ren)'s educational expenses. The limit is the cost of education per child minus other financial aid. The interest rate is a fixed 7.9 percent. Borrowers must be creditworthy and can begin repayment upon disbursement of the funds or request a deferment until the student is no longer enrolled full-time.

### Work Programs

#### Federal Work-Study Program

Most student work assignments on the campus fall within the scope of the Federal Work-Study Program (FWS). Students average 10 hours per week during the academic year and from 15-40 hours per week during periods of non-enrollment. The pay rate is minimum wage for most positions on campus. A student is eligible for a FWS position if there is sufficient financial need and Work-Study is listed as one of the types of financial aid the student has been awarded. Please note that the award amount listed by financial aid is an estimate of earnings and not a guarantee. All students must find a job on campus and their earnings will be tied to hours worked and wage of position held. All student employees must complete the Immigration and Naturalization Service's I-9 Form and must be issued a Work Authorization.

#### Indiana Wesleyan University Employment

A limited number of campus jobs are assigned to students who do not qualify for the Federal Work-Study Program. In such cases, the institution pays all of the student's wages, and the earnings are paid directly to the student with the intent of paying the student's account. Pay rates are also at minimum wage.

### Right to Know

A student has the right to know...

1. What financial assistance is available, including information on all federal, state, and institutional financial aid programs.
2. The deadlines for submitting applications for each of the financial aid programs available.
3. The cost of attending the institution and the school's refund policy.
4. The criteria used by the institution to select financial aid recipients.
5. How the school determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, room and board, travel, books and supplies, personal and miscellaneous expenses, etc., are considered in your budget.
6. What resources (such as parental contribution, other financial aid, your assets, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need.
7. How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
8. An explanation of the various programs in your student aid package. If you believe you have been treated unfairly, you may request reconsideration of the award that was made to you.
9. What portion of the financial aid you received must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total amount that must be repaid, the payback procedures, the length of the time you have to repay the loan, and when repayment is to begin.

## Responsibilities

It is your responsibility to...

1. Review and consider all information about the school's program before you enroll.
2. Complete all application forms accurately and submit them on time to the right place.
3. Pay special attention to and accurately complete your application for student aid. Errors can result in long delays in your receipt of financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties under the U.S. Criminal Code.
4. Return all additional information, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Financial Aid Office or the agency to which you submitted your application.
5. Read and understand all forms that you are asked to sign and keep copies of them.
6. Accept responsibility for all agreements you sign.
7. Notify the lender of changes in your name, address, or school status if you have a loan.
8. Perform in a satisfactory manner the work that is agreed upon in accepting a university Work Study award.
9. Know and comply with the deadlines for application or reapplication for aid.
10. Know and comply with your school's refund procedures.

## Withdrawal and Impact on Financial Aid

Students who receive financial aid (federal, state, or institutional aid) and withdraw from classes during the semester are potentially subject to a review of their financial aid eligibility. The impact on a student's awards will depend on

1. When the student withdrew from a class or classes.
2. Whether the student withdrew from one or more classes, but remained enrolled or if the student completely withdrew from all classes.
3. Type of financial aid awarded.
4. Changes to the charges on the student's account.

Students need to talk with their financial aid counselor prior to withdrawing from any course(s) so that he/she can make an informed decision regarding the financial impact of the withdraw.

The following sections provide an overview of the impact of withdraws based on the type of aid received:

### Federal Aid (Title IV)

Students who receive federal Title IV financial aid (Pell Grant, FSEOG, Perkins Loan, federal work-study, or Direct subsidized or unsubsidized loans) and who completely withdraw from all classes during the semester are subject to the Return of Title IV Funds calculation. This calculation does not apply to a student who withdraws from one or more classes but remains enrolled in one or more classes.

The calculation is based on the number of calendar days in the term compared to the number of days elapsed when the withdrawal is completed. Based on the percentage of the term completed, the student is allowed to retain a similar percentage of the federal Title IV financial aid. The remainder of the funds is to be returned to the federal programs. The school will determine how much of the federal funds are to be returned by the school and how much, if any, is to be returned by the student.

Funds will be returned in the following order if the student received money from the fund:

Federal Unsubsidized Direct Loan

Federal Subsidized Direct Loan

Perkins Loan

PLUS

Pell Grant

Academic Competitiveness Grants

National SMART Grants

FSEOG

If the funds the student must repay need to be returned to the federal grant programs, the student will only have to repay 50 percent of the required grant. Students will be given 45 days to repay any grant monies owed. After 45 days, the student will be placed in a federal grant overpayment status and will be ineligible to receive federal funds, at any school, until the grant is repaid. Loan monies owed will become subject to the loan promissory note signed by the student.

Here is an example of how a calculation might work: If there are 10 calendar days in the term (excluding any breaks of five or more days) and the student withdraws on the 25th day, 25 percent of the term has elapsed. This means that 75 percent of the federal funds must be returned. If the student received \$5,000 in federal Title IV aid, the \$3,750 must be returned. If the school retained all of the funds to pay for school charged expenses, then the school will return all of the funds. If some of the funds were disbursed to the student, then the student may have to repay some of the funds also.

### **Institutional Aid**

The institutional aid a student receives will follow the same guidelines as provided in the federal aid section above, except that institutional aid is limited to the amount of institutional charges after any adjustments are made based on the withdraw.

### **Indiana State Aid**

The State Student Assistance Commission of Indiana (SSACI) has a refund period that consists of the first four weeks of each academic term. If a student withdraws from one or more classes and thus is not classified as a full-time student at the end of the SSACI refund period, the student is not eligible for any of their state grant funds. If a student withdraws from one or more classes after the SSACI refund period, the impact on the student's state grants will depend on any adjustment of charges made on the student's account.

Please contact the Financial Aid Office at 765-677-2116 if you have any questions regarding the impact of a withdraw on your student financial aid.

### **Financial Information - Other**

A student may not register for the next semester, term, or session or receive a transcript unless all charges are paid in full.

The university is not responsible for the loss of personal property on campus.

Students are accountable for materials and equipment issued to them. Damage to property must be paid for by those responsible.

The university does not have health insurance for students and will not be responsible for any health-related charges.

### **Financial Aid - Further Information**

For further information regarding financial aid opportunities, contact the Financial Aid Office, Indiana Wesleyan University, Marion, Indiana 46953. Phone 765-677-2116.



## **Areas of Study**

### **Art**

Ceramics  
Computer Graphics  
Fine Art  
Fine Art Minor  
Art History Minor  
Illustration  
Interior Design  
Media Design  
Painting  
Photography  
Printmaking  
Art Education  
Pre-Art Therapy

### **Communication**

Communication Studies  
Communication Studies Minor  
Journalism  
Journalism Minor  
Media Communication  
Media Communication Minor  
Public Relations  
Public Relations Minor  
Theatre  
Theatre Minor

### **Modern Language and Literature**

English  
English Minor  
English Education  
Latin American and Iberian Studies Minor  
Spanish  
Spanish Minor  
Spanish Education  
TESOL-Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages  
TESOL Minor  
TESOL Education  
Writing  
Writing Minor

**Music**

Music (Applied)  
Church Music  
Church Music Minor  
Music Composition  
Music Education  
Music Minor  
Performance

**Theology and Ministry**

Adolescent Ministries  
Adolescent Ministries Minor  
Biblical Literature  
Biblical Literature Minor  
Biblical Languages Minor  
Biblical History and Geography Minor  
Children's Ministry  
Children's Ministry Minor  
Christian Education  
Christian Education Minor  
Christian Ministries  
Christian Ministries Minor  
Christian Worship  
Christian Worship Minor  
Intercultural Studies  
Intercultural Studies Minor  
International and Community Development  
International and Community Development Minor  
Urban Ministries Minor  
Latin American and Iberian Studies Minor  
Philosophy and Theology  
Philosophy Minor  
Theology Minor  
Sports Ministries  
Youth Ministries  
Youth Ministries Minor

**Behavioral Sciences**

Addictions Counseling  
Addiction Studies Minor  
Criminal Justice  
Pre-Art Therapy  
Psychology  
Psychology Minor

Social Work  
Sociology Minor

**Business**

Accounting  
Accounting Minor  
Business Administration  
Business Administration Minor  
Entrepreneurship  
Finance  
Management  
Marketing

**Social Sciences**

Economics  
Economics Minor  
History  
History Minor  
International Relations  
Political Science  
Political Science Minor  
Political Science Pre-Law  
Public Policy  
Public Policy Minor  
Social Studies  
Social Studies Education  
Latin American and Iberian Studies Minor

**Life Calling and Leadership**

Leadership  
Leadership Minor  
General Studies  
Pre-Declared Students

**Teacher Education**

Elementary Education  
Exceptional Needs Education  
Secondary Education

**Health and Human Performance**

Applied Health and Fitness  
Athletic Training  
Coaching Minor  
Exercise Science

Health, Promotion and Wellness  
Health, Promotion and Wellness Minor  
Physical Education  
Pre-Physical Therapy  
Recreation Management  
Recreation Management Minor  
Sports Management  
Sports Ministries

### **Natural Sciences**

Biology  
Biology Minor  
Biology Education  
Biochemistry  
Chemistry  
Chemistry Minor  
Chemistry Education  
Medical Technology  
Physics Minor  
Pre-Medical Sciences  
Science Education

### **Mathematics and Computer Information Sciences**

Computer Information Systems  
Computer Information Systems Minor  
Computer Internet Development  
Computer Science  
Computer Science Minor  
Computer Software Engineering  
Mathematics  
Mathematics - Interdisciplinary  
Mathematics Minor  
Statistics Minor  
Mathematics Education

### **Pre-licensure Nursing**

Nursing  
Transition to Nursing (Accelerated, 2nd degree)

## **Course Description Link**

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Undergraduate Subject Codes**

ACC	Accounting
ADC	Addictions Counseling
ADM	Administration
ART	Art
ATR	Athletic Training
BIL	Biblical Literature
BIO	Biology
BIS	Business Information Systems
BUS	Business
CED	Christian Education
CHE	Chemistry
CIS	Computer and Information Sciences
CIT	Computer Information Technology
COM	Communication
CON	Continuing Education
CRJ	Criminal Justice
EAR	Earth Science
ECO	Economics
EDS	Special Education
EDU	Education
ENG	English
ENT	Entrepreneurship
FIN	Finance
FRE	French
GEO	Geography
GRE	Greek
HBR	Hebrew
HCM	Health Care Management
HNR	Honors College
HST	History
ICD	International and Community Development
INT	Intercultural Studies
LANG	Language
LAT	Latin
LDR	Leadership
MAT	Mathematics
MGT	Management
MKG	Marketing
MNG	Management
MUS	Music
NUR	Nursing
PAT	Pre-art Therapy
PBP	Public Policy
PHE	Physical Education
PHL	Philosophy
PHY	Physics
PMD	Pre-medical Sciences

POL	Political Science
PSY	Psychology
REC	Recreation Management
REL	Religion
SCI	Science
SOC	Sociology
SPA	Spanish
SPM	Sports Management
SWK	Social Work
THE	Theology
TSL	TESOL
UNV	University Studies
WRI	Writing
YTH	Youth Ministries

## Graduate Subject Codes

ADC	Addictions Counseling
ADM	Administration
CCM	Community Counseling
CHN	Community Health Nursing
CNS	Counseling
DOL	Doctorate Organizational Leadership
EDL	Educational Leadership
EDU	Education
EDUE	Graduate Education Elective
EDUM	Graduate Education Major Course
GNUR	Graduate Nursing
MGT	Management
MIN	Ministry
PYC	Primary Care

## Numbering of Courses

The course number has significance in the following ways:

000-099 Preparatory Courses (Limited number applied toward graduation)

100-199 Courses ordinarily taken in the freshman year

200-299 Courses ordinarily taken in the sophomore year

300-399 Courses ordinarily taken in the junior year

400-499 Courses ordinarily taken in the senior year

500-999 Courses ordinarily taken for graduate/doctoral credit

## John Wesley Honors College (JWHC)

The John Wesley Honors College (JWHC) is a community of committed learners at IWU which seeks to glorify God through the creative pursuit of academic excellence and spiritual vitality.

JWHC students are a select group of bright and ambitious students who take seriously Christ's command to love God with all one's heart, soul, and intellect. They desire, above all, to use their gifts and talents to make a difference in the world for Christ. Such students recognize that, in whatever career they choose to enter, a rigorous liberal arts education will foster the sort of intellectual skills and virtues necessary to achieve this goal. The JWHC provides a learning environment in which such students can thrive and prepare to pursue lives well-lived in service to Church and society.

Through smaller, inquiry-based, discussion-oriented classes, JWHC students engage their studies with extraordinary self-investment and creativity. The honors curriculum's focus on depth and relevance means that JWHC students spend less time on busy work and more time engaging primary sources, learning through hands-on experiences, and grappling with the enduring significance of course material for their life and faith. JWHC students are challenged to ask tough questions, to enrich their understanding of life's complexities, and to reflect critically on the relevance of their faith to contemporary issues. The Honors College also offers numerous co-curricular opportunities, both on and off campus, that allow students to connect these learning experiences to the broader world in which they live.

Ultimately, the JWHC strives to produce graduates who can compete intellectually with the best and brightest of their peers globally. But perhaps more importantly, the JWHC aims to nurture graduates who are adept at drawing faith, learning, and career into an integrated life calling.

Students participate in the JWHC either as John Wesley Scholars or as Mary C. Dodd Honors Students. John Wesley Scholars enter the Honors College as freshmen and participate in a comprehensive "liberal learning and life calling" curriculum that fulfills many of their general education requirements and enriches the coursework in their majors. Mary C. Dodd Honors Students join the Honors College as sophomores or juniors. They participate in the same Liberal Learning and Life Calling curriculum as John Wesley Scholars, but pursue a condensed version of the coursework that accommodates their previous collegiate experience and the shorter time frame before graduation. Students are chosen to participate in these curricular programs through a highly selective application process.

### Petitioning to Take Honors Courses

Students who are not members of the John Wesley Honors College may petition to enroll in an honors course. JWHC students are given first priority in registration for honors courses, but any student possessing a GPA of at least 3.5 may petition to enroll in any honors course, with the exception of the following: UNV-180HC; HNR-225; HNR-350; HNR-497; HNR-498; HNR-499. Petitioners must possess the required GPA at the time of petition (first semester freshmen may petition if they had a cumulative high school GPA of at least 3.7 or ranked in the top 10% of their graduating class). The petition form is available on the JWHC Web site at <http://jwhc.indwes.edu/academics>.

### John Wesley Scholars Program

In order to graduate from the Honors College as a John Wesley Scholar, a student must complete the following course requirements (40-42 hours). Most of the honors coursework fulfills requirements in both the Honors College and general education curricula.

Honors Humanities Core		16 hours
UNV-180HC	Becoming World Changers: Christian Faith and Contemporary Issues	3
HST-180HC	Humanities World Civilization	3
PHL-180HC	Humanities Philosophy	3
ENG-180HC	Humanities World Literature	3
HNR-101	Honors Forum on Faith and the Arts I	1
HNR-102	Honors Forum on Faith and the Arts II	1
HNR-103	Honors Forum on Faith and the Arts III	1

HNR-104	Honors Forum on Faith and the Arts IV	1
<b>Honors Research Tutorials</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Two semesters of:</b>		
HNR-325	Honors Research Tutorial	3
<b>Liberal Learning/Life Calling Portfolio</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Six semesters of:</b>		
HNR-225	Liberal Learning Tutorial	1
<b>Christ and Culture</b>		<b>0-2</b>
<b>Two semesters of :</b>		
HNR-200	Honors Forum on Christ and Culture	0-1
<b>Honors Research/Creativity Competency</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Track 1 - Majoring in the Natural Sciences:</b>		
SCI-380HC	Impacts of Science on Faith and Society	3
Lab	Research (e.g., BIO-495; CHE-495)	3
HNR-499	Honors Scholarship Presentation	0
<b>Track 2 - Majoring outside the Natural Sciences:</b>		
HNR-350	Honors Research Seminar	3
HNR-497	Honors Scholarship Project I *	1-2
HNR-498	Honors Scholarship Project II *	1-2
HNR-499	Honors Scholarship Presentation	0
*The Honors Scholarship Project must collectively total 3 credit hours (e.g., HNR-497: 2 hours plus HNR-498: 1 hour).		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Mary C. Dodd Honors Program

In order to graduate from the Honors College as a Mary C. Dodd Honors Student, a student must complete the following course requirements (23-29 hours).

<b>Liberal Learning/Life Calling Portfolio</b>		<b>5-7 hours</b>
For students who entered the JWHC as freshmen		<b>7</b>
UNV-180HC	Becoming World Changers: Christian Faith and Contemporary Issues	3
<b>Four semesters of:</b>		
HNR-225	Liberal Learning Tutorial	1
For students who did not participate in UNV-180HC		<b>5</b>
HNR-210	Introduction to Liberal Learning/Life Calling	2
<b>Three semesters of:</b>		
HNR-225	Liberal Learning Tutorial	1
<b>Honors Forum</b>		<b>0-4</b>
Option 1: Students who have not completed their MUS-180 requirement may do so by completing HNR-101-104.		
HNR-101	Honors Forum on Faith and the Arts I	1
HNR-102	Honors Forum on Faith and the Arts II	1
HNR-103	Honors Forum on Faith and the Arts III	1
HNR-104	Honors Forum on Faith and the Arts IV	1
Option 2: Students may complete four semesters of Honors Forum on Christ and Culture.		
HNR-200	Honors Forum on Christ and Culture	0-1
<b>Honors Research Tutorials</b>		<b>3</b>



<b>At least one semester of:</b>		
HNR-325	Honors Research Tutorial	3
<b>Honors Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
Electives	Either honors sections of general education electives or HNR electives	
<b>Honors Research/Creativity Competency</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Track 1 - Majoring in the Natural Sciences:</b>		
SCI-380HC	Impacts of Science on Faith and Society	3
Lab	Research (e.g., BIO-495; CHE-495)	3
HNR-499	Honors Scholarship Presentation	0
<b>Track 2 - Majoring outside the Natural Sciences:</b>		
HNR-350	Honors Research Seminar	3
HNR-497	Honors Scholarship Project I *	1-2
HNR-498	Honors Scholarship Project II *	1-2
HNR-499	Honors Scholarship Presentation	0
*The Honors Scholarship Project must collectively total 3 credit hours (e.g., HNR-497: 2 hours plus HNR-498: 1 hour).		

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## School of Arts and Humanities

The School of Arts and Humanities houses the following divisions.

Art Division

Communication Division

Modern Languages and Literature Division

Music Division

## Art Division

### Purpose

The purpose of the Division of Art is to honor God as applicable to all life, including the call of artistic gifting. To accomplish this, the division offers a curriculum that emphasizes the fundamentals of art and challenges each student to excel in their chosen field(s) of study. Each student is expected to develop aesthetic, conceptual, and technical proficiency while learning to express and model Christian values within their chosen discipline. Our mission is to impact the world for Christ through the pursuit of excellence in the visual arts while providing a nurturing and challenging environment for emerging artists.

### Programs

The Division of Art offers nine studio majors. Each major allows the student to focus on a specific discipline within his or her area of interest:

- **Ceramics**
- **Computer Graphics**
- **Fine Art**
- **Illustration**
- **Interior Design**
- **Media Design**
- **Painting**
- **Photography**
- **Printmaking**

In addition to these **majors**, students may also complete degrees in:

- **Art Education**
- **Pre-Art Therapy**

Also available are **minors** in:

- **Fine Art**
- **Art History**

### Admission to an Art Major

Declaration of Art major(s)/minor(s) is made through the Registrar's Office. We recommend that students declare their major when making application to the university or during the first year registration. Students are accepted into their major(s)/minor(s) on a conditional basis until successfully completing the mid-point review.

### Program Entrance Requirements

Effective fall 2011, Admission to the Art Program is required before a student can register for art courses. Students will be required to submit a portfolio, meet the minimum GPA requirement, and other points of measure as determined by the Division of Art. Acceptance to the University does not guarantee admission into an Art major or permission to take coursework within the major. Further information is available from the IWU Division of Art website and Division Office.

### Mid-Point Review

Permission to continue a specific major(s)/minor(s) in the Division of Art takes place during the second semester of the sophomore year (an exception would be transfer students from another institution or major). All Art major(s)/minor(s) must successfully complete the required foundation courses for their respective major(s)/minor(s) prior to the mid-point review. A portfolio of at least 10 studio projects from coursework completed at IWU and a completed mid-point review application form (available from the Art office) must be submitted to the Division of Art.

Requirements for transfer students will be considered on an individual basis. Transfer students must make arrangements through the coordinator of their major(s)/minor(s) for a portfolio review.

Failure to complete and pass the mid-point review may prevent students from registering for additional courses, result in probation or withdrawal from the Art major(s)/minor(s).

### Academic Requirements

Students must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.5 in their declared major(s) or minor(s), and a GPA of 2.0 or above in each course required by the major(s)/minor(s). Failure to do so will require repeating the course(s) or withdrawing from the major(s)/minor(s).

### Senior Exhibit

A senior art exhibit is mandatory for all students majoring in Ceramics, Computer Graphics, Illustration, Media Design, Painting, Photography, and/or Printmaking. The senior exhibit is designed to give exhibition experience to the studio artist while showcasing his/her academic and creative accomplishments. Work submitted for the senior exhibit will be reviewed by the art faculty prior to acceptance.

### Exiting Senior Assessment

A formal assessment process is required and must be successfully completed by all graduating seniors. As a part of this process, each graduating student must submit a digital portfolio to be assessed and archived within the Division of Art. Major/minor exiting requirements may be obtained through the Art office.

### Equipment and Supplies

Laptops, software, cameras, equipment and supply lists are available through the Art Division Web site for each program.

## Ceramics - B.S.

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>48 hours</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-221	Drawing II*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-228	Metalsmithing I	3
ART-230	Stained Glass I	3
ART-241	Ceramics I*	3
ART-251	Sculpture I	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART-280	Visual Communications	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-343	Ceramics II	3
ART-351	Sculpture II	3
ART-441	Ceramics III	3
ART-442	Ceramics IV	3
ART-490	Senior Exhibit - Art	0-2
<b>Choose two art history courses from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-384	High Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3

ART-476	Art Enrichment	3
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Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Computer Graphics - B.S

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>51 hours</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-221	Drawing II*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery*	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics*	3
ART-280	Visual Communications*	3
ART-281	Commercial Layout and Design	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-375	Computer Typography	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
ART-434	Digital Photography	3
ART-436	Computer Illustration	3
ART-437	Web Design	3
ART-473	Advanced Computer Graphics	3
ART-490	Senior Exhibit - Art	0-2
ART-491	Senior Portfolio	3
<b>Choose two art history courses from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-384	High Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Fine Art - B.S.

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>42 hours</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-221	Drawing II*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery*	3
ART-241	Ceramics I	3
ART-266	Printmaking I	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
Art Electives		9

<b>Choose two art history courses from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-384	High Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Fine Art Minor

The purpose of the Fine Art minor is to provide students with a comprehensive background in art studio and design. The Fine Art minor is designed for students with a major in another discipline who have an interest in art.

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery Art*	3
ART-241	Ceramics I*	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART-331	Painting I	3
ART	Electives	3
<b>Choose art history course from the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-384	High Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Art History Minor

This minor is helpful for those pursuing careers in gallery work, museology, teaching, and for advanced education in art and art history. The program requires a completion of 24 credits from the following list, including MUS-180, and at least 15 credit hours from within the Division of Art.

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Requirements</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
<b>Required Course</b>		<b>3</b>
MUS-180	Humanities Fine Arts	
<b>Choose art history courses from the following:</b>		<b>18</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3

ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-384	High Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3
<b>Choose any one course from the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
HST-201	World Civilization to 1500	3
HST-202	World Civilization after 1500	3
HST-395	Renaissance and Reformation	3

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### Illustration - B.S

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>48 hours</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-245	Storyboarding*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery*	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-331	Painting I	3
ART-380	History of American Illustration	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
ART-374	Illustration	3
ART-436	Computer Illustration	3
ART-474	Illustration II	3
ART-477	Thematic Illustration III	3
ART-490	Senior Exhibit - Art	0-2
ART-491	Senior Portfolio	3
<b>Choose two art history courses from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-384	High Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Interior Design - B.S.

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
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Required Courses		48 hours
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-241	Ceramics I <b>OR</b>	
ART-251	Sculpture	3
ART-246	Introduction to Interior Design*	3
ART-253	Basic AUTOCAD*	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-347	Interior Design II	3
ART-348	Materials and Lighting	3
ART-354	Commercial Interior Design	3
ART-357	Advanced AUTOCAD	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
ART-381	Art History I <b>OR</b>	
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-452	Evolution of Interiors	3
ART-459	Interior Graphic Design	3
ART-492	Interior Design Senior Seminar	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Media Design - B.S

Required Courses		51-53 hours
<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery	3
ART-247	Motion Graphics*	3
ART-260	Web Design I	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics*	3
ART-321	3D Modeling and Animation I	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-375	Computer Typography	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-421	3D Modeling and Animation II	3
ART-434	Digital Photography	3
ART-460	Web Design II	3
ART-465	Interactive Design	3
ART-490	Senior Exhibit - Art	0-2
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
CIS-122	Introduction to Web Programming <b>OR</b>	
CIS-250	Internet Programming	3

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**Painting - B.S.**

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>48 hours</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-221	Drawing II*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery	3
ART-241	Ceramics I	3
ART-266	Printmaking I	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-331	Painting I*	3
ART-332	Painting II	3
ART-346	Painting from Life	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
ART-431	Contemporary Painting Techniques	3
ART-481	Studio Practicum	3
ART-490	Senior Exhibit - Art	0-2
<b>Choose</b> two art history courses from the following:		<b>6</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-384	High Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Photography - B.S.**

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>48 hours</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery*	3
ART-266	Printmaking I	3
ART-280	Visual Communications	3
ART-239	History of Photography	3
ART-314	Documentary Photography	3
ART-336	Contemporary Photo Techniques	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
ART-424	Product Photography	3
ART-434	Digital Photography*	3
ART-435	Photo Illustration and Lighting Techniques	3
ART-458	Fine Art Photography	3
ART-490	Senior Exhibit - Art	0-2

<b>* Choose any one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
ART-241	Ceramics I	3
ART-251	Sculpture I	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design	3
<b>Choose two art history courses from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-384	High Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Printmaking - B.S.

<i>* Denotes a foundation course for the specific major</i>		
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>48 hours</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-221	Drawing II*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery	3
ART-241	Ceramics I	3
ART-266	Printmaking I*	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART-280	Visual Communications	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART-331	Painting I	3
ART-366	Printmaking II	3
ART-374	Illustration I	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
ART-466	Printmaking III	3
ART-490	Senior Exhibit - Art	0-2
<b>Choose two art history courses from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3

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### Pre-Art Therapy Major

See the behavioral sciences section of the catalog for a list of specific courses required for Pre-Art Therapy.

## **Art Education Major**

See the education section of the catalog for a list of specific courses required for Visual Arts.

## Communication Division

The Division of Communication equips Christ-centered communicators, grounded in theory, scholarship, and professional skills, who give voice to stories that impact culture. The division offers five majors: Communication Studies, Journalism, Media Communication, Public Relations, and Theatre. Each major provides students with a strong foundation in communication theory and practice; knowledge and skills in utilizing contemporary images, methods, and media; opportunities to apply knowledge and skills in hands-on, professional settings; and an understanding of how their storytelling can impact contemporary culture—all within a Christian worldview.

In professional life, business and management, public relations and advertising, government and politics, community service and ministry, teaching, sports and entertainment, conscious attention must be devoted to developing professional communication skills. In the daily experiences of citizenship, family living, and vocation, the quality of life depends heavily upon the effective communication of information, values, and feelings.

### Communication Organizations and Opportunities

The Division of Communication provides a variety of opportunities and organizations to supplement the academic offerings, and many communication majors participate in programs and organizations in other disciplines.

1. **WIWU-TV 51:** Students gain practical experience by working for the Grant County community's Class A 24-hour digital television station, housed in the Division of Communication's media-focused facilities. Students work with staff professionals on local news magazine shows, live basketball games, community telethons, and IWU cultural and worship events. Student managers earn stipends based on a competitive interview process and professional fulfillment of responsibilities.
2. ***The Sojourn:*** Students experience the satisfaction of applying their knowledge and skills, working as a team, and collecting published clips by writing for *The Sojourn*, IWU's award-winning campus newspaper, in print and online. The entirely student-managed and student-written *Sojourn* awards stipends for all editors, business and distribution managers, and photography staff. Advanced students have the added experience of writing for the *Marion Chronicle-Tribune*, our city's daily professional newspaper, and other on- and off-campus media outlets.
3. **WIWU-FM:** Student managers, with the assistance of a faculty advisor, operate an FCC licensed radio station. Students serve as on-air announcers as required in various radio courses. WIWU-FM (94.3, The Fortress) broadcasts to all of Marion and Grant County with contemporary Christian music and local programming.
4. **Theatre:** The theatre program provides at least four productions each year—one faculty-directed and one student-directed production in both the fall and spring semesters. Recent productions include *Sunday in the Park With George*, *Medea*, and *Wit*.
5. **Indiana Wesleyan Theatre Guild:** Each fall, in conjunction with the theatrical productions, all IWU students are invited to interview for roles (actors, technicians, production managers) in the Guild. While there is no stated service requirement, Guild members meet periodically to promote the theatre and aid in its advancement as well as participate in limited community service projects. Involvement in theatre productions does not require Guild membership.
6. **PRSSA:** The IWU Chapter of the Public Relations Student Society of America allows students to gain valuable out-of-classroom experience and knowledge in public relations, and to develop relationships with working professionals and students in chapters across the country.
7. **Lambda Pi Eta:** The Division of Communication sponsors a chapter of the communication honor society.
8. **Indiana Collegiate Press Association and Associated Collegiate Press:** The division is active in both journalism organizations, and students and faculty advisors attend annual workshops and conventions.
9. ***Caesura* and *Legacy:*** The university's literary magazine and yearbook provide opportunities for student writers, layout designers, and photographers to gain practical experience and work collaboratively.
10. **SIFE:** Students in Free Enterprise, sponsored by the Division of Business, is one of the many student organizations the division partners with to provide opportunities for collaborative hands-on learning and networking with professionals.

### CCCU Best Semester Program Options

#### American Studies Program

Communication students interested in public policy issues and advocacy, government and politics, may participate in this interdisciplinary internship/seminar program based in Washington, D.C. Students develop an appreciation for how biblical faith relates to thinking critically about public policy and marketplace issues. They also experience responsible Christ-centered service in their personal and public vocations, whatever their career paths or walks of life.

### Los Angeles Film Studies Center

This program, based in Hollywood, Calif., involves a study of the film industry from a Christian perspective, and provides students with hands-on experience and internships in the film business. The program is an intensive one-semester immersion into film studies in which the student may earn 16 credit hours.

### Washington Journalism Center

Journalism, Media Communication, and Public Relations students may take advantage of an advanced, experiential semester on Capitol Hill that will cultivate professional news skills and encourage students to think through the implications of being a Christian working in the news media, in a city that is home to the powerful and the powerless.

## Communication Studies - B.S.

### Purpose

The Communication Studies major provides comprehensive preparation in communication theory and practice. Graduates are prepared for a wide variety of careers and graduate education, and for communication excellence in work and leisure, profession and home, politics and religion, and in many other areas.

<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>40-43 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>16-17</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-116	Communication Lab	0-1
116J	Journalism	
116P	Public Relations	
116R	Radio	
116V	Television	
116T	Theatre	
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-235	Communication Career Seminar	1
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
COM-445	Communication Internship	3
COM-480	Senior Project	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>15-17</b>
COM-140	Communication in Action Practicum	0-2
COM-209	Small Group Communication <b>OR</b>	
COM-366	Organizational Communication	3
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COM-227	Research Methods in Communication	3
COM-352	Interpersonal Communication	3
COM-370	Symbols and Imaging	3
<b>Concentration Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
Nine hours in a specific field of study, which must be approved by the Division of Communication. At least six of the nine hours must be 200-level or higher.		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Communication Studies Minor

<b>Communication Studies Minor</b>		<b>21-23 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>9</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3

COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
<b>Communication Studies Minor Requirements</b>		<b>12-14</b>
COM-140	Communication in Action Practicum x 2	0-2
COM-209	Small Group Communication <b>OR</b>	
COM-366	Organizational Communication	3
COM-227	Research Methods in Communication	3
COM-352	Interpersonal Communication	3
COM-370	Symbols and Imaging	3

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## Journalism - B.S.

The Journalism major is designed to provide students with broad interdisciplinary knowledge and practical skills for professional positions in media, understanding their place in a free society. Each student completes a sequence of courses intended to develop practical skills, focused on writing and technology, related to a potential career area. In addition, students select nine credit hours in one of three concentrations based on their area of interest:

**Multi-Media:** This concentration supplements news writing background and skills with experience in multiple media outlets. Through courses in media writing and production, students gain hands-on experience in online news, blogging, podcasts, television, and radio.

**Management/Leadership:** This concentration supplements newswriting background and skills with business and leadership courses.

**Content Area Specialization:** Increasingly, news outlets seek graduates with writing skills and a solid background in a specialized area, according to a media outlet's niche and/or reporting assignments. With this concentration, students select courses that will provide background and expertise in a specific content area of study (e.g., politics, arts).

The program provides all students with opportunities to gain practical experience appropriate to their interest through *The Sojourn*, WIWU-TV51, WIWU-FM, *Caesura*, and *Legacy*.

<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>43-47 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>16-17</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-116	Communication Lab	0-1
116C	Communication Studies	
116P	Public Relations	
116R	Radio	
116V	Television	
116T	Theatre	
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-235	Communication Career Seminar	1
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
COM-445	Communication Internship	3
COM-480	Senior Project	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>18-21</b>
COM-200	Journalism Practicum x 3	0-1
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COM-224	Introduction to Newswriting	3
COM-250	Media Scriptwriting	3
COM-363	Media Law and Ethics	3

COM-483	Advanced Newswriting and Reporting	3
WRI-353	Magazine Writing	3
<b>Concentrations (Choose one)</b>		
<b>Multi-Media</b>		<b>9</b>
COM-214	Radio Production	3
COM-215	Television Production	3
COM-223	Desktop Publishing	3
COM-314	Studio Production	3
COM-322	Broadcast Journalism	3
COM-331	Public Relations Writing and Publicity	3
COM-332	Photojournalism	3
COM-364	Field Production	3
COM-365	Broadcast Performance	3
COM-485	Editorial Operation	3
WRI-282	Writing for Results	3
<b>Leadership/Management</b>		<b>9</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
COM-233	Principles of Public Relations	3
COM-366	Organizational Communication	3
COM-464	Media Management	3
COM-485	Editorial Operation	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics <b>OR</b>	
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
LDR-200	Servant Leader	3
LDR-350	Team Leader	3
LDR-400	Transforming Leader	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
<b>Content Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
Nine hours in a specific field of study, which must be approved by the Division of Communication. At least six of the nine hours must be 200-level or higher.		

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### Journalism Minor

<b>Journalism Minor</b>		<b>21-23 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>9</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
<b>Requirements</b>		<b>9-11</b>
COM-200	Journalism Practicum x 2	0-1
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COM-224	Introduction to Newswriting	3
COM-363	Media Law and Ethics	3
<b>Electives</b>		<b>3</b>
COM-215	Television Production	3
COM-223	Desktop Publishing	3
COM-250	Media Scriptwriting	3
COM-314	Studio Production	3

COM-322	Broadcast Journalism	3
COM-332	Photojournalism	3
COM-364	Field Production	3
COM-365	Broadcast Performance	3
COM-485	Editorial Operation	3
WRI-282	Writing for Results	3

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## Media Communication - B.S.

The Media Communication major has the dual purpose of preparing students for career opportunities in the various areas of media (e.g., television, radio, online) and giving them the broad liberal arts education necessary to achieve success in this rapidly changing industry. Among the diverse possibilities afforded by media work (television, film, radio, print, etc.) are content areas and skills all students should master, including history and structures, writing, and production. In addition, students select six-seven hours in one of two concentrations, based on their area of interest.

**Production:** This concentration recognizes the broader career prospects and leadership opportunities for the student working "behind-the-scenes" in media careers. Courses emphasize off-camera, non-performance aspects of media and theatrical production. In addition to specialized skill courses, the student may also work up to two semesters each with WIWU-TV or WIWU-FM for credit. This puts production experience into an ongoing, real-world context.

**Performance:** This concentration is for students wishing to appear on-mic or on-camera in the "talent" positions of media work. It offers specialized training, such as "broadcast performance," but also recognizes the commonalities in performance skills and thus allows coursework in public speaking and acting.

<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>43-46 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>16-17</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-116	Communication Lab	0-1
116C	Communications Studies	
116J	Journalism	
116P	Public Relations	
116T	Theatre	
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-235	Communication Career Seminar	1
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
COM-445	Communication Internship	3
COM-480	Senior Project	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>9-11</b>
COM-114	Introduction to Radio Broadcasting	3
COM-215	Television Production	3
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COM-250	Media Scriptwriting	3
COM-363	Media Law and Ethics	3
<b>Writing Electives (Choose one)</b>		<b>3</b>
COM-224	Introduction to Newswriting	3
COM-251	Script Analysis	3
COM-331	Public Relations Writing and Publicity	3
<b>Department Electives (Choose two)</b>		<b>6</b>
COM-227	Research Methods in Communication	3
COM-233	Principles of Public Relations	3
COM-362	Scriptwriting	3
COM-366	Organizational Communication	3



COM-370	Symbols and Imaging	3
COM-464	Media Management	3
<b>Concentrations (Choose one)</b>		<b>6-7</b>
<b>Production</b>		
COM-214	Radio Production	3
COM-220	Radio Practicum	1-2
COM-223	Desktop Publishing	3
COM-240	TV Practicum	1-2
COM-272	Stagecraft	3
COM-314	Studio Production	3
COM-322	Broadcast Journalism	3
COM-364	Field Production	3
COM-422	Television News	3
<b>Performance</b>		
COM-210	Advanced Public Speaking	3
COM-214	Radio Production	3
COM-220	Radio Practicum	1-2
COM-226	Voice and Interpretation	3
COM-240	TV Practicum	1-2
COM-252	Beginning Acting	3
COM-322	Broadcast Journalism	3
COM-365	Broadcast Performance	3
COM-422	Television News	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Media Communication Minor

<b>Media Communication Minor</b>		<b>21-23 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>9</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
<b>Minor Requirements</b>		<b>9-11</b>
COM-116R	Communication Lab: Radio	0-1
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COM-250	Media Scriptwriting	3
COM-363	Media Law and Ethics	3
<b>Electives (Choose one)</b>		<b>3</b>
COM-224	Introduction to Newswriting	3
COM-233	Principles of Public Relations	3
COM-251	Script Analysis	3
COM-331	Public Relations Writing and Publicity	3
COM-362	Scriptwriting	3
COM-370	Symbols and Imaging	3
COM-464	Media Management	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Public Relations - B.S.

The Public Relations major prepares graduates for careers in public relations firms, advertising agencies, health care organizations, educational institutions, social service organizations, retail and manufacturing, financial institutions, government agencies, lobbying, and sports and entertainment industries. Grounded in the strengths of the division's core classes, the public relations curriculum

develops students' practical skills and perspectives through coursework in theory, technique, and application of skills in partnership with nonprofit and on-campus organizations, and local media outlets. Students gain expertise in strategic planning, writing, promotion and publicity, graphic design, and media tools and techniques. In addition, students select nine credit hours in one of three concentrations, based on their area of interest:

**Media Relations:** This concentration equips public relations professionals with the understanding and skills for a wide variety of media (e.g. television, film, radio, journalism, etc.), focusing on writing, production, and technological expertise.

**Business/Organizational:** This concentration offers students entering corporate, nonprofit, higher education, or ministry/para-ministry contexts specialized business, marketing, and leadership background and skills.

**Public/Political Affairs:** This concentration equips graduates for positions in government, public affairs, and public policy advocacy. Interdisciplinary study in history, political science, and international relations provides theoretical knowledge and preparation in practicing public relations.

<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>43-46 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>16-17</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-116	Communication Lab	0-1
116C	Communication Studies	
116J	Journalism	
116R	Radio	
116V	Television	
116T	Theatre	
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-235	Communication Career Seminar	1
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
COM-445	Communication Internship	3
COM-480	Senior Project	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>18-20</b>
COM-201	Public Relations Practicum x 2	0-2
COM-223	Desktop Publishing	3
COM-224	Introduction to Newswriting	3
COM-227	Research Methods in Communication	3
COM-233	Principles of Public Relations	3
COM-331	Public Relations Writing and Publicity	3
COM-431	Public Relations Campaigns and Cases	3
<b>Concentrations (Choose one)</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Business/Organization</b>		
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
COM-209	Small Group Communication	3
COM-366	Organizational Communication	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
<b>Media</b>		
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COM-215	Television Production	3
COM-314	Studio Production	3
COM-322	Broadcast Journalism	3
COM-332	Photojournalism	3
COM-364	Field Production	3
HST-250	Contemporary Affairs	3

<b>Public Affairs</b>		
HST-250	Contemporary Affairs	3
HST-300	Western/American Intellectual and Social History	3
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
POL-100	American Government	3
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
POL-302	American Political Parties	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **Public Relations Minor**

<b>Public Relations Minor</b>		<b>21-23 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>9</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
<b>Minor Requirements</b>		<b>9-11</b>
COM-201	Public Relations Practicum x 2	0-2
COM-227	Research Methods in Communication	3
COM-233	Principles of Public Relations	3
COM-331	Public Relations Writing and Publicity	3
<b>Electives (Choose one)</b>		<b>3</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
BUS-101	Business Ethics	3
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COM-215	Television Production	3
COM-314	Studio Production	3
COM-322	Broadcast Journalism	3
COM-332	Photojournalism	3
COM-364	Field Production	3
COM-366	Organizational Communication	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
HST-250	Contemporary Affairs	3
HST-300	Western/American Intellectual and Social History	3
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
HST-302	American Political Parties	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
POL-100	American Government	3
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
WRI-282	Writing for Results	3

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### **Theatre - B.S.**

The Theatre major is designed for students eager to become better theatrical performers, producers, and technicians who glorify God by delivering modern parables. Building on the theoretical strengths of the division's core classes, the theatre major further develops

students with practical skills and perspectives through their coursework in writing, performance, and creative production, as well as a full university production schedule of plays and musicals.

<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>43-46 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>16-17</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-116	Communication Lab	0-1
116C	Communication Studies	
116J	Journalism	
116P	Public Relations	
116R	Radio	
116V	Television	
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
COM-235	Communication Career Seminar	1
COM-480	Senior Project	3
COM-445	Communication Internship	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>15-17</b>
COM-116T	Communication Lab: Theatre x 2	0-2
COM-120	Introduction to Theatre	3
COM-251	Principles of Script Analysis	3
COM-252	Beginning Acting	3
COM-272	Stagecraft	3
COM-317	Theatre History and Dramatic Literature	3
<b>Concentrations (Choose one)</b>		
<b>Performance</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Required</b>		<b>3</b>
COM-355	Advanced Acting	3
<b>Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
COM-214	Radio Production	3
COM-226	Voice and Interpretation	3
COM-315	Principles of Stage Directing	3
COM-365	Broadcast Performance	3
COM-370	Symbols and Imaging	3
EDU-216	Literature, the Young Child and Response <b>with</b>	2
MUS-114	Class Voice	1
PHE-260	Health, Physical Activity and Human Movement	3
<b>Technical</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Required</b>		<b>3</b>
COM-310	Stage Design I (stage and light)	3
<b>Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
ART-121	Drawing I	3
ART-224	Design I	3
COM-214	Radio Production	3
COM-215	Television Production	3
COM-270	Stage Management	3
COM-315	Principles of Stage Directing	3
COM-370	Symbols and Imaging	3
COM-367	Stage Design II	3

	(costume/makeup and sound)	
<b>Theatre Management</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Required</b>		<b>3</b>
COM-368	Theatre Management	3
<b>Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
COM-233	Principles of Public Relations	3
COM-315	Principles of Stage Directing	3
COM-331	Public Relations Writing and Publicity	3
COM-352	Interpersonal Communication	3
COM-362	Scriptwriting	3
COM-370	Symbols and Imaging	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
WRI-235	Creative Writing	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Theatre Minor

<b>Theatre Minor</b>		<b>21-23 hours</b>
<b>Division Core</b>		<b>9</b>
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
<b>Requirements</b>		<b>9-11</b>
COM-116T	Communication Lab: Theatre x 2	0-2
COM-120	Introduction to Theatre	3
COM-252	Beginning Acting	3
COM-272	Stagecraft	3
<b>Electives (Choose one)</b>		<b>3</b>
COM-226	Voice and Interpretation	3
COM-270	Stage Management	3
COM-310	Stage Design I (stage and light)	3
COM-355	Advanced Acting	3
COM-367	Stage Design II (costume/makeup and sound)	3
COM-368	Theatre Management	3

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## Modern Language and Literature Division

The Division of Modern Language and Literature is committed to developing Christian scholars who explore all facets of the spoken and written word—strong leaders faithful to their calling to use language responsibly, creatively, effectively, and joyfully, to the glory of God.

The division offers seven majors: English, English Education, Spanish, Spanish Education, TESOL (teaching English to speakers of other languages), TESOL Education, and Writing. Students prepare both theoretically and practically for a personal and professional life that recognizes language and literature as among God's great gifts.

The Division of Modern Language and Literature offers general education classes for all students in reading, writing, literature, language study, Spanish, and French. It operates both a language lab and a writing center, featuring appropriate technology and tutoring. It sponsors trips abroad open to all students, oversees the student publication *Caesura*, and arranges for speakers and performers in the areas of language and literary arts. It promotes the love of language arts and the deliberate study and use of careful, powerful language in the IWU community and in God's world.

### English - A.B.

The major in English is designed to provide students with a broad, liberal arts background, an in-depth study of literature and language, a developing understanding of the human condition, and proficiency in effective communication, both written and oral. The major leads to a wide variety of professional opportunities, whether the graduate looks toward higher education, business, industry, government, law, medicine, social service, or editing. It is an excellent basis for graduate studies not only in English but also in other areas, particularly when combined with a second major such as Philosophy, History, or Religion. The education major in English is further designed to add training and specific professional experience to the liberal arts major (see education section of the catalog).

Major Requirements		40 hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>9</b>
ENG-220	Approaches to Literary Analysis	3
ENG-352	History of the English Language	3
ENG-481	English Capstone <b>OR</b>	
WRI-481	Writing Capstone (ENG/WRI double majors only)	3
<b>Advanced Writing</b>		<b>3</b>
WRI-234	Advanced Writing <b>OR</b>	
WRI-281	Rhetorical Strategies <b>OR</b>	
WRI-282	Writing for Results	3
<b>Upper-Level Literature-Three Required Categories</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Category I</b> (American Lit) Colonial - 19th Century		
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		
ENG-371	American Renaissance	3
ENG-372	Hawthorne	3
ENG-373	American Fiction	3
ENG-374	American Poetry	3
ENG-476	American Literature to 1830	3
ENG-477	Melville	3
ENG-478	Pre-20th Century American Literature-Advanced Study	3
<b>Category II</b> (British Lit) Pre-20th Century		
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		
ENG-361	Shakespeare	3
ENG-362	Victorian Literature	3
ENG-364	Romantic Literature	3

ENG-462	Milton	3
ENG-466	Chaucer	3
ENG-468	Pre-20th Century British Lit	3
<b>Category III (American/British Lit) Post 1900</b>		
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		
ENG-360	Modern Drama	3
ENG-365	20th-Century British Literature	3
ENG-370	20th-Century American Literature	3
ENG-430	Contemporary Literature	3
ENG-469	Post 1900-British Literature	3
ENG-479	Post 1900-American Literature-Advanced Study	3
<b>Literature Electives (except ENG-180)</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Electives in English/Writing (above 120 except ENG-180)</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Supporting hours in English, Writing, or Education (above 120 except ENG-180)</b>		<b>7</b>
<b>Foreign Language</b>		<b>0-12</b>
Intermediate competency in modern or ancient foreign language		

### Foreign Language Requirement

All majors will achieve intermediate competency in an ancient or modern foreign language in one of the following ways: 1) completing with a grade of "C" or above, eight high school semesters of a single foreign language, 2) earning a passing grade at the Intermediate II university level, 3) passing an intermediate-level competency exam approved by the coordinator of the foreign language department (usually a CLEP test). The requirement may be waived if English is not the student's first language. Foreign language is not required for the minor in English.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### English Minor

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
ENG-220	Approaches to Literary Analysis	3
	Electives in ENG or WRI (above 120 except ENG-180), at least 9 hours in upper-level courses.	21

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### English Education Major

See the education section of the catalog for a list of specific requirements for the English Education major.

### Spanish - A.B.

The Spanish major is designed to help students develop proficiency in the communication, cultures, connections, and communities important to the language. Because of the large Spanish-speaking population in the United States, opportunities for multilingual professionals are increasing. The IWU Spanish major equips students to be world-changers through the power of the Spanish language. The education major in Spanish is further designed to add training and specific professional experience to the liberal arts major (see education section of the catalog).

Prerequisite: SPA-117 and SPA-118 or beginning level competency by examination.

<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>41-47 hours</b>
<b>Language</b>		<b>3-9</b>
<b>Prerequisite:</b> SPA-117 and SPA-118 or beginning level competency by examination.		
SPA-237	Intermediate Spanish I	0-3
SPA-238	Intermediate Spanish II	0-3
SPA-347	Spanish Conversation/Composition	3
Students are required to pass SPA-347 with a minimum grade of "C" before advancing to other 300 or 400 level upper-division classes.		
Advisors may, however, grant some students permission to take another upper-division class at the same time that they are taking SPA-347.		
Students may not elect to take SPA-237 or 238 after successfully completing upper level courses except by permission of the Division.		
<b>History and Culture</b>		<b>6</b>
SPA-348	Latin American Studies	3
SPA-354	Latin American History	3
SPA-365	Special Topics in Spanish Culture	3
SPA-371	Hispanic Culture in the U.S.	3
SPA-372	Culture and Civilization of Spain	3
<b>Literature</b>		<b>6</b>
SPA-457	Survey of Spanish Literature	3
SPA-458	Survey of Spanish American Literature	3
SPA-461	Contemporary Spanish Literature	3
SPA-462	Spanish Short Stories	3
SPA-465	Special Topics in Spanish Literature	3
<b>Foreign Study Experience</b>		<b>3</b>
SPA-370	Hispanic Culture and Language Studies	3
<b>AND/OR</b>		
Students may transfer a 300 or 400 level course taken abroad that focuses on the history, culture, or literature of a Spanish-speaking country or the theory or practical use of the Spanish language. Must be taught in Spanish and <i>must</i> be from an approved, accredited program.		
<b>Senior Seminar</b>		<b>1</b>
SPA-470	Senior Seminar	1
<b>Spanish Electives</b>		<b>12</b>
SPA-357	Spanish Linguistics and Phonology	3
SPA-420	Advanced Spanish Grammar	3
SPA-475	Independent Learning - Spanish	1-3
<b>OR</b>		
Any SPA course listed above not taken to meet another requirement		3
<b>Cognate</b>		<b>10</b>
<b>Choose from one of the following fields:</b>		
Second Foreign Language		
History		
Religion		
Intercultural Studies <b>OR</b>		
another field approved by the division		

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**Spanish Minor**

<b>Minor Requirements</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
<b>Language</b>		<b>3-9</b>
<b>Prerequisite:</b> SPA-117 and SPA-118 or beginning level competency by examination.		
SPA-237	Intermediate Spanish I	0-3
SPA-238	Intermediate Spanish II	0-3
SPA-347	Spanish Conversation/Composition	3
Students are required to pass SPA-347 with a minimum grade of "C" before advancing to other 300 or 400 level upper-division classes.		
Advisors may, however, grant some students permission to take another upper-division class at the same time that they are taking SPA-347.		
Students may not elect to take SPA-237 or 238 after successfully completing upper level courses except by permission of the Division.		
<b>History and Culture</b>		<b>6</b>
SPA-348	Latin American Studies	3
SPA-354	Latin American History	3
SPA-365	Special Topics in Spanish Culture	3
SPA-371	Hispanic Culture in the U.S.	3
SPA-372	Culture and Civilization of Spain	3
<b>Literature</b>		<b>6</b>
SPA-457	Survey of Spanish Literature	3
SPA-458	Survey of Spanish American Literature	3
SPA-461	Contemporary Spanish Literature	3
SPA-462	Spanish Short Stories	3
SPA-370	Hispanic Culture and Language Studies	3
SPA-357	Spanish Linguistics and Phonology	3
SPA-420	Advanced Spanish Grammar	3
SPA-465	Special Topics in Spanish Literature	3
SPA-475	Independent Learning - Spanish	1-3

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**Spanish Education Major**

See the education section of the catalog for a list of specific requirements for the Spanish Education major.

**TESOL - A.B.****TESOL-Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages**

The TESOL major provides specialized instruction in the theory and skills of teaching second language acquisition, equipping students to change the world in a tangible way. The TESOL curriculum includes a rigorous core that covers language/linguistics, language acquisition, TESL/TEFL theory, assessment practices, and cultural awareness and experience. Graduates with a TESOL major should be prepared to teach English to adult speakers of other languages around the world. The education major in TESOL is further designed to add training and specific experience in elementary and secondary schools (see education section of the catalog).

<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>42-54 hours</b>
<b>Intercultural</b>		<b>3</b>
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
<b>English/TESOL</b>		<b>21</b>

ENG-170	Introduction to Linguistics	3
ENG-241	Studies in English Grammar	3
TSL-203	TESOL Theoretical Foundations	3
TSL-305	Second Language Acquisition	3
TSL-350	TESOL Assessment and Testing	3
TSL-420	English Linguistics for TESOL	3
TSL-450	English Grammar Pedagogy	3
<b>TESOL Methods and Practicum</b>		<b>6</b>
EDU-382TE	TESOL Methods and Materials	3
TSL-385	Practicum in TESOL	3
<b>Foreign Language</b>		<b>0-12</b>
	Foreign language, <b>OR</b>	0-12
	demonstration of intermediate-level competency	0
<b>Electives (Choose at least one course from all three areas)</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Language Studies</b>		
ENG-352	History of the English Language	3
WRI-165	English Language and Composition	3
WRI-210	Theories and Methods of Writing Consultancy	1-3
Any foreign language course (in addition to competency requirement)		3-6
<b>Intercultural Studies</b>		
INT-266	Social Ministry in Urban Setting	3
INT-350	Transformational Development Principles	3
INT-402	Contemporary Global Issues	3
SOC-225	Cultural Anthropology	3
<b>Communication</b>		
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-252	Beginning Acting	3
COM-352	Interpersonal Communication	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### TESOL Minor

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>24-36 hours</b>
<b>Intercultural</b>		<b>3</b>
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
<b>English/TESOL</b>		<b>15</b>
ENG-170	Introduction to Linguistics	3
ENG-241	Studies in English Grammar	3
TSL-203	TESOL Theoretical Foundations	3
TSL-305	Second Language Acquisition	3
TSL-350	TESOL Assessment and Testing	3
<b>TESOL Methods and Practicum</b>		<b>6</b>
EDU-382TE	TESOL Methods and Materials	3
TSL-385	Practicum in TESOL	3
<b>Foreign Language</b>		<b>0-12</b>
	Foreign language, <b>OR</b>	0-12
	demonstration of intermediate-level competency	0

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## TESOL Education Major

See the education section of the catalog for a list of specific requirements for this elementary/secondary TESOL Education major.

### Writing - A.B.

The liberal arts major in Writing is designed to prepare students to become outstanding communicators with a high level of proficiency in the use of the written word. The major stresses both the artistic joy of composition and the practical application of writing skills to communication challenges in everyday life. Graduates may elect to pursue careers as writers, editors, or communications consultants, or may wish to apply their expertise in education, business, or the ministry. With its strong liberal arts emphasis, a Writing major is recommended as an excellent professional degree program. Majors graduate with a range of writing experience in various genres, with exposure to modern composition theory, and with training in the practical application of rhetoric to life. While the program requires a comprehensive study and practice of writing, it also encourages the student to discover his or her best voice and style.

### Foreign Language Requirement

All majors will achieve intermediate competency in an ancient or modern foreign language in one of the following ways: 1) completing with a grade of "C" or above, eight high school semesters of a single foreign language, 2) earning a passing grade at the Intermediate II university level, 3) passing an intermediate-level competency exam approved by the coordinator of the foreign language department (usually a CLEP test). The requirement may be waived if English is not the student's first language. Foreign language is not required for the minor in writing.

Major Requirements		42 hours
WRI-230	Sentence Strategies	3
WRI-234	Advanced Writing	3
WRI-235	Creative Writing	3
WRI-481	Writing Capstone <b>OR</b>	
ENG-481	English Capstone (ENG/WRI double majors only)	3
Literature Electives (except ENG-180)		12
<b>Electives in WRI-200 (or above) or the following COM courses:</b>		<b>18</b>
COM-210	Advanced Public Speaking	3
COM-223	Desktop Publishing	3
COM-224	Introduction to Newswriting	3
COM-331	Public Relations Writing and Publicity	3
COM-362	Scriptwriting	3
COM-483	Advanced Newswriting and Reporting	3
COM-485	Editorial Operation	3
WRI-353	Magazine Writing	3
<b>Requirements for Writing 30-hour Major (Taken only as a second major)</b>		
WRI-230	Sentence Strategies	3
WRI-234	Advanced Writing	3
WRI-235	Creative Writing	3
WRI-481	Writing Capstone <b>OR</b>	
ENG-481	English Capstone (ENG/WRI double majors only)	3
Literature Electives (except ENG-180)		12

<b>Electives in WRI-200 (or above) or the following COM courses:</b>		<b>6</b>
COM-210	Advanced Public Speaking	3
COM-223	Desktop Publishing	3
COM-224	Introduction to Newswriting	3
COM-331	Public Relations Writing and Publicity	3
COM-362	Scriptwriting	3
COM-483	Advanced Newswriting and Reporting	3
COM-485	Editorial Operation	3
WRI-353	Magazine Writing	3

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### Writing Minor

Writing courses 200 or above or COM courses listed above	<b>24 hours</b>
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### Writing Center

The Writing Center seeks to assist the student body with every stage of the writing process through consultations with trained student writing consultants. It provides employment and experience in peer consultancy to many students both within and outside of our division.

The Writing Center supports IWU's mission to develop students in scholarship, by providing them with tools to enhance academic excellence and by equipping them to be successful in their vocations.

### Modern Language and Literature Programs - Other

#### Latin American and Iberian Studies

The Division of Modern Language and Literature, the School of Theology and Ministry, and the Division of Social Sciences have created an interdisciplinary minor in Latin American and Iberian Studies.

## Music Division

### Purpose

The Division of Music is committed to preparing men and women to be the best possible musicians who recognize that all gifts and talents are from God, to be cultivated to their highest potential for humble service to God and others. Since 1994, Indiana Wesleyan University Division of Music has been an accredited member of the National Association of Schools of Music (NASM), <http://nasm.arts-accredit.org> or phone 703-467-0700. Music scholarships are available for Music majors by audition. Contact the division for applications.

### General Education Competencies

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

### Admission to the Music Major

Permission to declare a music major at IWU is neither automatic nor assumed merely because a student wants to study music. Students must demonstrate a degree of aptitude and preparedness, both academically and musically. Those conditions can be met by the following means:

1. Academic readiness can be demonstrated by completing a placement exam in music theory. If students are not prepared for the exam, equivalency can be met by taking MUS-160, Introduction to Music Theory, and earning a grade of "C" or above.
2. Performance readiness can be proven by an audition before selected music faculty or by submitting an audio or video recording of pieces showing appropriate levels of accomplishment.
3. Audition for the music faculty. Two pieces in contrasting styles must be performed in the student's applied area. One additional piece may be performed in a second applied area. No taped accompaniments; an accompanist will be provided if needed.
4. All students are required to submit three letters of reference from former music teachers, from music directors, or from other musicians who can verify the student's readiness to study music at the collegiate level.

This policy applies to both transfer students and entering freshmen. Students living a considerable distance from Marion may be accepted as provisional majors pending an audition/interview following arrival on campus.

If an applicant fails in any of the above requirements but still wishes to be admitted as a major, the status of provisional music major will be granted. The student will be expected to re-audition and successfully complete MUS-160 at the end of the first semester of study. Upon satisfactory completion, the applicant will be classified as a music major.

### Admission to Upper-divisional Studies

Admission to upper-level studies is granted by the music faculty through the Upper-divisional Hearing. This consists of a performance and written examination in which the candidate's applied and academic progress is evaluated, and the candidate is questioned regarding content of courses completed and progress toward career goals. An overall grade-point average of 2.75 is required for admission to upper-divisional studies and no grade below a "C" in any music class.

### Other Requirements for all Music majors

- MUS-200 Recital Attendance (seven semesters)
- Class Piano Requirements
- Large Ensemble Participation (participation in major ensemble each semester)
- Upper Divisional Hearing
- Young Performer Series Recital

### Applied Music - A.B.

The major in Music with an emphasis in Applied prepares the student for graduate study, or private studio teaching. It may be effectively combined with other majors such as Christian Ministries, Christian Worship, or Christian Education. Emphasis may be choral (C), instrumental (I), or general (G).

Required Core Courses		40-42 hours
MUS-101-401	Applied Music	7

MUS-160	Introduction to Music Theory (Prerequisite for Music Theory I)	(0-2)
MUS-162	Music Theory I	3
MUS-261	Music Theory II	3
MUS-264	Music Theory III	3
MUS-164	Ear Training I	2
MUS-263	Ear Training II	2
MUS-266	Ear Training III	1
MUS-265	Form and Analysis	2
MUS-285	Beginning Conducting	2
MUS-371	Music History and Literature I	3
MUS-372	Music History and Literature II	3
MUS-442	Senior Recital	2
MUS-490	Senior Seminar	2
	Ancient or Modern Language	3
<b>Additional Required Core Course for Vocal Emphasis only</b>		
MUS-125	Diction for Singers I (Vocal Emphasis)	2
<b>Additional Required Core Course for Keyboard Emphasis only</b>		
MUS-119	Keyboard Skills I	1
MUS-248	Keyboard Literature	2
MUS-321	Keyboard Skills II	1
<b>Electives selected from the following:</b>		<b>10</b>
<b>Instrumental Emphasis (All 4 Techniques courses)</b>		
MUS-114	Class Voice (non-vocal major)	1
MUS-275	Introduction to Computer Applications	1
MUS-281*	Woodwind Techniques	2
MUS-282*	String Techniques	2
MUS-283*	Percussion Techniques	2
MUS-284*	Brass Techniques	2
MUS-286	Advanced Conducting	2
MUS-290	Jazz Improvisation	1
MUS-300	Arranging	1
<b>Vocal Emphasis</b>		
MUS-225	Diction for Singers II	2
MUS-275	Introduction to Computer Applications	1
MUS-280	Choral Techniques	2
MUS-286	Advanced Conducting	2
MUS-365	Vocal Pedagogy	2
MUS-366	Song Literature	2
<b>Piano Emphasis</b>		
MUS-100	Secondary Applied	2
MUS-245	Piano Pedagogy I	2
MUS-246	Piano Pedagogy II	2
MUS-275	Introduction to Computer Applications	1
MUS-286	Advanced Conducting	2
MUS-290	Jazz Improvisation	1
MUS-218	Collaborative Piano	2
<b>General emphasis applied music majors must add the following:</b>		

Four semesters of secondary applied	4
Large ensemble in secondary area	2
MUS-280   Choral Techniques	2
Instrumental Techniques	2
<b>Piano Proficiency</b>	<b>2-8</b>
Competency through Level III (instrumental) <b>OR</b>	
Level IV (vocal)	

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## APPLIED MUSIC

Applied music (private study) is offered in voice, piano, organ, and all brass, woodwind, percussion, and string (including guitar) instruments. All applied study requires a private lesson fee.

## Church Music - A.B.

The major in Music with an emphasis in Church Music prepares the student to be a minister of music in the evangelical church. The program has a choral/vocal emphasis; therefore, most students will study voice as their applied major. There may be some other options; i.e., if the student is a keyboard major, 3 hours will be in keyboard and 1 hour in voice, and the required ensemble will be choral.

If an instrumentalist desires a church music major, 3 hours will be on the instrument and 1 hour in voice. The required ensemble will be divided between instrumental and choral. The student may elect to take additional semesters in any ensemble or applied study.

Required Core Courses		38-40 hours
MUS-101-201	Major Applied Studies	4
MUS-149	Introduction to Contemporary Worship	2
MUS-160	Introduction to Music Theory	(0-2)
MUS-162	Music Theory I	3
MUS-175	Chapel Ensemble	1
MUS-261	Music Theory II	3
MUS-264	Music Theory III	3
MUS-164	Ear Training I	2
MUS-263	Ear Training II	2
MUS-266	Ear Training III	1
MUS-254	Church Music I	3
MUS-354	Church Music II	3
MUS-280	Choral Techniques	2
MUS-285	Beginning Conducting	2
MUS-371	Music History and Literature I <b>OR</b>	
MUS-372	Music History and Literature II	3
MUS-450	Church Music Practicum	2
MUS-490	Senior Seminar	2
<b>Electives selected from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
MUS-124	Guitar Techniques for Leading Worship	1
MUS-220	Organ Class	1
MUS-255	Contemporary Keyboard	1
MUS-260	Hymnology	1
MUS-265	Form and Analysis	2
MUS-275	Introduction to Computer Applications	1

MUS-286	Advanced Conducting	2
MUS-300	Arranging	1
MUS-442	Senior Recital <b>OR</b>	2
MUS-445	Church Music Senior Project	2
REL-441	Christian Theology I	3
REL-469	Pastoral Counseling	3
<b>Piano Proficiency</b>		<b>2-8</b>
Competency through Level IV		
Competency through Keyboard Skills I (piano)		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### MUSICAL ORGANIZATION AND ENSEMBLE

Participation is by arrangement with the music faculty. Four credits in ensemble may be counted toward a degree. Music majors must participate in an ensemble of their major area each semester (excluding semester of student teaching). General majors must also spend one year (2 semesters) in a major ensemble of their second applied area.

In the event that an instrumentalist plays a non-traditional ensemble instrument, such as guitar, the ensemble will be determined by consultation with the division chair.

Students must follow the specific requirements of their ensemble director. Each student is expected to participate for the entire year.

### Church Music Minor

The minor provides preparation for work in the music program of a local church. It may be combined with a variety of majors.

Required Courses		31-33 hours
MUS-160	Introduction to Music Theory	(0-2)
MUS-162	Music Theory I	3
MUS-261	Music Theory II	3
MUS-164	Ear Training I	2
MUS-263	Ear Training II	2
MUS-254	Church Music I	3
MUS-280	Choral Techniques	2
MUS-285	Beginning Conducting	2
MUS-354	Church Music II	3
MUS-450	Church Music Practicum	2
	Music Electives	3
MUS-111-211	Major Applied (3 semesters)	3
MUS-200	Recital Attendance (4 semesters)	0
MUS-260	Hymnology	1
	Large Ensemble Participation (4 semesters)	
	Young Performer Series Recital (during final semester of applied study)	
<b>Piano Proficiency</b>		<b>2-4</b>
Competency through Level II		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Music Composition - B. Mus.

This program will prepare the student in the liberal arts tradition for graduate school, further study in composition, or as a private teacher of music theory and composition.



<b>Requirements</b>		<b>81 hours</b>
<b>Required Core Courses</b>		<b>46</b>
MUS-102P	Applied Music	4
MUS-160	Introduction to Music Theory	2
MUS-162	Music Theory I	3
MUS-164	Ear Training I	2
MUS-180	Humanities Fine Arts	3
MUS-202P	Applied Music	4
MUS-261	Music Theory II	3
MUS-263	Ear Training II	2
MUS-264	Music Theory III	3
MUS-266	Ear Training III	1
MUS-265	Form and Analysis	2
MUS-275	Introduction to Computer Applications in Music	1
MUS-302P	Applied Music	4
	<b>EITHER a Junior Recital or a Collaborative Project (i.e. composing for film or drama) required during second semester of Junior year</b>	
MUS-371	Music History and Literature I	3
MUS-372	Music History and Literature II	3
MUS-402P	Applied Music	2
MUS-442	Senior Recital	2
MUS-490	Senior Seminar	2
<b>Supportive Courses in Music:</b>		<b>36</b>
		<b>15</b>
MUS-105	Class Piano I	2
MUS-165	Class Piano II	2
MUS-205	Class Piano III	2
MUS-305	Class Piano IV	2
MUS-119	Keyboard Skills I	1
MUS-268	Counterpoint	2
MUS-285	Beginning Conducting	2
MUS-318	Orchestration	2
<b>Ensembles: Choose seven from the following:</b>		<b>7</b>
<b>Major Ensembles:</b>		
MUS-182	Piano Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-192	University Chorale	(0-1)
MUS-193	University Singers	(0-1)
MUS-194	Chamber Singers	(0-1)
MUS-196	Wind Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-198	Orchestra	(0-1)
<b>Minor Ensembles:</b>		
MUS-173	Handbell Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-174	Women's Chorus	(0-1)
MUS-175	Chapel Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-177	Clarinet Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-178	Saxophone Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-179	Woodwind Quartet	(0-1)

MUS-181	Guitar Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-183	Jazz Combo	(0-1)
MUS-184	World Music Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-185	Flute Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-186	String Quartet(s)	(0-1)
MUS-189	Honors Brass Quintet	(0-1)
MUS-195	Percussion Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-197	Jazz Ensemble	(0-1)
<b>Secondary Instrument</b>		<b>4</b>
MUS-111	Secondary Applied	1
MUS-112	Secondary Applied	1
MUS-211	Secondary Applied	1
MUS-212	Secondary Applied	1
<b>Music Elective hours selected from the following:</b>		<b>9</b>
MUS-280	Choral Techniques	2
MUS-281	Woodwind Techniques	2
MUS-282	String Techniques	2
MUS-283	Percussion Techniques	2
MUS-284	Brass Techniques	2
MUS-286	Advanced Conducting	2
MUS-300	Arranging	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Performance - B. Mus.

This program will prepare the student in the liberal arts tradition for graduate school, further study in performance, or as a private teacher.

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>124-126hours</b>
<b>Major Area</b>		<b>43</b>
<b>Applied Music Courses</b> (required in primary instrument or voice):		<b>16</b>
MUS-101	Applied Study	4
MUS-201	Applied Study	4
MUS-301	Applied Study	2
MUS-342	Junior Recital	2
MUS-401	Applied Study	2
MUS-442	Senior Recital	2
MUS-490	Senior Seminar	2
<b>Foreign Language</b>		<b>3</b>
FRE-115	Beginning French	3
FRE-116	Beginning French II	3
FRE-235	Intermediate French I	3
FRE-236	Intermediate French II	3
SPA-117	Beginning Spanish I	3
SPA-118	Beginning Spanish II	3
SPA-119T	College Spanish I	3
SPA-237	Intermediate Spanish I	3
SPA-238	Intermediate Spanish II	3

<b>Pedagogy Courses</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>For Piano Majors</b>		
MUS-245	Piano Pedagogy I	2
MUS-246	Piano Pedagogy II	2
MUS-218	Collaborative Piano	2
<b>For Voice Majors</b>		
MUS-125	Diction for Singers I	2
MUS-225	Diction for Singers II	2
MUS-365	Vocal Pedagogy	2
<b>For Instrumental Majors</b>		
MUS-286	Advanced Conducting	2
Small Ensembles:		4
MUS-176	Tuba/Euphonium Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-177	Clarinet Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-178	Saxophone Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-179	Woodwind Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-181	Guitar Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-185	Flute Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-186	String Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-187	Trombone Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-189	Honors Brass Quintet	(0-1)
MUS-195	Percussion Ensemble	(0-1)
<b>Ensemble Courses: (participation required for 7 semesters in residence)</b>		<b>10</b>
<b>Major Ensembles:</b>		
MUS-182	Piano Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-192	University Chorale	(0-1)
MUS-193	University Singers	(0-1)
MUS-194	Chamber Singers	(0-1)
MUS-196	Wind Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-198	Orchestra	(0-1)
<b>Minor Ensembles: (minimum of 4 semesters required for piano majors - may not exceed more than 40% of ensemble participation)</b>		
MUS-167	Opera Workshop	(0-1)
MUS-173	Handbell Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-174	Women's Chorus	(0-1)
MUS-175	Chapel Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-176	Tuba/Euphonium Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-177	Clarinet Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-178	Saxophone Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-179	Woodwind Quartet	(0-1)
MUS-181	Guitar Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-183	Jazz Combo	(0-1)
MUS-184	World Music Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-185	Flute Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-186	String Quartet(s)	(0-1)
MUS-187	Trombone Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-189	Honors Brass Quintet	(0-1)
MUS-190	Opera Theatre	(0-1)

MUS-195	Percussion Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-197	Jazz Ensemble	(0-1)
MUS-199	Brass Choir	(0-1)
<b>Elective Music Courses:</b>		<b>6</b>
MUS-114	Class Voice I	2
MUS-111	Secondary Applied	1
MUS-112	Secondary Applied	1
MUS-211	Secondary Applied	1
MUS-212	Secondary Applied	1
MUS-218	Collaborative Piano	2
MUS-275	Introduction to Computer Applications	1
MUS-280	Chorale Techniques	2
MUS-281	Woodwind Techniques	2
MUS-282	String Techniques	2
MUS-283	Percussion Techniques	2
MUS-284	Brass Techniques	2
MUS-286	Advanced Conducting	2
MUS-287	Marching Band	1
MUS-290	Jazz Improvisation	1
MUS-300	Arranging	1
<b>Supportive Courses in Music:</b>		<b>37-41</b>
<b>Theory, Ear Training and Musicianship Courses</b>		<b>22</b>
MUS-160	Introduction to Music Theory	2
MUS-162	Music Theory I	3
MUS-164	Ear Training I	2
MUS-261	Music Theory II	3
MUS-263	Ear Training II	2
MUS-264	Music Theory III	3
MUS-266	Ear Training III	1
MUS-265	Form and Analysis	2
MUS-268	Counterpoint	2
MUS-285	Beginning Conducting	2
<b>History and Literature Courses:</b>		<b>11</b>
MUS-180	Humanities Fine Arts	3
MUS-371	Music History and Literature I	3
MUS-372	Music History and Literature II	3
<b>For Piano Majors</b>		
MUS-248	Keyboard Literature (for piano/organ majors)	2
<b>For Voice Majors</b>		
MUS-366	Song Literature (for voice majors)	2
<b>For Other Instrument Majors</b>		
MUS-375	Symphonic Literature	2
<b>Piano Proficiency</b>		<b>4-8</b>
<b>For Piano majors:</b>		
MUS-119	Keyboard Skills I	1
MUS-321	Keyboard Skills II	1
<b>For Vocal majors:</b>		

MUS-105	Class Piano I	2
MUS-165	Class Piano II	2
MUS-205	Class Piano III	2
MUS-305	Class Piano IV	2
<b>For Other Instrumental majors:</b>		
MUS-105	Class Piano I	2
MUS-165	Class Piano II	2
MUS-205	Class Piano III	2
MUS-305	Class Piano IV	2

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## Music Education Major

See the education section of the catalog for a list of specific courses required for Music Education major.

## Music Programs - Other

### Music Minor

The Music minor is designed for the student with a major in another discipline who has an interest in music. The curriculum strengthens and enriches the music background.

Ensembles may be taken for credit but cannot be counted for the elective hours needed in the music minor.

Required Courses		24-26 hours
MUS-160	Introduction to Music Theory	(0-2)
MUS-162	Music Theory I	3
MUS-164	Ear Training I	2
MUS-261	Music Theory II	3
MUS-263	Ear Training II	2
MUS-371	Music History and Literature I <b>OR</b>	
MUS-372	Music History and Literature II	3
MUS-111-212	Applied Studies	4
MUS-285	Beginning Conducting	2
MUS-200	Recital Attendance (4 semesters)	0
	Second Applied and / or Music Electives	3
	Large Ensemble Participation (4 semesters)	
	Young Performer Series Recital (during final semesters of applied study)	
<b>Piano Proficiency</b>		<b>2-4</b>
Competency through Level II		

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## **School of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Business**

The School of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Business houses the following divisions or departments.

Behavioral Sciences Division

Business Division

Social Sciences Division

Leadership Studies Department

Graduate Counseling Division

## Behavioral Sciences Division

The Behavioral Sciences Division offers the following majors and minors.

Addictions Counseling - B.S.

Addictions Counseling Minor

Addictions Studies - A.S.

Criminal Justice Education - B.S.

Pre-art Therapy - B.S.

Psychology - B.S.

Psychology Minor

Social Work - B.S.

Sociology Minor

### Addictions Counseling - B.S.

#### Purpose

The Addictions Counseling program mission is to develop (pre)professionals who understand the biopsychosocial and spiritual correlates of addictive behavior and are capable of facilitating appropriate interventions with affected individuals, families, and communities. The program offers a Christian perspective (worldview); academic rigor involving critical knowledge, attitudes and skills, and compassionate service in a manner that resonates with the mission of the university.

#### General Outcomes

The Addictions Counseling program encourages undergraduate development in the areas of Christian character, critical thinking, oral/written communication, analytical reasoning, scholarship, awareness of diversity issues, and service learning. Successful ADC graduates will evidence a comprehensive understanding of addictive behavior and a Christian worldview, the capacity to facilitate useful client interventions, and a commitment to ethical standards and cultural sensitivity.

#### Admission to the Major

Admission to the major requires completion of an application and a formal interview with the Addictions Studies Committee. The Addictions Studies Committee reserves the right to deny any student admission to the major who fails to demonstrate adequate academic, personal, or (pre)professional effectiveness.

#### Continuation in the Major

Students should maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA and a 2.5 GPA in addictions coursework. Failure to do so may necessitate repeating courses or withdrawal from the Addictions major.

#### Requirements

The addictions counseling major consists of 30 hours in addictions, 6 hours in psychology, 3 hours in sociology, and 3 elected from Behavioral Sciences Division for a total of 42 credits hours.

Required Courses		42 hours
ADC-210	Addictions Theory	3
ADC-212	Psychopharmacology	3
ADC/PSY-291	Urban Encounter for the Helping Profession	1
ADC-310	Addictions Counseling Skills	3
ADC-320	Theory and Practice of Group Counseling	3

ADC-330	Counseling Addicted and Dysfunctional Family Systems	3
ADC-410*	Addictions Seminar x 3	1
ADC-458	Evidence-Based Practice and Professional Development in Addictions Counseling	3
ADC-461	Addictions Counseling Practicum I	2
ADC-462	Addictions Counseling Practicum II	2
ADC-463	Addictions Counseling Practicum III	2
ADC-464	Addictions Counseling Practicum IV	2
PSY-250	Developmental Psychology <b>OR</b>	
PSY-251	Child Development <b>OR</b>	
PSY-252	Adolescent Growth and Development	3
PSY-366	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3

\*Seminar credits in ADC are interchangeable with PSY-390 courses.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Addictions Studies Minor

The Addictions Studies minor consists of 24 credit hours with 18 hours in addictions, 3 hours in psychology, and 3 hours in sociology.

Required Courses		24 hours
ADC-210	Addictions Theory	3
ADC-212	Psychopharmacology	3
ADC-310	Addictions Counseling Skills	3
ADC-320	Theory and Practice of Group Counseling	3
ADC-330	Counseling Addicted and Dysfunctional Family Systems	3
ADC-458	Evidence-Based Practice and Professional Development in Addictions Counseling	3
PSY-366	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3

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## Addictions Studies - A.S.

### Associate Degree in Addiction Studies

This degree is intended for those who plan to pursue entry-level and support positions in the addictions field. It is anticipated that these individuals will work under the supervision of physicians, nurses, psychologists, certified social workers, or bachelor's-level certified addictions counselors. The academic requirements of this degree are commensurate with the Addiction Studies minor.

## Criminal Justice Education - B.S.

### Purpose

The curriculum of the Criminal Justice major is designed to give the student an opportunity to prepare for a position in law enforcement, probation and other court services, corrections, or one of the many other agencies connected with the criminal justice system.

The Criminal Justice major gives the student an understanding of the three areas which comprise the criminal justice system: law enforcement, the courts, and corrections. A major objective of the program is to provide a biblical Christian response to three basic



questions: What conduct is (or should be) prohibited by law? How is it determined that a person is guilty of such conduct? What is (or should be) done with those who are found guilty?

The practicum program gives senior students on-site experience through placement with one of many agencies, including police and sheriff departments, probation departments, prosecutor's office, and other agencies.

The Criminal Justice major is an excellent preparation for pre-law students, as well as those interested in graduate studies in criminal justice. The major is often combined with another discipline, allowing a student to graduate with a double major. Sociology, political science, psychology, business, history, and addictions counseling are excellent combinations with criminal justice.

### Requirements

A major consists of 31 hours in the Criminal Justice Department and a cognate of 9 hours, which should be in one related area. Recommended areas include: Spanish, psychology, sociology, political science, addictions counseling, business, chemistry, or biology are recommended.

Required		31 hours
Required Core Courses		25 hours
CRJ-181	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJ-202	Introduction to Corrections	3
CRJ-246	Criminology	3
CRJ-485	Practicum in Criminal Justice	3
CRJ-463	Forensics	3
CRJ-309	Youth and Crime	3
CRJ-358	Criminal Law	3
CRJ-268	Crisis Intervention	3
CRJ-490	Criminal Justice Senior Seminar	3
<b>Criminal Justice Electives</b>		<b>6</b>

The following courses are recommended:

BIO-109	Forensic Science with lab	4
MAT-104	Sample Surveying	<b>OR</b>
MAT-112	General Statistics	<b>OR</b>
MAT-305	Statistics for Social Sciences	3

The following courses are cognate choices:

SPA-117	Beginning Spanish I	3
SPA-118	Beginning Spanish II	3
SPA-237	Intermediate Spanish I	3
SPA-238	Intermediate Spanish II	3
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
PSY-152	General Psychology II	3
PSY-366	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3
SOC-150	Principles of Sociology	3
SOC-152	Social Problems	3
SOC-200	Marriage and Family	3
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
HST-400	American Constitutional History	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### General Education Competencies

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

## Pre-art Therapy - B.S

### Pre-Art Therapy Major

This program is designed for students interested in applying art skills and counseling skills together in a therapy setting. It is a pre-graduate program with courses in two fields.

The undergraduate major in Pre-Art Therapy would include 30 hours in psychology and 30 hours in art with the following designated courses:

\* Denotes art foundational course

Major Requirements		30 hours
<b>Art Courses</b>		
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-221	Drawing II*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-241	Ceramics I*	3
ART-331	Painting I*	3
ART-332	Painting II	3
ART-343	Ceramics II	3
ART-251	Sculpture	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
<b>Choose one course in Art History:</b>		
ART-381	Art History I	3
ART-382	Art History II	3
ART-383	Early Renaissance	3
ART-385	Baroque Art	3
ART-386	Impressionism	3
ART-387	Modern Art	3
ART-476	Art Enrichment	3
<b>Additional art courses recommended:</b>		
ART-281	Commercial Layout and Design	3
ART-351	Sculpture II	3
ART-379	Color Theory	3
ART-441	Ceramics III	3
<b>Psychology Courses</b>		
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
PSY-152	General Psychology II	3
PSY-250	Developmental Psychology	OR
PSY-251	Child Development	
PSY-252	Adolescent Growth and Development	3
PSY-355	Research Methods for the Behavioral Sciences	3
PSY-366	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior (includes Practicum hours)	3
PSY-370	Personality Theory	3
PSY-485	Theories of Counseling (includes Practicum hours)	3
PSY-487	Techniques of Counseling (includes Practicum hours)	OR

PSY-385	Psychology Practicum	3
<b>Additional electives recommended:</b>		
PSY-210	Introduction to Art Therapy	3
PSY-225	Learning and Motivation	3
PSY-322	Physiological Psychology	3
PSY-371	Family Systems Therapy	3
PSY-380	Cognitive-Behavioral Counseling	3
PSY-390	Psychology Seminar	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Psychology - B.S.

### Purpose

The courses in the Psychology major have been designed to give the student a broad base and solid foundation in several areas of psychology to provide the student with many career options. Students may choose to pursue careers in mental health, school guidance, clinical psychology, family counseling, teaching, or further graduate study. A strong emphasis is made in integrating principles of Christianity and psychology with practical applications.

### General Education Competencies

Students in these majors meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses, including options of COM-352 and includes MAT-305.

### Admission to Psychology major

Admission to the Psychology major requires a formal screening process separate from initial declaration of intent to major in Psychology. The process includes completion of an application and an essay, plus an interview with the Psychology Committee after completion of 9 hours of lower-level psychology courses.

### Continuation in Psychology major

Students must maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA and a 2.5 academic GPA in their coursework in the Psychology major. Failure to do so may necessitate repeating courses or withdrawal from the Psychology major.

### Personal Qualities

Students must evidence emotional stability and adherence to a lifestyle representative of the Christian principles on which Indiana Wesleyan University is established.

The Psychology Department faculty reserves the right to request the withdrawal of any student who in its judgment fails to satisfy the psychology requirements of relationship skills, mental and social fitness, physical health, and quality of academic performance.

### Requirements

Required Core Courses		36-37 hours
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
PSY-152	General Psychology II	3
PSY-225	Learning and Motivation	<b>OR</b>
PSY-227	Advanced Topics in Behavioral, Cognitive and Neuropsychological Research	3
PSY-290	Psychology Seminar	1
PSY-291	Urban Encounter for the Helping Profession	1
PSY-250	Developmental Psychology (strongly recommended)	<b>OR</b>

PSY-251	Child Development	<b>OR</b>	
PSY-252	Adolescent Growth and Development		3
PSY-322	Physiological Psychology		3
MAT-305*	Statistics for Social Sciences		3
PSY-355	Research Methods in Behavioral Science		3
PSY-360	Social Psychology		3
PSY-366	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior		3
PSY-390	Psychology Seminar		1
PSY-370	Theories of Personality	<b>OR</b>	
PSY-485	Theories of Counseling		3
PSY-385	Practicum		3-4
<b>Double Majors</b>			<b>42-43 hours</b>
Required Core			36-37
Psychology Electives			6
<b>Single Majors</b>			<b>48-49 hours</b>
Required Core			36-37
Psychology Electives			6
Behavioral Science Electives			6
<b>Elective Options Recommended</b>			
PSY-250	Developmental Psychology		3
PSY-251	Child Psychology		3
PSY-252	Adolescent Growth and Development		3
PSY-370	Theories of Personality		3
PSY-485	Theories of Counseling		3
PSY-371	Family Systems Therapy		3
ADC-320	Theory and Practice of Group Counseling		3
PSY-210	Introduction to Art Therapy		3
PSY-380	Cognitive Behavioral Theory		3
CRJ-268	Crisis Intervention		3
ADC-212	Psychopharmacology		3
PSY-487	Techniques of Counseling		3
PSY-490	Senior Capstone		1
PSY-475	Psychology Independent Learning		1-3
PSY-473	Independent Learning in Psychology: Supervised Practicum		1-3
PSY-471	Independent Learning in Psychology: Research		1-3
PSY-493	Integration of Psychology and Christianity		3
PSY-495	History of Systems of Psychology		3

\*Counts as general education MAT requirement for psychology majors.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Psychology Minor**

The Psychology minor (or teaching minor public school certification) may be earned by meeting the following requirements:

<b>Minor Requirements</b>	<b>24 Hours</b>
Courses recommended for a major not including PSY-485 and PSY-487	<b>24</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Social Work - B.S.****Mission Statement**

The mission of the Social Work program is to prepare culturally competent social work students for entry-level practice with a variety of client systems and a desire to integrate personal faith and learning to maximize one's ability to be of service to one's fellow human beings.

**Program Goals**

The Social Work program at Indiana Wesleyan University has developed the following goals to prepare students for entry-level social work practice:

1. Prepare graduates to work with and appreciate diverse populations.
2. Provide content for graduates to work with client systems of various sizes.
3. Teach values and ethics appropriate to social work practice.
4. Prepare graduates to recognize their responsibility for professional growth and lifelong learning.
5. Provide content about the social contexts, the behavior of organizations, and dynamics of change.

Students who wish to continue graduate education may be eligible for advanced standing at many graduate schools of social work. Graduates of the Social Work program are eligible to become full members of the National Association of Social Workers. Indiana Wesleyan University's Social Work program is accredited by the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE); phone 703-683-8080.

Throughout the curriculum, theory and practice are integrated through a variety of classroom experiences and agency settings. The senior field placement involves working 32 hours per week in a social service agency under the supervision of a professional social worker. Field placement experiences help students to develop skills in assessment, planning, intervention, evaluation, and termination. These skills are then applied to individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities.

**General Education Competencies**

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>70 hours</b>
BIO-106	Environment and Society <b>or</b>	
BIO-111	Anatomy and Physiology I	4
ECO-211	Introduction to Economics	3
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
SOC-150	Principles of Sociology	3
SOC-152	Social Problems	3
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3
SOC-482	Social Research	3
SWK-170	Introduction to Social Work	3
SWK-335	Social Welfare Organization	3
SWK-336	Social Policy	3

SWK-342	Human Behavior/Social Environment I	3
SWK-343	Human Behavior/Social Environment II	3
MAT-305*	Statistics for Social Sciences	3
SWK-355	Social Work Practice I	3
SWK-356	Social Work Practice II	3
SWK-357	Social Work Practice III	3
SWK-366	Social Work Field Placement I	3
SWK-370	Social Work Field Placement Seminar I	3
SWK-466	Social Work Field Placement II	9
SWK-470	Social Work Field Placement Seminar II	3

\*Counts as General Education math course for Social Work majors.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

In addition, students have the opportunity to take courses at the Christian Center for Urban Studies in Chicago. These courses prepare students to serve in urban and cross-cultural settings and provide an understanding of social justice and cultural issues. Students may spend a semester or a May term with the center.

### Entrance Requirements

Along with submission of an application and SAT or ACT scores to the director of admissions, the student must declare social work as his or her choice of major. High school courses which provide a good foundation for the study of social work include social studies, sociology, psychology, American government, economics, English, writing, and communications.

### Admission to the Social Work program

The admission of students to the Social Work program is a formal process separate from the initial declaration of social work as a major. The process includes successful completion of the Introduction to Social Work course and completion of 45 credit hours with a cumulative grade-point average of 2.5 at the time of application to the program. Each student must submit to the Social Work program an application no later than February 1 of the student's sophomore year. In addition, each student is interviewed by the Social Work Admissions Committee. Based on the interview, the applicant's letters of reference, and other application materials, the committee decides whether to grant admission into the program. Any unfavorable decision may be appealed by following the grievance procedures on file in the department.

### Admission to Field Placement Internships

Field placement at IWU is a most vital component of the student experience. It is the arena in which students, under appropriate supervision and consultation, can apply the skills, knowledge, and values of the profession to real life situations in working with individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities. Students have the opportunity to apply the generalist model of social work practice in assessing, planning, contracting, implementing, evaluating, and terminating various size client systems.

In the spring of the student's junior year, he or she will meet with the director of field placement. At this time, the student will complete a student interest form and a resume which will be used in the selection of suitable field placement settings. Students must complete all courses required for the social work major prior to the senior field placement.

### Continuation in the Social Work program

The social work faculty reserves the right to request the withdrawal of any student whose academic performance, social fitness, and mental or physical health make it inadvisable to continue in the program. All decisions regarding continuation in the program are based on the recommendations of the Social Work Admissions Committee.

Students who receive a grade of less than a "C" in any course required for the social work major must repeat the course. Students must maintain an overall grade-point average of 2.5 and a 2.7 in the major. Most social work courses are offered only one semester a year, so a delay in graduation of one or two semesters may occur. A senior must present a grade-point average of 2.7 in the field placement experience and a cumulative grade-point average of 2.5 in order to graduate. Juniors or seniors who fall below this grade-point average will be placed on probation for the following semester. Failure to raise the grade point average to 2.5 could then result in dismissal from the program.

## Sociology Programs

### Sociology Minor

Minor Requirements		24 Hours
SOC-150	Principles of Sociology	3
SOC-152	Social Problems	3
SOC-200	Marriage and Family	3
SOC-225	Cultural Anthropology	3
<b>Electives from the following:</b>		<b>12</b>
SWK-170	Introduction to Social Work	3
CON-252	Contemporary Social Problems	2-3
PSY-250	Development Psychology	3
PSY-251	Child Development	3
PSY-252	Adolescent Growth and Development	3
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3
SOC-246	Criminology	3
BUS-398	Business Research	3
CED-354	Working with Children	3
COM-352	Interpersonal Communication	3
SOC-360	Social Psychology	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Business Division

### Mission

The mission of the Division of Business is to equip business students to become world changers in their chosen profession. It is our profound desire to graduate students who are prepared and eager to impact the world for the cause of Christ.

### Curriculum

The curriculum combines theory and practice, is built upon a Christian liberal arts foundation, and emphasizes the need to apply Christian principles to the workplace. Business students graduate with the knowledge and skills they need to succeed.

### Programs

The Division of Business offers six majors: Accounting, Business Administration, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Management, and Marketing. These majors are designed to meet the needs of students who are preparing for an occupation in business or who, for personal or career reasons, want to receive instruction in certain areas of business.

### Degrees Available

The four-year B.S. degree is available in these six majors: Accounting, Business Administration, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Management, and Marketing. A student may select a minor or a two-year A.S. degree in Accounting or Business Administration. Minors and two-year degrees are not available in Entrepreneurship, Finance, Management, or Marketing. The Accounting and Business Administration minors are not available to students who have a major within the Division of Business.

### Double Majors

A student may double major in any two of the six majors by completing the specific requirements of each major. Students with double majors within the Division of Business must complete a minimum of 66 unique Business Division credit hours (75 unique credit hours if one of the two majors is Accounting). Other double majors are possible by combining the study of one of the six departmental majors with any major, such as (but not limited to) Art, Communications, Computer Information Systems, Criminal Justice, Economics, English, History, Leadership, Mathematics, Music, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, or Sports Management.

### Admission to Division Guidelines and Criteria

Before being admitted to the division, students will be classified as pre-majors. After admittance, students will be classified according to their major(s). With the exception of ACC-311 (Intermediate Accounting I), ACC-312 (Intermediate Accounting II), and ACC-371 (Federal Income Tax I), students cannot take 300-400 level classes unless they are admitted to the Division of Business.

Admission to the division is neither automatic nor assumed simply because a student wants to study in the division. To be admitted to the division, students must demonstrate a degree of knowledge and preparedness. Students must satisfy the following criteria before applying to the division:

1. Complete 40 total credit hours.
2. Complete all of the following courses:
  - BUS-100 Foundations of Business
  - ACC-201 Accounting Principles I
  - ACC-202 Accounting Principles II
  - ECO-212 Microeconomics
  - ECO-213 Macroeconomics
  - MNG-210 Management Principles
  - MKG-210 Marketing Principles
3. Have a **2.5** overall GPA and a **2.5** GPA within the Division of Business.
4. Have a minimum grade of "C" in all courses that apply to the major taken within the Division of Business.
5. Satisfy the General Education Requirements for **writing competency, mathematics** and **communication**.
6. Submit a portfolio (work from the courses listed above).
7. Submit an individual admission essay.
8. Complete a division interview.



Students who satisfy the above criteria must complete an **Application for Admission to the Division** and submit it to their faculty advisor. The application will be approved unless there is a problem that needs to be discussed with the chair of the division. The Division of Business faculty reserves the right to deny admission to the major to any student who fails to satisfy the behavioral expectations outlined in the student handbook.

Transfer students who satisfy substantially all of the above criteria may petition the Division of Business to be admitted to the division. The same holds true for IWU students with a major outside the Division of Business who want to change their major to one that is offered in the division.

To continue in the Division of Business, students must maintain an overall 2.5 GPA and a 2.5 GPA in the division. Students must also have a minimum grade of "C" in all courses that apply to the major taken within the Division of Business. Failure to do so may necessitate repeating courses or withdrawal from the division. The Division of Business faculty reserves the right to request the withdrawal of any student from the major who fails to satisfy the behavioral expectations outlined in the student handbook.

Note: If a student has questions regarding action taken by the Division of Business he or she has the right to appeal the action through established procedure in the IWU Catalog.

#### Transfer Credit

Credit for all courses in the major transferred from other schools must be approved by the Division of Business before admission to the division. Students currently enrolled as majors in the division may not transfer any courses into the division for credit without prior written approval from the division. Following are the guidelines for transfer credit:

1. The Division of Business will accept 100-200 level courses taken at other institutions for our 100-200 level courses, so long as they are approved by the instructor in the discipline.
2. The Division of Business will not accept 100-200 level courses from a junior college or community college for upper level credit.
3. The Division of Business will waive BUS-100 for any transfer student, who transfers in at least 12 hours of business courses, but the division will not waive the credits—the student must still make up the 3 hours of credits.
4. Transfer students must complete a minimum of 18 credit hours from the Division of Business.

#### General Education Competencies

Students in the Division of Business must meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses. The intercultural experience requirement may be met by successfully completing either ACC-390 or BUS-390.

### Accounting - B.S.

Requirements		60 hours
<b>Common Core</b>		<b>36</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
BUS-101	Business Ethics	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
BUS-210	Business Law	3
FIN-210	Managerial Finance	3
BUS-320	Business Statistics	3
BUS-452	Strategic Management	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>21</b>
ACC-311	Intermediate Financial Accounting I	3
ACC-312	Intermediate Financial Accounting II	3
ACC-341	Managerial Cost Accounting I	3

ACC-371	Federal Income Tax I	3
ACC-423	Auditing	3
<b>Choose two of the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
ACC-342	Managerial Cost Accounting II	3
ACC-372	Federal Income Tax II	3
ACC-451	Advanced Accounting	3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
ACC-399	Service Learning	3
ACC-381	Accounting Practicum	3
ACC-390	International Business	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Accounting Minor

\*A minor in Accounting is available by completing the same requirements as for the two-year associate degree, Accounting - A.S..

### Accounting - A.S.

Requirements		24 hours
<b>Common Core</b>		<b>18</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC_202	Accounting Principles II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
BUS-210	Business Law	3
<b>Choose two of the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
ACC-311	Intermediate Financial Accounting I	3
ACC-312	Intermediate Financial Accounting II	3
ACC-341	Managerial Cost Accounting I	3
ACC-342	Managerial Cost Accounting II	3
ACC-371	Federal Income Tax I	3
ACC-372	Federal Income Tax II	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Business Administration - B.S.

Requirements		51 hours
<b>Common Core</b>		<b>36</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
BUS-101	Business Ethics	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
BUS-210	Business Law	3

FIN-210	Managerial Finance	3
BUS-320	Business Statistics	3
BUS-452	Strategic Management	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>15</b>
300-400 level courses taken within the Division of Business (If the student has another major outside the Division of Business, this requirement will be satisfied by 12 hours of 300-400 level courses from the other major).		12
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
BUS-399	Service Learning	3
BUS-382	Business Administration Practicum	3
BUS-390	International Business	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Business Administration - A.S.

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
<b>Common Core</b>		<b>15</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
<b>Minor Requirements</b>		<b>9</b>
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
<b>Choose one elective from the following areas:</b>		<b>3</b>
BUS		3
FIN		3
MKG		3
MNG		3
ACC		3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Entrepreneurship - B.S.

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>51 hours</b>
<b>Common Core</b>		<b>36</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
BUS-101	Business Ethics	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
BUS-210	Business Law	3

FIN-210	Managerial Finance	3
BUS-320	Business Statistics	3
BUS-452	Strategic Management	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>15</b>
ENT-340	Entrepreneurship and New Venture Creation	3
ENT-341	Organizational Intrapreneurship	3
ENT-455	Entrepreneurial Planning and Strategy	3
MNG-324	Small Business Management	3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
BUS-390	International Business	3
ENT-399	Service Learning	3
ENT-483	Entrepreneurship Practicum	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Finance - B.S.

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>51 hours</b>
<b>Common Core</b>		<b>36</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
BUS-101	Business Ethics	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
BUS-210	Business Law	3
FIN-210	Managerial Finance	3
BUS-320	Business Statistics	3
BUS-452	Strategic Management	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>15</b>
FIN-330	Investments	3
FIN-383	Real Estate Investment and Marketing	3
FIN-440	Financial Management	3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
FIN-450	Investment Services: Series 7	3
ACC-371	Federal Income Tax I	3
ECO-444	Money and Banking	3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
FIN-399	Service Learning	3
FIN-384	Finance Practicum	3
BUS-390	International Business	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Management - B.S.**

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>51 hours</b>
<b>Common Core</b>		<b>36</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
BUS-101	Business Ethics	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
BUS-210	Business Law	3
FIN-210	Managerial Finance	3
BUS-320	Business Statistics	3
BUS-452	Strategic Management	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>15</b>
MNG-324	Small Business Management	3
MNG-328	Human Resource Management	3
MNG-443	Organizational Behavior	3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
BUS-310	Business Communications	3
MNG-334	Production and Operations Management	3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
MNG-399	Service Learning	3
MNG-385	Management Practicum	3
BUS-390	International Business	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Marketing - B.S.**

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>51 hours</b>
<b>Common Core</b>		<b>36</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
BUS-101	Business Ethics	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
BUS-210	Business Law	3
FIN-210	Managerial Finance	3
BUS-320	Business Statistics	3
BUS-452	Strategic Management	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>15</b>
MKG-348	Service Marketing	3
MKG-424	Strategic Marketing	3
<b>Choose two of the following:</b>		<b>6</b>

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MKG-346	Consumer Behavior	3
MKG-353	Selling and Relationship Marketing	3
MKG-357	Advertising and Promotion	3
MKG-370	E-Commerce	3
MKG-444	Pricing	3
FIN-383	Real Estate Investment and Marketing	3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
MKG-399	Service Learning	3
MKG-386	Marketing Practicum	3
BUS-390	International Business	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Social Sciences Division

The Division of Social Sciences consists of two departments and offers eight majors: Economics; History; International Relations; Political Science; Political Science Pre-law; Public Policy; Social Studies; and Social Studies Education. In addition to offering minors in Economics, History, Political Science, and Public Policy, the division offers a cross-discipline minor in Latin American and Iberian Studies. An associate degree is offered in Economics.

Majors in the Division of Social Sciences are designed to enable students to develop an integrated perspective and an analytical understanding of the world and its various institutional components. Herein division majors are intended to foster discernment of present realities and trends, and greater understanding of global contemporary patterns from the perspective of biblical presuppositions and a biblical Christian worldview.

Students majoring in Division programs are encouraged to consider double-majoring, completing a second program (outside or within the Division) within a four-year period. Frequently selected combinations are noted under each major. Careful advising and course planning is necessary, in close consultation with academic advisors. In addition to meeting all requirements for both majors, students must be able to show that they meet the university requirement for a double major: a minimum of 30 hours of credit in each of two specific areas with a minimum of 51 unduplicated hours.

### General Education Competencies

Please note that students for whom any division major is their **second** major will graduate with the degree designated by their **first** major (B.S. or A.B.) and will meet their intercultural experience and communication requirements as specified by their **first** major.

All other students, for whom a major in this division is their **first** major, are required to complete either COM-110, Speech Communications, or COM-352, Interpersonal Communications, to meet their communication competency. They are also required to fulfill their intercultural experience requirement as follows: economics, international relations, and public policy majors are required to complete any approved standard course. Political science, Political Science Pre-law, Social Studies Education, and Social Studies majors are required to complete GEO-202, Political and Cultural Geography. History majors are required to complete three hours of modern language study or GEO-202, Political and Cultural Geography.

### General Education Degree Requirements

Students who have selected as their **first** major Economics, International Relations, Political Science, Political Science Pre-law, or Public Policy will graduate with a B.S. To complete their B.S., students will be required to complete four hours of any lab science and three hours in math or CIS which also count toward their general education requirements.

Students majoring in Social Studies Education or Social Studies will graduate with a B.S. They will be required to complete four hours of a lab science and three additional hours in math which also count toward their general education requirements. In selecting these courses, students majoring in Social Studies Education need the approval of both the Education Division and the History and Political Science Department.

Students majoring in History (as their **first** major) will graduate with an A.B. They will need to satisfy the following language requirement: Proficiency in a non-native language at the intermediate level may be met by showing four years of high school foreign language with no grade below a "C," satisfactorily passing a language examination rated for the intermediate level of proficiency, or by taking two years of college foreign language.

## Economics - B.S.

### Purpose

The Department of Economics has designed the Economics major to prepare students for graduate study and for careers in business, government, or teaching. The study of economics is presented as one component of a larger biblical Christian worldview. Career opportunities for students majoring in Economics include financial analyst, investment broker, banker, economics researcher, market forecaster, government analyst, and with further study, university teacher. (Economics majors desiring to teach economics in the secondary schools need to take a double major in Economics and Social Studies Education.) Employment opportunities are to be found in financial services, banking, real estate, insurance, business management, government service, research or teaching. The department also offers a 24-hour minor and a two-year Associate of Science degree; see requirements listed below.

### General Education Competencies

Please refer to general education requirements and competencies section under the Division of Social Sciences.

**Requirements**

A major in Economics includes 30 hours of economics and a cognate area of 10 hours which may be additional courses in economics or a grouping directed in any one of the following areas: accounting, business administration, communications, computer information systems, criminal justice, economics, finance, history, management, marketing, mathematics, political science, psychology, social work, or as directed by the department.

Students whose **first** major is Economics must take the senior capstone courses ECO-498, Economics Seminar/Research, and ECO-499, Economics Seminar/Presentation.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>40 hours</b>
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	<b>OR</b>
MAT-112	General Statistics	
	Equivalent	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
ECO-444	Money and Banking	3
ECO-463	Economic Thought	3
	Economics Electives	12
	Cognate	10
<b>Electives</b>		
BUS-320	Business Statistics	3
CON-253/ECO-263	Contemporary Economic Problems: Free to Choose	2-3
ECO-270	Comparative Economic Systems	3
ECO-275	Economics of Poverty	3
ECO-305	Entrepreneurship	3
ECO-320	American Economic History	3
ECO-322	Research Design and Methods of Political Science and Economics	3
ECO-315	Urban Economics and Policy	3
ECO-340	Globalization and Economic Development	3
ECO-365	Public Administration and Finance	3
ECO-454	International Economics	3
ECO-483	Economics Practicum	1-4
ECO-498*	Economics Seminar-Research	2
ECO-499*	Economics Seminar-Presentation	1

\*Required for students taking Economics as their first major

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Economics Minor**

<b>Minor</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	<b>OR</b>
MAT-112	General Statistics	
	Equivalent	3



ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
	Economics Electives	12
<b>Electives</b>		
BUS-320	Business Statistics	3
CON-253/ECO-263	Contemporary Economic Problems: Free to Choose	2-3
ECO-270	Comparative Economic Systems	3
ECO-275	Economics of Poverty	3
ECO-305	Entrepreneurship	3
ECO-320	American Economic History	3
ECO-315	Urban Economics and Policy	3
ECO-322	Research Design and Methods in Political Science and Economics	3
ECO-340	Globalization and Economic Development	3
ECO-365	Public Administration and Finance	3
ECO-444	Money and Banking	3
ECO-454	International Economics	3
ECO-463	Economic Thought	3
ECO-483	Economics Practicum	1-4
ECO-498*	Economics Seminar-Research	2
ECO-499*	Economics Seminar-Presentation	1
*Required for students taking economics as their first major		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Economics - A.S.

### Associate of Science

The Associate of Science degree is a two-year program that requires a 24 hour concentration identical to the Economics minor.

### History - A.B.\*\*

[Note: \*\*Students for whom History is their **first** major will graduate with an A.B. degree. However, students with History as a **second** major will graduate with the degree designated by their **first** major, whether an A.B. or B.S. For a listing of **first** major History A.B. degree requirements, see the Division of Social Sciences overview. As stated in that paragraph, A.B. degree requirements do not apply to students for whom History is a second major.]

### Purpose

The History major is offered by the Department of History and Political Science. The History major is chosen by students who have a variety of interests and objectives. It offers excellent preparation toward teaching, research, journalism, Christian ministries, and graduate study. (History majors desiring to teach in secondary schools need to major in History and Social Studies Education. The History major combined with a major in Philosophy/Religion serves as excellent pre-seminary preparation. Also, the History major often serves as a companion double major with Accounting, Art, Biblical Literature, Biology, Business Administration, Christian Ministries, Communication Arts, Computer Information Systems, Criminal Justice, Economics, English, Intercultural Studies, International Relations, Mathematics, Music, Political Science, Political Science Pre-Law, Psychology, Philosophy and Theology, Social Studies, Social Work, Spanish, or Writing. The department also offers a 24-hour minor; see requirements listed below.

### General Education Competencies

Please refer to general education requirements and competencies section under the Division of Social Sciences.

### Requirements

A major in History includes 30 hours of History and a cognate area of 10 hours which may be additional courses in History or a grouping directed in any one of the following suggested areas: accounting, art, biblical literature, biology, business administration, Christian ministries, communication arts, computer information systems, criminal justice, economics, English, geography, intercultural studies, international relations, mathematics, music, political science, psychology, philosophy and theology, social studies, social work, Spanish, writing, or as directed by the department.

In place of HST-180, students majoring in History, Social Studies, and Social Studies Education, or minoring in History, should complete HST-185 and HST-190. Students majoring in History are required to take a minimum of 12 hours upper-division courses (numbered 300 or higher) offered by the department.

The specific social studies requirements for a History/Social Studies teaching major (social studies education) are detailed under the social studies/social studies education major later in this division section.

<b>Major Requirement</b>		<b>40 hours</b>
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>18 hours</b>
<b>All students will take the following courses:</b>		<b>12</b>
HST-185	Foundations of Civilization to 1648	3
HST-190	The West and the World after 1648	3
HST-290	Making History: Historians, Historical Techniques and Historiography	3
HST-450	History and Social Science Seminar	3
<b>Regional Studies: two courses from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
HST-211	American Civilization to 1865	3
HST-212	American Civilization after 1865	3
HST-230	Colonial Latin America	3
HST-231	National Latin America	3
<b>Electives-as approved by the Division</b>		<b>12 hours</b>
<b>Cognate</b>		<b>10 hours</b>
<b>Electives</b>		
HST-103	Recent History and Politics	3
HST-230	Colonial Latin America	3
HST-231	National Latin America	3
HST-250	Contemporary Affairs	1
CON-253/	Contemporary Economic	
ECO-263	Problems: Free To Choose	2-3
HST-220	Topics in History	3
HST-295	American Portraits	1-3
HST-300	Western/American Intellectual and Social History	3
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
HST-302	American Political Parties	3
HST-312	Medieval Civilization	3
HST-320	American Economic History	3
HST-321	History of the Muslim-Christian Encounter	2
REL-331	Church History I	3
REL-332	Church History II	3
HST-341	History of England to 1688	3

HST-342	History of England 1688-Present	3
HST-355	Modern Mexico	3
HST-361	History of Russia and Eastern Europe	3
HST-370	International Cultural Studies	3
HST-380	History of Middle East and Africa	3
HST-381	History of East Asia	3
HST-395	Renaissance and Reformation	3
HST-400	American Constitutional History	3
HST-442	World War II	3
HST-475	Independent Learning in History	3
HST-499	History Honors	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Language Proficiency

NOTE: Students majoring in History (as their **first** major) will graduate with an A.B. They will be required to satisfy the following language proficiency requirement:

Proficiency in a non-native language at the intermediate level may be met by showing four years of high school foreign language with no grade below a "C," satisfactorily passing a language examination rated for the intermediate level of proficiency, or by taking two years of college foreign language.

### Declaring and Maintaining a History Major

In order to pursue History as a first or second major, students need to consult with the coordinator of the Department of History and Political Science and then declare a History major in the Registrar's Office. Students majoring or minoring in History must maintain no less than a 2.25 GPA in the History major/minor.

### Transfer Credit

A maximum of 15 hours in history may be transferred toward the major.

### History Minor

Minor Requirements		24 hours
<b>All students will take the following courses:</b>		<b>15</b>
HST-185	Foundations of Civilization to 1648	3
HST-190	The West and the World after 1648	3
HST-290	Making History: Historians, Historical Techniques and Historiography	3
<b>Regional Studies: two courses from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
HST-211	American Civilization to 1865	3
HST-212	American Civilization after 1865	3
HST-230	Colonial Latin America	3
HST-231	National Latin America	3
<b>Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
HST	3 courses from list of electives with at least 2 numbered 300 level or above	

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### International Relations - B.S.

The International Relations major offered by the Department of History and Political Science is designed for students interested in gaining an understanding of world politics and global affairs. Students will be introduced to important areas of study within the field of international relations including foreign policy analysis, global politics and governance, international political economy, and contemporary international policy issues.

**Purpose**

The International Relations major enables students to develop a theoretical and practical understanding of global politics and contemporary international affairs. International Relations majors will be equipped with the necessary knowledge and skill for professional careers in government agencies, international organizations, domestic and international non-governmental organizations, and diplomacy. Students completing the major will also be prepared to pursue teaching, research and graduate studies in international relations, and global public policy. Students majoring in International Relations may consider complementing their preparation with another major or minor in Business, Communication Arts, Economics, History, Intercultural Studies, International and Community Development, Political Science, Philosophy and Theology, TESOL, or Writing.

**General Education Competencies**

Please refer to general education requirements and competencies section under Division of Social Sciences.

**Requirements**

The 51 credit-hour major in International Relations requires a core program of 42 credit hours, a nine credit hour concentration or cognate, and demonstrated proficiency in a foreign language at the intermediate level. The core of the program consists of required courses focusing on the foundations of international studies as well as elective courses selected by students within designated areas of international study. A concentration or cognate should be chosen according to a student's professional goals in completing the major's requirements. Students should fulfill part of their general education requirements in the social sciences by taking POL-100 and ECO-213. SOC-225 or PSY-150 are suggested courses for completing the remaining social science general education requirement. These required and recommended courses will allow students to meet general university requirements while also serving as prerequisites for a number of upper-level courses in concentration or cognate areas.

**Language Proficiency**

Proficiency in a non-native modern language at the intermediate level may be met by showing four years of high school foreign language with no grade below a "C," satisfactorily passing a language examination rated for the intermediate level of proficiency, or by taking two years of college foreign language.

<b>Required Core Courses</b>		<b>51 hours</b>
<b>Foundations in International Relations</b>		<b>24</b>
<b>Students should complete all of the following:</b>		
POL-230	World Politics	3
POL-232	Comparative Politics	3
POL-322	Research Design and Methods in Political Science and Economics	3
INR-432	Global Governance	3
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
MAT-305	Statistics for Social Sciences	3
<b>Choose two of the following capstone courses:</b>		
POL-350	Political Science Practicum	3
POL-371	International Studies	3
INR-470	International Relations Capstone	3
<b>World Politics Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Choose at least three courses from the following:</b>		
INR-332	Conflict Processes	3
INR-375	Foreign Policy Analysis	3
HST-442	World War II	3
CRJ-322	Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism	3
<b>Regional History and Politics Electives</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Choose at least two courses from the following:</b>		
GEO-202	Political and Cultural Geography	3
POL-354	Foreign Governments	3

HST-230	Colonial Latin America	3
HST-231	National Latin America	3
HST-355	Modern Mexico	3
HST-361	History of Russia and Eastern Europe	3
HST-380	History of Middle East and Africa	3
HST-381	History of Asia	3
<b>Global Economics and Development Electives</b>		<b>3</b>
<b>Choose at least one course from the following:</b>		
INT-210	Introduction to Development Theory	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
ECO-340	Globalization and Economic Development	3
ECO-454	International Economics	3
<b>Concentration or Cognate</b>		<b>9 hours</b>
Students should complete a concentration or cognate in a field consistent with their vocational goals. The student's advisor will provide counsel and support for the approved courses of study.		
<b>Potential concentrations:</b>		
Political Science		
History		
Economics		
<b>Suggested cognate areas include the following:</b>		
Leadership Studies		
Business		
Communications		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Declaring and Maintaining an International Relations Major

In order to pursue International Relations as a first or second major, students need to consult with the coordinator of the Department of History and Political Science and then declare the major in the Registrar's Office. Students majoring in International Relations should strive to maintain a 3.0 or higher cumulative GPA.

## Political Science - B.S.

### Purpose

The Political Science major, offered by the Department of History and Political Science, enables students to develop skills in both theoretical and practical analysis, understanding, and evaluation of the changing nature, form, and function of governing arrangements, political processes, and the civil-social order. The major is designed to prepare students for one of the numerous careers in government service and political organizations. Additionally, the Political Science major offers preparation toward teaching, research, and graduate study for advanced degrees in political science, public policy, and law (see Political Science Pre-law below). (Political Science majors desiring to teach in secondary schools need to take a double major in Political Science and Social Studies Education.) The Political Science major often serves as a companion double major with Business, Communication Arts, Criminal Justice, Economics, English, History, Intercultural Studies, International Relations, Mathematics, Psychology, Philosophy and Theology, Public Policy, Social Studies, Social Work, or Writing.

### General Education Competencies

Please refer to the general education requirements and competencies section under Division of Social Sciences.

### Requirements

The Political Science major consists of 38 hours in political science and a cognate area of 10-12 hours. The core of the program consists of required courses focusing on fundamental political science concepts and skill formation. Political science electives are

selected by students to enhance their preparation given substantive interests and career goals unique to each individual. A concentration or cognate should be chosen by the student according to his or her professional objectives.

<b>Political Science Core Courses</b>		<b>38 hours</b>
<b>Division Foundational Course</b>		<b>2</b>
SOS-180	Introduction to the Social Sciences	2
<b>Fundamentals in Political Science</b>		<b>21</b>
<b>Students should complete all of the following:</b>		
POL-100	American Government	3
MAT-112	General Statistics*	3
POL-215	Foundations of Political Science	3
POL-322	Research Design and Methods in Political Science and Economics	3
POL-471	Political Science Research Seminar	3
<b>Choose any two of the following:</b>		
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
POL-232	Comparative Politics	3
POL-240	Public Policy Processes	3

\*or equivalent

<b>Political Science Electives</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Students should complete any three of the following:</b>		
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
POL-355	American Political Processes	3
POL-360	Policy Formation	3
POL-367	Political Thought	3
POL-432	Global Governance	3
<b>And any two of the following not already taken:</b>		
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
GEO-202	Political and Cultural Geography	3
MAT-204	Applied Statistics I	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
POL-220	Issues in Political Science	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
POL-232	Comparative Politics	3
POL-240	Public Policy Processes	3
HST-250	Contemporary Affairs	3
ECO-270	Comparative Economic Systems	3
HST-300	Western Intellectual and Social History	3
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
HST-302	American Political Parties	3
MAT-304	Applied Statistics II	3
POL-332	Conflict Processes	3
ECO-340	Globalization and Economic Development	3
ECO-315	Urban and Economics and Policy	3
POL-350	Political Science Practicum	1-3
POL-354	Foreign Governments	3
POL-365	Religion and Politics	3

ECO-365	Public Administration and Finance	3
POL-367	Political Thought	3
POL-371	International Studies	3
POL-375	Foreign Policy Analysis	3
POL-399H	Honors College Thesis	3
HST-400	American Constitutional History	3
POL-401	Political Science Travel Seminar	3
POL-420	American Institutions	3
POL-425	Federalism and Public Policy	3
POL-432	Global Governance	3
POL-470(H)	International Relations Capstone	3
POL-475	Independent Learning-Political Science	1-3
<b>Concentration or Cognate</b>		<b>10-12</b>

Students should complete a 10-12 hour concentration or cognate in a field consistent with their vocational goals. Suggested concentrations include additional hours in political science or courses in history, international relations or economics. The cognate may be 10 hours from any one of the following areas: accounting, addictions counseling, biology, business administration, communication arts, computer information systems, criminal justice, economics, English, finance, geography, history, intercultural studies, management, marketing, mathematics, psychology, philosophy and theology, public policy, social studies, social work, writing, or as directed by the department.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Declaring and Maintaining a Political Science Major

In order to pursue political science as a first or second major, students need to consult with the coordinator of the Department of History and Political Science and then declare a political science major in the Registrar's Office. Students majoring in political science need to achieve no less than a 2.5 GPA in the major to graduate with a political science degree.

### Political Science Minor

#### Purpose

The Political Science minor enables students with an interest in politics to enhance their primary major. This companion program is designed to accommodate students who are not able to complete a full double major, but who see the relevance of government and politics to their major course of study. Students interested in graduate study in political science should consider the Political Science major, as the minor is not designed for this purpose. Students may begin in the minor and migrate to the Political Science major, if they choose.

<b>Political Science Core Courses</b>		<b>21 hours</b>
<b>Fundamentals in Political Science</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Students should complete all of the following:</b>		
POL-100	American Government	3
POL-215	Foundations of Political Science	3
<b>Choose any three of the following:</b>		
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
POL-232	Comparative Politics	3
POL-240	Public Policy Processes	3
<b>Political Science Electives</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Choose any two of the following:</b>		
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
HST-302	American Political Parties	3
POL-332	Conflict Processes	3
POL-350	Political Science Practicum	3

POL-354	Foreign Governments	3
POL-355	American Political Processes	3
POL-360	Policy Formation	3
ECO-365	Public Administration and Finance	3
POL-365	Religion and Politics	3
POL-367	Political Thought	3
POL-371	International Studies	3
POL-375	Foreign Policy Analysis	3
POL-401	Political Science Travel Seminar	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Political Science Pre-Law - B.S.

The Political Science Pre-law major, offered by the Department of History and Political Science, enables students to develop skills in both theoretical and practical analysis, understanding, and evaluation of the American federal system of jurisprudence and the constitutional nature of the civil-social order, in preparation for the Law School Admissions Test (LSAT).

### Purpose

Political science Pre-law students are trained in the fundamentals of political science while receiving additional preparation in the foundations of American legal processes and procedures. Elective courses designed to prepare political science pre-law majors for law school studies include business law, Latin, logic, criminal law, and court procedures. Additionally, students majoring in Political Science Pre-law are encouraged to take a second major of their choosing. The following second majors are frequently chosen by pre-law students: Business, Criminal Justice, Economics, English, History, International Relations, Psychology, Philosophy and Theology, Public Policy, Social Work and Writing.

### General Education Competencies

Please refer to general education requirements and competencies section under the Division of Social Sciences.

### Requirements

The Political Science Pre-law major consists of 38 hours in political science and related fields and a concentration or cognate of 10-12 hours. The core of the program consists of required courses focusing on fundamental political and legal concepts and skill formation. Program electives are selected by students to enhance their preparation given substantive interest and career goals unique to each individual. A concentration or cognate should be chosen by the student according to their professional objectives and LSAT preparations.

<b>Political Science Core Courses</b>		<b>38 hours</b>
<b>Division Foundational Course</b>		<b>2</b>
SOS-180	Introduction to the Social Sciences	2
<b>Fundamentals in Political Science</b>		<b>21</b>
<b>Students should complete all of the following:</b>		
POL-100	American Government	3
MAT-112	General Statistics*	3
POL-215	Foundations of Political Science	3
POL-291	Introduction to Law	3
POL-322	Research Design and Methods in Political Science and Economics	3
HST-400	American Constitutional History	3
POL-471	Political Science Research Seminar	3

\*or equivalent



<b>Pre-Law Electives</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Students should complete any two of the following:</b>		
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
POL-355	American Political Processes	3
POL-360	Policy Formation	3
POL-367	Political Thought	3
POL-420	American Institutions	3
POL-432	Global Governance	3
<b>And any three of the following not already taken:</b>		
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
GEO-202	Political and Cultural Geography	3
MAT-204	Applied Statistics I	3
BUS-210	Business Law	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
POL-220	Special Topics in Political Science	3
LAT-220	Beginning Latin I	3
LAT-221	Beginning Latin II	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
POL-232	Comparative Politics	3
POL-240	Public Policy Processes	3
HST-250	Contemporary Affairs	3
ECO-270	Comparative Economic Systems	3
POL-275	Pre-Law Tutorial Study	0-1
PHL-285	Logic	3
HST-300	Western Intellectual and Social History	3
HST-301	American Foreign Relations	3
HST-302	American Political Parties	3
MAT-304	Applied Statistics II	3
POL-332	Conflict Processes	3
ECO-315	Urban Economics and Policy	3
ECO-340	Globalization and Economic Development	3
POL-350	Political Science Practicum	1-3
POL-354	Foreign Governments	3
CRJ-358	Criminal Law	3
ECO-365	Public Administration and Finance	3
POL-365	Religion and Politics	3
POL-367	Political Thought	3
POL-401	Political Science Travel Seminar	3
POL-420	American Institutions	3
POL-425	Federalism and Public Policy	3
POL-432	Global Governance	3
CRJ-472	Court Procedures	3
POL-475	Independent Learning-Political Science	1-3
<b>Concentration or Cognate</b>		<b>10-12</b>

Students should complete a 10-12 hour concentration or cognate in a field consistent with their vocational goals. Potential concentration may include additional hours in political science or courses in history, international relations or economics. The cognate may be 10 hours from courses directed in any one of the following suggested areas: accounting, addictions counseling, biology, business administration, communication arts, computer information systems, criminal justice, economics, English, finance, geography, history, intercultural studies, management, marketing, mathematics, psychology, philosophy and theology, social studies, social work, writing, or as directed by the department.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Declaring and Maintaining a Political Science-Pre-Law Major

Pre-law students need to consult with the Department of History and Political Science coordinator/pre-law advisor and then declare a political science pre-law major in the Registrar's Office. Pre-law students are expected to maintain no less than a 3.0 GPA in the political science pre-law major to graduate with the degree.

## Public Policy - B.S.

### Purpose

The Public Policy major offered by the Department of History and Political Science is designed for students interested in multidisciplinary training organized around understanding the policy process in the public, private, and nonprofit sectors at both the domestic and international levels. Coursework integrates tools of analysis from disciplines in Behavioral Sciences, Business, Education, Health, Sports Studies, Communication, Leadership, Natural Sciences Mathematics/computing, Nursing, International/Community Development, Philosophy and Theology, and Social Sciences. This multidisciplinary emphasis is intended to encourage students to be culturally aware and socially sensitive and to consider career opportunities in the public, private, and nonprofit sectors in order to strengthen the leadership capacity of public, private, and nonprofit organizations throughout the world. In addition, the capstone course for the Public Policy major provides opportunities for students to work together in teams and apply their skills in the analysis of contemporary policy problems.

### General Education Competencies

Please refer to the general education requirements and competencies section under Division of Social Sciences.

### Requirements

The Public Policy major consists of 36 hours in public policy and a cognate area of 10-12 hours. The core of the program consists of required courses focusing on foundational public policy concepts, skill formation, and applied knowledge, as well as select public policy electives to enhance student preparation given substantive interests and career goals unique to each individual. A concentration or cognate should be chosen by students, in cooperation with both their advisor and the sponsoring department, based on their professional objectives.

Public Policy Core Courses		46-48 hours
Foundations in Public Policy		27
<b>Students should complete all of the following:</b>		
POL-100	American Government	3
MAT-112	General Statistics	3
POL-240	Public Policy Processes	3
POL-322	Research Design and Methods in Political Science and Economics	3
POL-360	Policy Formation	3
ECO-365	Public Administration and Finance	3
ECO-315	Urban Economics and Policy	3
PBP-479	Public Policy Capstone	3
<b>Choose any one of the following:</b>		
HST-290	Historiography	3
POL-350	Political Science Practicum	3
HST-450	History and Social Science Seminar	3

POL-471	Political Science Research Seminar	3
<b>Public Policy Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Choose any three (not already taken) of the following:</b>		
BIO-106	Environment and Society	4
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-275	Economics of Poverty	3
ECO-340	Globalization and Economic Development	3
GEO-202	Political and Cultural Geography	3
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
POL-355	American Political Processes	3
POL-375	Comparative Foreign Policy	3
PBP-320	Environmental Economics and Policy	3
POL-425	Federalism and Public Policy	3
<b>Concentration or Cognate</b>		<b>10-12</b>

In cooperation with the sponsoring department and the student's advisor, a concentration or cognate should be selected by students based on their vocational goals. Potential concentrations: political science, history, international relations, or economics. Suggested cognate areas include, but are not limited to, the following: addictions counseling, biology, business, chemistry, communications, computer and information sciences programs, criminal justice, earth science, education, intercultural studies, international and community development, journalism, leadership studies, mathematics, nursing, public relations, social studies, social work and programs in health, recreation and sports studies.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Declaring and Maintaining a Public Policy Major

In order to pursue Public Policy as a first or second major, students need to consult with the coordinator of the Department of History and Political Science and then declare a Public Policy major in the Registrar's Office. Students majoring in Public Policy need to achieve no less than a 2.5 GPA in the major to graduate with a Public Policy degree.

### Public Policy Minor

#### Requirements

The Public Policy minor consists of 21 credit hours in public policy foundation courses and select electives.

<b>Public Policy Core Courses</b>		<b>21 hours</b>
<b>Foundations in Public Policy</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Students should complete all of the following:</b>		
POL-100	American Government	3
POL-240	Public Policy Processes	3
POL-360	Policy Formation	3
ECO-365	Public Administration and Finance	3
<b>Public Policy Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Students should complete any three of the following:</b>		
BIO-106	Environment and Society	4
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-275	Economics of Poverty	3
ECO-340	Globalization and Economic Development	3

GEO-202	Political and Cultural Geography	3
POL-200	State and Local Government and Politics	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
ECO-315	Urban Economics and Policy	3
POL-322	Research Design and Methods in Political Science and Economics	3
POL-355	American Political Processes	3
POL-375	Comparative Foreign Policy	3
PBP-320	Environmental Economics and Policy	3
POL-425	Federalism and Public Policy	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Social Studies - B.S. and Social Studies Education - B.S.

### Purpose

The Social Studies major is offered by the Department of History and Political Science. The Social Studies major serves primarily as preparation toward teaching social studies in the senior high/junior high/middle schools and also serves as preparation for research and graduate study. Social studies majors desiring certified teaching credentials need to declare a Social Studies Education (SSE) major. (See also the education section of the catalog.) A major in Social Studies Education (SSE) with a minor in Psychology is an excellent combination for those desiring to take a master's degree in counseling and guidance in order to become guidance counselors in the secondary schools. Social Studies Education (SSE) majors often earn a second major in Economics, History, International Relations, or Political Science.

The Social Studies (SOS) major may be taken without teaching requirements by those who desire a broad exposure to the different fields of social science. This major often serves as a companion double major with Economics, History, International Relations, and Political Science.

### General Education Competencies

Completed in consultation with the Division of Education (if SSE) and in reference to the general education requirements and competencies section under the Division of Social Sciences.

### Major Requirements

The Social Studies Education (SSE) major and the non-teaching Social Studies (SOS) major are 60 hours. The major includes required and elective courses in six social science disciplines: History, Geography, Government, Economics, Psychology, and Sociology. Students majoring in either of these programs must complete one year of American history survey, one year of world history survey (rather than HST-180), and three hours of upper-level history electives; American Government, Comparative Politics, and six hours of political science electives, at least three hours of which must be upper-level; twelve hours in psychology as specified below; nine hours in sociology; Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, and three additional upper-level hours in economics; and Political and Cultural Geography. Students majoring in SSE should complete at least three courses, in different disciplines, from the "Scholarship List." These upper-level courses include a significant writing component evaluated by a common rubric.

Required Courses		60 hours
<b>Historical Perspectives</b>		<b>15</b>
HST-185	Foundations of Civilization to 1648	3
HST-190	The West and the World after 1648	3
HST-211	American Civilization to 1865	3
HST-212	American Civilization after 1865	3
HST	Elective (300 or 400 level; to identify possible courses, see catalog course descriptions for courses which count toward a history major)	3

<b>Government</b>		<b>12</b>
POL-100	American Government	3
POL-232	Comparative Politics	3
POL	Elective	3
POL	Elective (300 or 400 level)	3
<b>Psychology</b>		<b>12</b>
EDU-240	Educational Psychology*	3
PSY-150	General Psychology*	3
PSY-276	Psychology of the Exceptional Learner*	3
PSY	Elective (300-400 level)	3
<b>Sociology</b>		<b>9</b>
SOC-150	Principles of Sociology <b>OR</b>	
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3
SOC	Elective (upper or lower level)	3
SOC	Elective (300-400 level)	3
<b>Economics</b>		<b>9</b>
ECO-213	Macroeconomics *	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO	Elective (300-400 level)	3
<b>Geography</b>		<b>3</b>
GEO-202	Political and Cultural Geography	3

\*These courses duplicate general education or professional education requirements.

Among content course electives listed above, SSE majors are required to complete at least three upper-level courses (300-400 level) from the "Scholarship List" in different content disciplines. Course instructors have agreed to include a writing-intensive, research-based, rubric-assessed assignment, the results of which are vital to program assessment.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Declaring and Maintaining a Social Studies Major

In order to pursue a non-teaching Social Studies (SOS) major, students need to consult with the coordinator of the Department of History and Political Science and then declare a Social Studies (SOS) major in the Registrar's Office. Students majoring in Social Studies must maintain no less than a 2.25 GPA.

### Declaring and Maintaining a Social Studies Education Major

Students desiring certification to teach social studies in the senior high/junior high/middle schools (grades 5-12) must take a Social Studies Education (SSE) major. In order to pursue a Social Studies Education (SSE) major, students need to consult with the coordinator of the Department of History and Political Science and with the director of secondary education in the Division of Education and then declare a Social Studies Education (SSE) major in the Registrar's Office. Students majoring in Social Studies Education (SSE) must maintain no less than a 2.75 cumulative GPA and no less than a 3.00 major GPA in social studies education.

## Social Sciences Programs - Other

### Latin American and Iberian Studies Minor

The Divisions of Modern Languages and Literature; Social Sciences; and Religion and Philosophy have cooperated to create an interdisciplinary minor in Latin American and Iberian Studies. This minor is designed to complement the student's primary major and can be tailored to deepen his or her specific cultural knowledge and language skills as a preparation for graduate study or for a career in an increasingly diverse workplace. Students have the opportunity to integrate traditional coursework with internships and/or study abroad experiences to apply and appreciate the relevance of course material to their career and the world around them. The flexibility of electives makes this minor useful to students from ALL majors.

**Minor Requirements**

The minor in Latin American and Iberian Studies consists of a total of 24 hours. Eighteen hours are core courses from the three sponsoring divisions: a one year survey of Latin America (HST-230, 231), an introduction to intercultural studies (INT-220), one year of Spanish to fulfill or add to intermediate level fluency, and a social science elective from ECO, HST, INR, or POL.

In addition to the 18-hour core, students must complete six hours of electives from the specified courses listed below or new offerings approved by program director, one of which must be upper level (numbered 300 or above).

**Mandatory International/Cross Cultural Experience:** Each student, in consultation with his or her advisor, is required to complete an international/cross cultural experience which provides significant opportunity for interaction in Spanish and offers an academic focus appropriate to the student's goals. Requires approval by both the student's primary academic advisor and the chair of the hosting division or his or her designate.

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>18</b>
<b>Intercultural Studies</b>		
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
<b>Social Studies</b>		
HST-230	Colonial Latin America	3
HST-231	National Latin America	3
ECO, HST, INR, POL	Social Science Elective	3
<b>Spanish</b>		
SPA (except SPA-360)	Spanish courses to fulfill or add to intermediate-level fluency	6
<b>International /cross cultural experience</b>		
Prior approval of chair is required (see text above). If a course is taken and it qualifies, it may be included in the above 18 hours or the 6 elective hours.		
<b>Elective Courses</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>At least one elective must be 300 or above</b>		
ENG-170	Introduction to Linguistics	3
ICD-210	Developmental Theory	3
POL-232	Comparative Politics	3
INT-315	Cross Cultural Communication of Faith	3
ECO-340	Globalization and Economic Development	3
HST-355	Modern Mexico	3
ICD-360	Development Internship	3
ECO-454	International Economics	3
SPA (except SPA-360)	Any Spanish course beyond those taken to meet the core requirement	
Transfer Credit for Study Abroad		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Leadership Studies Department

### Purpose

The Leadership Studies program is designed to enhance any field of study or profession. The field of leadership studies is continuing to grow, and leadership is a critical element in all of the professions and in most areas of life. The Leadership Studies program is based on a conceptual model of servant leadership in which the leader serves the needs of those being led before their own self-interest. The focus of this undergraduate program addresses personal leadership development, at the same time applying it to organizational and community leadership. This program is designed for students who desire to develop themselves as a servant leader within their selected fields of study.

### Leadership - B.S.

#### Requirements

The Leadership major is designed to enhance a student's studies in another field. While the Leadership major may be taken as a stand-alone major; however, students are encouraged to consider taking this as a double major or with a minor so as to connect the interdisciplinary study of leadership to a particular field of study.

Required Courses		40 hours
<b>Leadership Core</b>		<b>30 hours</b>
LDR-200	The Servant Leader: Foundations of Leadership	3
LDR-300	The Relational Leader: The Leader and Others	3
LDR-350	The Team Leader: The Leader and Building Community	3
LDR-400	The Transforming Leader: The Leader and Change	3
LDR-420	The Authentic Leader: The Leader and Self	3
LDR-450	Leadership Seminar: Current Issues in Leadership	3
LDR-475	Leadership Project: Leading for Community Improvement	3
<b>Selected courses from the following:</b>		<b>3-9</b>
LDR-265	International Servant Leadership Experience <b>OR</b>	1-3
ACC-/BUS-390	International Business	3
LDR-150	Introduction to Life Calling	3
LDR-310	Life Skills, Career and Leadership	3
LDR-225	Student Leadership Practicum	1
LDR-235	High Adventure Leadership Experience	1
LDR-245	Peer Leader Practicum	1
LDR-255	Honors Leadership Practicum	1
LDR-325	Leadership Internship	1-3
LDR-335	Independent Learning in Leadership Research	1-3
<b>Choose selected courses from the following:</b>		<b>0-6</b>
MNG-210	Management Principles	3

MNG-324	Small Business Management	3
MNG-328	Human Resource Management	3
MNG-443	Organizational Behavior	3
<b>Cognate</b>		<b>10</b>
All majors must choose a cognate in a specific field of study to enrich the 30 hours leadership core. This cognate must be approved by the leadership program.		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Admission to the Major

Admission to the leadership major requires a formal screening process separate from the initial declaration of major. The applicant must:

1. Have completed LDR-200 with a grade of “C” or better.
2. Have a cumulative 2.25 GPA (students not meeting this requirement could be admitted on a probationary basis at the discretion of the Leadership Major Committee).
3. Complete a formal application (available at the Center for Life Calling and Leadership).
4. Submit an essay on their personal leadership vision and rationale for entering the leadership major.
5. Participate in a formal interview.

### Continuation in the Major

Students must maintain a cumulative 2.25 GPA and a 2.50 academic GPA in coursework required for the major. All leadership courses completed with a “C-” or less must be repeated. The Leadership Studies Department reserves the right to request the withdrawal of any student who in its judgment fails to exhibit the foundational qualities of leadership character. All decisions regarding continuation in the program are based on the recommendations of the Leadership Studies Department.

### Leadership Minor

The Leadership minor is designed to build students' leadership skills and understanding as an enhancement to their particular field of study and future profession.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>18 hours</b>
LDR-200	The Servant Leader: Foundations of Leadership	3
LDR-475	Leadership Project	3
<b>Selected courses from the following:</b>		<b>12</b>
LDR-150	Introduction to Life Calling or	3
LDR-310	Life Skills, Career and Leadership	3
LDR-300	The Relational Leader: The Leader and Others	3
LDR-350	The Team Leader: The Leader and Building Community	3
LDR-400	The Transforming Leader: The Leader and Change	3
LDR-420	The Authentic Leader: The Leader and Self	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## General Studies Program

### Purpose



The purpose of the program in general studies is to provide a general college education. The major is General Studies. There is no departmental major, although a concentration of 20 credits must be completed in one subject area. The program in general studies is open to any student who meets general admission requirements to the university.

### General Studies - B.S.

#### Requirements for B.S. degree

1.	Completion of the general education requirements--	
	B.S. degree:	48-54 credits
	See general education degree requirements	
2.	Concentration in one subject area	
	With GPA of 2.25	
	(9 credits must be taken at IWU)	20 credits
3.	Upper level, 300-400 courses	30 credits
4.	Total credits for graduation	124 credits

### General Studies - A.S.

#### Requirements for A.S. degree

1.	Completion of the general education requirements--	
	A.S. degree:	23 credits
	See general education associate degree requirements	
2.	Concentration in one subject area	
	With GPA of 2.00	
	(9 credits must be taken at IWU)	15 credits
3.	Total credits for graduation	62 credits

### Pre-declared Students

The Pre-declared classification has been established by Indiana Wesleyan University for students who enter IWU with the desire to explore academic majors and related careers before committing to a major program of study. The Center for Life Calling and Leadership provides academic advising to these students.

Through individual appointments, workshops, and the Life Calling course, the Center assists Pre-declared students with the following:

1. Developing a sense of purpose and calling as a basis for making life decisions.
2. Selecting and scheduling courses.
3. Establishing and evaluating academic goals.
4. Understanding and navigating university academic policies and procedures.
5. Exploring academic majors and related careers.
6. Declaring a major.
7. Connecting with additional university programs and resources.

### ROTC - U.S. Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps Program

#### Purpose

ROTC is offered on the IWU campus who sense a calling to serve our country in the military. The Department of Military Science offers qualified undergraduate and graduate students an opportunity to obtain a commission as a second lieutenant in the United States Army and to serve with the Active Army, Army National Guard or Army Reserves. Additionally, Military Science offers immersive learning experiences focused on preparing future leaders for the United States Army and managers for the corporate environment. Subjects offered in this program include the study of current military leadership, doctrine, rappelling, marksmanship, counseling, problem solving, managing resources, military history, and public speaking. All IWU students interested in studying military leadership may enroll in 100-level and 200-level classes without any obligation to enroll in the ROTC program.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>22 hours</b>
MSC-101	Introduction to Military Science	1
MSC-102	Introduction to Leadership	1
MSC-201	Leadership/Military Tactics	2
MSC-202	Leadership/Team Development	2
MSC-301	Military Leadership and Operations 1	3
MSC-302	Military Leadership and Operations 2	3
MSC-401	Leadership Challenges and Goal Setting	3
MSC-402	Transition to Lieutenant	3
MSC-499	Independent Study	1-6

The 100-level meet once a week for one hour. The 200-level meets twice a week for two hours. The 300-level and 400-level classes meet twice a week for three hours each session. Two days are dedicated to classroom lecture and a combined lab meets 10 times each semester. The lab and field training exercises involve all contracted cadets and applies classroom lectures into hands-on leadership training scenarios.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Graduate Counseling

The Master of Arts degree with majors in Counseling prepares counselors who are able to integrate their Christian faith and values with integrity in their practice of counseling. Graduates of the program will be prepared to provide professional service to public agencies, churches, educational settings, para-church organizations, and business and industry settings. To that end, the graduate counseling program offers the following objectives:

1. Students will demonstrate mastery of comprehensive counseling curriculum.
2. Students will demonstrate competence in reading, interpreting, evaluating, and applying scholarly research.
3. Students will demonstrate clinical proficiency.
4. Students will demonstrate multicultural awareness in clinical practice.
5. Students will demonstrate professional integrity.
6. Students will demonstrate an ability to integrate faith with the counseling profession.
7. Students will demonstrate proficiency in communication skills.
8. Students will demonstrate proficiency in their selected area of specialization.

Three majors - Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Marriage and Family Therapy, and School Counseling - of the counseling program at Indiana Wesleyan University are accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP) (5999 Stevenson Ave, Alexandria, VA 22304, 703-823-9800). CACREP is an independent agency recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation to accredit master's and doctoral degree programs in the counseling-related professions. The Community Counseling program requires the completion of 48 semester hours, the Clinical Mental Health Counseling program requires 60 semester hours, the Marriage and Family Therapy Program requires 60 semester hours, and the School Counseling Program requires 48 semester hours. All majors require a supervised practicum and internships. The 60-hour programs meet the requirements for Licensed Mental Health Counselor or Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist in Indiana. The School Counseling Program is approved by the Indiana Professional Standards Board.

The Division of Graduate Counseling also offers majors in Addictions Counseling and Student Development Counseling and Administration. The purpose and goal of the Addictions Counseling major is to educate students and returning professionals in the competency and practice of addictions sciences. This major seeks to be a world-class program of "science to service" with a relevant Christian perspective of hope and healing. The program has been granted Provider Status by the National Association of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors (NAADAC) and the NAADAC State affiliate, the Indiana Association for Addiction Professionals (IAAP). Upon completion of the degree, students will be eligible to take the NAADAC/IAAP exam for the national Master Addiction Counselor (MAC) and state Indiana Certified Addictions Counselor I or II (ICAC I, II) certification.

The M.A. in Counseling with a major in Student Development Counseling and Administration prepares students for careers in the Student Development professions in the settings of higher education. This program can be completed online.

Students with a master's degree with a major in counseling who do not meet the requirements for Indiana state licensure may complete the academic requirements through Indiana Wesleyan University's Graduate Counseling Program. Those interested in this option should call 765-677-2855 or 800-895-0036 for more information.

### Admission to Graduate Studies in Counseling

The admission requirements are:\*

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university, or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
2. An undergraduate grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
3. Six semester hours in psychology of which three semester hours must be in Abnormal Psychology.
4. Six semester hours in Bible. Students may take any of the undergraduate courses at Indiana Wesleyan University and be admitted on a conditional basis until all prerequisites are satisfactorily completed.
5. Graduate Record Exam (GRE) taken within five years of application to the program. Overall score of 1000 (V + Q) strongly preferred; Verbal (V) score of at least 400 is required.
6. A typewritten autobiography, philosophy of counseling, and supplemental application.
7. An official transcript from each undergraduate and graduate institution attended.

8. Three recommendations – at least one from a professor and one from a supervisor/professional.
9. Applicants whose application documents demonstrate potential for success in the Graduate Program in Counseling will participate in a personal interview.

\*The graduate admissions committee retains the right to waive an admission requirement for special circumstances. GRE scores must be no older than five years. Successful graduate coursework may be substituted for the GRE.

### **Prerequisites for Graduate Studies in Counseling**

The following prerequisites must be completed before completing 12 semester hours of counseling courses:

1. Six semester hours in Psychology which must include three hours in Abnormal Psychology.
2. Six semester hours in Bible, Religion, or Theology. Students may take any of the undergraduate required courses at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Program Requirements for Graduate Studies in Counseling**

Students are evaluated by faculty upon completion of their initial twelve hours of graduate study. This evaluation includes: current GPA, written and communication skills, and overall style of interactions with faculty, staff, and peers within the program. In addition, students are evaluated by a core faculty member at the mid-term of the practicum class. This evaluation includes: ability to perform a basic listening skills sequence and establishment of therapeutic relationships, appropriate responses to supervision, and basic conceptualization of clients in their caseloads.

To remain in good standing within the program, students are expected to maintain specific academic and professional standards. Students may choose to not register for one semester and remain in good standing. However, if a student does not register for two or more consecutive semesters, he or she will be considered inactive. In such cases, students must seek readmission in order to resume work in the program.

In order to remain in good academic standing within the program, students must maintain a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0. Students whose cumulative GPA falls below 3.0 will be placed on academic probation. Furthermore, students may be suspended from the program if their cumulative GPA is not 3.0 or above upon completion of the following semester.

Coursework, practica, and internships provide both students and faculty opportunities to determine “professional goodness-of-fit.” In addition to assessing academic performance, faculty utilizes these times to evaluate students’ suitability for the counseling profession. Students who do not possess characteristics deemed as essential for counselors will be asked to develop, in collaboration with faculty, remediative plans of correction. Such plans might include referrals for individual counseling to address specific identified issues. In cases where remediative plans are unsuccessful or inappropriate, the student will be asked to withdraw from the program. In such cases, career services will be made available to assist such persons in finding a more appropriate vocational direction.

Students admitted to the Graduate Studies in Counseling at Indiana Wesleyan University are expected to behave in a professional and ethical manner. Failure to conform to acceptable standards of behavior in classes, practica, or internships is considered cause for dismissal from the program. Once admitted to the program, non-academic cause for dismissal includes, but is not limited to:

1. Behavior that is prohibited under the ethical standards and practices of the American Counseling Association (ACA), American Mental Health Counselors Association (AMHCA), NAADAC/IAAP, American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT), American Association of Christian Counselors (AACC), and/or the Counselor Licensure laws in the State of Indiana.
2. Indecent or malicious behavior and disrespect directed toward instructors, supervisors, administrators, or fellow students; use of profanity or verbal/physical intimidation toward others; failure to follow reasonable instructions; or any form of sexual harassment.
3. Use of deceit or fraud, academic or otherwise, to gain admission to or in any activity within the program.
4. Conviction of a felony or of an offense involving possession, sale, or consumption of a controlled substance.
5. Conviction for a misdemeanor offense committed during or related to the practice of any counseling procedure or activity.
6. Conviction of an offense involving sexual transgression.
7. Behavior that violates one of the lifestyle expectations of the university.

### **Programs in Graduate Studies in Counseling**

All students who obtain a Master of Arts degree with a major in Counseling from Indiana Wesleyan University must complete either 48 or 60 hours of study. Students who major in Student Development Counseling and Administration are required to complete a minimum of 36 hours of study. For the majors in Addictions Counseling, Community Counseling – non-licensure track, and School Counseling, 48 semester hours of graduate studies are required. Sixty semester hours of graduate studies are required for completion

of the Community Counseling – Licensure track and Marriage and Family Therapy. Programs of study in the majors of Community Counseling (48 and 60 semester hours), Marriage and Family Therapy, and School Counseling consist of the following components: core courses, clinical experiences, and specialization courses. In contrast, the program of study in Addictions Counseling consists of a unique set of core courses as well as clinical experiences. Each of these programs of study is described in greater detail below.

### **Certificate Programs for Graduate Studies in Counseling**

The Graduate Studies in Counseling programs offer certificates to persons seeking specialized academic preparation in one of the major areas of study offered by the program, but who do not desire or require degree completion at Indiana Wesleyan University. This includes persons who have already attained a Master of Arts degree in a counseling-related program, but whose degree program and/or post-graduate clinical experiences do not meet specific state licensure or national certification requirements. In such cases, program faculty collaborates with the student to develop a specific program of study that seeks to fulfill the identified academic requirements. It is the responsibility of the student to provide evidence identifying the specific academic content or coursework required by the particular credentialing entity. This evidence is typically discovered through the student's consultation with the particular licensure/certification board.

In addition, an Addictions Counseling Certificate is available for students presently enrolled in non-IWU graduate counseling programs and whose programs do not offer sufficient coursework in addictions counseling. Such students can enroll in the Addictions Certificate Program and obtain specialized training in addictions counseling to enhance their academic training to better meet their professional goals.

#### **Objectives of Certificate programs:**

1. Students will demonstrate proficiency in their selected area of specialization (e.g., School Counseling, Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Addictions Counseling, Marriage and Family Therapy);
2. Student meets learning objectives specified in his/her plan of study.

#### **Admission Requirements include:**

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university, or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
2. An undergraduate GPA of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 semester hours was completed.
3. A completed application form for admission to the IWU Graduate Studies in Counseling Certificate Program.
4. If graduate work has been attempted, all transcripts must be submitted, and a minimum GPA of 3.0 earned.
5. A letter clearly stating reason(s) for seeking admission into the certificate program.
6. In those cases where the applicant is seeking to fulfill requirements for any licensure/certification, identification of a specific plan of study for any license/certification process is the responsibility of the applicant.

#### **Exit Requirements include:**

1. Successful completion of all coursework identified on certificate plan of study.
2. All course grades at or above level of "C+."
3. Overall cumulative GPA of 3.0.

**Addictions Counseling Certificate** - 15 hour certificate requires the following courses: CNS-511, CNS-512, CNS-533, CNS-535, CNS-545.

### **Student Development Counseling and Administration Program**

The Master of Arts degree with a major in Student Development Counseling and Administration is a 36 semester-hour degree designed for individuals who have a focused interest in Student Life and in one of the various venues at the college and university level (e.g. Dean or Vice President, Residence Life, Experiential Learning, Leadership Programs, Mentoring, Campus Recreation, etc.) The program, a combination of theory and practical experience, will approach student development from the perspective of a Christian worldview and fits with the Graduate Counseling majors with many overlapping courses. The program includes a core of counseling courses as well as courses in higher education administration and two supervised internships.

#### **Admission to Student Development Counseling and Administration**

The admission requirements are:\*

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university, or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
2. An undergraduate grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
3. Six semester hours in psychology of which three semester hours must be in Life-Span Development.
4. Six semester hours in Bible, religion, or theology. Students may take any of the undergraduate courses at Indiana Wesleyan University and be admitted on a conditional basis until all prerequisites are satisfactorily completed.
5. Graduate Record Exam (GRE) taken within five years of application to the program. Overall score of 1000 (V + Q) strongly preferred; Verbal (V) score of at least 400 is required.
6. A typewritten autobiography, philosophy of counseling, and supplemental application.
7. An official transcript from each undergraduate and graduate institution attended.
8. Three recommendations – at least one from a professor and one from a supervisor/professional.
9. Applicants whose application documents demonstrate potential for success in the Student Development Counseling and Administration will participate in a personal interview.

\*The graduate admissions committee retains the right to waive an admission requirement for special circumstances. GRE scores must be no older than five years. Successful graduate coursework may be substituted for the GRE.

### Prerequisites for Student Development Counseling and Administration

The following prerequisites must be completed before completing 12 semester hours of counseling courses:

1. Six semester hours in Psychology which must include three hours in Life-Span Development.
2. Six semester hours in Bible, Religion, or Theology. Students may take any of the undergraduate required courses at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### Addictions Counseling

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-511	Issues in Addiction and Recovery	3
CNS-535	Theories and Treatment of Addiction	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
CNS-512	Psychopharmacology	3
CNS-533	Psychopathology	3
CNS-545	Counseling Addicted Families	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552	Supervised Internship	6
	Elective	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>48</b>

\*For fulfillment of the academic requirements for LMHC licensure in the state of Indiana, the following additional courses must be successfully completed: CNS-501, CNS-505, CNS-522, CNS-523, and CNS-554.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Clinical Mental Health Counseling – Non-licensure Track

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-501	Human Growth and Development	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-505	Theory and Techniques in Career Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552	Supervised Internships	6
<b>Specialization Courses</b>		
CNS-522	Foundations in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
CNS-523	Clinical Mental Health Assessment and Intervention	3
	Electives	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>48</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Clinical Mental Health Counseling

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-501	Human Growth and Development	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-505	Theory and Techniques in Career Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3

CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552, 554	Supervised Internships	9
<b>Specialization Courses</b>		
CNS-511	Issues in Addiction Recovery	3
CNS-512	Psychopharmacology	3
CNS-522	Foundations in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
CNS-523	Clinical Mental Health Assessment and Intervention	3
CNS-524	Ecological Counseling and Prevention	3
CNS-533	Psychopathology	3
	Electives	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Marriage and Family Therapy

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-501	Human Growth and Development	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-505	Theory and Techniques in Career Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552, 554	Supervised Internships	9
<b>Specialization Courses</b>		
CNS-520	Sexuality, Intimacy, and Gender	3
CNS-533	Psychopathology	3
CNS-541	Foundations of Marriage and Family Therapy	3



CNS-542	Major Models of MFT I: Theory, Assessment and Application	3
CNS-543	Major Models of MFT II: Theory, Assessment, and Application	3
CNS-546	Major Models of MFT III: Theory, Assessment, and Application	3
	Electives	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## School Counseling

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-501	Human Growth and Development	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-505	Theory and Techniques in Career Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552	Supervised Internships	6
<b>Specialization Courses</b>		
CNS-519	Theories and Techniques of School Counseling I	3
CNS-529	Theories and Techniques of School Counseling II	3
	Electives	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>48</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Student Development Counseling and Administration

SDC-509	Administration and Finance in Higher Education	3
SDC-510	The College Student	3
SDC-501	History of Higher Education	2
SDC-525	Special Topics in Student Life	3

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	Administration	
SDC-508	Legal and Ethical Issues in Student Development	2
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the in Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
SDC-505	Career Counseling for Student Development	2
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals	3
SDC-551	Supervised Internship - Student Development	3
SDC-552	Supervised Internship - Student Development	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## School of Teacher Education

### Purpose

The Teacher Education Program (TEP) offers professional education courses and coordinates the work in other departments of the university to prepare students to become teachers of excellence for elementary and senior high/junior high/middle schools in both public and private school arenas. The faculty at Indiana Wesleyan University believes teacher education is a campus-wide responsibility. As a product of this cooperative perspective, the program reflects a collaboration of general education, subject matter concentration, and professional education courses. The IWU Teacher Education Program is approved by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) 2010 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Suite 500 Washington, D.C. 20036; phone (202) 466-7496. The Teacher Education Program is also a member of the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE). The Teacher Education Program, in cooperation with area school systems, offers clinical field experiences for prospective teachers throughout the program of study.

### Admission to the Teacher Education Program

Application for admission to the Teacher Education Program may be made by students at the completion of 29 semester hours, including 4 semester hours of teacher education courses completed at IWU, and completion of the math competency requirement. In addition, the applicant must:

1. Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 and a 3.0 in each teaching major, including teacher education courses.
2. Meet state-required cutoff scores on the Pre-Professional Skills Test (Praxis I).
3. Complete a formal application (available in the Teacher Education Office).
4. Complete the Gateway 1 Dispositions Assessment form.
5. Submit a portfolio for evaluation.
6. Participate in and pass a formal interview.

Students who are denied admission may follow the appeals process as outlined in the Teacher Education Program Handbook.

Once admitted, the student must maintain the 2.75 cumulative and 3.0 major GPA standards on all university course work through the student teaching semester, exhibit professional demeanor both in university courses and in clinical field placements, and remain a positive role model for both the University and the Teacher Education program. All professional education courses completed with a grade of C- or less must be repeated.

### Admission to Student Teaching

The student teaching experience is a sixteen-week semester course in which students refine their skills gained throughout the Teacher Education Program. This capstone experience is composed of two eight-week placements (or one 16-week placement in special circumstances) in which students take charge of classrooms and fully engage in teaching.

*Cross-Cultural Student Teaching Placements.* Based on approval of the Teacher Education Committee, students may opt for an eight-week experience in a local school and eight weeks in an overseas or cross-cultural placement. These student teaching placements are available, providing the pre-service teacher the opportunity for a more diverse global perspective on teaching.

Applications for student teaching must be submitted to the Office of Teacher Education by November 1 of the year prior to the student teaching semester (12-15 months in advance of the student teaching experience). To qualify for the student teaching semester, the student must be fully accepted into the Teacher Education Program, have attained senior status, have completed the prerequisite professional courses, and have completed at least three-fourths of the hours required for the major.

In order to be admitted to the student teaching semester, the student must:

1. Complete a formal application (available in the Office of Teacher Education). The following documents must accompany the student teaching application.
2. Revised autobiography.
3. Revised philosophy of education.

4. Current degree audit and transcript.
  5. Dispositions assessment forms.
  6. Lesson plan.
  7. Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 and at least a 3.0 in each teaching area through the student teaching semester.
- Once the above qualifications are met, the candidates' names are submitted to the divisions for review and to the Vice President for Student Development. The application is then voted upon for approval. If a student is denied admission to the student teaching semester, he or she is notified of the appeal process as outlined in the Teacher Education Program Handbook.

### **Teacher Certification**

The Praxis I and Praxis II tests are required for teacher certification in the State of Indiana. The Praxis I is a test of reading, writing, and mathematics. The Praxis II is a test of students' content knowledge. One hundred percent of students who completed the Teacher Education Program in 2008-2009 passed all three sections of the Praxis I prior to program completion. One hundred percent of students who completed the Teacher Education Program in 2008-2009 passed their Praxis II specialty tests.

Application for Indiana Teacher Certification should be filed with the Office of Teacher Education as soon after graduation as possible. Necessary information on this application procedure is available in the Teacher Certification Office.

### **Teacher Education Program**

The courses in the Teacher Education Program provide a social, philosophical, psychological, and historical framework in which students can develop a personal philosophy of teaching. The Indiana Wesleyan University Teacher Education Program's knowledge base model, "Teacher as Decision Maker," emphasizes decision-making within eight domains: (1) Content/subject matter expertise; (2) Personal development (morals and ethics); (3) Professional development; (4) Rights and responsibilities; (5) Methodology; (6) Management of time, classroom, and behaviors; (7) Communication; and (8) Global and multicultural perspectives.

### **Integration Of Faith And Learning**

The eight domains are integrated in the context of faith and learning as students discover the relationship between teaching and biblical principles.

The program is a blend of liberal arts education, content-specific course work, and clinical field placements that work together to provide the student with teaching situations that allow the theory presented within the university classroom to become applied knowledge within the world of the practitioner. All professors within the Teacher Education Program have had classroom experience and continue to work closely with current practicing teachers.

### **Field Placements**

Field experiences for all education majors begin in the Stage A, freshman year, with tutoring and mentoring activities in school-like settings. Stage B sophomore year experiences build on this foundation in area schools and classrooms. An observation and participation field experience is required of all elementary and secondary education majors in May of the Stage A or B year (this experience is not a requirement of the Exceptional Needs Program). Stage C junior year field experiences require students to teach and spend up to 180 clock hours in classrooms in area schools.

### **Teacher Education Programs**

Majors leading to teacher certification are available in three areas: elementary education, secondary education, and exceptional needs education. These majors include:

#### **Elementary Education (P-6 Certification)**

Elementary Education

Elementary/Exceptional Needs Education

Elementary/Intercultural Education

#### **Secondary Education (P-12 Certification)**

Music Education: Choral

Music Education: Instrumental

Music Education: Choral, General, and Instrumental

Physical and Health Education

Spanish Education

TESOL

Visual Arts Education

**Secondary Education** (5-12 Certification)

Biology Education

Chemistry Education

English Education

Mathematics Education

Physical and Health Education

Social Studies Education

Science Education (Biology/Chemistry)

Visual Arts Education

**Exceptional Needs Education**

Exceptional Needs: P-6

Exceptional Needs: 5-12

Exceptional Needs: P-12

Severe and Profound certification may be added to each exceptional needs major upon additional coursework.

## Elementary Education

### Elementary Education - B.S.

		P-6 Certification	
<b>GENERAL EDUCATION</b>			<b>43 hours</b>
UNV-180	Becoming World Changers: Christian Faith and Contemporary Issues		3
<b>Humanities Core</b>			<b>12</b>
ENG-180	Humanities World Literature		3
HST-180	Humanities World Civilization		3
MUS-180	Humanities Fine Arts		3
PHL-180	Humanities Philosophy		3
<b>Biblical Literature</b>			<b>6</b>
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey		3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey		3
<b>Advanced Writing or Literature</b>			<b>3</b>
EDU-365	Children's Literature		3
<b>Health and Wellness</b>			<b>2</b>
PHE-101	Concepts of Health and Wellness		1
PHE	Activity Elective		1
<b>Social Science and Psychology</b>			<b>9</b>
PSY-150	General Psychology		3
HST-103	Recent History and Politics	<b>OR</b>	
HST-211	American Civilization to 1865	<b>OR</b>	
HST-212	American Civilization after 1865		3
SOC-150	Principles of Sociology		3
<b>Science/Mathematics</b>			<b>11</b>
SCI-201	Integrated Earth/Life Science		4
	Physical Science Elective		4

MAT-111	Math for Elementary Teachers	3
<b>Competencies and Proficiencies</b>		0-3
Writing Competency (ENG-120)		0-3
Speech Competency (EDU-290 + EDU-491)		0
Intercultural Competency (EDU-290 + EDU-491)		0
Mathematics Competency (MAT-111)		0
<b>PROFESSIONAL CORE</b>		<b>56 hours</b>
<b>Stage A - Introduction</b>		<b>4</b>
EDU-130	American Education	3
EDU-200	Educational Technology	1
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>15</b>
EDU-271	Foundations of Early Childhood	3
EDU-290	Elementary Education in a Pluralistic Society	3
PHE-260	Health/Physical Activity/ Human Movement	3
PSY-251	Child Development	3
PSY-276	Psychology of the Exceptional Learner	3
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>21</b>
The following courses should be taken in a block during the first Stage C semester:		
EDU-355	Social Studies Methods	3
EDU-365	Children's Literature	3
EDS/EDU-373	Early Childhood Practicum	3
The following courses should be taken in a block during the second Stage C semester:		
EDU-292	Fine Arts for Children	3
EDU-306	Mathematics Methods	3
EDU-356	Science Methods	3
EDU-391	Junior Professional Year Practicum	3
<b>Stage D - Application</b>		<b>16</b>
EDU-491	Student Teaching	15
EDU-495	Student Teaching Seminar	1
<b>ELEMENTARY EDUCATION MAJOR</b>		
Add the following courses for the stand-alone Elementary Education major:		
<b>Stage A - Introduction</b>		<b>3</b>
EDU-295	Observation and Participation (Required May term course)	3
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>2</b>
EDU-216	Literature and Response for Young Children	2
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>8</b>
First semester:		
EDU-354	Language Arts Methods	2
EDU-388	Developmental Reading	3
Second semester:		
EDU-386	Corrective Reading	3
<b>P-6 Elementary Education Program</b>		<b>124</b>
Professional Core		56

Additional Elementary Education Courses		13
General Education and Competencies		43-46
Elective Hours		9-12
<b>ELEMENTARY EDUCATION/EXCEPTIONAL NEEDS DOUBLE MAJOR</b>		
Add the following courses to the Professional Core:		
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>5</b>
EDS-215	Teaching and Learning in Inclusive Settings	3
EDU-216	Literature and Response for Young Children	2
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>21</b>
EDS-350	Assessment in Special Education	3
EDS-350P	Assessment Practicum	1
EDS-354	Language Arts Methods	2
EDS-361	Behavior Management in Special Education	3
EDS-370	Public Policy and Special Education	3
EDS-381	Methods for Teaching Children With Exceptional Needs	3
EDS-385	Special Education Practicum I	3
EDS-388	Developmental Reading	3
<b>K- 6 Elementary Education/ Exceptional Needs Double Major</b>		<b>125-128</b>
Professional Core		56
Additional Exceptional Needs Courses		26
General Education		43-46
<b>ELEMENTARY EDUCATION/ INTERCULTURAL MAJOR</b>		
Add the following courses to the Professional Core:		
<b>Stage A - Introduction</b>		<b>5</b>
EDU-295d	Observation and Participation (Required May term course)	2
INT-122	Short Term Missions	1
INT-124	Cross-Cultural Exposure Trip	2
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>4</b>
REL-275	Evangelism and Global Outreach	3
REL-275P	Evangelism and Global Outreach Practicum	1
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>18</b>
First semester		
EDU-354	Language Arts Methods	2
EDU-388	Developmental Reading	3
Second semester		
EDU-386	Corrective Reading	3
Either semester		
EDU-392	Cross-cultural Tutoring Practicum	1
INT-315	Cross-cultural Communication of Faith	3
INT	Elective	3
TESOL	Elective	3
<b>P-6 Elementary Education/ Intercultural Major</b>		<b>126-129</b>

Professional Core	56
Additional INT/EDU Courses	27
General Education	43-46

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## Secondary Education

### Secondary Education - B.S.

	<b>5-12, P-12 Certification</b>	
<b>GENERAL EDUCATION</b>		<b>45-54 hours</b>
UNV-180	Becoming World Changers: Christian Faith and Contemporary Issues	3
<b>Humanities Core</b>		<b>12</b>
ENG-180	Humanities World Literature	3
HST-180	Humanities World Civilization	3
MUS-180	Humanities Fine Arts	3
PHL-180	Humanities Philosophy	3
<b>Biblical Literature</b>		<b>6</b>
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
<b>Advanced Writing or Literature</b>		<b>3</b>
	Advanced Writing or Literature > 200	3
<b>Health and Wellness</b>		<b>2</b>
PHE-101	Concepts of Health and Wellness	1
PHE	Activity Elective	1
<b>Social Science and Psychology</b>		<b>9</b>
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
SOC-150	Principles of Sociology (does not meet Intercultural competency), <b>OR</b>	
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations (meets Intercultural competency)	3
Elective	ECO, HST, or POL	3
<b>Science/Mathematics</b>		<b>7</b>
	Lab Science	4
	Math/Science elective	3
<b>Competencies and Proficiencies</b>		<b>3-12</b>
Writing Competency		0-3
Speech Competency		3
Intercultural Competency		0-3
Mathematics Competency		0-3
<b>PROFESSIONAL CORE</b>		<b>37-38 hours</b>
<b>Stage A - Introduction</b>		<b>5</b>
EDU-130	American Education	3
EDU-296	Observation and Participation (not required for physical and health education majors)	2
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>9</b>



EDU-240	Educational Psychology	3
EDU-250	Principles of Teaching	3
PSY-276	Psychology of the Exceptional Learner	3
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>7-8</b>
EDU-324	Literacy in Diverse Classrooms	3
EDU-382	Content Methods	3
EDU-382C	Practicum	1
5-12 Majors Only		
EDU-383	Practicum	1
<b>Stage D - Application</b>		<b>16</b>
EDU-490/492	Student Teaching	15
EDU-495	Student Teaching Seminar	1

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## English Education

	<b>5-12 Certification</b>	
<b>Foreign Language</b>		<b>0-12</b>
Intermediate Competency		
<b>Major Courses</b>		<b>9</b>
ENG-220	Approaches to Literary Analysis	3
ENG-241	Studies in English Grammar	3
ENG-481	Capstone	3
<b>Literature</b>		<b>21</b>
EDU-265	Literature for Adolescents	3
ENG-233	American Literature Survey	3
ENG-240	British Literature Survey	3
ENG	Literature Electives	3
Upper-level literature electives from the following categories:		
<b>Category 1.</b>	<b>American Literature, Colonial-19th Century</b>	
ENG	371, 372, 373, 374, 476, 477, 478	3
<b>Category 2.</b>	<b>British Literature, Pre-20th Century</b>	
ENG	361, 362, 364, 462, 466, 468	3
<b>Category 3.</b>	<b>American/British Literature, Post 1900</b>	
ENG	360, 365, 370, 430, 469, 479	3
<b>Writing</b>		<b>3</b>
WRI-234	Advanced Writing <b>OR</b>	
WRI-281	Rhetorical Strategies <b>OR</b>	
WRI-282	Writing for Results	3
<b>Linguistics</b>		<b>3</b>
ENG-352	History of the English Language	3
<b>Required Education Course</b>		<b>1</b>
EDU-200	Educational Technology	1
<b>English Education Major (5-12)</b>		<b>124-138</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		38
Required Education Course		1
Electives		0-4

English	36-45
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## Mathematics Education

	<b>5-12 Certification</b>	
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Prerequisite: two years of high school algebra and a year of high school geometry.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>37</b>
MAT-223	Introduction to Mathematics via Discrete Processes	3
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
MAT-254	Calculus II	4
MAT-255	Calculus III	4
MAT-280	Linear Algebra	3
MAT-322	Mathematical Modeling I	4
MAT-333	Modern Geometry	4
MAT-342	Number Theory	3
MAT-344	Modern Abstract Algebra	3
MAT-481	History and Foundations	3
MAT-490	Math Senior Seminar	2
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3-6</b>
MAT-204	Applied Statistics I <b>and</b>	3
MAT-304	Applied Statistics II <b>OR</b>	3
MAT-363	Mathematical Statistics	3
<b>Take one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
MAT-353	Differential Equations	3
MAT-373	Numerical Analysis	3
MAT-446	Advanced Calculus	3
MAT-456	Elementary Real Analysis	3
MAT-457	Complex Variables	3
<b>Supporting Course</b>		<b>3</b>
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
<b>Choose one lab science from among the following:</b>		<b>4-5</b>
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4
CHE-110	Introduction to Chemistry	4
CHE-125	General Chemistry I	5
PHY-211	General Physics I	4
PHY-221	University Physics I	4
<b>Mathematics Education Major (5-12)</b>		<b>128-138</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		38
Mathematics and supporting course		46

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## Music Education

	<b>P-12 Certification</b>	
<b>Music Major Core</b>		<b>43-52</b>
MUS-101-301, 442	Applied Study	8
MUS-160	Introduction to Music Theory	(0-2)
MUS-162	Music Theory I	3
MUS-164	Ear Training I	2
MUS-261	Music Theory II	3
MUS-263	Ear Training II	2
MUS-264	Music Theory III	3
MUS-265	Form and Analysis	2
MUS-266	Ear Training III	1
MUS-275	Introduction to Computer Applications	1
MUS-285	Beginning Conducting	2
MUS-286	Advanced Conducting	2
MUS-300	Arranging	1
MUS-371	Music History and Literature I	3
MUS-372	Music History and Literature II	3
MUS-383	Elementary Music Methods for Music Majors	2
MUS-383P	Elementary Music Practicum	1
MUS-385	Music Technology for Music Education	2
MUS-490	Senior Seminar	2
MUS	Music Ensemble (Participation each semester)	0-7
MUS-200	Recital Attendance	0
<b>Piano - Competency through</b>		<b>2-8</b>
Class Piano Level III (instrumental)	<b>OR</b>	
Class Piano Level IV (choral and general)		2
<b>Specialty Course (one of the following)</b>		<b>2</b>
MUS-125	Diction for Singers I	2
MUS-245	Piano Pedagogy I	<b>OR</b>
MUS-246	Piano Pedagogy II	2
MUS-365	Vocal Pedagogy	2
MUS-366	Song Literature	2
MUS-363	Instrumental Methods	2
<b>Emphasis: Choose one of the following options.</b>		
<b>Option 1- Choral Emphasis</b>		<b>8</b>
MUS-280	Choral Techniques	2
MUS-282	String Techniques	2
MUS-283	Percussion Techniques	2
MUS-281	Woodwind Techniques	<b>OR</b>
MUS-284	Brass Techniques	2
<b>Option 2 - Instrumental Emphasis</b>		<b>9-11</b>
MUS-114	Class Voice	1
MUS-193	University Singers (by audition)	0-1
MUS-281	Woodwind Techniques	2

MUS-282	String Techniques	2
MUS-283	Percussion Techniques	2
MUS-284	Brass Techniques	2
<b>In addition to the above courses, choose one from the following:</b>		<b>0-1</b>
MUS-181	Guitar Ensemble	0-1
MUS-184	World Music Ensemble	0-1
MUS-185	Flute Ensemble	0-1
MUS-186	String Quartet	0-1
MUS-187	Trombone Ensemble	0-1
MUS-188	Woodwind Ensemble	0-1
MUS-189	Honors Brass Quintet	0-1
MUS-195	Percussion Ensemble	0-1
MUS-197	Jazz Ensemble	0-1
<b>Option 3 - Choral, General, Instrumental Emphasis</b>		<b>14-18</b>
MUS-111	Applied Study---Minor	1
MUS-112	Applied Study---Minor	1
MUS-211	Applied Study---Minor	1
MUS-212	Applied Study---Minor	1
MUS-280	Choral Techniques	2
MUS-281	Woodwind Techniques	2
MUS-282	String Techniques	2
MUS-283	Percussion Techniques	2
MUS-284	Brass Techniques	2
MUS	Four semesters of secondary large ensemble	0-4
<b>P-12 Music Education</b>		<b>137-161</b>
<b>Choral Emphasis</b>		
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		37
Music Major Core + Specialty Course + Piano		47-62
Option 1 Choral Emphasis		8
<b>P-12 Music Education</b>		<b>138-164</b>
<b>Instrumental Emphasis</b>		
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		37
Music Major Core + Specialty Course + Piano		47-62
Option 2 Instrumental Emphasis		9-11
<b>P-12 Music Education</b>		<b>143-171</b>
<b>Choral, General, Instrumental Emphasis</b>		
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		37
Music Major Core + Specialty Course + Piano		47-62
Option 3: Choral, General, Instrumental Emphasis		14-18

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## Physical and Health Education

	<b>5-12 and P-12 Certification</b>	
<b>Required Biology Courses and Prerequisites</b>		<b>8</b>
BIO-111	Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO-111L	Anatomy and Physiology I Lab	0
BIO-112	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
BIO-112L	Anatomy and Physiology II Lab	0
<b>Physical and Health Education Major Core</b>		<b>51</b>
Meets 5-12 certification requirements		
PHE-155	Introduction to Physical Education, Sport, and Wellness	3
PHE-157	Rhythmics	2
PHE-210	Computers and Technology in Physical Education and Athletics	2
PHE-229	Community CPR	1
PHE-230	First Aid: Responding to Emergencies	2
PHE-282	Motor Development	2
PHE-286	Kinesiology	3
PHE-341	Team Sports	3
PHE-345	Individual/Dual Sports	3
PHE-371	Administration of Physical Education and Athletics	3
PHE-374	Physiology of Exercise	3
PHE-378	Tests and Measurements	3
PHE-385	Psychology of Motor Learning	3
PHE-423	Adapted Physical Education	3
<b>The following courses meet health education certification requirements:</b>		
PHE-162	Personal Health	3
PHE-163	School Health and Safety	3
PHE-362	Nutrition for Health	3
PHE-365	Public and Community Health	3
PHE-366	Alcohol and Drug Education	3
<b>5-12 and P-12 majors add:</b>		
EDU-382HE	Methods of Teaching Health Education	3
EDU-382C	Health Education Practicum	1
<b>P-12 Physical and Health Education Certification</b> Major Core + 4 hours		<b>55</b>
PHE-242	Elementary Physical Education	3
PHE-242P	Elementary Physical Education Practicum	1
<b>5-12 Physical and Health Education Major</b>		<b>144-153</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		36
Prerequisite Courses		8
Major Core		51
Health Methods and Practicum		4
<b>P-12 Physical and Health Education Major</b>		<b>147-156</b>

General Education	45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core	35
Prerequisite Courses	8
Major Core + P-12 Certification Requirements	55
Health Methods and Practicum	4

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## Science Education

		5-12 Certification	
<b>Major Core</b>			<b>18 hours</b>
BIO-125	Principles of Biology I		4
CHE-125	General Chemistry I		5
CHE-125L	General Chemistry I Lab		0
CHE-126	General Chemistry II		5
CHE-126L	General Chemistry II Lab		0
EAR-132	Earth Science (with Lab)		4
<b>DUAL FIELD BIOLOGY/CHEMISTRY MAJOR</b>			
<b>Required Math and Prerequisite Courses</b>			<b>17</b>
MAT-253	Calculus I		4
MAT-254	Calculus II		4
PHY-221	University Physics I		4
PHY-221L	University Physics I Lab		0
PHY-222	University Physics II		5
PHY-222L	University Physics II Lab		0
<b>Biology/Chemistry Major Courses</b>			<b>33</b>
BIO-201	Animal Biology		4
BIO-202	Plant Biology		4
BIO-213	Microbiology		4
BIO-213L	Microbiology Lab		0
BIO-301	Ecology		3
BIO-351	Cellular Biology		3
CHE-235	Organic Chemistry I		4
CHE-235L	Organic Chemistry I Lab		0
CHE-350	Analytical Chemistry I		4
CHE-350L	Analytical Chemistry I Lab		0
CHE-430	Biological Chemistry		3
CHE-440	Physical Chemistry I		3
BIO-490	Biology Senior Seminar	<b>OR</b>	
CHE-490	Chemistry Senior Seminar		1
<b>Required Education Course</b>			<b>1</b>
EDU-200	Educational Technology		1
<b>5-12 Dual Field Biology/Chemistry Education Major</b>			<b>152-161</b>
General Education			45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core			38
Science Major Core			18
Required Math and Prerequisite Courses			17
Biology/ Chemistry Courses			33
Required Education Course			1
<b>BIOLOGY EDUCATION MAJOR</b>			

<b>Biology Major Courses</b>		<b>33-34</b>
BIO-201	Animal Biology	4
BIO-202	Plant Biology	4
BIO-213	Microbiology	4
BIO-213L	Microbiology Lab	0
BIO-301	Ecology	3
BIO-311	Mammalian Anatomy	4
BIO-312	General Physiology	4
BIO-351	Cellular Biology	3
BIO-330	Histology <b>OR</b>	(3)
BIO-411	Vertebrate Development	(4)
BIO-412	Genetics	3
BIO-490	Biology Senior Seminar	1
<b>Required Education Course</b>		<b>1</b>
EDU-200	Educational Technology	1
<b>5-12 Biology Education Major</b>		<b>135-145</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		38
Science Major Core		18
Biology		33-34
Required Education Course		1
<b>CHEMISTRY EDUCATION MAJOR</b>		
<b>Required Math and Prerequisite Courses</b>		<b>17</b>
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
MAT-254	Calculus II	4
PHY-221	University Physics I	4
PHY-221L	University Physics I Lab	0
PHY-222	University Physics II	5
PHY-222L	University Physics II Lab	0
<b>Chemistry Major Courses</b>		<b>21</b>
CHE-235	Organic Chemistry I	4
CHE-235L	Organic Chemistry I Lab	0
CHE-236	Organic Chemistry II	4
CHE-236L	Organic Chemistry II Lab	0
CHE-350	Analytical Chemistry	4
CHE-350L	Analytical Chemistry Lab	0
CHE-440	Physical Chemistry I	3
CHE-450	Physical Chemistry II	3
CHE-490	Chemistry Senior Seminar	1
CHE-495	Research in Chemistry	2
<b>Required Education Course</b>		<b>1</b>
EDU-200	Educational Technology	1
<b>5-12 Chemistry Education Major</b>		<b>140-149</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		38
Science Major Core		18
Required Math and Prerequisite Courses		17
Chemistry Courses		21

Required Education Course	1
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## Social Studies Education

<b>5-12 Certification</b>		
<b>Historical Perspectives</b>		<b>15</b>
HST-185	Foundations of Civilization to 1648	3
HST-190	The West and the World after 1648	3
HST-211	American Civilization to 1865*	3
HST-212	American Civilization after 1865	3
HST	Elective (300-400 level): "Scholarship" List	3
<b>Government</b>		<b>12</b>
POL-100	American Government	3
POL-232	Comparative Politics	3
POL	Elective	3
POL	Elective (300-400 level): "Scholarship" List	3
<b>Psychology</b>		<b>12</b>
EDU-240	Educational Psychology*	3
PSY-150	General Psychology*	3
PSY-276	Psychology of the Exceptional Learner*	3
PSY	Elective (300-400 level): "Scholarship" List	3
<b>Sociology</b>		<b>9</b>
SOC-150	Principles of Sociology <b>OR</b>	
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3
SOC	Elective (upper or lower level)	3
SOC	Elective (300-400 level): "Scholarship" List	3
<b>Economics</b>		<b>9</b>
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3
ECO	Elective (300-400 level): "Scholarship" List	3
<b>Geography</b>		<b>3</b>
GEO-202	Political and Cultural Geography	3
Among content course electives listed above, <b>SSE majors are required to complete at least three upper-level courses (300 or 400 level) from the "Scholarship List" in different content disciplines.</b> Course instructors have agreed to include a writing-intensive, research-based, rubric-assessed assignment, the results of which are vital to program assessment.		
<b>Required Education Course</b>		<b>1</b>
EDU-200	Educational Technology	1
<b>5-12 Social Studies Education Major</b>		<b>129-138</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		38
Social Studies (Unduplicated hours)		45
Required Education Course		1



\*These courses duplicate general education or professional education requirements.

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## Spanish Education

### P-12 Certification

#### Definition and Purpose

The Spanish education major requires a core program in Spanish of 42-54 hours with a minimum of three credit hours in a Spanish-speaking country. A prerequisite of six hours of beginning Spanish or demonstration of beginning level proficiency by examinations required. Student will also be required to fulfill the general education requirements and the professional education requirements for a teaching degree. The Spanish education major will equip students with the knowledge, skills, and experience necessary for becoming highly-qualified Spanish teachers. The program requires that all graduating seniors function at the ADVANCED level of proficiency in Spanish as defined by the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) guidelines (intermediate--high is required by the State). The Spanish education major will do the following: equip students with a well-rounded understanding of Spanish grammar and Hispanic literature, history, and culture; prepare them to teach using the best methods and technology available for second language acquisition; require Spanish language and cultural immersion experience in the local community and overseas. Prerequisite: SPA-117 and SPA-118 or beginning level competency by examination.

<b>SPANISH EDUCATION MAJOR</b>		<b>42-54 hours</b>
<b>Prerequisite Courses</b>		<b>0-6</b>
SPA-117	Beginning Spanish I	0-3
SPA-118	Beginning Spanish II	0-3
<b>Language Courses</b>		<b>9-15</b>
SPA-237	Intermediate Spanish I	0-3
SPA-238	Intermediate Spanish II	0-3
SPA-347	Spanish Conversation/Composition	3
SPA-357	Spanish Linguistics and Phonology	3
SPA-420	Advanced Spanish Grammar	3
Students are required to pass SPA-347 with a minimum grade of "C" before advancing to other 300 or 400 upper-division classes. Advisors may, however, grant some students permission to take another upper-division class at the same time that they are taking SPA-347.		
Students may not elect to take SPA-237 or SPA-238 after successfully completing upper level courses except by permission of the Division.		
<b>History and Culture</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Choose four of the following courses:</b>		
SPA-348	Latin American Studies	3
SPA-354	Latin American History	3
SPA-365	Special Topics in Spanish Culture	3
SPA-371	Hispanic Culture in the U.S.	3
SPA-372	Culture and Civilization of Spain	3
<b>Literature</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Choose four of the following courses:</b>		
SPA-457	Survey of Spanish Literature	3
SPA-458	Survey of Spanish American Literature	3
SPA-461	Contemporary Spanish Literature	3
SPA-462	Spanish Short Stories	3
SPA-465	Special Topics in Spanish Literature	3

<b>Special Language and Methods</b>		<b>2</b>
SPA-360	Technology and Assessment in the Foreign Language Classroom	2
<b>Education Requirement</b>		<b>1</b>
SPA-380P	Elementary Spanish Methods Practicum	1
<b>Foreign Study Experience</b>		<b>3</b>
SPA-370	Hispanic Culture and Languages Studies <b>OR</b>	3
SPA	300 or 400 level course abroad	3
Students may transfer a 300 or 400 level course taken abroad that focuses on the history, culture or literature of a Spanish-speaking country, or the theory or practical use of the Spanish language. Must be taught in Spanish and <b>must</b> be from an approved, accredited program.		
<b>P-12 Spanish Education Major</b>		<b>125-143</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		38
Spanish		39-51
Electives		0-3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## TESOL Education

<b>Teaching English To Speakers of Other Languages</b>		
<b>P-12 Certification</b>		

The TESOL Education major combines professional training with specialized instruction in the latest theoretical foundations for second-language acquisition, including methods and materials training and practicum experience designed specifically for the TESOL student. Students completing this program will meet all certification standards for public instruction in the State of Indiana (English as a New Language standards), and will acquire the theoretical foundations and skills necessary for effective second-language instruction for non-English speaking individuals around the world.

<b>TESOL PROFESSIONAL CORE</b>		<b>34 hours</b>
<b>Stage A - Introduction</b>		<b>5</b>
EDU-130	American Education	3
EDU-296	Observation and Participation	2
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>10</b>
EDU-200	Educational Technology	1
EDU-240	Educational Psychology	3
EDU-250	Principles of Teaching	3
PSY-276	Psychology of the Exceptional Learner	3
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>3</b>
EDU-324	Literacy in Diverse Classrooms	3
<b>Stage D - Application</b>		<b>16</b>
EDU-492	Student Teaching	15
EDU-495	Student Teaching Seminar	1
<b>TESOL Major</b>		<b>44-56</b>
<b>Intercultural</b>		<b>3</b>

INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
<b>English/TESOL</b>		<b>21</b>
ENG-170	Introduction to Linguistics	3
TSL-203	TESOL Theoretical Foundations	3
ENG-241	Studies in English Grammar	3
TSL-305	Second Language Acquisition	3
TSL-350	TESOL Assessment and Testing	3
TSL-420	English Linguistics for TESOL	3
TSL-450	English Grammar Pedagogy	3
<b>TESOL Methods and Practicum</b>		<b>8</b>
EDU-382TE	TESOL Methods and Materials	3
EDU-382C	Practicum	1
TSL-380	TESOL Methods for Elementary Teachers	3
TSL-380P	Elementary TESOL Education Practicum	1
<b>Foreign Language</b>		<b>0-12</b>
	Foreign Language; <b>OR</b>	
	Demonstration of intermediate level competency	
<b>Electives (choose from all three areas)</b>		<b>12</b>
Linguistics		
Intercultural Studies		
Communication		
<b>P-12 TESOL Education</b>		<b>124-144</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		34
TESOL Education		44-56
General Elective		0-1

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## Visual Arts

	<b>5-12, P-12 Certification</b>	
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\*Denotes art foundational course

<b>Major Core</b>		<b>36 hours</b>
<b>Two -Dimensional Design</b>		<b>21</b>
ART-121	Drawing I*	3
ART-221	Drawing II*	3
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design*	3
ART-238	Digital Imagery	3
ART-266	Printmaking I	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART-331	Painting I*	3
<b>Three-Dimensional Design</b>		<b>9</b>
ART-241	Ceramics I*	3

ART-251	Sculpture I	3
ART-324	Design II: Three-Dimensional Design*	3
<b>Art History</b>		<b>6</b>
Art History Electives		6
<b>5-12 Certification</b>		<b>36</b>
Completion of major core		
<b>P-12 Certification</b>		<b>49</b>
<b>Major core + 13 hours</b>		
ART-371	Art for Elementary Teachers	3
ART-371P	Elementary Art Practicum	1
ART	Art Electives	9
<b>5-12 Art Education Major</b>		<b>124-128</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		38
Visual Arts		36
Electives		0-5
<b>P-12 Art Education Major</b>		<b>131-140</b>
General Education		45-54
Secondary Education Professional Core		37
Visual Arts		49

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## Special Needs Education

### Exceptional Needs Education - B.S.

	<b>P-6, 5-12, P-12 Certification</b>	
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The Exceptional Needs program is designed to train teachers to serve persons who require mild interventions (a Severe and Profound program is also available for students who wish to add this certification to their teaching license). It is consistent with new state standards that call for a major (rather than minor) in exceptional needs. The focus is also on a non-categorical approach. Graduates of the program have a(n):

1. Understanding of the provision of special education in the regular classroom environment.
2. Effective use of state-of-the-art methods in special education.
3. Knowledge of effective service delivery models for learners with disabilities.
4. Awareness of alternative resources for serving learners with disabilities.
5. Skill in working with families of learners with disabilities.
6. Skill in working with other professionals and agencies to assure quality programs.
7. Attitude of lifelong learning as a special education professional.

Four guiding principles are foundational to the exceptional needs program:

1. God created all persons, including persons with disabilities, and each is valuable (Psalm 139:13-16).
2. When included as part of society, persons with disabilities have something to offer (I Corinthians 12:12-26).
3. The task of the educator is to teach persons with or without disabilities to fulfill their role in society (I Thessalonians 5:14).

4. Acceptance of these individuals, as they are, is a primary and essential part of teaching (John 4:5-27).

Three versions of the Exceptional Needs major are available. Each consists of general education requirements, a Professional Core common to each of the majors, Exceptional Needs courses specific to each of the three majors, and elective courses. In addition, a Severe and Profound program may be added to any of the three Exceptional Needs majors.

<b>GENERAL EDUCATION</b>		<b>45-54 hours</b>
UNV-180	Becoming World Changers: Christian Faith and Contemporary Issues	3
<b>Humanities Core</b>		<b>12</b>
ENG-180	Humanities World Literature	3
HST-180	Humanities World Civilization	3
MUS-180	Humanities Fine Art	3
PHL-180	Humanities Philosophy	3
<b>Biblical Literature</b>		<b>6</b>
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
<b>Advanced Writing or Literature</b>		<b>3</b>
	Advanced Writing <b>OR</b>	
	Literature > 200	3
<b>Health and Wellness</b>		<b>2</b>
PHE-101	Concepts of Health and Wellness	1
PHE	Activity Elective	1
<b>Social Sciences and Psychology</b>		<b>9</b>
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
SOC-150	Principles of Sociology (does not meet Intercultural Competency)	3
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations (Meets Intercultural Competency)	3
Elective	Taken from ECO, HST, or POL	3
<b>Science/Mathematics</b>		<b>7</b>
	Lab Science	4
	Math/Science Elective	3
<b>Competencies and Proficiencies</b>		<b>3-12</b>
	Writing Competency	0-3
	Speech Competency	3
	Intercultural Competency	0-3
	Mathematics Competency	0-3
<b>PROFESSIONAL CORE</b>		<b>42</b>
<b>Stage A - Introduction</b>		<b>4</b>
EDU-130	American Education	3
EDU-200	Educational Technology	1
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>6</b>
EDS-215	Teaching and Learning in Inclusive Settings	3
PSY-276	Psychology of the Exceptional Learner	3
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>16</b>
EDS-350	Assessment in Special Education	3
EDS-350P	Assessment Practicum	1
EDS-361	Behavior Management in Special Education	3

EDS-370	Public Policy and Special Education	3
EDS-385	Special Education Practicum I	3
EDS-386	Special Education Practicum II	3
<b>Stage D - Application</b>		<b>16</b>
EDS-496	Student Teaching	15
EDS-494	Student Teaching Seminar	1
<b>EXCEPTIONAL NEEDS, P-6 MAJOR</b>		
Add the following courses to the Professional Core:		
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>6</b>
EDU-290	Elementary Education in a Pluralistic Society	3
PSY-251	Child Development	3
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>8</b>
EDS-381	Methods for Teaching Children with Exceptional Needs	3
EDS-354	Language Arts Methods	2
EDS-388	Developmental Reading	3
<b>P-6 Exceptional Needs Program</b>		<b>124</b>
General Education		45-54
Professional Core		42
P-6 EXN courses		14
Electives		23-14
<b>EXCEPTIONAL NEEDS, 5-12 MAJOR</b>		
Add the following courses to the Professional Core:		
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>6</b>
EDU-240	Educational Psychology	3
EDU-250	Principles of Teaching	3
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>6</b>
EDS-324	Literacy for Adolescent with Exceptional Needs	3
EDS-382	Methods for Teaching Adolescents with Exceptional Needs	3
<b>5-12 Exceptional Needs Program</b>		<b>124</b>
General Education		45-54
Professional Core		42
5-12 EXN courses		12
Electives		25-16
<b>EXCEPTIONAL NEEDS, P-12 MAJOR</b>		
Add the following courses to the Professional Core:		
<b>Stage B - Acquisition</b>		<b>6</b>
EDU-240	Educational Psychology	3
EDU-250	Principles of Teaching	3
<b>Stage C - Integration</b>		<b>14</b>
EDS-324	Literacy for Adolescent with Exceptional Needs	3
EDS-354	Language Arts Methods	2
EDS-381	Methods for Teaching Children With Exceptional Needs	3

EDS-382	Methods for Teaching Adolescents with Exceptional Needs	3
EDS-388	Developmental Reading	3
<b>P-12 Exceptional Needs Program</b>		<b>124</b>
General Education		45-54
Professional Core		42
P-12 EXN courses		20
Electives		8-17
<b>Severe and Profound</b>		<b>9</b>
Severe and Profound certification may be added to any Exceptional Needs major by taking the following courses:		
EDS-331	Critical Issues in Severe Disabilities	3
EDS-332	Community-Based Instruction, Supports and Services	3
EDS-333	Interdisciplinary Collaboration	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## **School of the Physical and Applied Sciences**

The School of the Physical and Applied Sciences houses the following divisions.

Health and Human Performance Division

Natural Sciences Division

Mathematics and Computer Information Sciences Division



## Health and Human Performance Division

### Purpose

The Health and Human Performance Division at Indiana Wesleyan University prepares students to meet the ever increasing demands of society for professionally trained people in the areas of education, sports, fitness, health, recreation, and athletics. Areas of development such as neuromuscular skill, organic fitness, intellectual awareness, social concern, emotional release, and spiritual sensitivity will be emphasized. God created man as an integrated whole being, and the professionals in this division are afforded a great opportunity to reach all aspects of the whole person. Each individual will be challenged to develop professionally and in turn be prepared to serve others upon completion of the degree.

Eight degrees are offered within the Division of Health and Human Performance. They are a Bachelor's of Science degree in Applied Health and Fitness, Athletic Training, Exercise Science, Physical and Health Education-secondary certification (5-12) or all grade certification (P-12), Recreation Management, Sports Management, and Sports Ministries.

In addition to these majors, there are minors available in Health Promotion And Wellness, Recreation Management, and Coaching. There is also a Pre-physical Therapy program.

### Admission to Majors

Admission to majors in the Health and Human Performance Division follow the procedures established for the university. Majors seeking teaching certification must apply for admission to teacher education through the Department of Education. Also see the athletic training and exercise science application process.

<b>General Education Requirements</b>	<b>45-51 hours</b>
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Most majors within the Health and Human Performance Division follow the traditional general education requirements. Recommended courses for specific areas are below. If this differs, the courses are identified under the specific major.

### Applied Health and Fitness - B.S.

There is a growing demand for qualified, certified professionals in the field of health, wellness, and fitness. The Applied Health and Fitness degree prepares students for careers in areas such as corporate fitness, personal training, strength and conditioning, and related fields. Students will also be prepared to sit for certification exams from organizations such as the National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA), the American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM) and the American Council on Exercise (ACE).

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>44 hours</b>
BIO-112	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
PHE-170	Introduction to Exercise Science	3
PHE-225	Psychology of Sport and Exercise	3
PHE-229	Community CPR	1
PHE-230	First Aid: Responding to Emergencies	2
PHE-235	Professional Experience I	1
PHE-264	Principles of Strength and Conditioning <b>OR</b>	3
PHE-265	Personal Training <b>and</b>	2
PHE-236	Professional Experience II	1
PHE-286	Kinesiology	3
PHE-362	Nutrition for Health	3
PHE-365	Public and Community Health	3
PHE-366	Alcohol and Drug Education	3
PHE-370	Biomechanics	3
PHE-374	Physiology of Exercise	3

PHE-375	Fitness Assessment and Exercise Prescription	3
PHE-410	Wellness Internship	2
PHE-413	Health Promotion and Wellness Management	3
PHE-485	Senior Seminar I	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Health Promotion and Wellness Minor

Required Courses		25 hours
BIO-111	Anatomy and Physiology I	4
PHE-162	Personal Health	3
PHE-163	School Health and Safety	3
PHE-229	Community CPR	1
PHE-230	First Aid: Responding to Emergencies	2
PHE-362	Nutrition for Health	3
PHE-365	Public and Community Health	3
PHE-366	Alcohol and Drug Education	3
PHE-413	Health Promotion and Wellness Management	3

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### Athletic Training - B.S.

This bachelor's degree is designed to prepare the student for a career in the field of athletic training/sports medicine. The Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE), <http://www.caate.net>, 2201 Double Creek Drive, Suite 5006, Round Rock, TX 78664, accredits IWU's athletic training education program. The major can be completed in 8 semesters of study. The current route to become a BOC certified athletic trainer is through a CAATE accredited athletic training education program. IWU's athletic training education program received accreditation in April 2003 and is committed to program excellence. This is a competitive program and application alone does not guarantee admittance. Any student designating Athletic Training as their major is given a pre-athletic training major description which signifies their intent to apply to the program. The application process should be started in the fall of the first year of declaring the major, with formal application due on December 1 of that semester. Decisions will be made by the athletic training faculty, and students will be notified by mail during Christmas vacation of the decision.

### Transfer Students

A prospective student must declare an interest in Athletic Training as a chosen field within his or her first year of study. A student beyond his or her freshman year at IWU (e.g., changing majors) will also be considered for the program; however, an additional year or two of study may be necessary to satisfy the educational and clinical requirements for IWU's ATEP program. A transfer student may apply certain athletic training courses from another university/college towards our major if the course is acceptable to the athletic training program director (e.g., course content, credit hours, and description) and meets all transfer requirements by the Records office.

### Athletic Training Education Program Application Procedure

All students applying to the IWU ATEP must meet the technical standards of our program. Should accommodations need to be made, the student must contact the athletic training program director. The technical standards for our program are available on the athletic training Web site or from the athletic training faculty. Applications are available from the athletic training faculty upon request. If a pre-athletic training student does not gain acceptance into the program, they can continue to take the necessary steps (listed below) to apply to the athletic training education program within three semesters or change majors. The following criteria must be met to gain admittance into the athletic training education program as an athletic training student

1. A formal letter of application stating why you want to apply to our program and why you want to become a certified athletic trainer.

2. Completion of the Indiana Wesleyan University Athletic Training Education Program application, recommendation forms, technical standards, interview with the athletic training faculty, and a minimum of 75 hours of direct observation. (A photocopy of the observation log should be included in the application.)
3. Completion of ATR-195 and 196 with at least a 2.0 GPA (C) or above in each course. A student cannot enroll in other athletic training courses until the athletic training course with the unacceptable grade (C- or below) is retaken and passed with a grade of "C" or above. A student changing his or her major to athletic training at the start of the spring semester may take approved classes towards the athletic training major. Spring semester applications to the program will be considered on an individual basis for students changing majors or transfer students depending on their academic standings and previous coursework.
4. Completion of one semester of attendance at Indiana Wesleyan University or transferring to IWU with the proper coursework in athletic training and a minimum overall GPA of 2.5 (C).
5. Commitment to the mission of the university as demonstrated by professional conduct. Apparent interest and motivation, as evidenced by work habits, promptness, etc. Athletic Training background through previous high school and/or college-level experience prior to application to the ATEP program is desirable but not required.

#### **Athletic Training Education Program Retention Policy**

To remain in the Athletic Training Education program as an athletic training student, the student must achieve the following standards each semester

1. Earn at least a 2.0 GPA (C) or above in all required classes within the major.
2. Earn at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA (C+).
3. Be in good standing with the university (e.g., no citizenship probation).
4. Participate in blood borne pathogen training at the beginning of each academic year.
5. Maintain CPR-PR certification every year.
6. Show progress through clinical instruction and learning over time.
7. Perform all duties assigned to the best of one's ability.
8. Show a professional attitude and character in all areas of athletic training, both academic and clinical.

#### **Athletic Training Education Program Probation Policy**

Any athletic training student within the program may be subject to a probationary status. A probationary status will be assigned if an athletic training student does not abide by the standards of the IWU Athletic Training Education program. The athletic training program director is the only authority that can administer a probationary status or remove a probationary status within this program. The athletic training program director and athletic training faculty may also remove athletic training students from the program for infractions of divisional and university policies. Athletic training students may not accumulate clinical hours while on probation but may progress through the Athletic Training major course sequence.

#### **Athletic Training Student Health Policy**

Athletic training students must have the appropriate health forms and records on file with the athletic training program director to be considered for admittance to the Athletic Training Education program. In addition, athletic training students will be required to have the following tests and vaccinations by the start of their first semester in the major (or in the process to receive the vaccinations - HBV);

1. **Tuberculin Skin Test** If the TB test is positive, a chest x-ray must be done. A yearly TB test is required and written results are given to the athletic training program director to be added to that student's file. The athletic training student may have this test done at the IWU Health Center.
2. **Hepatitis B Vaccination** Athletic training students are strongly encouraged to be vaccinated with the Hepatitis B vaccine (HBV). A sum of three injections in a six-month period is required for this vaccination. Each injection will vary in cost depending on where you obtain the vaccination. A waiver must be signed and in the athletic training student's permanent file if he or she chooses not to obtain the vaccination.
3. **Physical Examination** Athletic training students will undergo a physical with the Athletic Training Education program's team physician, if the student does not have a physical on file in the Health Center.

<b>Courses</b>		<b>55 hours</b>
ATR-195	Introduction to Athletic Training	2
ATR-196	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experience I	1
ATR-197	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experience II	1
ATR-199	Athletic Training Practicum I	1
ATR-220	Therapeutic Modalities	3
ATR-225	Lower Extremity Evaluation and Assessment	2
ATR-226	Upper Extremity Evaluation and Assessment	2
ATR-231	Advanced Athletic Training	2
ATR-296	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experience III	1
ATR-297	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experience IV	1
ATR-299	Athletic Training Practicum II	1
ATR-332	Therapeutic Exercise and Rehabilitation I	2
ATR-333	Therapeutic Exercise and Rehabilitation II	2
ATR-396	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experience V	1
ATR-397	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experience VI	1
ATR-399	Athletic Training Practicum III	1
ATR-440	Pharmacology for the Athletic Trainer	2
ATR-450	Senior Seminar in Sports Medicine	2
ATR-492	Administration of Athletic Training	2
ATR-495	Athletic Training Practicum IV	1
ATR-496	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experiences VII	1
ATR-497	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experiences VIII	1
BIO-112	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
PHE-225	Psychology of Sport and Exercise	3
PHE-286	Kinesiology	3
PHE-362	Nutrition for Health	3
PHE-370	Biomechanics	3
PHE-374	Physiology of Exercise	3
PHE-377	Physics of Sport Movement	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **Athletic Training Major Requirements for Graduation**

1. Complete all athletic training practicum courses along with the hour requirement for those courses.
2. Become certified in CPR for the Professional Rescuer and First Aid /AED (accomplished with ATR-197) and maintain that certification while at IWU.
3. Experience upper and lower extremity clinical rotations as well as an equipment intensive sport and general medical rotation.
4. Complete the clinical education instruction plan consistent with the learning over time model.

## Exercise Science - B.S.

This program is designed to prepare students for post-graduate academic pursuits in exercise science and specifically exercise physiology, cardiac/pulmonary/cancer rehabilitation, biomechanics, or fitness leadership. Students interested in continuing their education in physical or occupational therapy or becoming a physician's assistant would benefit from this exercise science program as well. The final purpose of this program design is to prepare students for certifications by professional organizations relative to exercise science, specifically the Clinical Exercise Specialist and Health Fitness Specialist certifications by the American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM). Contact the exercise science department for more information about the application process.

Required Courses		44 hours
BIO-112	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4
CHE-120	Introduction to Organic and Biological Chemistry	4
PHE-170	Introduction to Exercise Science	3
PHE-225	Psychology of Sport and Exercise	3
PHE-235	Professional Experience I (Lab Tech)	1
PHE-236	Professional Experience II	1
PHE-286	Kinesiology	3
PHE-352	Sport Law and Risk Management	3
PHE-370	Biomechanics	3
PHE-374	Physiology of Exercise	3
PHE-375	Fitness Assessment and Exercise Prescription	3
PHE-377	Physics of Sports Movement	3
PHE-415	Nutrition for Sport and Performance	4
PHE-485	Senior Seminar I	1
PHE-486	Senior Seminar II	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Physical and Health Education Major (5-12, P-12)

See the education section of the catalog for a list of specific courses required for the Physical and Health Education major.

## Recreation Management - B.S.

Career opportunities in recreation management have expanded because of the increasing amount of recreation time discovered by Americans in recent years. Career options include work in such areas as church recreation, parks, playgrounds, recreation in business and industry, hospitals, nursing homes, camps, resorts, hotels, cruise ships, youth organizations, zoos, and environmental centers.

Students majoring in Recreation Management are expected to complete 51 hours of credit, including two credit hours of internship and two credit hours of professional experience. Internships will consist of on-site experience with agencies that deliver leisure services. These may include public recreation park agencies, voluntary agencies (youth service agencies), correctional institutions, industries, recreation for the ill and handicapped (including hospitals), and college unions.

Required Courses		51 hours
PHE-156	Wesleyan ISland Experience in Outdoor Wilderness Learning (WISE OWL)	3
PHE-210	Computers and Technology in Physical Education and Sport	2
PHE-229	Community CPR	1
PHE-230	First Aid: Responding to Emergencies	2
PHE-235	Professional Experience I	1

PHE-236	Professional Experience II	1
PHE-352	Sport Law and Risk Management	3
REC-160	Introduction to Recreation	3
REC-180	Recreation Games and Intramural Sports	3
REC-260	Recreation Leadership and Programming	3
REC-280	Commercial and Social Recreation	3
REC-370	Therapeutic Recreation and the Aged	3
REC-380	Camp Management	3
REC-385	Challenge Education	3
REC-390	Introduction to Therapeutic Recreation	3
REC-410	Recreation Internship	2
REC-450	Recreation Administration	3
REC-460	Facilities: Design, Planning, Maintenance, and Scheduling	3
<b>Additional activities from the following:</b>		<b>6</b>
PHE-109	Canoeing	1
PHE-110	Bicycling	1
PHE-120	Backpacking	1
PHE-122	Active Recreation Games	1
	Aquatics course	1
	Individual Dual Sport Activity	1
	Team Sport Activity	1
<b>Suggested courses for Therapeutic Recreation Services (TRS)*</b>		
BIO-112	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
PSY-250	Development Psychology	3
PSY-251	Child Development	3
PSY-252	Adolescent Growth and Development	3
PSY-366	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3
REC-405	Clinical Aspects of Therapeutic Recreation	3
REC-472	The Therapeutic Process, Protocols, and Facilitation Techniques in Leisure Education Programs for the Disabled	3
REC-480	TRS Internship (See Division for additional TRS information)	3

**\*Recreation Therapy Program**

Description: This program prepares students to sit for the National Council for Therapeutic Recreation Certification (NCTRC) exam. Upon successful completion of this exam a graduate would become a certified Recreation Therapist.

Requirements: A student must major in Recreation Management. They will be required to take Anatomy and Physiology I and II. The equivalent of a Psychology minor is required. Five Therapeutic Recreation Service (TRS) courses are required of which two are already taken in the Recreation Management major. These five courses must be taught by a certified Recreation Therapist. All other requirements must be completed as outlined in the NCTRC documents. The certification is awarded by the NCTRC and not the University.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Recreation Management Minor**

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
PHE-156	Wesleyan ISland Experience in Outdoor	3

<b>Wilderness Learning (WISE OWL)</b>		
PHE-235	Professional Experience I	1
REC-160	Introduction to Recreation	3
REC-180	Recreation Games and Intramural Sports	3
REC-260	Recreation Leadership and Programming	3
REC-380	Camp Management	3
REC-410	Recreation Internship	2
REC-450	Recreation Administration	3
REC-460	Facilities: Design, Planning, Maintenance, and Scheduling	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Sports Management - B.S.

The opportunities for employment with a Sports Management major include a variety of related organizations in athletics, professional sports management, marketing, promotion, and fund raising. Related positions are available at the local, state, national and international levels.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>41 hours</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
PHE-155	Introduction to Physical Education, Sport, and Wellness	3
PHE-210	Computers and Technology in Physical Education and Sport	2
PHE-225	Psychology of Sport and Exercise	3
PHE-229	Community CPR	1
PHE-230	First Aid: Responding to Emergencies	2
PHE-235	Professional Experience I	1
PHE-236	Professional Experience II	1
PHE-264	Principals of Strength and Conditioning	3
PHE-350	Ethics and Character Development in Sports	3
PHE-352	Sport Law and Risk Management	3
PHE-354	Sports Management	3
PHE-371	Administration of Physical Education and Athletics	3
PHE-420	Sports Marketing, Promotion, and Fund Raising	3
PHE-422	Sports Management Internship	3
REC-460	Facilities: Design, Planning, Maintenance, and Scheduling	3
PHE-480	Senior Seminar in Health and Human Performance	2

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Sports Ministries - B.S.

### Purpose

The Division of Health and Human Performance and the School of Theology and Ministry have created an interdisciplinary major in Sports Ministries. The purpose of this major is to prepare students professionally for service in church sports ministries, sports camps,

school sports ministries, youth sports ministries, sports chaplaincy, short and long term missions, individual sport coach training, and para-church sports ministries.

### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet some of the general education requirements by taking PHE-248, PSY-150, and SOC-150.

Required Courses		48 hours
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
PHE	Team Sport Activity (select 1)	1
PHE-155	Introduction to Physical Education, Sport, and Wellness	3
PHE-225	Psychology of Sport and Exercise	3
PHE-229	Community CPR	1
PHE-230	First Aid: Responding to Emergencies	2
PHE-235	Professional Experience I	1
PHE-371	Administration of Physical Education and Athletics	3
REL-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
REL-241	Survey of Christian History	3
CED-255	Local Church Education <b>and</b>	1
CED-255P	Local Church Education Practicum	3
PHE-350	Ethics and Character Development in Sport	3
PHE-470	Sports Ministries Internship	3
REL-345	Sports Evangelism and Discipleship	3
REL-340	Models of Sports Ministries	3
YTH-370	Youth Counseling	3
<b>Choose one of the following sets of two courses:</b>		<b>4</b>
REC-260	Recreation Leadership and Programming <b>and</b>	
PHE-236	Professional Experience II	(4)
<b>OR</b>		
YTH-355	Youth Programming and Management <b>and</b>	
YTH-355P	Youth Programming Management Practicum	(4)
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>2</b>
PHE-480	Senior Seminar	2
YTH-480	Youth Ministries Capstone	2

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Health and Human Performance Programs - Other

### Pre-physical Therapy Program

NOTE: Another major must be declared as this is a program to enable the student to pursue graduate education in a professional physical therapy school.

### Description

The Pre-physical Therapy program consists of a combination of courses in addition to the course requirements for any other official university major. However, majors in Athletic Training, Biology, Exercise Science, and Psychology best compliment this program and application to a professional physical therapy school. This program leads to a Bachelor of Science degree and is designed to prepare



the student for application to a professional physical therapy school. Some professional schools may require additional coursework; therefore it is imperative that the student obtain the appropriate prerequisite requirements and related information from potential graduate schools and work with their advisors to meet all admissions requirements.

### Admission

Due to the high academic achievement that is required for admission to professional schools, there is an admission process for entry into the Pre-physical Therapy program. Upon completion of the sophomore year, students interested in the Pre-physical Therapy program must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and interview with the pre-physical therapy advisor (this individual is usually the student's academic major advisor). It is essential that the GPA be maintained. Should a student's GPA fall below the 3.0 requirement, the student will be put on probation from the program and be given one semester to increase his or her GPA back into the acceptable range. If the GPA is not increased to a 3.0 or above, the student will be dismissed from the program but may continue in his or her major. Transcript the same way Pre-med is done.

<b>Requirements Pre-physical Therapy Core</b>		<b>36 Credit hours</b>
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4
BIO-111	Anatomy and Physiology I	<b>OR</b>
BIO-311	Mammalian Anatomy	
BIO-112	Anatomy and Physiology II	<b>OR</b>
BIO-312	General Physiology	
MAT-112	General Statistics	3
CHE-125	General Chemistry I	5
CHE-126	General Chemistry II	5
PHY-211	General Physics I	4
PHY-212	General Physics II	4
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
BIO-311 Mammalian Anatomy and BIO-312 General Physiology are two biology courses that would also meet most professional physical therapy schools prerequisites for admittance and can replace BIO-111 and BIO-112 as adequate substitutes for the program requirements.		
<b>Recommended Electives</b>		
ATR-220	Therapeutic Modalities	3
ATR-225	Lower Extremity Evaluation and Assessment	2
ATR-226	Upper Extremity Evaluation and Assessment	2
ATR-332	Therapeutic Exercise and Rehabilitation I	2
ATR-333	Therapeutic Exercise and Rehabilitation II	2
PHE-286	Kinesiology	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Coaching Minor

<b>Coaching Minor</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
ATR-195	Introduction to Athletic Training	2
ATR-196	Athletic Training Clinical Education Experience I	1
PHE-165	Principles and Problems of Coaching	3
PHE-225	Psychology of Sport and Exercise	3
PHE-235	Professional Experience I	1
PHE-236	Professional Experience II	1
PHE-229	Community CPR	1

PHE-230	First Aid: Responding to Emergencies	2
PHE-374	Physiology of Exercise	3
PHE-286	Kinesiology	3
<b>Choose four from the following courses:</b>		<b>4</b>
PHE-261	Coaching Baseball and Softball	1
PHE-263	Coaching Basketball	1
PHE-274	Coaching of Track and Field	2
PHE-275	Coaching of Volleyball	1
PHE-276	Coaching of Soccer	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### General Physical Activity Courses

Courses PHE-101-PHE-139 fulfill general education requirements. Course PHE-101, Concepts of Health and Wellness, is required. One other course must be selected. Individuals with severely limited physical capabilities or working adult students may arrange with the physical education coordinator to take adult fitness. While only two courses are required a student may take up to a total of eight one hour activity classes that can count toward their graduation hours.

PHE-101	Concepts of Health and Wellness	1
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A study of the values, components, development, and maintenance of fitness. Required of all students.

PHE-102	Adult Fitness	1
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A physical education course for those with limited physical capabilities or working adult students. By permission of instructor.

<b>Other physical education activity electives</b>		
PHE-103	Aerobic Exercise	1
PHE-105	Badminton	1
PHE-106	Basketball - Men	1
PHE-107	Basketball - Women	1
PHE-109	Canoeing (fee required)	1
PHE-110	Cycling	1
PHE-113	Walk, Jog, Run	1
PHE-114	Golf (fee required)	1
PHE-115	Aqua Exercise	1
PHE-116	Horsemanship (fee required)	1
PHE-117	Varsity Athletics (may be repeated once in a second sport)	1
PHE-120	Backpacking (fee required)	1
PHE-121	Racquetball	1
PHE-122	Active Recreation Games	1
PHE-124	Soccer (coed)	1
PHE-126	Swimming Skills	1
PHE-128	Lifeguarding	2
PHE-129	Water Safety Instructor (17 years old, certified)	2
PHE-130	Tennis	1
PHE-131	Cross-Country Skiing (fee required)	1
PHE-132	Volleyball	1
PHE-134	Weight Training	1
PHE-135	Introduction to Climbing	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Natural Sciences Division

The Natural Sciences Division offers the following majors and minors.

### Biology Programs

Biology - B.S.

Biology Minor

Biology - A.S.

Biology Education

Medical Technology - B.S.

### Chemistry Programs

Biochemistry - B.S.

Chemistry - B.S.

Chemistry Minor

Chemistry - A.S.

Chemistry - A.B.

Chemistry Education

Physics Minor

Pre-medical Science Programs

Pre-physical Therapy

## Biology Programs

The curricula of the Biology Department support the efforts of a wide range of career opportunities. In addition to providing general background for minors in Biology and developing scientific competence in its own majors, the Biology Department provides curricula for the pre-med program and support courses for other divisional majors with science requirements. We seek to prepare students who major in Biology for (1) graduate studies in biology; (2) entrance into related professional schools of medicine, dentistry, optometry, pharmacy, physical therapy, etc.; and (3) entry-level positions in related fields as laboratory assistants or technicians. The complete biology curricular outline is available upon request.

### Related Curricula

The pre-medical program curricula and the nursing curricula may be found in the Natural Sciences and School of Nursing sections, respectively. In addition to the curriculum for majors, pre-meds, and pre-nursing students, the Biology Department provides science curriculum to prepare students in other majors like science education, careers in business, or other careers that may demand a knowledge of scientific information. The Biology Department also offers a four-year medical technology program in cooperation with affiliated hospitals.

Science Education majors will complete certain courses within the Biology major as one of the possible content areas leading toward teacher certification. Professionalization of this certification occurs in the Division of Education curricula with the choice of either the single field Biology major or the dual field Biology/Chemistry major. Other campus divisions of study will advise students into service courses that meet their needs for science training related to other career paths.

**Biology - B.S.****Mission**

The Biology Department at Indiana Wesleyan University is committed to the belief that all truth is God's truth. To that end, we endeavor to instill students with biological knowledge, technical skill, and a Judeo-Christian disposition, empowering them to positively impact the world around them.

**General Education Objectives**

The Biology Department offers classes that fulfill the laboratory science general education objectives for the College of Arts and Sciences. Upon completion of any general education lab, science students should be able to:

1. Articulate the steps used in the scientific method.
2. Gather, analyze, and draw conclusions based on observations.
3. Hypothesize and design an experiment to test the hypothesis.
4. Understand the strengths and weaknesses of scientific inquiry.
5. Evaluate sources of information for scientific validity.
6. Attain amateur expertise and hands-on experience in a sub-discipline of science.
7. Articulate what is meant by a scientific world-view.
8. Appreciate the natural world as God's creation.
9. Value the concept of stewardship of the creation.
10. Integrate a Christian world-view in the context of scientific discovery.

The following biology courses meet or exceed these objectives:

BIO-102, BIO-105, BIO-106, BIO-107, BIO-108, BIO-109, BIO-111, BIO-112, BIO-113, BIO-125

It is incumbent upon the student to meet any prerequisites that may be necessary to enroll in the classes listed above.

**Biology Major Outcomes:**

The Biology major at Indiana Wesleyan University is designed to provide the student with a broad understanding of some of the most important topics in biology. Specialized knowledge about more advanced topics is also available by taking upper division courses in the student's area of interest.

Our goal is to assist the student in achieving competence (defined by assessment in each objective of the following three domains: Cognitive, Psychomotor, and Affective). Upon completion of the curriculum in the Biology major, the student should be able to:

Knowledge: (Cognitive Domain)

1. Define and defend the characteristics of life, in general, and human life in particular.
2. Describe the cell as the structural and functional building block of life, list the structures that make up the cell, and explain their function in precise terms.
3. Demonstrate, using examples, the many ways by which cells communicate with one another and live in communities whether they are biofilms, tissues, or organ systems.
4. Identify and describe the general anatomy of the major organ systems common to animals; explain the physiology of these systems, and show how form and function are related.
5. Identify and articulate the similarities and differences that exist in the various groups of animals.
6. Identify and articulate the similarities and differences that exist in the various groups of plants.
7. Identify and articulate the relationships between plants, animals, and their environment.
8. Use bioinformatics as a tool to access the information needed to describe and predict biological phenomenon.
9. Describe and evaluate the evidence regarding the relatedness and common origin of life in the context of a broadly Christian world-view.
10. Identify the patterns of genetic inheritance and explain the mechanisms of genetic regulation and dysregulation.

Skills: (Psychomotor Domain)

1. Mount, illuminate, and focus slides on a microscope, then use the microscope to identify cellular structures, tissues, and various classes of microbes.
2. Make proper use of the instruments of dissection (scalpel, forceps, scissors, etc.) to correctly identify plant and animal structures.
3. Demonstrate proper technique for the collection of samples.
4. Identify, appropriately use, and cite scientifically credible sources in the literature.
5. Utilize the scientific method to create experiments with appropriate controls and variables.
6. Analyze data for validity and reliability using appropriate statistical tools.
7. Organize and present data in a logical and professional manner.

Dispositions: (Affective Domain)

1. Be committed to the pursuit of truth in science while reconciling apparent conflicts between science and faith.
2. Use data gleaned from the scientific method to critically analyze a problem, hypothesize a solution, and test the veracity of the hypothesis.
3. Develop a love of learning that crosses many academic disciplines and continues throughout the life span.
4. Recognize and appreciate the beauty and wonder of the creation.
5. Value and adhere to a lifestyle consistent with the conscientious stewardship of creation.
6. Recognize and appreciate the complexity of creation, realizing that explaining things in scientific terms does not negate the miracle of it all.

**Requirements for the Biology major (B.S.)**

A major in Biology requires 52 hours of coursework (42 hours in biology and 10 hours in chemistry). Only courses numbered 125 and above may be applied toward the major or a minor in biology. All prerequisite courses require a grade of “C” or better.

To begin taking classes toward the Biology major, students must be eligible to take ENG-120 and have achieved the following:

Math SAT I > 480 (or MAT-120)
ACT > 21 (or MAT-120)

<b>Biology Core</b>		<b>30 hours</b>
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4
BIO-201	Animal Biology	4
BIO-202	Plant Biology	4
BIO-301	Ecology	3
BIO-311	Anatomy	4
BIO-312	Physiology	4
BIO-351	Cell Biology	3
BIO-412	Genetics	3
BIO-490	Biology Senior Seminar	1

Students are not allowed to register for classes with numbers > 300 if their GPA is below 2.5.

Because the study of biology relies heavily on a solid foundation in chemistry, students are required to take CHE-125 and CHE-126. These two courses fulfill the 10 hours in chemistry that are required as part of the Biology major.

<b>Biology Electives</b>	<b>12-17 hours</b>
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In addition to the biology core and chemistry requirements, the Department of Biology requires all Biology majors to complete 5 elective courses in biology (a minimum of 12 additional credit hours in biology). Courses may be selected from the following list:

BIO-203	Environmental Conservation	3
BIO-204	Ornithology	3
BIO-213	Microbiology	4
BIO-220	Field Biology	3
BIO-302	Entomology	3
BIO-303	Marine Ecology	3
BIO-330	Histology	3
BIO-396	Advanced Studies in Biology	1-3
BIO-411	Vertebrate Development	4
BIO-432	Molecular Biology	4
BIO-440	Immunology	3
BIO-495	Research in Biology	1-3
CHE-430	Biological Chemistry I	3
CHE-432	Biological Chemistry II	4
Au Sable	courses above 200	

Although not required for the Biology major, it is highly recommended that students planning on applying to any of the various medical or graduate schools in the sciences should also complete the following courses:

CHE-235	Organic Chemistry I <b>and</b>	4
CHE-236	Organic Chemistry II	4
PHY-211	General Physics I <b>and</b>	4
PHY-212	General Physics II	4
	<b>OR</b>	
PHY-221	University Physics I <b>and</b>	4
PHY-222	University Physics II	4
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
MAT-204	Applied Statistics I	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Biology Minor

Requirements		24 hours
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4
BIO-201	Animal Biology	4
	Additional BIO electives at or above the 200 level	15
BIO-490	Biology Senior Seminar	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### BIOLOGY COURSES AT AU SABLE INSTITUTE

Indiana Wesleyan University is a participating university affiliated with Au Sable Institute for Environmental Studies near Mancelona, Michigan. The institute is located in the north woods country of Michigan's Lower Peninsula. Its property fronts on a 215-acre oligotrophic lake and is surrounded on three sides by thousands of acres of state forests. The human and natural resources available to students through the Institute's programs in teaching and research are extensive and outstanding. Students interested in an outdoor/environmental emphasis in their major should ask their advisor about planning for this opportunity.

Indiana Wesleyan University students enrolling in these courses are eligible for fellowships and grants-in-aid when recommended by the Indiana Wesleyan/Au Sable Institute faculty representative.

Students registering at IWU for courses offered at Au Sable will use the current corresponding Au Sable course numbers. Complete, up-to-date course listings are available online. For more information: <http://www.ausable.org>.

**Biology - A.S.****Associate of Science**

The Associate of Science degree requirements are the same as the Biology minor.

**Biochemistry Major**

The Indiana Wesleyan University Chemistry Department offers a Bachelor of Science degree in Biochemistry.

**Biology Education Major**

See the education section of the catalog for specific requirements for the Biology Education major.

**Medical Technology - B.S.****Purpose**

The Indiana Wesleyan University Biology Department offers a four-year Bachelor of Science Medical Technology (MTE) program. The student is prepared to perform medical laboratory tests that reveal the presence or absence of abnormalities of the blood and other body fluids.

Program graduates are eligible to take the appropriate national registry examination and are qualified for employment in hospital laboratories, government medical laboratories, medical research laboratories, clinics, and health care centers.

**General Education Competencies**

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

**Requirements**

A Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Medical Technology (MTE) requires a minimum of three years of university study and a full year of clinical experience in an approved hospital. Indiana Wesleyan University will accept 12 months of clinical experience successfully completed in a hospital-based medical technology program or clinical laboratory science program that is accredited by NAACLS (National Association of Accreditation for Clinical Laboratory Sciences). This 12-month clinical experience is taken instead of the senior year at Indiana Wesleyan University and is considered equivalent to 32 semester hours of work in the major area of concentration. (It is the student's responsibility to gain admission to this hospital-based program. Said hospital may have health and program requirements that must be met at the student's own cost and expense.) When all specific requirements for the degree are met, including the 12 months of hospital experience, candidates will be awarded the Bachelor of Science degree and will be eligible to take the national registry examination of the ASCP (American Society of Clinical Pathologists) and/or the NCA (National Certification Agency).

Required Courses		39-40 hours
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4
BIO-213	Microbiology	4
BIO-311	Mammalian Anatomy	4
BIO-312	General Physiology	4
BIO-440	Immunology	3
CHE-125	General Chemistry I	5
CHE-126	General Chemistry II	5
CHE-235	Organic Chemistry	4
CHE-236	Organic Chemistry II <b>OR</b>	(4)
CHE-430	Biological Chemistry I	(3)
MAT-112	General Statistics	3
<b>Additional recommended courses are as follows:</b>		
BIO-351	Cell Biology	3
BIO-412	Genetics	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Affiliated Hospitals-Medical Technology Program****Clarian Health Partners, Inc., Indianapolis, Indiana****Parkview Health, Inc., Fort Wayne, Indiana****Saint Margaret Mercy Healthcare Centers, Hammond, Indiana****Chemistry Programs****Purpose**

The Chemistry major is designed to provide the student with a general background in chemistry and to develop skills so that one is prepared for (1) graduate studies in chemistry; (2) entrance into professional schools such as medicine, dentistry, optometry, pharmacy, or veterinary medicine; (3) entry-level positions in chemical research laboratories or environmental control laboratories; and (4) chemistry teaching positions.

**General Education Competencies**

The general education speech and intercultural requirements can be met by enrolling in COM-110, Speech Communications, and any intercultural activity approved by the general education committee. For chemistry majors/minors, a grade of "C" is required in all chemistry and required cognate courses. Non-majors must obtain a grade of "C" in all prerequisite coursework. Only courses numbered 125 or higher will be counted toward the major or minor.

**Biochemistry - B.S.****Purpose**

Biochemistry is an exciting, cutting-edge field which directly works with the biomolecules needed for life's processes. The Biochemistry major is designed to integrate the Christian perspective into a rigorous background and training in biochemistry and to develop skills so that the student is well prepared for a wide variety of options in chemistry and the life sciences. The primary options include (1) entrance into graduate school to obtain a Master's or Ph. D. degree in biology, biochemistry, chemistry, molecular biology, pharmacology, or the biomedical sciences--an option which prepares the student for a research and/or teaching career; (2) entrance into professional schools such as medicine, dentistry, optometry, pharmacy, or veterinary medicine; (3) entry-level positions in biochemical and related discipline research laboratories in academia or the pharmaceutical industry, and (4) entrance into a combined degree program such as an M.D.-Ph.D. program--an option which prepares the student for a clinical research and/or teaching career.

For students wishing to complete the Biochemistry major as part of a Pre-med program curriculum, it is advised that they have extremely strong aptitudes in math and chemistry. Students choosing this path must successfully complete the rigorous Biochemistry core plus complete key electives from the Biology major offerings in order to prepare for the professional school admission tests. These key electives typically include BIO-311, BIO-312, BIO-412, BIO-213, and BIO-440. As a result, completing the Biochemistry major with a competitive GPA for professional school admission requires exceptional abilities. Medical and other health care professions schools **do not** look upon a Biochemistry degree with more favor than a Biology or Chemistry degree. Instead, nationally standardized admissions test scores (e.g. the MCAT, DAT, and GRE) and GPA are given priority in admission decisions. These factors should be considered very carefully before pursuing the Biochemistry major/Pre-med program path.

**Bachelor of Science Requirements**

A Bachelor of Science degree in Biochemistry requires 68 hours of coursework in the Division of Natural Sciences and the Division of Mathematics and Computer Information Systems. A grade of "C" or better is required for all courses. The following courses must be included in the major:

**\*Standards Required to Enter the Gateway Courses**

BIO-125 and CHE-125 are the first courses taken in the major. The standards required to take each of these are as follows:

1. Completion of CHE-110 with a grade of "C" or better **OR**
2. One year of high school chemistry **and** one of the following acceptable scores:
  - Math SAT (480 or above) or ACT (21 or above)



<b>Requirements</b>		<b>68 hours</b>
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>47</b>
CHE-125	General Chemistry I (*Gateway Course)	5
CHE-126	General Chemistry II	5
CHE-235	Organic Chemistry I	4
CHE-236	Organic Chemistry II	4
CHE-330	Inorganic Chemistry	3
CHE-350	Analytical Chemistry	4
CHE-430	Biological Chemistry I	3
CHE-432	Biological Chemistry II	4
CHE-440	Physical Chemistry I	3
CHE-490	Senior Seminar	1
BIO-495	Research in Biology <b>OR</b>	
CHE-495	Research in Chemistry	1
MAT-112	General Statistics <b>OR</b>	
MAT-204	Applied Statistics I	3
BIO-351	Cellular Biology	3
BIO-432	Molecular Biology	4
<b>Prerequisite Courses</b>		<b>21 hours</b>
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
MAT-254	Calculus II	4
PHY-221	University Physics I	4
PHY-222	University Physics II	5
BIO-125	Principles of Biology (*Gateway Course)	4

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **Chemistry - B.S.**

The Bachelor of Science B.S. degree in Chemistry is designed for majors who plan to pursue graduate level work in chemistry, biochemistry, medicine, or related interdisciplinary areas. This degree requires 52 hours of coursework, which is met by taking a minimum of 35 hours in chemistry and 17 hours of cognate (prerequisite) courses listed below. The following courses in chemistry must be included in the major:

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>52 hours</b>
<b>Chemistry</b>		<b>35</b>
CHE-125	General Chemistry I	5
CHE-126	General Chemistry II	5
CHE-235	Organic Chemistry I	4
CHE-236	Organic Chemistry II	4
CHE-330	Inorganic Chemistry	3
CHE-350	Analytical Chemistry	4
CHE-440	Physical Chemistry I	3
CHE-450	Physical Chemistry II	3
CHE-461	Physical Chemistry Lab	1
CHE-490	Chemistry Senior Seminar	1
CHE-495	Research in Chemistry	2
<b>Cognate</b>		<b>17</b>
MAT-253	Calculus I	4

MAT-254	Calculus II	4
PHY-221	University Physics I	4
PHY-222	University Physics II	5

Students seeking a Bachelor of Science degree are strongly advised to add additional cognate coursework from the following:

MAT-255	Calculus III	4
MAT-353	Differential Equations	3
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Chemistry Minor

The Associate of Science degree or the Chemistry minor requires a minimum of 24 hours of coursework in chemistry.

Requirements		24 hours
CHE-125	General Chemistry I	5
CHE-126	General Chemistry II	5
CHE-235	Organic Chemistry I	4
CHE-236	Organic Chemistry II	4
CHE-350	Analytical Chemistry	4
CHE-490	Chemistry Senior Seminar	1
CHE	Electives at or above the 200 level	1-4

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Chemistry - A.S.

The Associate of Science degree requirements are the same as the Chemistry minor.

### Chemistry - A.B.

The Bachelor of Arts A.B. degree is designed for those science majors who plan to pursue science related careers in medicine or an entry-level position in industry. This degree requires 45 hours of coursework, which is met by taking 26 hours in chemistry and 19 hours in required cognate courses.

Requirements		45 hours
<b>Chemistry</b>		<b>26</b>
CHE-125	General Chemistry I	5
CHE-126	General Chemistry II	5
CHE-235	Organic Chemistry I	4
CHE-236	Organic Chemistry II	4
CHE-350	Analytical Chemistry	4
CHE-440	Physical Chemistry I	<b>OR</b>
	an elective approved by department	
CHE-490	Chemistry Senior Seminar	1
<b>Cognate</b>		<b>19</b>
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
PHY-221	University Physics I	4
PHY-222	University Physics II	5
	Any foreign language	6

Students seeking a Bachelor of Arts degree are also strongly advised to add additional cognate coursework from the following:

MAT-254	Calculus II	4
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4

[Note: for the A.B. major CHE-450, CHE-461, CHE-495, and MAT-254 are not required. They are replaced by 6 hours of a foreign language, which will meet the intercultural requirement if taken at IWU.]

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Chemistry Education Major

See the education section of the catalog for specific requirements for a Chemistry Education major.

## Physics Programs

### Physics Minor

Physics deals with the basic nature and reality of the physical universe. An understanding of the basic operating principles of the universe gives us an appreciation of both the complexity and beauty of the creation. The study of physics helps philosophers shape their worldview, while it helps others prepare for professions in natural sciences, mathematics, computer science, engineering, medicine, and education. A Physics minor provides an in-depth study of several major areas of physics, enabling students in different disciplines to understand and apply underlying principles. The problem-solving skills developed through the study of physics are as important as the conceptual understanding of the nature of physical quality.

A minor in Physics requires satisfactory completion ("C" or better) of at least 24 credit hours taken from the courses listed below.

Courses		24 hours
PHY-221	University Physics I	4
PHY-222	University Physics II	5
PHY-311	Analytical Mechanics	3
PHY-321	Thermodynamics/Statistical Mechanics	3
PHY-331	Electromagnetism I	3
PHY-385	Advanced Physics Laboratory/Measurements	4
<b>Electives (choose one of the following):</b>		<b>3</b>
CHE-440	Physical Chemistry I	3
CHE-450	Physical Chemistry II	3
PHY-230	Electronics	3
PHY-341	Waves and Optics	3
PHY-351	Quantum Mechanics I	3
PHY-361	Introduction to Health and Medical Physics	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Pre-medical Science Programs

- Pre-dentistry
- Pre-medicine
- Pre-occupational Therapy
- Pre-optometry
- Pre-pharmacy
- Pre-physical Therapy
- Pre-physician Assistant
- Pre-veterinary

**A program in pre-medical science consists of a combination of the pre-medical science core courses AND the courses required for any other official university major.** The pre-medical science program leads to a Bachelor of Science degree and is designed to prepare the student for application to one of the medically-related professional schools. Some professional schools may require additional coursework of which the student should be informed before registration.

### Admission to the Program

Because high academic achievement is required for admission to professional schools, the Division of Natural Sciences has developed an admissions process for entry into the pre-medical science program. Upon completion of the freshman year, students interested in pre-medical sciences must have a minimum GPA of 3.2, complete a prescribed essay, and interview with the Pre-med Committee. The essay and interview are administered as part of the PMD-110 course (completed by the student in the spring of his or her first year). It is essential that the GPA be maintained; students whose GPA drops below 3.2 will be given one semester of grace, after which they will be advised into another major.

### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

Major Requirements Pre-med Core		Credit hours
BIO-125	Principles of Biology	4
BIO	Elective above 200 level	4
CHE-125	General Chemistry I	5
CHE-126	General Chemistry II	5
CHE-235	Organic Chemistry I	4
CHE-236	Organic Chemistry II	4
PHY-211	General Physics I	4
PHY-212	General Physics II	4
BIO-490	Biology Senior Seminar	OR
CHE-490	Chemistry Senior Seminar	
PMD-110	Preparing the Christian Health Professional	1
PMD-310	Perspectives in Scientific Reasoning	1

Check with the advisor on program-specific course requirements.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Pre-physical Therapy

See the Health and Human Performance section for Pre-physical Therapy requirements.

## Mathematics and Computer Information Sciences Division

The Mathematics and Computer Information Sciences Division offers the following majors and minors.

### Computer and Information Sciences Programs

Computer Information Systems - B.S.

Computer Information Systems - A.S.

Computer Information Systems - Minor

Computer Science - B.S.

Computer Science - A.S.

Computer Science Minor

Computer Internet Development - B.S.

Computer Software Engineering - B.S.

### Mathematics Programs

Mathematics - B.S.

Mathematics Minor

Statistics Minor

Mathematics Interdisciplinary - B.S.

Mathematics Education

### Computer and Information Sciences Programs

Computer Information Systems – A.S., B.S.

Computer Science – A.S., B.S.

Computer Internet Development – B.S.

Computer Software Engineering – B.S.

It is an exciting time to take up the study of computers! At the dawn of the 21st Century almost every aspect of human endeavor has been affected in fundamental ways by computers and their abilities to process information. The discipline of computing sciences itself has come of age. Beginning four decades ago as a specialization within mathematics or electrical engineering, computing has grown in scope and depth, having matured as a fully independent discipline in academics, with multiple fields of study and countless areas of emphases.

Here at IWU several programs of study in the computing sciences are offered to meet the career interests and God-given natural inclinations of different students. These majors fall into two primary categories, computer science and information systems. Information systems are more on the applied side of the discipline, and a professional career in this field evokes an image of one whose work entails working with and around computers, but not necessarily centered in the business of computing. Computer science, by contrast, is more theoretical and lends itself to preparing for a career working directly in the computer industry. Two majors are offered in each of these areas: Computer Information Systems (CIS) and Computer Internet Development (CID) fall in the applied part while Computer Science (CSC) and Computer Software Engineering (CSE) are the theory intensive programs of study. All four majors consist of a common computing core, major specific requirements, an elective requirement within the topic of computing, and a capstone sequence. All four majors prepare students to be problem solvers, helping to create and maintain software systems for the betterment of society.

Since Computer Information Systems (CIS) majors purpose to work in an industry or area of commerce that is not computer specific, CIS majors take a sequence of courses in an area of specialization. Students may elect to complete one of the approved course sequences in the disciplines of business, mathematics, or computer graphics, or to develop a personalized emphasis track in another

discipline. Internet Development (CID) majors focus their emphasis studies on the Internet, taking courses which prepare them to develop and maintain Web based systems, using a solid software development approach. Computer Science (CSC) majors complete a more demanding supporting course sequence in math and physics, and pursue computing theory to a greater depth. Software Engineering (CSE) majors also take a rigorous set of supporting math and physics courses, and a series of computing courses in which the essential principles of engineering are applied to the development of very large software systems.

Upper division courses specific to each major are available as electives to students majoring in other computing fields, along with other courses offered purely on an elective basis. All the majors develop an understanding of systematic problem-solving techniques and the systems approach to the design of solutions. In addition, extensive emphasis is placed on the translation of algorithmic solutions to various languages and computing techniques. Intentional focus is placed upon education, the training of the mind, rather than mere repetition of previously applied techniques. To that end, all computing majors are exposed to a variety of high level computer programming languages, such as C++, Java, Python or Ada, and assembly level programming as well. Additionally, numerous opportunities are presented for students to investigate other languages, such as Scheme, Visual Basic, Perl and others. All required courses require a grade of “C” or better, and all prerequisite courses must be passed with a grade of “C” or better to qualify for following courses. No student may take two majors or a major and a minor within the Computer and Information Sciences Department.

The senior year capstone course sequence gives students firsthand experience in creating an entire system from start to finish, and also points the way forward for further scientific inquiry and self-guided learning. IWU computing alumni have consistently rated the capstone experience as extremely beneficial in finalizing their preparation for a professional career.

Programming for class assignments is done on a variety of centralized and desktop computers. All of the computers are connected by the campus computer network, which is accessible from dedicated computer laboratories and dormitory “mini-labs.” Additionally, each dormitory room has network connections for student-owned computers to make use of the network, as well as wide campus coverage by wireless networks. A computing major laboratory is supplied with a variety of computer and network hardware for students to use in coursework as well as self-discovery.

Recognizing that so much learning takes place outside of the classroom, faculty strive to develop personal relationships with the students and create scenarios that foster student interactions among themselves. These include social events, a student chapter of the professional society Association of Computing Machinery, and other opportunities to dialog with students in other majors across campus, as well as computing majors at other institutions. Across the curricula, students are encouraged towards professionalism, a view of their future not so much as one of employment, but as a career in computing, serving Jesus Christ by changing their world through technology.

### General Education Competencies

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

### Computer Information Systems - B.S.

#### Requirements for CIS

The CIS major is designed as an applied major. Each student majoring in CIS takes 40 hours within the department: a core of common courses, plus approved elective courses. Additionally, each student selects and completes a companion track in a complementary discipline. At present, designated tracks include business, communications, computer graphics, and mathematics. Additionally, a student may elect an independent track in another appropriate discipline and work with an academic advisor from that department to design a set of supporting courses in support of a CIS major.

Core Courses for CIS		40 hours
CIS-117	Essential Foundations for Computing	3
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
CIS-126	Introduction to Computer Science II	3
CIS-221	Data Structures	3
CIS-222	Object Oriented Programming	3
CIS-225	Systems Analysis	3
CIS-236	Machine Structures and Programming	3
CIS-336	Programming Languages	3
CIS-382	Database Programming Development	3
CIS-480	Applied Software Development Project	3
CIS-490	Senior Seminar	1

Electives*		9
*CIS courses: one class 200 and above, other classes 300 and above		
<b>CIS Business Track Required Courses</b>		
ACC-200	Survey of Accounting	3
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
<b>CIS Communications Track Required Courses</b>		
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM-229	Media and Society	3
COM-209*	Small Group Communications	3
COM-233*	Principles of Public Relations	3
COM-366*	Organizational Communications	3
COM-340	Communication Theory	3
*A student may complete any one of these courses.		
<b>CIS Computer Graphics Track Required Courses</b>		
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART-260	Web Design I	3
ART-434	Digital Photography	3
ART-473	Advanced Computer Graphics	3
<b>CIS Mathematics Track Required Courses</b>		
MAT-253*	Calculus I	4
MAT-254*	Calculus II	4
MAT-255*	Calculus III	4
MAT-280	Linear Algebra	3
MAT-353	Differential Equations	3
MAT-373	Numerical Analysis	3
*A student may complete any two of these courses.		
<b>CIS Independent Track Cognate Courses</b>		<b>12-15 hours</b>

Working with an advisor from another academic department, the student may design an appropriate set of courses from another discipline.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Computer Information Systems - Minor

#### Requirements for CIS

A minor in Computer Information Systems requires 24 hours of courses in the major, including the courses listed below plus approved elective courses numbered 200 and above. A student may not take a CIS minor along with another computer major.

<b>Core Courses for CIS</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
CIS-117	Essential Foundations of Computing	3
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
CIS-126	Introduction to Computer Science II	3
CIS-221*	Data Structures	<b>OR</b>
CIS-222*	Object-Oriented Programming	
CIS-225	Systems Analysis	3

\*A student may complete either one of these courses.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Computer Information Systems - A.S.****Two Year Associate Degrees**

The requirements for an associate degree in Computer Information Systems are the same as those listed for the Computer Information Science minor.

**Computer Science - B.S.****Requirements for CSC**

The CSC major is designed as an advanced major. Each student majoring in CSC takes 49 hours within the department: a core of common courses, plus approved elective courses. Additionally, each student completes supporting courses in mathematics and physics. The CSC major requires a greater depth of mathematics skill for the entering student.

<b>Core Courses for CSC</b>		<b>49 hours</b>
CIS-117	Essential Foundations for Computing	3
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
CIS-126	Introduction to Computer Science II	3
CIS-221	Data Structures	3
CIS-222	Object Oriented Programming	3
CIS-225	Systems Analysis	3
CIS-236	Machine Structures and Programming	3
CIS-320	Introduction to Software Engineering	3
CIS-325	Analysis of Algorithms	3
CIS-336	Programming Languages	3
CIS-385	Theory of Computation	3
CIS-425	Operating Systems	3
CIS-480	Applied Software Development Project	3
CIS-490	Senior Seminar	1
Electives*		9
*CIS courses: one class 200 and above, other classes 300 and above		
<b>CSC Mathematics and Physics Cognate Courses</b>		
PHY-230	Electronics	4
MAT-253*	Calculus I	4
MAT-254*	Calculus II	4
MAT-255*	Calculus III	4
MAT-280	Linear Algebra	3
MAT-353	Differential Equations	3
MAT-373	Numerical Analysis	3
*A student may complete any two of these courses.		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Computer Science Minor****Requirements for CSC**

A minor in computer science requires 24 hours of courses in the major, including the courses listed below and approved elective courses numbered 200 and above, as well as eight hours of mathematics and physics supporting courses. A student may not take a CSC minor along with another computer major.

<b>Core Courses for CSC</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
CIS-117	Essential Foundations of Computing	3
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
CIS-126	Introduction to Computer Science II	3
CIS-221	Data Structures	3
CIS-222	Object-Oriented Programming	3



CIS-225	Systems Analysis	3
CIS-336	Programming Languages	3
<b>CSC Mathematics and Physics Cognate Courses</b>		
PHY-230	Electronics	4
MAT-253	Calculus I	4

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Computer Science - A.S.

#### Two Year Associate Degree

The requirements for an associate degree in Computer Science are the same as those listed for the Computer Science minor.

### Computer Internet Development - B.S.

#### Requirements for CID

The CID major is designed as a dedicated major. Each student majoring in CID takes 43 hours within the department, and also completes supporting courses in business and computer graphics. These courses give a rich addition of artistic understanding and business principles to prepare students for the multi-disciplinary environment of the Internet. CID includes traditional software creation and maintenance while emphasizing the languages and techniques of the Internet.

<b>Core Courses for CID</b>		<b>43 hours</b>
CIS-117	Essential Foundations for Computing	3
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
CIS-126	Introduction to Computer Science II	3
CIS-221	Data Structures	3
CIS-222	Object Oriented Programming	3
CIS-225	Systems Analysis	3
CIS-236	Machine Structures and Programming	3
CIS-250	Internet Programming	3
CIS-252	Programming for E-Commerce	3
CIS-382	Database Programming	3
CIS-340	Internet Database Programming	3
CIS-390	Distributed Systems	3
CIS-440	Advanced Internet Concepts	3
CIS-480	Applied Software Development Project	3
CIS-490	Senior Seminar	1
<b>CID Business and Computer Graphics Cognate Courses</b>		
ART-224	Design I: Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART-273	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART260	Web Design I	3
ART-434	Digital Photography	3
ART-473	Advanced Computer Graphics	3
BUS-100	Introduction to Business	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Computer Software Engineering - B.S.

#### Requirements for CSE

The CSE major is designed as an advanced major. Each student majoring in CSE takes 49 hours within the department: a core of common courses, plus approved elective hours. Additionally, each student completes supporting courses in mathematics and physics. The CSE major requires a greater depth of mathematics skill for the entering student.

<b>Core Courses for CSE</b>		<b>49 hours</b>
CIS-117	Essential Foundations for Computing	3
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
CIS-126	Introduction to Computer Science II	3
CIS-221	Data Structures	3
CIS-222	Object-Oriented Programming	3
CIS-225	Systems Analysis	3
CIS-236	Machine Structures and Programming	3
CIS-320	Introduction to Software Engineering	3
CIS-330	Software Testing: Verification and Validation	3
CIS-336	Programming Languages	3
CIS-421	Advanced Software Engineering	3
CIS-430	Requirements Engineering and Specifications	3
CIS-435	Software Process and Quality Assurance	3
CIS-480	Applied Software Development Project	3
CIS-490	Senior Seminar	1
Electives*		6
*CIS courses: one class 200 and above, other classes 300 and above		
<b>CSE Mathematics and Physics Supporting Courses</b>		
PHY-221	University Physics I and Lab	4
PHY-230	Electronics	4
MAT-253*	Calculus I	4
MAT-254*	Calculus II	4
MAT-255*	Calculus III	4
MAT-280	Linear Algebra	3
MAT-353	Differential Equations	3
MAT-373	Numerical Analysis	3
*A student may complete any two of these courses.		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Mathematics Programs

### Mathematics - B.S.

#### Purpose

The major in Mathematics is intended to provide students a solid foundation for pursuing further study in mathematics or equipping students for careers in education, industry, or government. It also is flexible enough to be combined with a wide variety of other majors, thus enhancing career choices, or used as preparation for fields such as engineering, medicine, or industrial mathematics.

#### General Education Competencies

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

**Requirements**

A major in Mathematics requires 53 hours of core mathematics courses, electives, and supporting courses. At least 18 hours must be in courses numbered 300 or above, and electives must be numbered 253 or higher.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>53-54 hours</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>38</b>
MAT-223	Introduction to Mathematics via Discrete Processes	3
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
MAT-254	Calculus II	4
MAT-255	Calculus III	4
MAT-280	Linear Algebra	3
MAT-342	Number Theory	3
MAT-344	Modern Abstract Algebra	3
MAT-353	Differential Equations	3
MAT-363	Mathematical Statistics I	3
MAT-456	Elementary Real Analysis	3
MAT-481	History and Foundations of Mathematics	3
MAT-490	Math Senior Seminar	2
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>2-3</b>
MAT-475	Independent Learning - Math	2-3
MAT-495	Research in Mathematics	2-3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
MAT-444	Advanced Algebra	3
MAT-455	Point Set Topology	3
MAT-457	Complex Variables	3
<b>Choose one additional MAT elective from the following:</b>		<b>3-4</b>
MAT-322	Mathematical Modeling I	4
MAT-324	Mathematical Modeling II	4
MAT-333	Modern Geometry	4
MAT-364	Mathematical Statistics II	3
MAT-373	Numerical Analysis	3
MAT-396	Advanced Studies in Mathematics	3
MAT-444	Advanced Algebra	3
MAT-446	Advanced Calculus	3
MAT-455	Point Set Topology	3
MAT-457	Complex Variables	3
<b>Required Supporting Courses</b>		<b>7</b>
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
PHY-221	University Physics I (meets lab science requirement)	4

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Mathematics Minor

### Requirements

As many professionals use mathematical concepts in their work, a minor in Mathematics combined with other majors is an excellent preparation for future careers or graduate studies in such areas as statistics, computer science, economics, or business. A minor in Mathematics requires at least 24 hours in mathematics consisting of the courses listed below.

Courses		24-26 Hours
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>18</b>
MAT-223	Introduction to Mathematics Via Discrete Processes	3
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
MAT-254	Calculus II	4
MAT-280	Linear Algebra	3
MAT-322	Mathematical Modeling I	4
Electives	<b>Two MAT courses numbered 253 or higher</b>	<b>6-8</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Statistics Minor

A statistics minor combined with other majors is excellent preparation for careers or graduate studies in a variety of fields including actuarial science; economics and business; the life, physical, and computing sciences; medicine; and the social sciences. Nearly all these fields have an increasing amount of data being collected, and a developed ability to analyze and solve problems is valued in any discipline. The number of required classes for this minor is kept low to allow students to choose electives most helpful in their own major.

### Requirements

A minor in Statistics requires at least 24 hours in statistics consisting of the courses listed below.

Courses		18-21 hours
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>6</b>
MAT-204	Applied Statistics I	3
MAT-304	Applied Statistics II	3
<b>Electives</b>		<b>12-15</b>
Choose <b>four</b> electives from the following. <b>Only one elective may also be applied toward a major in the Mathematics department.</b>		
MAT-130	Applied Calculus <b>OR</b>	3
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
MAT-322	Mathematical Modeling I	4
MAT-324	Mathematical Modeling II	4
MAT-363	Mathematical Statistics I	3
MAT-364	Mathematical Statistics II	3
MAT-370	Statistics Research Design I	3
MAT-371	Statistics Research Design II	3
Alternatively, <b>three</b> electives may be chosen from the above and <b>one</b> from the following:		
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
CIS-126	Introduction to Computer Sciences II	3
ECO-212	Microeconomics	3
ECO-213	Macroeconomics	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Mathematics - Interdisciplinary - B.S.

### Purpose

The math-interdisciplinary major is designed for students planning to work in a non-teaching career. This flexible major is prompted by high demand for mathematicians able to solve challenging, ill-defined, large-scale and cross-disciplinary problems

### General Education Competencies

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

### Requirements

A mathematics-interdisciplinary major requires 50 hours of core math courses, electives, and supporting courses. Students are required to complete a major or minor in a related area and to do a practicum/internship (an independent learning course may be substituted if the student is unable to find a practicum placement).

Required Courses		50-57 hours
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>30</b>
MAT-223	Introduction to Mathematics via Discrete Processes	3
MAT-253	Calculus I	4
MAT-254	Calculus II	4
MAT-255	Calculus III	4
MAT-280	Linear Algebra	3
MAT-322	Math Modeling I	4
MAT-342	Number Theory	3
MAT-353	Differential Equations	3
MAT-490	Math Senior Seminar	2
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3</b>
MAT-344	Modern Abstract Algebra	3
MAT-456	Elementary Real Analysis	3
<b>Choose one of the following:</b>		<b>3-6</b>
MAT-204	Applied Statistics I <b>and</b>	3
MAT-304	Applied Statistics II <b>OR</b>	3
MAT-363	Mathematical Statistics I	3
<b>Choose one of the following: Practicum/ Internship recommended</b>		<b>1-3</b>
MAT-475	Independent Learning - Math	1-3
MAT-485	Math Internship	1-3
MAT-495	Research in Mathematics	1-3
	Practicum in area of minor	1-3
<b>Choose two additional MAT electives above MAT-315 from the following:</b>		<b>6-8</b>
MAT-324	Mathematical Modeling II	4
MAT-333	Modern Geometry	4
MAT-364	Mathematical Statistics II	3
MAT-373	Numerical Analysis	3
MAT-396	Advanced Studies in Mathematics	(3)
MAT-444	Advanced Algebra	3
MAT-446	Advanced Calculus	3
MAT-455	Point Set Topology	3
MAT-457	Complex Variables	3

<b>Required Supporting Courses</b>		<b>7</b>
CIS-125	Introduction to Computer Science I	3
PHY-221	University Physics I (meets lab science requirement)	4
<b>Students are also required to complete either a second major (in any area) or a minor in one of the following areas:</b>		
Accounting		
Biology		
Business Administration		
Chemistry		
Computer Science		
Economics		
Physics		
Statistics		

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **Mathematics Education Major**

See the education section of the catalog for specific requirements for the Mathematics Education major.

## **School of Theology and Ministry**

The School of Theology and Ministry offers the following programs.

Biblical Studies Programs

Philosophy and Theology Programs

Ministry Programs

## School of Theology and Ministry Programs

Studies in religion provide programs of preparation for careers in church ministries. B.S. degrees are offered with majors in Adolescent Ministries, Children's Ministries, Christian Education, Christian Ministries, Christian Worship, Intercultural and Community Development, Intercultural Studies, Sports Ministries, and Youth Ministries. A.B. degrees are offered in Biblical Literature, Christian Ministries, and Philosophy and Theology. Minors are also available in Adolescent Ministries, Biblical Literature, Children's Ministries, Christian Education, Christian Ministries, Christian Worship, Intercultural and Community Development, Intercultural Studies, Philosophy, Theology, and Youth Ministries. Special programs include the Bible Land tours and off campus programs (see academic information section for a partial listing).

### General Education Requirements

Students in these majors meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses or meeting competencies except as otherwise noted.

### Admission to Professional Majors

Admission to the Christian Education, Children's Ministries, Christian Ministries, Christian Worship, Youth Ministries, and Adolescent Ministries majors requires a formal screening process separate from the initial declaration of intent. The process includes the successful completion of three courses in the division. All applicants must complete BIL-101 and BIL-102 with a grade of "C" or above. Christian Education and Children's Ministry majors must also complete CED-252, Christian Ministry majors REL-264 and REL-264P, Adolescent Ministries and Youth Ministries majors YTH-220 and YTH-220P, and Christian Worship majors WOR-235 and WOR-235P with a grade of "C" or above. Students need to have a GPA of 2.25 cumulative and 2.5 in the coursework required for the major. Students must also file application forms including a written essay and references. In some cases a personal interview with divisional faculty may also be required. Enrollment in some advanced courses in the division is restricted to those admitted to the professional majors. A student needs to start the application to the major process by the end of their sophomore year (60 credit hours) and after the successful completion of the three preliminary courses in his or her respective majors (see immediately above). Delay on this process will prohibit students from enrolling in advanced courses in their professional major.

### Continuation in Professional Majors

Students must maintain a cumulative 2.25 GPA and a 2.50 academic GPA in coursework required for the major. Failure to do so may necessitate repeating courses or withdrawal from the major. The School of Theology and Ministry faculty reserves the right to request the withdrawal of any student who in its judgment fails to satisfy the standards of Christian character, moral integrity, and social fitness required for a professional minister.

### Wesleyan Students

Students anticipating future service in The Wesleyan Church should include Wesleyan Church History/Discipline (REL-431) among their major or minor courses. The Christian Ministries and Youth Ministries majors are specifically designed to meet all the academic requirements for ordination in The Wesleyan Church. Any deviation from the course requirements should be approved in writing by both the division chair and the director of education and the ministry at the International Center of The Wesleyan Church. Students who are members of The Wesleyan Church should be in contact with their District Board of Ministerial Development (DBMD) prior to applying for admission to the professional majors.

### Graduate Credits-in-Escrow

A senior who is currently enrolled at Indiana Wesleyan University and who is within the last semester of completing course requirements for the baccalaureate degree may, with the approval of the dean of graduate studies in religion, register for a maximum of two graduate courses per semester. Such students who desire to take additional graduate courses after earning the baccalaureate degree must follow the regular admission procedure.

Graduate courses may not be counted at Indiana Wesleyan University for both graduate and undergraduate requirements.



## Biblical Studies Programs

Offerings within the Biblical Studies Program include:

Biblical Literature

Biblical Literature minor

Biblical Languages minor

Biblical History and Geography minor

### Biblical Literature - A.B.

Courses in biblical literature and languages are offered to meet general education requirements and as components for majors in Philosophy and Theology, Christian Ministries, Christian Education, Intercultural Studies, Adolescent Ministries, Youth Ministries, and Christian Worship. In addition, the A.B. degree with a major in Biblical Literature is offered.

### Purpose

A Biblical Literature major provides a complement to other majors at Indiana Wesleyan University. It enables a student to relate the Scriptures to aspects of life, whatever the planned profession. The Biblical Literature major also offers a good foundation for seminary studies. Some students who do not plan to be pastors desire a concentration of Bible courses in order to better serve churches in various capacities of teaching and spiritual leadership.

### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirements by taking the approved standard courses.

Required courses		40 hours
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
GRE-201	Beginning Greek I	OR
HBR-201	Beginning Hebrew I	
BIL*	Advanced Bible electives (balanced program in Old and New Testaments)	18
Cognate	In a field consistent with the student's vocational goals and approved by the student's advisor	10

\*Including up to 9 hours of Greek or Hebrew beyond GRE-201 or HBR-201 if those 9 hours are not already counting toward a Biblical Languages minor; a balance of Old and New Testament courses should be maintained.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Biblical Literature Minor

A minor in Biblical Literature consists of the following 24 hours of courses.

Required courses		24 hours
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
BIL*	Advanced Bible electives	15
	(at least one course pertaining to each of the Old and New Testaments)	

\*Up to nine hours of Greek and/or Hebrew may be included in the minor.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Biblical Languages Minor**

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>18 hours</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>12</b>
HBR-201	Beginning Hebrew I	3
HBR-202	Beginning Hebrew II	3
GRE-201	Beginning Greek I	3
GRE-202	Beginning Greek II	3
<b>Choose one of the following options:</b>		
HBR-422	Hebrew Bible <b>OR</b>	6
GRE-422	Greek Bible	6

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Biblical History and Geography Minor**

<b>Requirement</b>		<b>18 hours</b>
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>6</b>
BIL-280	Lands of the Bible	3
BIL-380	History of the Biblical World	3
<b>Electives</b>		<b>12</b>
BIL-103	Bible Land Tour	3
BIL-281	Jerusalem and its People	1
BIL-282	Art, Artifacts, and Architecture of the Biblical World	1
BIL-381	Cultural Settings of the Bible	3
BIL-382	Intertestament Literature	3
BIL-480	Archaeology of Syria-Palestine	3
HBR-201	Beginning Hebrew I <b>OR</b>	
GRE-201	Beginning Greek I <b>OR</b>	
LAT-201	Beginning Latin I	3
HBR-202	Intermediate Hebrew II <b>OR</b>	
GRE-202	Intermediate Greek II <b>OR</b>	
LAT-202	Intermediate Latin II	3

\*This minor requires at least 15 hours unduplicated in any other major or minor.

\*\*Courses taken through Jerusalem University College may be applied toward elective hours in this minor with permission of the division.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Biblical Literature - A.A.****Associate of Arts**

The Associate of Arts degree is a two-year program that requires the following 27 hour concentration:

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>27 hours</b>
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
BIL*	Advanced Bible Electives (including at	12

	least one course pertaining to each of the Old and New Testaments)	
	Elective courses offered by the School of Theology and Ministry	6

\*Up to six hours of Greek and/or Hebrew may be counted toward degree requirements.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Studies in Israel

IWU's Summer in Israel program is a six-week academic study in Israel, Palestine and Jordan. This program focuses on three areas of study: 1) the geographical and historical settings of the Bible, 2) the discipline of archaeology and its contributions to biblical studies, and 3) the modern-day culture of Israel and Palestine. Students will travel the lands of the Bible, experience first-hand the places and culture of the biblical narrative, participate in an official archeological dig for two weeks, and engage with the Palestinian Christian Church through worship and ministry. A total of 10 undergraduate or 9 graduate credits may be earned through this program. The program runs every other year (even years). In order to be considered for admission to this program, students must have completed at least 30 hours of undergraduate coursework including 4 hours of prerequisites (see below), pass a routine physical, and complete the application process. For more information, contact the School of Theology and Ministry.

<b>Summer in Israel Prerequisite Courses for Undergraduate students:</b>		
BIL-280	Lands of the Bible	3
BIL-281	Jerusalem and Its People	1
<b>Summer in Israel Courses for Undergraduate students:</b>		
INT-124	Cross-Cultural Exposure Trip: Israel and Palestine*	2
BIL-282	Art, Architecture, and Artifacts of the Biblical World: Israel and Jordan	1
BIL-480	Archaeology of Syria-Palestine	3
	Geographical and Historical Setting of the Bible (taken at Jerusalem University College)	4
*Fulfills IWU's Intercultural Experience General Education Requirement		

<b>Summer in Israel Courses for Graduate students:</b>		
INT-124	Cross-Cultural Exposure Trip: Israel and Palestine	Audit
MIN-510	Biblical Archaeology	5
	Geographical and Historical Setting of the Bible (taken at Jerusalem University College)	4

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Philosophy and Theology Programs

Offerings within the Philosophy and Theology Program include:

Philosophy and Theology

Philosophy minor

Theology minor

### Philosophy and Theology - A.B.

#### Purpose

Philosophy and Theology is the major to be taken by students anticipating seminary or other graduate studies. It may also serve as a second major to provide support in developing a Christian perspective and understanding.

#### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirements by taking the approved standard courses.

Required Courses		41 hours
<b>Biblical Literature</b>		<b>3</b>
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
<b>Church History</b>		<b>6</b>
REL-331	History of Christianity I	3
REL-332	History of Christianity II	3
<b>Theology</b>		<b>9</b>
THE-233	Christian Theology I	3
THE-424	Christian Theology II	3
<b>Choose one of the following courses:</b>		
THE-310	Christology	3
THE-311	Ecclesiology	3
THE-425	Patristic Theology	3
<b>Philosophy</b>		<b>12</b>
PHL-281	Modern and Contemporary Philosophy	3
PHL-282	Ethics	3
PHL-334	Philosophy of Religion	3
<b>Choose one of the following courses:</b>		
PHL-280	Ancient and Medieval Philosophy	3
PHL-285	Logic	3
PHL-438	Religions of the World	3
<b>PHL/THE electives</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Choose two additional course from the following list:</b>		
PHL-280	Ancient and Medieval Philosophy	3
PHL-285	Logic	3
PHL-438	Religions of the World	3
THE-310	Christology	3
THE-311	Ecclesiology	3
THE-425	Patristic Theology	3
<b>Choose one additional course with a PHL or THE prefix.</b>		
<b>Capstone</b>		<b>2</b>
PHL-480	Toward of Philosophy of World Changing	2

**Philosophy Minor**

The minor consists of 18 hours.

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>18 hours</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>15</b>
PHL-280	Ancient and Medieval Philosophy	3
PHL-281	Modern and Contemporary Philosophy	3
PHL-282	Ethics	3
PHL-285	Logic	3
PHL-334	Philosophy of Religion	3
<b>Electives</b>	Any three hours with a PHL prefix of 200 or higher	<b>3</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Theology Minor**

A minor in Theology consists of 18 credit hours.

<b>Requirements</b>		<b>18 hours</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>12</b>
THE-233	Christian Theology I <b>OR</b>	
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
THE-424	Christian Theology II	3
REL-331	History of Christianity I	3
REL-332	History of Christianity II	3
<b>Choose two of the following elective classes:</b>		<b>6</b>
THE-310	Christology	3
THE-311	Ecclesiology	3
THE-420	The Life and Legacy of Augustine of Hippo	3
THE-425	Patristic Theology	3
THE-428	The Theology of John Wesley	3

\*Christian ministries and youth ministries majors must maintain 15 unique hours in order to minor in theology.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Ministry Programs

Offerings within the Ministry Program include:

Adolescent Ministries - B.S.

Adolescent Ministries minor

Adolescent Ministries - A.S.

Children's Ministry - B.S.

Children's Ministry minor

Children's Ministry - A.S.

Christian Education - B.S.

Christian Education minor

Christian Education - A.S.

Christian Ministries - B.S.

Christian Ministries minor

Christian Ministries - A.S.

Christian Worship - B.S.

Christian Worship minor

Sports Ministries - B.S.

Youth Ministries - B.S.

Youth Ministries minor

Youth Ministries - A.S.

### Adolescent Ministries - B.S.

#### Purpose

The Adolescent Ministries major is designed for persons who wish to minister with students in youth centers, para-church ministries, school-based ministries, and local churches in a non-ordained capacity. Many men and women desiring to minister with youth may not seek ordination or even employment in a parish setting and therefore would benefit from a degree that is focused more selectively on practical ministry theory and skills. Persons wishing to work with youth primarily in a local church setting as an ordained minister should pursue the more specialized ordination track of the youth ministry degree.

#### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirements by taking BIL-101, BIL-102, (SOC-150, SOC-210 or SOC-225), PSY-150, INT-122, INT-222, and YTH-270.

Required Courses		50 hours
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
BIL	Advanced Bible elective	3
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
REL-241	Survey of Church History	3
YTH-220	Introduction to Youth Ministries	2
YTH-220P	Youth Ministry Observation	1

CED-255	Local Church Education	3
CED-255P	Church Education Practicum	1
YTH-270	Communication with Youth	3
YTH-370	Youth Counseling <b>and</b>	
REL-469P	Pastoral Care Practicum <b>OR</b>	
REL-469	Pastoral Care and Counseling <b>and</b>	3
REL-469P	Pastoral Care Practicum	1
YTH-371	Youth Evangelism and Discipleship	3
PSY-252	Adolescent Growth and Development	3
INT-122	Short Term Missions (Orientation)	1
INT-222	Short Term Missions (Leadership)	2
YTH-355	Youth Programming and Management	3
YTH-355P	Youth Programming Practicum	1
YTH-480	Youth World-Changing Strategies (Capstone)	2
	Courses related to youth ministry and approved by the director of the youth ministries program	9

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Adolescent Ministries Minor

A minor in Adolescent Ministries consists of the following 24 credit hours of carefully selected courses.

Required Courses		24 hours
YTH-220	Introduction to Youth Ministries	2
YTH-220P	Youth Ministry Observation	1
YTH-371	Youth Evangelism and Discipleship	3
YTH-240	Camping and Retreat Ministries <b>OR</b>	
YTH-270	Communication with Youth	3
YTH-355	Youth Programming and Management	3
YTH-355P	Youth Programming Practicum	1
REL-469	Pastoral Care and Counseling <b>and</b>	3
REL-469P	Pastoral Care Practicum	1
	Courses related to youth ministry and approved by the director of the youth ministries program	7

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Adolescent Ministries - A.S.

#### Associate of Science

The Associate of Science degree is a two-year program that requires 24 credit hour concentration identical to the Adolescent Ministries minor.

### Children's Ministry - B.S.

#### Purpose

The Children's Ministry major consists of a program of 46 credit hours designed to prepare a student to serve in a church staff position such as a director of children's ministries. The Children's Ministry major also prepares students to serve in various para-church organizations (that serve the needs of children) as well as giving needed preparation for students who intend to seek employment in

church-related pre-schools and day care centers. The completion of this major does not fulfill all of the educational requirements for ordination in The Wesleyan Church.

### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirements by taking SOC-210.

Required Courses		46 hours
CED-252	Introduction to Christian Education	3
PSY-251	Child Development	3
CED-350	Teaching Children in the Church	3
CED-354	Working with Children	3
CED-455	Christian Education in the Family	3
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
REL-275	Evangelism and Global Outreach	3
REL-275P	Evangelism Practicum	1
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3
CED-360	Curriculum Theory and Development	3
CED-450	Leading a Children's Ministry in a Local Church	3
CED-361	Children's Ministry Practicum	1
CED-362	Children's Ministry Practicum	1
CED-363	Children's Ministry Practicum	1
	Additional hours related to children's ministry and approved by the student's advisor	9

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Children's Ministry Minor

A minor in Children's Ministry consists of 24 credit hours of carefully selected courses.

Required courses		24 hours
CED-252	Introduction to Christian Education	3
PSY-251	Child Development	3
CED-350	Teaching Children in the Church	3
CED-354	Working with Children	3
CED-455	Christian Education in the Family	3
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
CED-450	Leading a Children's Ministry in a Local Church	3
CED-361	Children's Ministry Practicum	1
CED-362	Children's Ministry Practicum	1
CED-363	Children's Ministry Practicum	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Children's Ministry - A.S.

#### Associate of Science

The Associate of Science degree is a two-year program that requires a 24 credit hour concentration identical to the Children's Ministry minor.



## Christian Education - B.S

### Purpose

The Christian Education major consists of a program of 40 credit hours designed to prepare a student to serve in a church staff position such as a director of Christian education, director of children's ministries, or director of adult ministries. The Christian Education major also prepares students to serve in para-church organizations (such as Youth for Christ or Young Life) or in Christian camps, church-related child-care ministries, etc. The completion of this major does not fulfill all of the educational requirements for ordination in The Wesleyan Church.

### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirements by taking the approved standard courses.

Required Courses		40 hours
CED-252	Introduction to Christian Education	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
BIL	Advanced Bible elective 300 and 400 level	3
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
PSY-250	Developmental Psychology	3
	<b>OR</b>	
	PSY-251 <b>and</b> PSY-252	(6)
YTH-355	Youth Programming and Management <b>and</b>	
YTH-355P	Youth Programming and Management Practicum <b>OR</b>	
	another course in youth ministry approved by the student's advisor	3
CED-240	Teaching the Bible to Adults	3
CED-354	Working with Children	3
CED-360	Curriculum Theory and Development	3
CED-357	Christian Education Practicum	1
CED-358	Christian Education Practicum	1
CED-359	Christian Education Practicum	1
CED-455	Christian Education in the Family	3
CED-490	Leading Christian Education	3
CED-490P	Leading Christian Education Practicum	1
REL-226	Christian Spirituality: Experiencing God	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Christian Education Minor

A minor in Christian Education consists of 24 credit hours of carefully selected courses.

Required courses		24 hours
CED-252	Introduction to Christian Education	3
BIL	Advanced Bible elective 300 and 400 level	3
CED-240	Teaching the Bible to Adults	3
CED-354	Working with Children	3
CED-455	Christian Education in the Family	3
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
PSY-250	Developmental Psychology <b>OR</b>	3
	PSY-251 <b>and</b> PSY-252	(6)

CED-490	Leading Christian Education	3
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Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Christian Education - A.S.

#### Associate of Science

The Associate of Science degree is a two-year program that requires a 24 credit hour concentration identical to the Christian Education minor.

### Christian Ministries - B.S.

#### Purpose

The major in Christian Ministries is the degree which contains the fullest set of courses designed to prepare persons for pastoral ministry in the church. This is one of two degrees which meet requirements for ordination in The Wesleyan Church; moreover, it is the primary degree taken by students seeking ordination in other denominations. The major can be applied to either a Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Arts degree. The requirements for both degrees are quite similar. Additional courses in ancient languages are required for the Bachelor of Arts degree. Students anticipating further education beyond the baccalaureate degree are encouraged to consider the Bachelor of Arts degree as the preferred option.

#### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirements by taking BIL-101, BIL-102, PSY-150, (SOC-150, SOC-210 or SOC-225), REL-465, REL-466, REL-466P and REL-275.

Required Courses		61 hours
<b>Biblical Foundations</b>		
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
BIL	Advanced Old Testament elective	3
BIL	Advanced New Testament elective	3
BIL	Advanced Bible elective	3

[Note: Biblical literature electives: BIL-103, or Greek or Hebrew courses, do not meet the biblical literature requirements for the major. BIL-333 and BIL-408 may count for Advanced Old or New Testament.]

<b>Theological/Historical Foundations</b>		
THE-233	Christian Theology I	3
REL-331	History of Christianity I	3
REL-332	History of Christianity II	3
THE-424	Christian Theology II: Salvation/Holiness	3
REL/PHL/THE	Elective course in theology, church history or philosophy	3
<b>Professional Studies</b>		
CED-255	Local Church Education	3
CED-255P	Church Education Practicum	1
WOR-235	Worship	2
WOR-235P	Worship Practicum	1
REL-264	Introduction to Pastoral Ministries	2
REL-264P	Pastoral Ministry Observation	1
REL-275	Evangelism and Global Outreach	3
REL-275P	Evangelism and Global Outreach Practicum	1
WOR-436	Church Rituals	1
REL-465	Homiletics I	3
REL-466	Homiletics II	2
REL-466P	Homiletics Practicum	1

REL-468	Church Leadership	3
REL-468P	Church Leadership Practicum	1
REL-469	Pastoral Care and Counseling	3
REL-469P	Pastoral Care Practicum	1
REL-482	World-Changing Strategies (Capstone)	2
<b>In addition to the courses listed above, Wesleyan students are required to take</b>		
REL-431	Wesleyan Church History/Discipline	3
<b>Non-Wesleyan students may study their own denominational heritage through independent learning or select</b>		
Elective	Theology, Church History or Philosophy	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Christian Ministries - A.B.

<b>Required Courses (A.B. degree)</b>	<b>67 hours</b>
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In addition to the required courses for the Christian Ministries - B.S. degree, students will also take six credit hours of ancient languages (Greek, Hebrew, or Latin).

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Christian Ministries Minor

A minor in Christian Ministries consists of 24 credit hours of courses specifically relating to professional preparation for pastoral or para-church ministry.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
REL-264	Introduction to Pastoral Ministries	2
REL-264P	Pastoral Ministry Observation	1
REL-275	Evangelism and Global Outreach	3
REL-275P	Evangelism and Global Outreach Practicum	1
REL-361	Christian Ministries Practicum	1
	Offerings within the School of Theology and Ministry (not including PHL-180)	4

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Christian Ministries - A.S.

#### Associate Degrees

Associate degrees in Christian Ministries are two-year programs with a 24 credit-hour concentration identical to the Christian Ministries minor.

### Christian Worship - B.S.

#### Purpose

The Christian Worship major consists of a program of 44 credit hours. The core set of course (28 credit hours) is taken in the department of Theology and Philosophy; the remaining courses (16 credit hours) are taken within the division related to the student's choice of tracks (area of emphasis). Christian Worship majors choose from four possible tracks: music (Division of Music), theater (Division of Communication), media arts (Division of Communication) or pastoral (Department of Theology and Philosophy). This program is designed to prepare a student to serve in a local church or other para-church ministry in worship leadership; it is also an

excellent second major to enhance a student's training for other ministries. The completion of this major does not fulfill the educational requirements for ordination in The Wesleyan Church.

### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirements by taking the approved standard courses.

<b>Required Core Courses</b>		<b>28 hours</b>
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
WOR-235	Christian Worship	2
WOR-235P	Worship Practicum	1
BIL-333	Biblical Foundations of Worship	3
WOR-333	History and Philosophy of Worship	3
WOR-436	Church Rituals	1
WOR-438	Worship Capstone	2
WOR-438P	Worship Capstone Practicum	1
WOR-322	Worship Throughout the Christian Year	3
REL-226	Christian Spirituality: Experiencing God	3
WOR-237	Media for Ministry	3
<b>Music Track Required Courses</b>		<b>16 hours</b>
MUS-114	Class Voice <b>OR</b>	
MUS-100	Applied Voice	1
MUS-117	Beginning Piano/Non-major I <b>OR</b>	
MUS-118	Beginning Piano/Non-major II	1
MUS-149	Introduction to Contemporary Worship	2
MUS-160	Introduction to Music Theory	2
MUS-162	Music Theory I	3
MUS-192	University Chorale <b>OR</b>	
MUS-193	University Singers <b>OR</b>	
MUS-194	Chamber Singers	1
MUS-275	Introduction to Computer Applications in Music	1
MUS-285	Beginning Conducting	2
WOR-325	Centuries of Song	3
<b>Theater Track Required Courses</b>		<b>16 hours</b>
COM-120	Introduction to Theatre	3
COM-251	Principles of Script Analysis	3
COM-252	Beginning Acting <b>OR</b>	
COM-317	Theater History and Dramatic Literature <b>OR</b>	
COM-362	Script Writing	3
COM-272	Stagecraft	3
COM-315	Principles of Stage Directing	3
MUS-114	Class Voice <b>OR</b>	
MUS-100	Applied Voice	1
<b>Media Arts Track Required Courses</b>		<b>16 hours</b>
COM-116	Communication Lab	1
116R	Radio	

116T	Television	
116V	Video	
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COM-214	Radio Production	<b>OR</b>
COM-314	Studio Production	3
COM-215	Television Production	3
COM-223	Desktop Publishing	3
COM-250	Media Script Writing	3
<b>Pastoral Ministry Track Required Courses</b>		<b>16 hours</b>
COM-226	Voice and Interpretation	<b>OR</b>
COM-250	Media Script Writing	3
REL-241	Survey of Church History	3
WOR-325	Centuries of Song	3
REL-264	Introduction to Pastoral Ministries	<b>OR</b>
YTH-220	Introduction to Youth Ministries	2
REL-264P	Pastoral Ministries Observation	<b>OR</b>
YTH-220P	Youth Ministries Observation	1
REL-469	Pastoral Care and Counseling	3
REL-469P	Pastoral Care Practicum	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Christian Worship Minor

A minor in Christian Worship is designed to complement other majors within the division, particularly those majors which prepare students for local church, para-church, or intercultural ministries. It is also designed to serve those pursuing majors outside of the division who see themselves as active lay leaders of worship. The minor includes 19 hours.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>19 hours</b>
WOR-235	Worship	2
WOR-235P	Worship Practicum	1
BIL-333	Biblical Foundations of Worship	3
WOR-333	History and Philosophy of Worship	3
WOR-322	Worship Throughout the Christian Year	3
WOR-237	Media for Ministry	3
WOR-325	Centuries of Song	3
WOR-436	Church Rituals	1

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Sports Ministries Major

#### Purpose

The Division of Health and Human Performance and the School of Theology and Ministry have created an interdisciplinary major in Sports Ministries. The purpose of this major is to prepare students professionally for service in church sports ministries, sports camps, school sports ministries, youth sports ministries, sports chaplaincy, individual sport coach training, and para-church sports ministries. See Health and Human Performance section of the catalog for Sports Ministries requirements.

### Youth Ministries - B.S.

#### Purpose

The major in Youth Ministries is designed for those who desire specialized training in the area of youth ministry. Students who complete this program will fulfill all the requirements for ordination in The Wesleyan Church. Students who desire to be ordained

youth pastors in other denominations should consider this degree as well. Although this major would equip persons to work with youth in a variety of ministry settings, it is primarily designed to train persons for youth ministry in a local church setting.

### General Education Requirements

Students in the major meet the general education requirements by taking BIL-101, BIL-102, PSY-150, (SOC-150, SOC-210 or SOC-225), YTH-270, REL-466, REL-466P, INT-122, and INT-222.

Required Courses		62 hours
<b>Biblical Foundations</b>		
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
BIL	Advanced Old Testament elective	3
BIL	Advanced New Testament elective	3
BIL	Advanced Bible elective	3

[Note: Biblical literature electives: BIL-103, or Greek or Hebrew courses do not meet the biblical literature requirements for the major. BIL-333 and BIL-408 may count for Advanced Old or New Testament.]

<b>Theological/Historical Foundations</b>		
THE-233	Christian Theology I	3
REL-241	Survey of Church History	3
THE-424	Christian Theology II: Salvation/Holiness	3
<b>Professional Studies</b>		
YTH-220	Introduction to Youth Ministries	2
YTH-220P	Youth Ministry Observation	1
YTH-270	Communication with Youth	3
WOR-235	Worship	2
WOR-235P	Worship Practicum	1
WOR-436	Church Rituals	1
CED-255	Local Church Education	3
CED-255P	Church Education Practicum	1
REL-468	Church Leadership	3
REL-468P	Church Leadership Practicum	1
REL-469	Pastoral Care and Counseling	3
REL-469P	Pastoral Care Practicum	1
YTH-371	Youth Evangelism and Discipleship	3
PSY-252	Adolescent Growth and Development	3
INT-122	Short Term Missions (Orientation)	1
INT-222	Short Term Missions (Leadership)	2
YTH-355	Youth Programming and Management	3
YTH-355P	Youth Programming Practicum	1
YTH-341	Youth Ministries Practicum	1
YTH-480	Youth World-Changing Strategies (Capstone)	2
<b>In addition to the courses listed above, Wesleyan students are required to take</b>		
REL-431	Wesleyan Church History/Discipline	3
<b>Non-Wesleyan students may study their own denominational heritage through independent learning or select</b>		
Elective	Theology, Church History or Philosophy	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Youth Ministries Minor**

A Youth Ministries minor consists of the following 24 credit hours of courses specifically relating to professional ministry in parish or para-church settings.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
YTH-220	Introduction to Youth Ministries	2
YTH-220P	Youth Ministry Observation	1
YTH-371	Youth Evangelism and Discipleship	3
YTH-270	Communication with Youth <b>OR</b>	
YTH-240	Camping and Retreat Ministries	3
YTH-355	Youth Programming and Management	3
YTH-355P	Youth Programming Practicum	1
REL-469	Pastoral Care and Counseling <b>OR</b>	3
YTH-370	Youth Counseling	3
REL-469P	Pastoral Care Practicum	1
	Courses listed in the catalog that are pertinent to youth ministry and which meet the approval of the student's advisor	7

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Youth Ministries - A.S.****Associate of Science**

The Associate of Science degree is a two-year program that requires a 24 hour concentration identical to the Youth Ministries minor.

## Intercultural Studies Programs

Offerings within the Intercultural Studies Program include:

Intercultural Studies -B.S.

Intercultural Studies minor

Intercultural Studies - A.S.

International and Community Development - B.S.

International and Community Development minor

Urban Ministries minor

Latin American and Iberian Studies minor

### Intercultural Studies - B.S.

#### Purpose

The Intercultural Studies major is designed to provide a core program of courses in intercultural issues, enabling students to pursue careers in business, church service, or government-related agencies in intercultural contexts in North America and abroad. Students may take the core courses as a related area or cognate to their primary major, or they may take the Intercultural Studies major as an academic program in itself. Graduates of the program can expect to have intercultural skills and insight that will be valuable in any cross-cultural context.

#### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirement by taking BIL-101, BIL-102, INT-122, INT-222, and SOC-225.

#### Language Proficiency

Proficiency in a foreign language at the intermediate level is required for the major. This requirement can be satisfied by taking two years of college foreign language, by taking four years of high school foreign language, with all grades at or above "C," or by satisfactorily passing the language examination rated for the intermediate level of proficiency.

Required Courses		43-44 hours
<b>Intercultural Studies</b>		<b>19</b>
ENG-170	Introduction to Linguistics	3
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
INT-322	Cross-Cultural Internship	3
INT-402	Contemporary Global Issues	3
INT-480	Intercultural Capstone	1
PHL-438	Religions of the World	<b>OR</b>
PHL-334	Philosophy of Religion	
SOC-225	Cultural Anthropology	3
<b>Christian Foundations</b>		<b>13</b>
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
BIL	Old Testament or New Testament Elective	<b>OR</b>
THE	Advanced Elective	
REL-275	Evangelism and Global Outreach	3
REL-275P	Evangelism and Global Outreach Practicum	1
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3



<b>Cognates</b>		<b>11-12</b>
<b>Missiology</b>		<b>11</b>
INT-122	Short-Term Missions (Orientation)	1
INT-222	Short-Term Mission (Leadership)	2
INT-315	Cross-Cultural Communication of Faith	3
INT-380	History of Missions and Contextualization	3
REL-112	Theoretical and Theological Foundation of Intercultural Leadership Development	2
<b>Church Planting and Outreach</b>		<b>12</b>
INT-315	Cross-Cultural Communication of Faith	3
REL-226	Christian Spirituality: Experiencing God	3
REL-228	Defending the Christian Faith	3
REL-481	Ministry Expansion and Church Planting	3
<b>International and Community Development</b>		<b>12</b>
ICD-229	Essentials of Non-Profit Management	3
ICD-210	Introduction to Development Theory	3
ICD-325	Urban and Rural Development Practice	3
ICD-330	International and Community Development Principles	3
<b>Urban Ministry</b>		<b>12</b>
INT-240	Urban Anthropology	3
ICD-229	Essentials of Non-Profit Management	3
ICD-260	Urban Ministries	3
ICD-330	International and Community Development Principles	3
<b>Religious Studies</b>		<b>12</b>
INT-315	Cross-Cultural Communication of Faith	3
INT-410	Islam: Understanding and Dialogue	3
INT-225	Folk Religion	3
PHL-438	Religions of the World <b>OR</b>	
PHL-334	Philosophy of Religion	3
<b>Healthcare</b>		<b>11</b>
ICD-325	Urban and Rural Development	3
NUR-215	International Health	2
NUR-235	Perspectives on Poverty and Health	2
NUR-237	Complementary and Alternative Therapies	2
NUR-315	Tropical Health	2
<b>TESOL</b>		<b>12</b>
TSL-203	TESOL Theoretical Foundations	3
TSL-305	Second Language Acquisition	3
TSL-350	TESOL Assessment and Testing	3
EDU-382TE	Methods of Teaching Sr High/Jr High/Middle School Teaching English	3
<b>Leadership</b>		<b>12</b>
LDR-200	The Servant Leader: Foundations of Leadership	3
LDR-350	The Team Leader (the Leader and	3

	Building Community)	
LDR-400	The Transforming Leader (the Leader and Change)	3
LDR	One additional at 300 or 400 level	3
<b>Business</b>		<b>12</b>
BUS-100	Foundations of Business	3
MNG-210	Management Principles	3
MKG-210	Marketing Principles	3
FIN-250	Personal and Family Finance	3
<b>Foreign Language</b>		<b>12</b>
If high school work is used to satisfy the proficiency requirement, students may take an additional four semesters of college level language to fulfill this concentration.		
<b>Interdisciplinary</b>		<b>12</b>
11 -12 upper division credits are to be chosen from outside the major in a discipline that supports the student's career objectives. Pre-approval is needed by the student's advisor.		
<b>Cross cultural exposure trip</b>		
	Students are also required to participate in a cross cultural exposure trip, subject to prior approval by department faculty.	

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Intercultural Studies Minor

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>18 hours</b>
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
INT-322	Cross-Cultural Internship	3
INT-402	Contemporary Global Issues	3
SOC-225	Cultural Anthropology	3
ENG-170	Introduction to Linguistics	3
PHL-438	Religions of the World <b>OR</b>	
PHL-334	Philosophy of Religion	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Intercultural Studies - A.S.

#### Associate of Science

The Associate of Science degree in Intercultural Studies is a two-year program .

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
INT-322	Cross-Cultural Internship	3
INT-402	Contemporary Global Issues	3
SOC-225	Cultural Anthropology	3
ENG-170	Introduction to Linguistics	3
PHL-438	Religions of the World <b>OR</b>	
PHL-334	Philosophy of Religion	3
Electives	INT-electives	6

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## International and Community Development - B.S.

### Purpose

This major seeks to prepare students spiritually and with intellectual breadth to serve God and humanity as true world changers by equipping them with professional knowledge and skills for careers and graduate studies in international and community development (ICD).

The curriculum presents ICD in alignment with the generally accepted understanding of the field and primes students for graduate studies and employments in national and international relief and development agencies as well as in local church-based community development organizations.

The basic premise of this major is that context determines content, thus worldviews shape the manner in which God's created resources are acknowledged, tendered and utilized. This principle guides the way in which development programs approach the analysis and critique of the stewardship responsibilities of God's created resources in the local, national and global communities. Our students are therefore prompted to the biblical understanding of the world as God's creation and the role of the church in fulfilling the scriptural call for justice, peace and prosperity for all humanity.

### General Education Requirements

Students in this major meet the general education requirement in the social sciences by taking BIL-101, BIL-102, ECO-211 or ECO-212 and REL-275/275P.

### Language Proficiency

Proficiency in a foreign language at the intermediate level is required for the major. This requirement can be satisfied by taking two years of college foreign language, by taking four years of high school foreign language, with all grades at or above "C," or by satisfactorily passing a language examination rated for the intermediate level of proficiency or above.

Requirements		47 hours
<b>Bible and Religion</b>		<b>6</b>
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
THE-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
<b>Development</b>		<b>28</b>
ICD-210	Introduction to Development Theory	3
ECO-211	Introduction to Economics	OR
ECO-212	Macroeconomics	
ICD-229	Essentials of Non-Profit Management	3
ICD-260	Urban Ministries	3
ICD-325	Urban and Rural Development Practice	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
ICD-350	Transformational Development Principles	3
ICD-360	ICD Development Internship	3
ICD-450	Community Development Workshop/Practicum	3
ICD-480	Development Capstone	1
<b>Methodology</b>		<b>6</b>
MAT-112	General Statistics	3
PSY-355	Research Method for the Behavioral Sciences	OR
POL-322	Research Design and Methods in Political Science and Economics	
<b>Intercultural Studies</b>		<b>7</b>
<b>Choose seven hours of the following courses:</b>		

INT-122	Short Term Missions Orientation	1
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
INT-240	Urban Anthropology	3
REL-275	Evangelism and Global Outreach	3
REL-275P	Evangelism and Global Outreach Practicum	1
<b>Area of Specialization</b>		<b>9-12</b>
<b>Cross cultural exposure trip</b>		
	ICD students are required to participate in an international/cross cultural exposure trip, subject to prior approval by department faculty.	

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### International and Community Development Minor

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
ICD-210	Introduction to Development Theory	3
ECO-212	Macroeconomics	3
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
ICD-229	Essentials of Non-Profit Management	3
POL-230	World Politics	3
ICD-325	Urban and Rural Development Practice	1
ICD-350	Transformational Development Principles	3
	Electives approved by ICD advisor	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Urban Ministries Minor

<b>Minor Requirements</b>		<b>24 hours</b>
ECO-211	Introduction to Economics	3
INT-220	Intercultural Relationships	3
ICD-229	Essentials of Non-Profit Management	3
POL-240	Public Policy Processes	3
INT-240	Urban Anthropology	3
ICD-260	Urban Ministries	3
ICD-350	Transformational Development Principles	3
Elective	Electives approved by ICD advisor	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Intercultural Studies Programs - Other

#### Latin American and Iberian Studies

The Division of Modern Language and Literature, the School of Theology and Ministry, and the Division of Social Sciences have created an interdisciplinary minor in Latin American and Iberian Studies.

## College of Adult and Professional Studies (CAPS)

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CAPS was created to serve the adult population with a variety of programs designed to meet the educational needs of specific adult audiences. It is Indiana Wesleyan University's desire to understand the special requirements of adults who are interested in earning an Associate, Bachelor's, Master's, Educational Specialist, or Doctor of Education degree, but who must also continue meeting their professional and personal commitments. The programs in the college are designed for working adults by combining theory with practical experience.

CAPS - Policies and General Information

CAPS is made up of three schools:

School of Business and Leadership

School of Educational Leadership

School of Liberal Arts

### Mission of CAPS

*For wisdom will enter your heart, and knowledge will be pleasant to your soul. Proverbs 2:10.*

The College of Adult and Professional Studies of Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christ-centered academic community committed to changing the world by developing adult students in character, scholarship and leadership.

### Objectives of CAPS

The College of Adult and Professional Studies will engage in its mission by:

- Providing educational opportunities in professional areas within the liberal arts tradition.
- Aiding students in extending the range and nature of careers available to them.
- Challenging students to develop leadership abilities.
- Encouraging students to develop in character.
- Providing students with a comprehensive yet practical education through an intensive curriculum that draws on resources, theories, and knowledge from various disciplines.
- Leading students in acquiring the skills required for effective critical thinking.
- Extending educational opportunities to people whose occupations, family responsibilities, or personal preferences do not permit them to spend major blocks of time "in residence" on campus.
- Helping students understand the importance of the application of Christian principles in a professional environment.
- Cultivating an appreciation for scholarship among students and faculty.

### Foundations of CAPS

CAPS programs offer a challenging educational experience for adult learners. The curricular format is often accelerated, interaction among participants is emphasized, and project teams play an important role in the learning process. Instructors bring a combination of academic training and professional experience into the classroom. As working adults, CAPS students have significant skills and experience to draw from and to share.

To make the most of these unique programs, those enrolled should be aware of the foundational beliefs concerning the education of adult learners that administrators and the faculty of CAPS believe are crucial to the learning experience. The following elements make the CAPS programs work:

**Adult students are motivated to learn.** Adults who return to school after spending time in the work force are typically ready to give the effort needed to learn. Because of this, learning proceeds much more quickly, and faculty do not have to spend time urging students to attend to their work. Indeed, accustomed to excellence at work, adults often labor to reach that same level of quality in their academic pursuits.

**Adults have learned self-discipline.** As a result of being in the work force and managing the complexities of both professional and personal responsibilities, adults have developed a sense of discipline that serves them well in the CAPS Programs. Assignments can be

completed-and completed well-within narrow time frames despite busy schedules and varied work, family, church, and community responsibilities.

**Adults have broad life experiences.** Learning theory indicates that students learn by relating abstractions to memories of past experiences. For this reason, a person who has experienced a work environment is better able to absorb theoretical concepts. Drawing on a broad background of experiential knowledge allows adults to quickly grasp ideas.

**Adults desire relevance.** If students relate to a current task or contemporary problem, their ears “perk up” and brains “switch to high gear.” Because working adults encounter situations where their learning may be applied daily, they are more motivated and better able to learn.

**Adults have developed skill in independent learning.** To succeed in life, adults, by necessity, have learned to gather information on their own and process it independently. Thus, CAPS can rely on them to grasp more knowledge and skills on their own in the context of structured group and independent activities without having to rely on an instructor as a “fountain” from which all information flows.

**Adults learn best when they are personally involved.** The more active people are in their own learning, the better the learning. If students are only called upon to passively listen to instructors, little learning occurs. When students interact in small groups, engage in role play, solve problems, prepare projects, and apply techniques in the workplace, their learning is deep and retention is long. For this reason, CAPS seeks to create situations for active learning.

**Adults have many insights of their own.** As individuals go through life, they gain new perspectives and insights based on the events which have occurred around them. When a group of adults with varied backgrounds and work experiences come together, the accumulated knowledge and wisdom can be overwhelming. To rely solely on one instructor’s thoughts for the content of a course would impoverish the educational experience. For this reason, discussion is highly valued in CAPS classes.

**Adults can direct their learning to fill in gaps in their knowledge.** Reading and research outside the classroom allow students to close the gaps between their current knowledge and the knowledge necessary to meet CAPS course objectives. Adults are able to recognize when there is still much to learn, and have the discipline and learning skills to focus on those areas where they need to concentrate most.

**Adults learn well in groups.** Group learning is widely recognized as an effective learning process. Peers tutor each other, there is emotional support, and friendships develop in groups, all of which results in a positive climate for learning. Ideas and learning that would not have occurred individually occur in groups, resulting in the creation of synergy. Weaknesses in one student are offset by the strengths of others. Teamwork, cooperation, and leadership skills are fostered within groups.

## Faculty - CAPS

Indiana Wesleyan University is a community of Christian scholars whose mission is to integrate faith into every aspect of life. Therefore, in selecting candidates, the institution seeks academically qualified professionals who enjoy a vital personal relationship with Jesus Christ, and who are excited by the prospect of integrating faith and learning. Four primary criteria are considered in the screening of candidates: Christian mission congruence, academic qualification, professional experience, and the ability to facilitate adult learning.

CAPS recruits, trains, and schedules Christian professionals whose academic qualifications and workplace experiences equip them to provide adult learners with a stimulating classroom environment. In doing so, CAPS maintains a quality faculty for all its programs.

CAPS employs a core of full-time faculty who are responsible for instruction and curriculum development in core discipline areas. These individuals also mentor and develop adjunct faculty in their fields of study.

All adjunct faculty candidates are screened through a rigorous hiring process which includes a series of interviews and an assessment session. Once approved, faculty are assigned to a mentor and attend orientation workshops.

CAPS provides opportunities for its full-time and adjunct faculty to regularly network with one another through faculty meetings, development workshops, and focus groups.

## Communication with CAPS

Address	Indiana Wesleyan University College of Adult and Professional Studies 1900 W 50th St Marion IN 46953-5279 <a href="http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAPS">http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAPS</a> <a href="http://myIWU.indwes.edu">http://myIWU.indwes.edu</a>
Administration Vice President and Dean	765-677-2352
Office of Student Services	765-677-2359
Financial Aid Office	765-677-2516
Accounting	765-677-3265 or 765-677-2878
Resources	765-677-2854
Registrar's Office	765-677-2131
School of Business and Leadership	765-677-2345
School of Educational Leadership	765-677-1635
School of Liberal Arts	765-677-2385

## Policies and General Information - CAPS

The right is reserved to change any of the rules and regulations of the university at any time, including those relating to admission, instruction, and graduation. The right to withdraw curricula and specific courses, alter course content, change the calendar, and to impose or increase fees similarly is reserved. All such changes are effective at such times as the proper authorities determine and may apply not only to prospective students but also to those already enrolled in the university.

CAPS - Academic Information

CAPS - Financial Information

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## Academic Information - CAPS

**Academic Calendar** - Courses in adult and graduate programs are offered under the semester hour system but in a non-traditional academic calendar. Onsite core groups meet on the same day for the duration of the program. Online core groups meet in an asynchronous environment through Blackboard. Certain programs require students to complete project team assignments.

**Catalog Governing Graduation** - Students must meet the graduation requirements as stated in the university catalog under which they enrolled. Students who maintain continuous enrollment, who make normal progress toward a degree, and who earn their degree within a maximum of six years from the date of enrollment may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they enrolled. Students who withdraw from Indiana Wesleyan University for more than six months will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment. Students changing majors or programs must meet requirements as stated in the catalog that is current at the time they make such changes. The same holds true for students moving between schools and colleges.

**Core Requirements** - The integrity of the CAPS programs requires that the core courses be met at Indiana Wesleyan University. Due to the nature of the programs, students can only be enrolled in one program at a time. Students are required to complete the first course of the core program with a passing grade in order to maintain enrollment with their original cohort. Each school determines the passing grade required for the specific programs within that school. In general, no waivers are allowed for courses taken at other colleges/universities. Certain graduate programs allow transfer credits.

Final class dates as established by the calendar will be the final date for completion of the core curriculum. No compressing or doubling of core work is permitted to accommodate earlier completion or graduation schedules.

Academic Advising

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## Academic Advising

The purpose of academic advising is to acquaint the student with all available options for degree completion and ensure that the student successfully fulfills all requirements prior to the student's assigned graduation date.

An academic advisor is assigned to each individual student and advises that student throughout the duration of his or her academic program. Advisors are available to meet one-on-one with students at a regional location, and through phone, e-mail, etc.

It is important that students maintain contact with their academic advisor in order to ensure timely progression toward degree completion as well as appropriate scheduling for maximum financial aid benefit.

## Academic Standing - CAPS

**Academic Probation** - Students enrolled in a CAPS program will be placed on probation if their **core** GPA at any time falls below:

- 2.00 for the associate programs
- 2.25 for baccalaureate programs
- 2.50 for the Biblical Studies program
- 3.00 for graduate programs
- 3.25 for the doctoral program

Students will be placed on probation if their **cumulative** GPA at any time falls below:

- 2.00 for the associate and baccalaureate programs
- 3.00 for graduate programs
- 3.25 for the doctoral program

Students are given two consecutive courses to satisfactorily raise their GPA. If the GPA is successfully raised, the probationary status is removed. Academic suspension will result if the student's GPA is not successfully raised.



**Academic Suspension** - Academic suspension will result if:

- A student fails to clear the academic probationary status within the probationary period of two consecutive courses.
- A student has two grades of failure (F) at one time on an academic record in the same degree level. (There are four degree levels: Associate, Bachelor, Master, and Doctorate).
- A student has taken a course twice and failed to achieve a satisfactory grade. When this occurs, the student is ineligible to reapply for admission into the program in which the course was repeated. (Exception: students may take ENG-140 and ENG-141 as many times as necessary to achieve a passing grade.)

In all cases, the suspension will occur once the grades have been recorded in the Registrar's Office. Students will be notified of the academic suspension in writing. Application for readmission may be made after six months. The application must be made in writing to the Associate Dean of the specific school.

See the Graduate Studies in Leadership section for additional academic standing information of the doctoral program.

**Academic Dismissal** - Upon a second academic suspension in the same program, a student is not eligible to reapply to Indiana Wesleyan University.

## **Admission and Registration - CAPS**

Indiana Wesleyan University welcomes applications for admission from any academically qualified person whose motivation is in keeping with the university's purposes. Admission is based on the careful review of all credentials presented by an applicant, but in no case is admission denied due to race, color, national origin, disability, religion, or sex. Students are admitted in one of the following categories:

- **Regular** - Students who satisfactorily meet all requirements will be granted standard admission with no restrictions.
- **Probation** - A graduate student whose entering grade point average (GPA) falls below the minimum required by the program may be accepted on probation. Probationary status will be removed after the student has completed the first three courses of the core with a satisfactory GPA (3.0). In case of extended probation, the number of courses to be completed in order to change status will be determined by the Associate Dean of the specific school. Any student failing to remove the probationary status will be academically suspended from the program.
- **Provisional** - Students whose files are incomplete may be accepted provisionally at the discretion of the Associate Vice President for Student Services if it appears from the available documentation that eligibility for the program has been met. The student is given until the end of the first course to submit the required materials. Failure to meet the required deadline will result in the student being dropped from the roster and not being allowed to continue.
- **Unclassified** - Students not pursuing a university degree who want to take certain courses for special reasons may be accepted for a maximum of 18 hours of undergraduate work or 12 hours of graduate work. Students receiving an unclassified status must reapply for regular admission if they desire later to pursue a degree program.

**International/Non-English Speaking Students** - A student who is living in the United States but is not a United States citizen must submit a copy of a visa or permanent resident status during the process of application. Students who do not speak English as their first and primary language must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) prior to admission to the university. A score of at least 550 (paper-based), 213 (computer-based), or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission. Student visas (I-20's) are not issued for students wanting to enter the United States to enroll in programs offered for adult and graduate students.

**Registration** - Registration occurs at the beginning of the student's core program. At this point, students are registered for all courses within the major. Therefore, if a student needs to miss an individual course, official withdrawal must be made through the Office of Student Services. Staff will work with the student to make arrangements to retake this class with another core group at a time that will minimize the impact on the student's financial aid. Students need to be aware that temporary withdrawals could impact their eligibility to receive financial aid based on the standards outlined in IWU's Satisfactory Academic Progress.

Students in programs that require additional credits outside the major are responsible to meet with their advisor to facilitate registration in these courses.

A student who has failed to make arrangements for the payment of tuition for a course will have registration in that course cancelled.

## Attendance Policy - CAPS

Because of the delivery method of adult and graduate programs, attendance is required and monitored. Students are expected to be present for onsite class sessions and participate in online activity. Absences are allowed as follows:

- Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed one absence in courses that are five class sessions or fewer in length. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.
- Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed two absences in courses that are six or more class sessions in length. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.

If a student exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to officially withdraw before the last class session, the instructor is directed to issue the grade of "F." Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Students must then go through the normal readmittance process.

Students who must miss a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a withdrawal with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Students needing to withdraw while in a course may do so by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply. Students will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

Faculty members reserve the right to factor lateness, early departures, and class attendance into a student's grade, as long as it is addressed in the syllabus.

**Onsite Attendance Policy** – The nature of the adult and graduate programs requires students to attend all class sessions. Class attendance records are maintained by the faculty member and submitted to the Office of Student Services.

- **Class Attendance Policy** – Students are expected to be present when class begins, and remain the entire workshop. To be counted present, a student must attend a total of three hours or more of a class that is four hours in length or four and one-half hours or more of classes that are six hours in length.
- **Project Team Policy** – Students are expected to participate in their project team activities.

**Online Attendance Policy:** Attendance is determined by activity during a workshop, either through discussions or submission of assignments. A student is reported absent for a workshop if there is not at least one submission (or posting) of an assignment or in a discussion forum assigned during that workshop.

See the Graduate Studies in Leadership section for the specific attendance requirements of the doctoral program.

## Audit of Courses

A student who has been accepted into an Indiana Wesleyan University degree program or as an unclassified student may choose to audit specified courses within a core program or electives as follows:

- Audit registration is allowed on a space available basis.
- The current audit fee per credit hour must accompany the registration.
- Auditing a course gives one the right to attend the course. No credit or letter grade is given. The course will be indicated as an "AU" on the student's IWU transcript.
- The student auditing the course is not expected to participate in classroom or study group assignments, or to complete homework, quizzes, or tests.
- The facilitator is under no obligation to grade any work an auditing student chooses to submit or to give feedback on progress.
- The materials required for the course are optional for auditing students. If one wishes to purchase materials, the fees must accompany the registration.
- The student must meet course pre-requisites or be approved by the appropriate administrator of the specific college/school.
- No change may be made from audit to credit, or credit to audit, after registration closes.

## Degree Requirements

### Associate Degree

- Completion of core requirements.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.

### Baccalaureate Degree

- Completion of 124 semester hours.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- Completion of core requirements with a GPA of 2.25 (2.50 for Biblical Studies) or higher.
- Completion of 30 hours of liberal arts as specified.

### Graduate Degree

- Completion of core requirements.
- Cumulative graduate GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- A grade of "C" or higher in each course. Some programs require a grade higher than a "C."

### Doctorate Degree

- Completion of core requirements.
- Successful completion of the dissertation.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher.

See each program listing for individual program requirements.

In addition to the above, all degree candidates must settle all financial obligations in order to receive their diploma.

**Liberal Arts (General Education) Requirements** - In addition to the regular core curriculum (major), a 30-credit liberal arts core is required of all bachelor students enrolled in adult and graduate programs. This 30-credit liberal arts core includes:

- Three semester credits in Biblical Literature.
- Three semester credits in Philosophy/Religion/Biblical Literature.
- Nine semester credits in English/Composition/Speech/Literature.
- Six semester credits in Social Sciences.
- Three semester credits in Math.
- Three semester credits in Science.
- Three semester credits in Fine Arts/Foreign Language.

Bachelor core courses that fall into liberal arts categories may not be used to fulfill both the core requirement and the liberal arts requirement.

**Second Degrees and Second Majors** - After graduating with a baccalaureate degree, a student may add a major by completing the requirements of the major subject as listed in the current catalog. If no courses in the proposed added major have been taken within ten years of graduation, a minimum number of nine new credits in the major are required. No more than nine hours may be shared between the two majors. New general education requirements will not need to be met to post an additional major. Students adding a second major are not eligible to participate in graduation again.

If an Indiana Wesleyan University bachelor's degree graduate wishes to return to the university to earn a **second degree**, he or she may do so if the degree is distinct from the first. All current requirements for the second degree must be met, including general education requirements, and at least 30 additional semester hours must be taken.

## Former Student Re-Enrollment

Students who have previously withdrawn from a program and have not attended classes for six months or more must complete an application for readmission from the Office of Student Services. Receipt of the signed application will initiate a review of the student's academic file to determine remaining requirements. A student who was academically suspended from an adult and graduate

program may make application for readmission after six months. All students returning after six months or more will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment.

Former Indiana Wesleyan University students from the traditional programs who wish to apply to a program must go through the regular adult program admission procedure. Students who were academically suspended from the traditional campus and wish to apply to an adult program must meet the following criteria:

- All other program admission criteria met.
- At least two years have passed since the suspension OR the student has successfully completed 12 hours elsewhere.
- There are no other holds on the student's record.

## **Grade Appeal and Academic Policy Grievance**

Indiana Wesleyan University follows generally accepted college and university practice in the development of academic policies, the operation of classrooms, and use of grading techniques. The university allows its instructors independence in following generally accepted practices. A student who wishes to appeal a course grade or an academic policy decision (including one believed to be discriminatory based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504), must abide by the procedures that follow.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances. All grievances, with all documents, recommendations, and decisions, will be reported to the Associate Vice President for Academic Administration and Operations of the College of Adult and Professional Studies. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

### **Grade Appeal**

A grade appeal involves only those situations in which a student believes that an instructor (a) has not followed fair grading practice or (b) has not followed his or her published grading policy. A student who wishes to appeal a grade based on one or both of these reasons must follow these procedures:

- The student must first contact the instructor for a full explanation of the grade given and the basis for making the grade.
- If there is no resolution, then the student may file a grade appeal request form, which can be obtained from the Regional Dean/Program Director or Chair. If a properly completed grade appeal request form is not received by the university within 30 days of the date the student's grade was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal.
- After the university receives the grade appeal request form, it will be forwarded to the instructor along with a faculty grade appeal response form.
- If the instructor agrees that the grade should be changed, the university will change the grade and notify the student.
- If the instructor does not agree that the grade should be changed, the university will notify the student and send a form that may be used by the student to request a review by the Academic Appeals Committee. If the university does not receive the form from the student within 15 days of the date the form was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal.
- Upon receipt of the request for committee review from the student, the matter will be brought to the next regularly scheduled Academic Appeals Committee meeting. (NOTE: The committee reserves the right to seek clarification from the student or the instructor). If the matter involves a member of the committee, then that individual will recuse himself/herself from deciding the appeal. The committee will notify the student of its decision, which will be final.

### **Academic Policy Grievance**

An academic policy grievance involves those situations in which a student believes that the university has not followed published policies regarding an academic decision or discrimination based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504. A student who wishes to file an academic policy grievance must follow these procedures:

- Level 1 - The student must first contact the person who has made the decision for a full explanation of the policy and how the policy was followed. If the policy has been followed, then the student has no further recourse.
- Level 2 - If the policy was not followed or the student disputes the way in which the policy was applied, then the student may request that the matter be reviewed by the Regional Dean/Program Director or Chair by filing a form requesting such a review. This form may be obtained from the Regional Dean/Program Director or Chair. If the complaint involves the Regional Dean/Program Director or Chair, the student may request that the Associate Dean of the relevant school review the matter. If a properly completed form is not received by the university within 30 days of the date on which the event that gave rise to the

complaint occurs, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal. The Regional Dean/Program Director or Chair (or, if applicable, the Associate Dean of the relevant school) will notify the student of the decision.

- Level 3 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved, then the student may request that the Academic Appeals Committee review the matter by filing a form requesting a committee review. This form may be obtained from the Associate Vice President for Academic Administration and Operations. If the university does not receive a properly completed form within 15 days of the date on which the decision notice in level two was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal. The Academic Appeals Committee will notify the student of its decision, which will be final.

A student may seek recourse from any university nonacademic program or employment-related dispute, alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or other state or federal legislation. Further direction for this process can be found at Non-Academic Appeal Process.

## Grading and Evaluation

A letter grade is used in evaluating the work for a course. For the purpose of determining scholastic standing and awarding honors, grade points are granted according to the letter grades and semester hours of credit. The grade point average (GPA) is the number of quality points earned at IWU divided by the number of credit hours attempted at IWU.

Grade	Quality Points (per credit)	Definition
A	4.0	Superior
A-	3.7	
B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Above Average
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	
C	2.0	Average
C-	1.7	
D+	1.3	
D	1.0	Passing
F	.0	Failure (Also given for unofficial withdrawals)
<b>The following grades are not figured into the GPA:</b>		
W		Passing work at time of official withdrawal
I		Incomplete
CR		Credit
NC		No Credit
AU		Audit

**Repeated Courses** - A student may repeat once any course in which a grade below "C" ("C-," "D+," "D," or "F") was previously earned. Some specific graduate level courses are identified as repeatable and can be repeated if a student earns a grade higher than "C" but below the level required for that specific course. The course may be repeated once.

Whenever a course is repeated, the last grade and credits earned replace the previous grade in computing the student's grade point average (GPA). All entries, however, remain a part of the student's permanent academic record. Duplicate credit hours are not given for two or more passing efforts. A course taken in a classroom format may not be repeated for a grade through independent learning.

Since a course may be repeated once, failure to achieve a satisfactory grade in a course after two attempts will result in academic suspension and ineligibility to complete the major in which the course was repeated.

**Incomplete Grades** - Students are expected to complete the course requirements by the last class session. There may be instances when crisis circumstances or events prevent the student from completing the course requirements in a timely manner. However, the issuance of an incomplete cannot be given if the student fails to meet the attendance requirements. In these rare situations, a grade of "I" (incomplete) may be issued but only after completing the following process:

- The student must request an "I" from the instructor.
- The instructor must obtain approval from the appropriate Regional Dean/Program Director/Program Chair/Division Chair.

Because "incompletes" are granted only for extenuating circumstances, the student's grade will not be penalized.

A student who receives an "incomplete" has 10 weeks from the final meeting date of the course to complete course requirements and turn them in to the instructor. If, at the end of the 10-week extension, the student has failed to complete the course requirements, the "incomplete" will become an "F." A student with more than one incomplete on record is subject to academic suspension.

**Grade Reports** - At the end of each course, the instructor submits grades for each student. Grade reports are mailed from the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and indicate courses taken, credits received, and grades assigned.

**Transcripts** - The student's official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

## Graduation

**Graduation Ceremonies** - IWU graduation ceremonies are held three times a year. Degrees are conferred and posted to the student's transcript on these three dates only.

Eligible students are notified by the Office of Student Services of procedures and requirements concerning graduation.

Each student must complete an "Application for Graduation" provided by the Office of Student Services. This application indicates the student's intent to graduate and initiates the final evaluation of the student's academic record.

Students are also asked to inform the university as to whether they will be attending the ceremony. This allows the university to determine the number of tickets available for students who are attending. If a student cannot attend graduation due to unforeseen circumstances, the degree is still conferred; however, attendance at a future graduation is not an option.

**Graduation Requirements** - All requirements must be met and transcribed by the date established by the Office of Student Services (eight days prior to the commencement ceremony). Students taking internal or external coursework need to make sure that transcripts, grades, and scores can be received and transcribed by the deadline date.

Students may receive one degree only per commencement. Students meeting requirements for more than one degree must apply for and participate in two different ceremonies.

Students who have received a degree from IWU and have returned to meet requirements for an additional major at the same degree level will have the second major posted to their existing degree. The second major can only be posted at one of the three conferral dates, and students receiving the second major are not eligible to participate in another graduation ceremony.

**Academic Honors (Baccalaureate Candidates)** - Graduation Honors is a recognition given to baccalaureate students at commencement to acknowledge outstanding grade point averages earned. Eligibility for Honors is determined as follows:

- A minimum of 80 graded hours from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education. (NOTE: credit from ITT, International Business College, RETS College School of Nursing,

hospital schools of nursing, foreign institutions, CLEP/DANTES, military, and assessed learning does not count toward this requirement.)

- A minimum of 40 graded hours must be from Indiana Wesleyan University.
- For transfer students, all graded hours transferred and transcribed are counted.
- For students with transfer work, the Indiana Wesleyan University GPA will appear on the transcript and in the shaded portion of the Grade Report Mailer; the Honors GPA, which will include grades from transferred courses, will appear below the shaded portion on the Grade Report Mailer.

Baccalaureate degree candidates will be awarded Honors as follows:

- GPA of 3.5 or higher - “cum laude” (with honors).
- GPA of 3.7 or higher - “magna cum laude” (with high honors).
- GPA of 3.9 or higher - “summa cum laude” (with highest honors).

**Diplomas** - Diplomas are mailed after the conferment of degrees. Diplomas indicate degree earned, date of degree, major, specialization, and honors. A student’s financial account must be settled to receive a diploma.

## Leave of Absence Policy

Indiana Wesleyan University understands there are life events that may require a student to modify class enrollment and schedules. The leave of absence policy is designed to allow students flexibility in their program enrollment to adjust to these life events. The leave of absence policy also extends to students the ability to make up any courses missed during the approved leave.

A student on an approved leave of absence will be considered enrolled at IWU and eligible for an in-school deferment for student aid loans. Federal financial aid and in-school deferment may be negatively impacted if a student fails to apply for the leave of absence or if the application is denied. **This impacts students who receive Title IV federal financial aid (Federal Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Grants, Federal Stafford Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans, Federal Parent Loans) or who want to have a federal student loan deferred from payment while in school.**

Students who will be out of attendance for a period of 29 days or more should request a leave of absence. Students out of class for less than 29 days are not eligible for a leave of absence, and a recalculation on current financial aid will be done. Students who are not on federal financial aid programs or who do not have a federal loan in deferment are not required to request a leave of absence. However, the approved leave of absence will result in the \$100 registration change fee being waived.

Students needing to make a change in their schedule need to contact the Office of Student Services to process the registration change. At that time, the leave of absence request form will be mailed to the student. The Leave of Absence Application can be downloaded, or can be requested by calling the Office of Student Services at 765-677-1207. Students must request the leave within 21 days of initiating the registration change. The request for a leave of absence should be made prior to the date the leave is to start. The start date of the leave is the first date of the class or, if the class has already started, the date the registration change is initiated.

An approved leave of absence must meet the following criteria: the request must be received within 21 days of the registration change; the request must be made prior to the start of the leave (first day of class); the reason for the request must be one approved by IWU’s Leave of Absence Committee (military, medical, jury duty, loss of job, family emergency, employment emergency, transfer of coursework, passing pre-requisite requirement, transfer of core groups, changing programs, administrative cancelation of core classes, or other reasons as approved by the Leave of Absence Committee); appropriate documentation must be submitted if the request is submitted after the leave has started; the student must have an expected date of return; and, the leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period.

Documentation is required if the request for the leave of absence is made after the beginning date of the leave of absence and needs to address the nature of the reason for the request. Documentation for each circumstance will vary; the student is required to provide whatever paperwork from a third party will attest to the circumstance outlined on the application form. Examples would include physicians’ statements, letters from employers, letters from pastors or counselors, court documents, etc. Documentation is also required if a request is submitted after the 21 day deadline, and needs to address the reason for the delay in the submission of the request.

The leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period. Time in excess of 180 days will not be approved. A student may request an extension to a leave providing the request is made before the end of the leave, there are unforeseen circumstances which prevent the return from the leave, and the total number of days of approved leave do not exceed 180 in a 12-month period. A maximum of two leaves of absence are allowed during a 12-month period.

Failure to return from an approved leave of absence nullifies the approved leave and may have an impact on student loan repayment terms as well as the grace period. The first day of the leave will be reported as the beginning of the grace period for loan deferment. Students may return early from an approved leave of absence prior to the leave end date. The leave will be shortened according to the student's return date.

Students will not receive disbursements of Title IV student loan financial aid funds during the leave. Students are not deferred from making regularly scheduled payments to the Accounting Office for normal fees incurred. Any change in registration can impact current financial aid regardless of approval or denial of the leave of absence request. Questions about impact on current financial aid should be directed to the Financial Aid Office at 800-621-8667 ext. 2516. Students on an approved leave of absence will be reported as such and will be eligible for in-school deferment of previous loans. Students whose request for a leave of absence is denied will be reported as withdrawn and the grace period for loan repayment will go into effect.

## **Withdrawal/Change in Status**

A student who finds it necessary to withdraw from the program or to take a temporary leave of absence is required to contact the Registration Change Counselor in the Office of Student Services to complete this process ([registration.change@indwes.edu](mailto:registration.change@indwes.edu)). Students must request the withdrawal from the Registration Change Counselor before the last class workshop. Failure to initiate an official withdrawal will result in a "No Credit" or an "F" grade for the student in those related courses. Students withdrawing from a class or transferring to another core group will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

A student who is temporarily withdrawing may request an individual leave of absence up to 180 days in a 12 month period. A student cannot request more than two leaves during a 12 month period, and the total number of days on leave may not exceed 180 days within a 12 month period. All leaves must be requested through the Office of Student Services.

If a student officially withdraws after a course has started, a grade of "W" will be assigned. An "F" will be assigned to a student who stops attending but does not officially withdraw. Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Students must then go through the normal readmittance process to return to class.

Students withdrawing from the first course of a core program must withdraw from the entire program and re-enter with another core group.

If, at a later time the student wishes to re-enter the program, a re-entry form must be submitted to the Office of Student Services. Students sitting out of a core program for more than 90 days are subject to a tuition increase upon returning. Students re-entering a core program after six months or more are subject to any changes in curriculum upon returning.

Any change in registration may have an impact on the student's financial aid. Students should always check with the financial aid office before initiating a registration change.

## **Project Teams**

Global competition and accelerating change have challenged traditional notions of the corporate pyramid. Organizations seeking to improve quality and agility have replaced entire levels of management with self-managing work teams. For this reason, the skills needed for teamwork are at a premium in the workplace.

A team is essentially a small number of people with complementary skills, who are committed to a common purpose, a set of performance goals, and an approach to solving problems for which they hold themselves mutually accountable. But a team is more than just a collection of individuals. A true team develops an almost organic quality. The synergy produced through interaction involving a common goal should exceed what a group of individuals might achieve working independently. Thus, there is a significant difference between the product of a well-functioning team and the product of a work group where a piece of the problem is assigned to each individual.

Indiana Wesleyan University utilizes project teams and team projects in the curriculum because team process can enhance learning, especially in adult professionals. Students working in project teams are able to take on larger projects than they would be able to individually. This enables the university to present courses in a compressed format. Not only is learning enhanced through this method, but students also have the opportunity to develop teamwork skills. We believe project teams are a vital component to the education our students receive.

Project teams are typically comprised of self-selected teams of three to five individuals who meet as needed for class assignment preparation, team projects, and team presentations.



Individuals who work effectively in teams are characterized by the following abilities:

- Able to take responsibility for the success of the entire team and not just their own success.
- Able to hold both themselves and the team accountable for mutually agreed-upon goals.
- Able to negotiate goals and ideas in a team setting.
- Skilled at listening.
- Skilled at building on the ideas of others in a creative fashion.
- Able to give constructive feedback and express emotions to others without damaging relationships.
- Able to trust others and foster trusted relationships.
- Value team process.
- Understand the dynamics of team process and team product in pursuit of collective goals.

Core groups in programs that require project teams develop a *Project Team Plan* and *Covenant of Expectations* at the beginning of the program under the direction of an Indiana Wesleyan University instructor. These documents are then filed with the appropriate administrative office. (Note: Only the *Project Team Plan* is required for elective classes.) Students will be given additional information during the first course concerning project team requirements.

## Transfer of Credit Policy - CAPS

Credit is granted for work with a satisfactory grade ("C" or above) taken at an approved college or university accredited at the same level, provided the courses are applicable to the curriculum the student wishes to pursue at Indiana Wesleyan University. An "approved college or university" generally refers to those institutions that are accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education. The following are exceptions to the transfer policy and credits earned are not counted toward the honors GPA:

- Credits from International Business College and ITT Technical Institute are transferable into undergraduate programs only through evaluation of each individual course. Students are responsible to supply course syllabi for this evaluation. A maximum of 62 semester hours may be accepted through this process from these two institutions.
- Indiana Wesleyan University accepts official transcripts from the American Council on Education (ACE) located in Washington, D.C. ACE evaluates and provides credit recommendations for educational offerings for a significant number of corporate universities and other extra-institutional learning providers.
- Courses from nonaccredited colleges and universities and from schools/colleges/universities not accredited at the same level, such as proprietary business schools, vocational/technical schools, or other single purpose institutions may be presented through the evaluation of assessed learning process. A maximum of 40 hours may be accepted through assessed learning and/or ACE credit.

The University Registrar is responsible for approving the transferability of all credits. Credit hours accepted in transfer are recorded, but quality points and grades are omitted and used only for the determination of graduating with honors. All credits are accepted as semester credits. Quarter credits are converted to semester credits using the two-thirds conversion ratio.

Credit through examination (CLEP, DANTEs, AP, institutional examinations) or assessed learning is not accepted in transfer from another institution's transcript. Credit through examination is awarded through Indiana Wesleyan University with official test scores from an official testing center. Credit from nontraditional learning by life experience is awarded through the IWU's assessed learning process. The Associate Vice President of Student Services is responsible for the assessment of all nontraditional learning, and the University Registrar is responsible for approving the transcription of any credits that result.

Transcripts from foreign institutions are sent to an outside agency for evaluation and determination of transferable credits, degrees, and GPA. Students are responsible for the initiation of this evaluation and for any fees incurred during the process. Applications for this service are available to the student through the university.

## Ways to Earn University Credit toward a Degree

Students have several options for completing liberal arts/elective requirements for a baccalaureate degree.

DANTES/CLEP Examinations

Undergraduate Elective Offerings

Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio

## Credit by Transfer

### **DANTES/CLEP Examinations**

Indiana Wesleyan University offers CLEP and DANTES tests as an option for students needing to fulfill liberal arts and general elective credits for a baccalaureate degree. The CLEP (College Level Examination Program) examinations are offered by The College Board, a nonprofit membership organization that provides tests and other educational services for students, schools, and colleges. CLEP is the most widely accepted credit-by-examination program in the country. The DANTES (Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support) examinations, originally developed for military personnel, are offered by Thomson Prometric.

Students may take both CLEP and DANTES examinations at Indiana Wesleyan University at all regional education centers. Upon receipt of the official test scores, Indiana Wesleyan University will award credit based on The American Council on Education recommendations.

Students desiring to take an examination will pay a registration fee to IWU and test fee to the company sponsoring the test. In addition, students who choose to take CLEP or DANTES tests are assessed an IWU transcription fee of \$25 per credit hour satisfactorily completed. This applies to all CLEP/DANTES credits which are placed on Indiana Wesleyan University records whether taken at Indiana Wesleyan University or accepted in transfer. Credit is not placed on the academic record until payment for the credits and the official transcript are received. Before taking a CLEP/DANTES test, students should check with an academic advisor to ensure the test will apply toward degree completion plans.

### **Undergraduate Elective Offerings**

The undergraduate elective program enables students to complete the credit requirements they may need for graduation. These electives include classes that satisfy liberal arts requirements as well as general elective credit. The elective classes are offered in key locations and in an online format and are scheduled to match the credit needs of our students. Most elective classes are “enrollment driven,” which means there must be at least six students registered for the class to meet.

A complete listing of undergraduate electives is published twice yearly (normally in November and May). See the Undergraduate Electives listing for additional information or <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Undergraduate-Electives/>.

### **Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio**

Indiana Wesleyan University assesses students’ non-credited learning for academic credit toward an undergraduate degree. Non-credited learning is that which has taken place outside the traditional college classroom. The Council for Adult and Experiential Learning (CAEL), an educational association founded in 1974 to promote the acceptance of the awarding of university credit for experiential learning, has led the way in developing and implementing assessment techniques. Indiana Wesleyan University uses the guidelines developed by CAEL.

The student-prepared Prior Learning Assessment portfolio is the most commonly accepted method used to evaluate non-credited learning. These portfolios are collections of narratives and documentation which articulate a student’s academically relevant, non-university learning. Portfolios can vary greatly in form and content, but in their preparation all students assume the responsibility for self-analysis, preparation, and presentation. The preparation itself is a learning experience.

At Indiana Wesleyan University the purpose of the portfolio is twofold:

- The portfolio enables Indiana Wesleyan University to evaluate and assign university credit for a student’s university-level learning. No grades are assigned; only credit awarded.
- The portfolio represents a learning plan which helps integrate prior learning experience with the student’s educational and professional objectives.

In preparing the portfolio, the student must pause and recollect a history of learning and growth in order to develop a meaningful “learning autobiography.” The student describes and analyzes learning experiences and then provides documentation that clarifies and validates the learning, e.g., letters, statements, products of work according to the Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio Instructions.

The Indiana Wesleyan University also applies to the Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio. IWU Honesty and Cheating Policy

Undergraduate students enrolled in or accepted to the General Studies associate degree program or baccalaureate degree completion programs are eligible to complete a Prior Learning Assessment portfolio. Graduate students may not earn prior learning credits. Credit hours awarded may be counted toward liberal arts or general elective requirements as applicable to the undergraduate degree. Baccalaureate students may earn a maximum of 40 hours of credit through the portfolio; General Studies associate degree students may earn a maximum of 18 hours. Undergraduate students may use portfolio credit to accrue toward the 60 hours of credit required for admission to the core curriculum. The opening fee is paid one time only.

Applicants denied entry to the program based on low GPA or insufficient work experience are not eligible to complete the portfolio process until such deficiencies have been removed. In addition, students who are suspended from the program are not allowed to complete the portfolio process. The student is responsible to develop the portfolio independently, following guidelines given at an academic advising interview. The Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio Instructions include all information necessary to prepare and submit material for evaluation. All assessment of items submitted is performed by faculty assessors whose knowledge and expertise qualify them to evaluate learning gained through experience.

The portfolio opening fee is due when the portfolio is submitted to the Office of Student Services for evaluation. All assessed fees for credits awarded through the portfolio will be billed after each assessment and are due 30 days from that date. Credits will not be posted to the student's permanent record until payment is received.

The portfolio will be viewed only by those who have an official reason for doing so: the assessment staff, faculty evaluators, and accrediting association members. Any data from portfolios that may be made public will be generalized and will in no way be attributed to an individual unless the individual student has given a signed authorization. Students are also advised not to include any materials in the portfolio that will violate the legal and moral rights to privacy of other individuals.

Portfolios may be submitted at any time; however, if the credits are needed for graduation, the portfolio must arrive at the Office of Student Services at least three months prior to the expected graduation date.

**Portfolio fees** - Students petitioning for prior learning credit are required to remit a \$100.00 opening fee for Pre-Evaluated Training Portfolio (formerly Option I) or a \$150.00 opening fee for Full Documentation Portfolio (formerly Option II). This is to be included with the portfolio at the time it is submitted. In addition, there will be a \$40.00 transcription fee for each credit awarded. The student will receive an invoice/credit by assessment report for the amount of the credit awarded. Credit is not placed on the academic record until all fees have been paid. Therefore, before starting a core program or graduating from IWU, all fees must be paid. All assessed credit fees are due 30 days from the invoice date unless payment is required sooner due to the aforementioned special circumstances.

### **Credit by Transfer**

Students may transfer credit from another university to fulfill liberal arts and general elective requirements for applicable degrees. Credit can only be transferred from an institution accredited by a regional accrediting body or by the Association for Biblical Higher Education and for courses in which a grade of "C" or higher was earned. All credits are accepted as semester credits. Quarter credits are converted to semester credits using the two-thirds conversion ratio. Students should check with an academic advisor before planning to fulfill requirements in this way. See "Transfer of Credit Policy" for limitations on transfer work.

## **Financial Information - CAPS**

Fee Structure - Degree Programs

Refund Policy - Degree Programs

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Refund Policy - Elective Courses

Financial Aid - CAPS

### **Fee Structure - Degree Programs**

Students are advised of financial obligations for their degree seeking (core) program during the registration process. A schedule of payments and analysis of fee structures, along with due dates, is outlined. Students are expected to meet these obligations according to the schedule. Any questions regarding payments or problems associated with making those payments should be directed to the Accounting Office.

Students who have applied for financial aid are responsible for all tuition and fees in the event it is determined they are ineligible for financial aid, decline the financial aid, or withdraw from the program prior to completing the academic award period. Students receiving military or corporate assistance who have received prior approval from the university for direct billing are required to pay their share of tuition and fees and submit appropriate assistance documents by the assigned due date. The deferral program in no way relieves the student of the financial obligation to the university and the student retains full responsibility for ensuring that all tuition and fees are paid in full and in a timely manner.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to suspend students from class attendance for failure to meet financial obligations.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to change the tuition and fee schedule at any time. Students who remain registered in their initial core group making satisfactory academic progress shall have their tuition and fees guaranteed. A \$50 late fee is charged each time a payment is received after the due date. There will be a fee charged for any check returned due to non-sufficient funds. If collection of tuition, book charges, and/or fees becomes necessary, all costs of collection, court costs, and attorney fees are the responsibility of the student. A \$100 withdrawal fee will be charged for each temporary withdrawal or transfer.

## Refund Policy - Degree Programs

1. Any student withdrawing after attending only the first class session of the program or orientation will be assessed a \$100 fee. All other tuition and fees will be refunded.
2. After a student has attended two class sessions of the program, tuition, application fees, and educational resource fees are not refundable.
3. Tuition is refunded according to the following policy for all subsequent courses:
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the first class session of a course - full tuition refund.
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the second class session of a course - 90 percent tuition refund.
  - Withdrawal after second class session or after the seventh day of an online class - no refund.
4. In compliance with federal regulations for the student who has received financial aid, the refund will be returned to the appropriate aid sources.
5. Book fees are not refundable once the student has attended one class session or if the books have been marred in any way prior to that time.
6. Students who are unable to complete a course or who receive an unsatisfactory grade for their specific program will be allowed to repeat that course with another group of students if arrangements are made with the Registration Change Counselor. Tuition and fees will be charged for repeating the course.
7. Decisions regarding refunds are made by the appropriate Accounting Office, and in isolated cases, by the Financial Appeals Committee.

## Fee Structure - Elective Courses

Students are advised of financial obligations during the registration process. The breakdown of fees and due dates is included in the Electives Schedule. Students are expected to meet these obligations according to the schedule. Any questions regarding payments should be directed to the Elective Accounting Office.

All outstanding balances must be cleared before future registrations will be approved. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to suspend students from class attendance for failure to meet financial obligations. There will be a fee charged for any check returned due to non-sufficient funds, as specified in the Electives Schedule. If collection of tuition, book charges, and/or fees becomes necessary, all costs of collection, court costs, and attorney fees are the responsibility of the student.

## Refund Policy - Elective Courses

If a student withdraws two weeks before the course begins, all payments may be refunded.

If a student withdraws less than two weeks before the course begins, a \$50 processing fee will be assessed. All outstanding balances must be cleared before future registrations will be approved.

Students who withdraw after the first class session will be assessed a \$50 processing fee, 10 percent of the course tuition, and the book fee.

Students who withdraw after the second class session (or after the seventh day of an online course) will not be eligible for a refund. Withdrawal from an elective course may affect a student's financial aid. Call the Financial Aid Office for information.

## Financial Aid - CAPS

### Types of Financial Aid Available:

The following types of student financial aid are available to persons enrolled as degree-seeking students who meet the eligibility criteria for the aid type. Complete fund profiles may be found online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid).

**Federal Pell Grant** – is a federal need-based grant that does not require repayment. The Pell Grant is available only to undergraduate students who have not earned a bachelor's or professional degree. Recipients must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and show financial need. Students enrolled in either core or elective courses are eligible for Pell Grant consideration if all other criteria are met. The award amount is based on the Expected Family Contribution found on the Student Aid Report, a student's enrollment status, the cost of attendance, and the number of credit hours a student will complete during the particular Pell award period. Students may receive up to two times their scheduled Pell award in one fiscal year (July 1–June 30).

**Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)** – is a federal grant that does not require repayment. Eligibility is determined by answers provided on the FAFSA form with priority to Federal Pell Grant recipients. The maximum award amount for the 2010-2011 award year is \$400.

**Federal TEACH (Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education) Grant** – is a federal grant that, when all service obligations are met, does not have to be repaid. The grant provides up to \$4000 per academic year to students in one of IWU's Masters of Education programs who intend to teach in a high-need field at a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves students from low-income families. Grant recipients must teach for at least four academic years within eight calendar years of completing the program of study for which the grant was received. For students who fail to complete the service obligation, all amounts of TEACH grant funds received are converted to an unsubsidized Federal Direct Loan, which carries a 6.8 percent interest rate, that must be repaid. Interest is charged from the date the grant(s) disbursed.

**Indiana State Aid** – consists of the Indiana Higher Education Award and the Indiana Freedom of Choice Grant. Together, they are commonly known as the Frank O'Bannon grant and are awarded to undergraduate students whose FAFSA was received by the federal processor on or before the March 10 state filing deadline and who demonstrate financial need as defined by the State Student Commission of Indiana (SSACI). Any required corrections to the student's FAFSA must be received by the federal processor by May 10. Eligible students must be enrolled in 12 credit hours between July 1 and December 31 (fall term) and/or January 1 and June 30 (spring term). Funds are awarded in one payment per term. Students must be Indiana residents, be eligible for federal financial aid, and be enrolled in courses that meet at a site located within Indiana or online. The Frank O'Bannon grant is a tuition only grant. Any tuition reimbursement that a student receives will affect state grant eligibility. Please note that the state award notification sent to students from SSACI is based on the tuition charges for the traditional undergraduate program at IWU. The Financial Aid Office must recalculate all awards based on the actual tuition charges for CAPS programs. It is not uncommon for a student's actual award to be less than the amount reported on the state award notification.

**Kentucky State Aid** – consists of the Kentucky Tuition Grant (KTG) and the College Access Program (CAP) Grant. Students must be Kentucky residents in an undergraduate program and eligible for federal financial aid. Students whose FAFSA was received by the federal processor on or before the March 15 state filing deadline are given priority consideration for the KTG. Eligible students must be enrolled in 12 credit hours between July 1 and December 31 (fall term) and/or January 1 and June 30 (spring term). Funds are awarded in one payment per term. Students whose FAFSA was received by the federal processor on or before the March 15 state filing deadline and who demonstrate financial need as defined by the Commonwealth of Kentucky are given priority consideration for the CAP grant. Eligible students must be enrolled in 6-12 credit hours between July 1 and December 31 (fall term) and/or January 1 and June 30 (spring term). Funds are awarded in one payment per term. Only courses taken at a site located within Kentucky may count toward the credit hour requirement for each of these grants. Online classes are not considered when determining Kentucky state grant eligibility. Any tuition reimbursement that a student receives may affect state grant eligibility.

**Ohio State Aid** – is the Ohio College Opportunity Grant Program (OCOG). This program provides need-based tuition assistance to Ohio students from low to moderate-income families. Students must be Ohio residents in an undergraduate program, eligible for federal financial aid, whose FAFSA was received by the federal processor on or before the October 1 state filing deadline. Eligible students must be enrolled in 12 credit hours between July 1 and December 31 (fall term) and/or January 1 and June 30 (spring term). Funds are awarded in one payment per term. Only courses taken at a site located within Ohio may count toward the credit hour requirement. Online classes are not considered when determining Ohio state grant eligibility. The OCOG is a tuition only grant. Any tuition reimbursement that a student receives will affect state grant eligibility.

**William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan** – is available to students who file the FAFSA and all other required financial aid forms and who meet all federal criteria for eligibility. The maximum annual loan amounts for dependent students are \$5500 for freshmen, \$6500 for sophomores and \$7500 for juniors and seniors. The maximum annual loan amounts for independent students are \$9500 for freshmen, \$10,500 for sophomores, \$12,500 for juniors and seniors, and \$20,500 for graduate students. Lifetime maximum borrowing limits are \$57,500 for undergraduate programs and \$138,500 for graduate programs (including undergraduate borrowing). For students who demonstrate financial need, the federal government subsidizes loan interest for a portion of the total annual loan amount while the student is enrolled in school. Interest rates are set on July 1 each year and are fixed rates. For July 1, 2010, through June 30, 2011, the interest rate is 4.5 percent for subsidized Direct Loans for undergraduate students and 6.8 percent for subsidized Direct Loans for graduate students. The interest rate for all unsubsidized Direct Loans is 6.8 percent.

A student’s total financial assistance, including loans, may not exceed the calculated cost of attendance for the program. Students with unsubsidized loans may elect to make monthly interest payments to the lender or allow the accumulated interest to accrue until repayment, which begins six months after the student ceases to be enrolled as at least a half-time student. Upon graduation or termination of studies, the student is given a six-month grace period during which no interest or principal payments are due on subsidized loans and during which only interest accrues on the unsubsidized loans. The standard minimum monthly payment is \$50, but the amount varies based on the total amount of the outstanding loans upon which the student is paying and the type of repayment plan the student has chosen.

**Federal Perkins Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 5 percent interest rate. Funding is limited, and priority consideration is given to undergraduate or graduate students with a Pell-eligible EFC who meet other need-based criteria. Annual loan limits are \$4000 per award year for undergraduate students and \$8000 per award year for graduate students. Aggregate loan limits are \$8000 for students who have not completed two academic years of undergraduate work, \$20,000 for undergraduate students who have completed two academic years and are pursuing a bachelor’s degree, and \$40,000 for graduate or professional students, including loans borrowed as an undergraduate student. Repayment begins 9 months after enrollment terminates, and no interest accrues until that time.

**Undergraduate PLUS Federal Direct Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 7.9 percent interest rate available to parents of dependent undergraduate students who have remaining cost of attendance not met by subsidized/unsubsidized William D. Ford Federal Direct Loans. This is a credit-based federal loan.

**Graduate PLUS Federal Direct Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 7.9 percent interest rate available to graduate students who have remaining cost of attendance not met by subsidized/unsubsidized William D. Ford Federal Direct Loans. This is a credit-based federal loan.

**Active Duty Military Discount** – is a tuition discount to all active duty military personnel, including members of the Reserves and National Guard, and spouses of the aforementioned military personnel. Students must submit an Active Duty Military Discount application, available by calling the IWU Accounting Office at 800-621-8667x2878.

**Yellow Ribbon Award** – is an award that does not have to be repaid and is available to eligible students who receive Chapter 33 GI Bill benefits. The amount eligible students receive reflects 50 percent of the tuition expenses that exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition rate. The VA matches that contribution to fully cover the tuition costs.

**Ministerial Student Aid Program** – is a loan program administered by The Wesleyan Church through the Department of Education & The Ministry and is available to undergraduate and graduate students in an approved ministry program. The loan only becomes a grant as the recipient serves The Wesleyan Church under a qualifying appointment. Applicants should understand that in requesting aid from this program they are applying for a loan, which must be either repaid or cancelled through service. General eligibility requirements include, but are not limited to: local church membership, district approval, and enrollment form submission. For each year of full-time district appointment in The Wesleyan Church (September 1 through August 31) following studies, 20 percent of the loan is cancelled once the service is rendered and reported. Cancellation cannot be given in the same church year that one receives loan-grant funds. Loan amounts for the 2010-2011 award year are \$55.00 per semester hour for junior and senior years of undergraduate study.

**Loan Repayment Chart**

Interest Rate	5%	6.5%	8%
Amount Borrowed	Monthly Payment Amount		
\$5,500	\$58	\$62	\$67
\$8,500	\$90	\$97	\$103
\$15,000	\$159	\$170	\$182
\$20,000	\$212	\$227	\$243
\$30,000	\$318	\$341	\$364
\$40,000	\$424	\$454	\$485
\$50,000	\$530	\$568	\$607
\$60,000	\$636	\$681	\$728
\$70,000	\$742	\$795	\$850

## General Eligibility Requirements

1. In order to receive federal and/or state student aid, a student must meet the following criteria:
  - Must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
  - Must be a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen.
  - Must have a valid Social Security number (with the exception of students from the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau).
  - Must be enrolled as a regular student (cannot be unclassified) in an eligible degree or certificate program.
  - Must make satisfactory academic progress (SAP) as outlined in IWU's SAP Policy.
  - Must maintain enrollment in classes.
2. No longer than 180 days may elapse between classes in any 12 month period; a leave of absence must be requested through the Office of Student Services. If there is a gap between classes of up to 180 days, a leave of absence will be reported to the lender, but no loan repayment will be required. If there is a gap between classes of more than 180 days, the university is required to report non-enrollment information to the lender, and the student will be required to begin repayment of any student loans (see your loan promissory note for further information). If additional circumstances arise which require the student to be further out of attendance, the student should contact the Financial Aid Office to discuss options.
3. Any changes in registration, such as withdrawals or cancelled courses, may result in cancellation or reduction of any or all financial aid. In such cases, the student is responsible for any remaining balance on the student account. A student who requests the credit balance from his or her student account and then makes registration changes may need to repay funds to the university and/or to the federal student financial aid programs.

## How to Apply for Financial Aid

Students who wish to be considered for federal and/or state student financial aid must complete the application process online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid):

1. Complete the Free Application for Federal student financial aid, or FAFSA (direct link [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)). You must list the Indiana Wesleyan University Title IV Code 001822 in step six of the FAFSA or IWU will not receive your FAFSA information from the federal processor.
2. Complete the IWU Financial Aid Request Form. Under the Additional Aid Source(s) section, you must disclose any additional funding you may receive from employer reimbursement, vocational rehabilitation, or private scholarships to help pay for your education.
3. Complete the Loan Entrance Counseling Session and William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note online (direct link [www.studentloans.gov](http://www.studentloans.gov)). You must have an established Federal student financial aid PIN in order to complete these items. It may be necessary to wait three days from the time you first apply for you PIN before trying to sign in to this website. For each item you must enter "Indiana" in the School State field even if you attend classes in another state or online.
  - Entrance Counseling Session: Click on Complete Entrance Counseling from the menu. Select the appropriate counseling type for your current degree pursuit (undergraduate or graduate).
  - Master Promissory Note: Click on Complete MPN from the menu and select Subsidized/ Unsubsidized from the next page.

Once the above steps have been completed, be certain to:

1. Respond to requests for additional information from the Financial Aid Office. You may be asked to complete a verification worksheet and to provide a copy of your federal tax return (and your spouse's or parents' tax return, as appropriate) as required by Department of Education regulations.
2. Provide documentation showing any amount of assistance provided by other agencies (i.e., tuition reimbursement from your employer, vocational rehabilitation benefits, scholarships from local business, etc.).
3. Fully complete all forms. Forms filled out incorrectly or submitted to the wrong place will delay your financial aid award.

## How Eligibility is Determined and Financial Aid is Processed

1. All forms and information submitted online must be received in the Financial Aid Office before eligibility can be determined. In general, award amounts are based on a student's Expected Family Contribution found on the Student Aid Report, a student's enrollment status, the cost of attendance, and other estimated financial assistance.
2. Students must be scheduled for a full academic year, according the academic year definition for the program in which the student is enrolled, or to degree completion for financial aid to be awarded. Any changes in planned enrollment will affect the amount of aid for which the student may qualify.

3. The Financial Aid Office will email notification to the student email account that financial aid has been awarded and is available for review online via the student portal at <https://myiwu.indwes.edu>. This secure Web site will indicate the types and amounts of aid for which the student qualifies. The student must submit written documentation to the Financial Aid Office via email, fax, or US mail to decline all or a portion of the awarded aid. Otherwise, all awarded aid will disburse to the student account.

### **How and When Financial Aid is Disbursed**

**Federal Pell Grant** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per payment period.

**Federal SEOG** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per payment period.

**Federal TEACH Grant** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per payment period.

**Federal Direct Loans** are originated after classes have begun. The funds are applied as a credit to the student's account, typically in two disbursements per academic year. For new students, the first disbursement will occur approximately 45 days from the start of the first course with the second disbursement occurring after the completion of at least half the credit hours and weeks of instruction for the academic year.

**Indiana State Aid** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per term. Indiana state grants can only be applied toward tuition costs.

**Kentucky State Aid** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per term.

**Ohio State Aid** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per term. Ohio state grants can only be applied toward tuition costs.

All other types of aid are awarded and disbursement dates set as the necessary paperwork is received.

*All financial aid forms and information submitted online must be received at least three weeks before a planned class start.*

*Applying for financial aid does not remove responsibility for payment. If the funding is not received, the student must pay all outstanding balances immediately.*

### **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**

Students are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress toward the completion of their course of study. This includes:

1. Enrolling in and attending class as well as completing assignments and projects.
2. Maintaining good academic standing. Students on academic probation will be allowed to continue on financial aid on SAP probation. Such students must improve their academic measurements to meet the required standards by the designated time frame or eligibility will be terminated.
3. Earning passing grades in a minimum of 67 percent of all credit hours attempted.
4. Completing the program within 150 percent of the credit hours normally required to complete the course of study (i.e. if the program requires 124 credit hours to complete, then the student may attempt no more than 186 credit hours) or by the designated time frame.

Academic progress is reviewed after every graduation (approximately every four months) and before federal student financial aid funding is provided. Students who fail to make satisfactory academic progress will be placed onto SAP Probation or Ineligibility, as appropriate, per the policy requirements. Students with mitigating circumstances (which may include, but is not limited to, death in the family or grave illness of the student or close family member) may appeal termination of federal student financial aid eligibility due to failure to make academic progress by submitting a SAP Appeal Form, written explanation, and adding supporting documentation to the SAP Appeals Committee through the Financial Aid Office.

### **Refunds**

If a student finds it necessary to withdraw from the program, withdraw from a course or courses without an approved leave of absence, or to take leaves of absence that exceed 180 days in a twelve month period, a federal student financial aid refund will be calculated. This calculation is based on the amount of class work completed during the payment period when the student withdraws. The amount of refund of federal student financial aid funds is based on the amount of those funds that is considered not earned by the student. The following is an example of the refund calculation:

1. The student begins class on June 28 and the payment period runs until January 17.
2. The student withdraws from the program on October 4.
3. The payment period has 152 calendar days in it (not including break periods) and the student completed 86 days which is 56.6 percent of the payment period.



4. The amount of the refund will be 43.4 percent of the federal financial aid received.

The Financial Aid Office will determine the amount of the refund that is owed by Indiana Wesleyan University and the amount, if any, that is owed by the student. A letter will be sent to the student indicating the amount of the refund and what was done with it. Funds will be returned to the federal financial aid programs in the following order if the student received money in the program: unsubsidized Federal Direct Loan, subsidized Federal Direct Loan, Federal Perkins Loan, Direct PLUS Loans, Federal Pell Grant, FSEOG, TEACH Grant and other Title IV grants. The student will have 45 days to contact the Financial Aid Office to make arrangements to repay any federal grants that are owed by the student. Failure to make arrangements or to pay back the federal grants will mean the student is no longer eligible to receive federal student financial aid at any institution until full repayment. Student's Rights and Responsibilities

### **Student's Rights and Responsibilities**

A student has the right to know:

1. What financial assistance is available, including information on all federal and state programs.
2. The deadlines for submitting application for each of the student financial aid programs available.
3. The cost of attending the programs and the school's refund policy.
4. The criteria used by the institution to select financial aid recipients.
5. How the school determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, books, and living expenses are considered in your budget.
6. What resources (such as employer reimbursement, other financial aid, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need.
7. How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
8. An explanation of the various programs in your student financial aid package. If you believe you have been treated unfairly, you may request reconsideration of the award which was made to you.
9. What portion of the financial aid you received must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total amount that must be repaid, the payback procedures, the length of time you have to repay the loan, and when the repayment is to begin.

A student's responsibilities:

1. Review and consider all information about the school's program before you enroll.
2. Complete all application forms accurately and submit them in a timely manner to the correct address.
3. Pay special attention to, and accurately complete, your application for financial aid. Errors can result in delays of receipt of your financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties under the U.S. Criminal Code.
4. Return all additional information, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Financial Aid Office or the agency to which you submitted your FAFSA.
5. Accept responsibility for all agreements you sign.
6. If you have a loan, notify the lender of changes in your name, address, or school status.
7. Know and comply with the deadline for application or reapplication for aid.
8. Know and comply with the school's leave of absence or withdrawal procedures.
9. Repay student loans in agreement with the loan promissory note.

### **Further Information:**

The Financial Aid staff is here to assist in any way possible. If you have questions about any information pertaining to financial aid, please contact: Adult and Graduate Financial Aid, Indiana Wesleyan University, 1900 W. 50th Street, Marion, IN 46953-5279. Voice 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2516, 765-677-2516, Fax 765-677-2030.

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## Books and Materials

Indiana Wesleyan University is the sole provider of all books and materials for most adult and graduate programs.

For those programs that require IWU-provided materials, books and materials will be provided for each student and will be delivered on or prior to the first class session. “Sharing of materials” is not an option and all books/materials must be purchased directly from IWU by each student. Students receive payment schedules during the registration process which indicate the total amount charged for books and materials. The university does have an arrangement with a vendor who conducts “book buybacks” several times a year for all IWU students. Students desiring more information may contact the traditional campus bookstore at 866-468-6498 ext. 2210.

Please note: Textbook changes are inevitable. Should it become necessary for a student to withdraw from a course, all books and materials should be returned immediately, if eligible, to avoid additional charges if/when the course is taken at a later date. If materials are not returned, and course materials change in the time between withdrawal and reentry, the student will be charged for new materials. Materials are eligible for return credit within 60 days from the date of withdrawal provided the student has not attended any of the class sessions, or posted any assignments for online classes, and the materials have not been used or damaged (writing, highlighting, physical damage, CD’s & access codes intact in original sealed packaging, etc.) in any way.

## Chaplaincy Program

*Spiritcare*, the Chaplaincy Program, is a ministry that seeks to care for the spiritual needs of adult students by introducing them to the person, teachings, and community of Jesus Christ. This is done primarily through classroom visits, outside contacts, multi-media presentations, and structured devotionals. The goal is to provide supportive opportunities for the growth of the complete person. Onsite and online students have direct contact with a caring pastor. *Spiritcare* desires to change the world by changing the heart. Chaplains can provide the following:

- Confidential and caring support for student and family members as requested.
- Spiritual guidance and prayer support.
- Intervention and support during life crises.
- Referrals to counseling and support groups for special needs.
- An opportunity to be referred to a local pastor and a local congregation for students seeking to grow in their faith.

Students may obtain additional information about the *Spiritcare* Chaplaincy Program through the student portal at <http://myIWU.indwes.edu> or by contacting the Office of Student Services at 800-621-8667 ext 2359.

## Expectations for Personal and Professional Conduct

Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christian university of higher education that upholds high standards of personal and professional conduct. Such standards include a classroom environment that promotes a positive learning environment and a professional instructional climate.

Students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner with respect for the rights of both students and faculty. The university or its representatives reserve the right to act in situations where student behavior violates established policy or detracts from the ability of students or faculty to function effectively in the classroom. Such action may include disciplinary procedures issued by the faculty or suspension from the program. (NOTE: All discussion room and live chat postings for online courses are recorded and can be reviewed at the discretion of the university.)

Only regularly enrolled students may attend class unless granted permission by an administrator and arrangements are made with the instructor.

## **Inclement Weather Procedures**

The university is reluctant to postpone classes because the schedule is already very compressed and it is difficult to schedule make-up classes. The university consults with the instructors and obtains information from the National Weather Service, the State Police, the site managers (when appropriate), and occasionally consults with other universities that serve adult populations. The university cannot make the decision based on an individual student's geographical situation and the driving distance to and from class. Students should be aware, however, that they are expected to use discretion and not to take unreasonable risks. If students choose not to attend class, they must notify their instructor and make appropriate arrangements for make-up work.

Decisions to postpone classes will be announced by the university. Regional locations will be judged by the Regional Deans. Classes will be rescheduled by the university in cooperation with the facilitator and class representative. Students unable to attend the rescheduled class must make appropriate arrangements to make up the work.

Postponement decisions for evening classes will be made by approximately 3:00 p.m. on the day of class. Decisions about Saturday classes will be made the evening before, when possible, but may be made during the early morning hours.

Postponement decisions will be announced through a variety of methods. In most cases the core group has a designated class representative who will be notified by the university. The representative should then activate the telephone calling tree to disseminate the information to the class. In cases where there is no class representative or calling tree, someone from IWU and/or the instructor will call the students. No notification will be made unless classes are postponed. Students should contact their class representatives, rather than call IWU administrative offices or class sites. In addition to the telephone calling tree, information about postponement will be announced on the university's Web site at <http://www.indwes.edu/classinfo> or by calling the university at 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2022. Announcements will also be posted on the student portal.

## **Library Services**

Off Campus Library Services provides both mediated and direct access to resources and services designed specifically for the adult student. The Jackson Library in Marion has well over 170,000+ titles (including e-books), more than 13,200+ audiovisual titles, 750+ print journal subscriptions and provides access to thousands of online journals via a searchable database. Branch libraries are available at the Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Merrillville, Louisville, Cincinnati and Cleveland campuses of the university and include some reference books and full access to the library catalog and subscription-based periodical indexes. These campuses also have some availability of reference librarians. Remote access to the catalog and computerized general and subject specific indexes are available via the library's Web page <http://www.indwes.edu/ocls> for any students with Internet access and a student ID with a 14-digit library number.

The distance student can contact OCLS via e-mail, Web page form, 800 telephone or fax. Online access to the Library Resource Guide is available from the OCLS Web page; OCLS Tools. All provided services are further described in this document.

The library is part of a consortium, Academic Libraries of Indiana, which includes access to most library collections of Indiana higher education institutions. If attending classes in Kentucky or Ohio, the regional OCLS librarian will tell you about opportunities in your area.

## **Non-Academic Appeal - CAPS**

A non-academic appeal involves only those situations in which a student is seeking recourse from (a) a university non-academic program, policy, or decision; or (b) alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including

alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the American with Disabilities Act of 1990, or other state or federal legislation.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

All non-academic appeals will be reported to the Human Resources Coordinator for the College of Adult and Professional Studies. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

A student who wishes to file such an appeal must abide by the procedures that follow:

1. Level 1 - The student must first contact the person or the department concerned to resolve the dispute informally. Such contact must occur within 30 days of the incident that generates the dispute.
2. Level 2 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved at level one, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level one decision to the CAPS HR Coordinator for a review by the Non-Academic Appeals Committee, which is comprised of the Associate Vice Presidents from the College of Adult and Professional Studies. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claims. The CAPS HR Coordinator will communicate the committee's findings and decision to the student.
3. Level 3 - If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at level two, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level two decision to the CAPS HR Coordinator for a review by the Vice President for the College of Adult and Professional Studies. Appeals at this level will be considered only to ensure that University procedures were followed in levels one and two. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claim and reference why the decision at level two is deemed unsatisfactory. The Vice President will consider the situation and will inform the student of the decision, which will be final.

## Services for Disabled Students

The process for serving a disabled or impaired student enrolled in an adult and graduate program is as follows:

- Students who require special accommodation will be referred to the College's appointed coordinator of special needs requests. The student will be required to supply a physician's or other specialist's verification of his or her special need and a recommendation concerning the nature of special assistance required.
- Once this documentation is in hand, the Office of Student Services will consult with the university's designated disability officer (DDO) to ensure that the documentation is complete and in order. The disability officer will determine whether the university can reasonably accommodate the student's need. The Office of Student Services, in coordination with the DDO, will then recommend a plan of accommodation to the student.
- The Office of Student Services will ensure that all relevant faculty, site, and student services departments are notified of the plan of accommodation, and that the plan is successfully implemented.

Students who believe that they have experienced discrimination on the basis of a disability can seek resolution by following the steps as outlined in the Student Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic).

## Student Address/Email Information

Students should notify the Office of Student Services of any change of address, telephone number, or name so that proper records can be maintained. Name change requests require submission of appropriate documentation.

**IWU Student Email Accounts** - Upon acceptance, students are given an IWU student e-mail account. This is the only account used by IWU for communication with the student. It is extremely important that the student checks this account on a regular basis as important academic and financial information as well as university announcements will be shared in this way.

## School of Business and Leadership

The School of Business and Leadership supports the university mission to be a Christ-centered institution of higher education and challenges our students to develop character, strengthen their scholarship, and enhance their leadership abilities. The School offers dynamic programs that adapt to the changing nature of knowledge, such as the impact of globalization and technology on the Business and Leadership fields. Through extensive curriculum development and program assessment processes, our intensive curriculum builds on the knowledge our students bring to the classroom and helps shape them into lifelong learners. The School provides degree-oriented education opportunities to working adults when occupation and family responsibilities make it difficult to spend major blocks of time in residence on campus. With many of our alumni choosing to continue to reside in the communities we serve, our programs and graduates are a key component in workforce development. Finally, our alumni frequently work in management and leadership positions within the organizations where they are employed, with many being promoted during or after their degree completion.

Undergraduate Business Programs Division - offers associate and bachelor degree programs in various business disciplines.

Graduate Studies in Business Division - offers graduate degree programs in business and management disciplines.

Graduate Studies in Leadership Division - offers a doctoral degree program in Organizational Leadership.

### Undergraduate Business Programs Division

The Undergraduate Business Programs Division offers the following degree programs:

Associate of Science degree with majors in:

Accounting - AS (CAPS)

Business (CAPS)

Computer Information Technology (CAPS)

Bachelor of Science degree with majors in:

Accounting - BS (CAPS)

Business Administration (CAPS)

Business Information Systems (CAPS)

Management (CAPS)

Marketing (CAPS)

### Admission Requirements

#### Associate Degree Programs

The admission requirements for the associate degree programs offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies are as follows:

- Proof of standard high school diploma or GED certification.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience beyond high school.

#### Bachelor Degree Programs

The admission requirements for bachelor degree programs offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies are as follows:

- Proof of high school graduation or GED certification.
- Original transcripts from all previous college or university study at regionally accredited colleges or universities or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Prior completion of at least 60 transferable credit hours from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education is required before the student is eligible to start a bachelor core program.
  - A maximum of 40 hours of credit may be earned through the assessed learning process toward the required 60.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience beyond high school.

## Graduation Requirements

### Associate Degree Programs

To graduate with an associate degree with majors in Accounting, Business, or Computer Information Technology from the College of Adult and Professional Studies at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of the core requirements.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- A minimum of “C” (2.0) must be achieved in both of the communications courses (ENG-140 and ENG-141). Failure to achieve a “C” in either course will require repeating the course until a “C” is achieved before the student may continue with the core. (The “repeated courses” policy as found in the Academic Information section does not apply in this case.)
- Payment of all tuition and fees in order to receive a diploma.

### Bachelor Degree Programs

To graduate with a baccalaureate degree with a major in Accounting, Business Administration, Business Information Systems, Management, or Marketing from the College of Adult and Professional Studies at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of 124 semester hours.
- Completion of the required core courses with a GPA of 2.25 or higher.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- Completion of 30 hours of liberal arts (general education requirements) as specified. (CAPS Liberal Arts Requirements)
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

## Liberal Arts (General Education) Requirements

In addition to the regular core curriculum (major), a 30-credit liberal arts core is required of all bachelor students enrolled in adult and graduate programs. This 30-credit liberal arts core includes:

- Three semester credits in Biblical Literature.
- Three semester credits in Philosophy/Religion/Biblical Literature.
- Nine semester credits in English/Composition/Speech/Literature.
- Six semester credits in Social Sciences.
- Three semester credits in Math.
- Three semester credits in Science.
- Three semester credits in Fine Arts/Foreign Language.

Bachelor core courses that fall into liberal arts categories may not be used to fulfill both the core requirement and the liberal arts requirement.

## **Minimum Computer Requirements - Associate Students**

### **ASA and ASB Students**

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Administrative access to a PC (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software)
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU or higher
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- 1 GB space for software installation
- CD-ROM
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- Internet access with 56K modem (Broadband highly recommended)
- Built-in Wireless Card and Network Card
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0, Netscape 7.1, or Firefox 2.0.x (Microsoft Internet Explorer 8+ or Firefox 3+ recommended)
- Free Flash Player

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.

### **AST Students**

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Administrative access to a PC (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software)
- Microsoft Office 2007 with Access (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access)
- 1.6 GHz CPU or higher
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- 1 GB space for software installation
- CD-ROM
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- Internet access with 56K modem (Broadband highly recommended)
- Built-in Wireless Card and Network Card
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0, Netscape 7.1, or Firefox 2.0.x (Microsoft Internet Explorer 8+ or Firefox 3+ recommended)
- Free Flash Player

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.

## **Minimum Computer Requirements - Bachelor Students**

BSA, BSBA, BSM, and BSMK Programs

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Administrative access to a PC (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software)
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint; **Access is required for Business Information Students**)
- 1.6 GHz CPU or higher
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- 1 GB space for software installation
- CD-ROM
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- Internet access with 56K modem (Broadband highly recommended)
- Built-in Wireless Card and Network Card
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0, Netscape 7.1, or Firefox 2.0.x (Microsoft Internet Explorer 8+ or Firefox 3+ recommended)
- Free Flash Player

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.

## Project Teams

Global competition and accelerating change have challenged traditional notions of the corporate pyramid. Organizations seeking to improve quality and agility have replaced entire levels of management with self-managing work teams. For this reason, the skills needed for teamwork are at a premium in the workplace.

A team is essentially a small number of people with complementary skills, who are committed to a common purpose, a set of performance goals, and an approach to solving problems for which they hold themselves mutually accountable. But a team is more than just a collection of individuals. A true team develops an almost organic quality. The synergy produced through interaction involving a common goal should exceed what a group of individuals might achieve working independently. Thus, there is a significant difference between the product of a well-functioning team and the product of a work group where a piece of the problem is assigned to each individual.

Indiana Wesleyan University utilizes project teams and team projects in the curriculum because team process can enhance learning, especially in adult professionals. Students working in project teams are able to take on larger projects than they would be able to individually. This enables the university to present courses in a compressed format. Not only is learning enhanced through this method, but students also have the opportunity to develop teamwork skills. We believe project teams are a vital component to the education our students receive.

Project teams are typically comprised of self-selected teams of three to five individuals who meet as needed for class assignment preparation, team projects, and team presentations.

Individuals who work effectively in teams are characterized by the following abilities:

- Able to take responsibility for the success of the entire team and not just their own success.
- Able to hold both themselves and the team accountable for mutually agreed-upon goals.
- Able to negotiate goals and ideas in a team setting.
- Skilled at listening.
- Skilled at building on the ideas of others in a creative fashion.
- Able to give constructive feedback and express emotions to others without damaging relationships.
- Able to trust others and foster trusted relationships.
- Value team process.
- Understand the dynamics of team process and team product in pursuit of collective goals.

Core groups in programs that require project teams develop a *Project Team Plan* and *Covenant of Expectations* at the beginning of the program under the direction of an Indiana Wesleyan University instructor. These documents are then filed with the appropriate



administrative office. (Note: Only the *Project Team Plan* is required for elective classes.) Students will be given additional information during the first course concerning project team requirements.

## Accounting - AS

The Associate of Science degree with a major in Accounting consists of 62 credits of coursework, which includes both accounting and liberal arts courses. The program design requires the student to complete all 62 hours with Indiana Wesleyan University. For those students applying to the associate degree only, transfer credits will not fulfill core requirements.

This degree will provide students with the fundamental skills needed for entry level accounting positions. Students learn the basic knowledge needed to become professional accountants. This program will provide an excellent foundation for those who anticipate pursuing a bachelor's degree with a major in Accounting or Business.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

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Accounting (AS) - Program of Study

### Accounting (AS) - Program of Study

UNV-111	Philosophy and Practice of Lifelong Learning I	1
ENG-140	Communication I (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
ENG-141	Communication II (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
BUS-105	Introduction to American Business	3
PHE-212	Health, Wellness & Individual Performance Assessment with Lab	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communications	3
MAT-110	Business Mathematics	4
HST-160	Western Civilization	3
ECO-205	Basic Economics	3
PSY-155	Personal Adjustment	3
ENG-242	Literature and Ideas	3
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-210	Using Spreadsheets in Accounting	3
FINA-180	Humanities: Fine Arts	3
PHL-283	Philosophy and Christian Thought	3
BUS-150	Personal Finance	3
ACC-220	Payroll Accounting and Taxation	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
BUS-225	Legal Environment of Business	3
ACC-320	Business Taxation	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>62</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Business

The Associate of Science degree with a major in Business consists of 62 credits of coursework, which includes both business and liberal arts courses. The program design requires the student to complete all 62 hours with Indiana Wesleyan University. For those students applying to the associate degree only, transfer credits will not fulfill core requirements.

The major in Business at Indiana Wesleyan University is designed either to be a degree in general business, or to provide a foundation for completion of a baccalaureate degree in a business-related field.

The courses in the program relate theory to practice. Instructional methods include lectures, seminars, workshop activities, simulations, and business case studies. Each core group forms project teams to assist in the learning process. Courses are primarily three credit hours, and each course is a required component of the program (core) and should be taken in sequence.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Associate Business Programs

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Business (AS) - Program of Study

### Business - Program of Study

UNV-111	Philosophy and Practice of Lifelong Learning I	1
ENG-140	Communication I (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
ENG-141	Communication II (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
BUS-105	Introduction to American Business	3
PHE-212	Health, Wellness & Individual Performance Assessment with Lab	3
BIO-102*	Human Biology (*This course along with BIO-102L replaces PHE-212 for Ohio onsite students.)	4
BIO-102L*	Human Biology Lab	0
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communications	3
MAT-110	Business Mathematics	4
MAT-100B*	Statistics for Business Research and Data Analysis (*This course replaces MAT-110 for Ohio onsite students.)	3
HST-160	Western Civilization	3
ECO-205	Basic Economics	3
PSY-155	Personal Adjustment	3
ENG-242	Literature and Ideas	3
BUS-215	Human Resource Management	3
BUS-220	Accounting for Business	3
FINA-180	Humanities: Fine Arts	3
PHL-283	Philosophy and Christian Thought	3
BUS-150	Personal Finance	3
BIO-203	Environmental Conservation	3

BUS-225	Legal Environment of Business	3
BUS-230	Global Issues	3
BUS-274	Business Case Study	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>62</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Computer Information Technology

The Associate of Science degree with a major in Computer Information Technology consists of 62 credits of coursework, which includes both computer and liberal arts courses. The program design requires the student to complete all 62 hours with Indiana Wesleyan University. For those students applying to the associate degree only, transfer credits will not fulfill core requirements.

The major in Computer Information Technology at Indiana Wesleyan University is designed either to provide the graduate with a foundation for success at an entry-level position in the Information Technology field or to provide the basis for completion of a bachelor's degree.

The courses in the program relate theory to practice, but practical knowledge of the computer field is the primary objective of the computer courses in the core. Instructional methods include lectures, seminars, workshop activities, simulations, and physical manipulation of computer equipment. Each core group forms project teams to assist in the learning process. Courses are primarily three credit hours, and each course is a required component of the program (core) and should be taken in sequence.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Associate Business Programs

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Computer Information Technology (AS) - Program of Study

### Computer Information Technology - Program of Study

UNV-111	Philosophy and Practice of Lifelong Learning I	1
ENG-140	Communication I (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
ENG-141	Communication II (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
CIT-112	Computer Information Technology	3
PHE-212	Health, Wellness & Individual Performance Assessment with Lab	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communications	3
CIT-220	Desktop Applications	4
HST-160	Western Civilization	3
MAT-108	Modern Concepts of Mathematics	3
PSY-155	Personal Adjustment	3
ENG-242	Literature and Ideas	3
CIT-140	Operating Systems Concepts	3
CIT-120	Introduction to Programming Concepts	3
FINA-180	Humanities: Fine Arts	3
PHL-283	Philosophy and Christian Thought	3

CIT-262	Network Communications	3
CIT-260	Database Concepts	3
CIT-270	Basic Web Design and Development	3
CIT-272	Hardware and Software Troubleshooting	3
CIT-280	Project Management and Integration Capstone	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>62</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Accounting - BS

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Accounting is an academic program designed for working professionals employed in public or private organizations interested in completing a baccalaureate degree focusing on accounting theory, taxation, and auditing.

The first two courses, ACC-201 (Accounting Principles I) and ACC-202 (Accounting Principles II), are provided to those who wish to meet minimum entrance requirements and as optional refresher courses for those entering the program. The core program focuses on accounting theory emphasizing analytical skills, practical application, and problem solving. Accounting, taxation, and auditing issues faced by managers in a variety of business organizations are also addressed. In all, the accounting curriculum is designed to provide working business professionals with the skills and knowledge necessary to transition into or advance within the general field of accounting.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

Note: This degree provides an excellent foundation for students who anticipate pursuing their CPA certification. The courses offered in this program give broad coverage of all the major areas of competency needed to sit for the CPA exam. However, students will need to check with their state licensing board of accountancy for the specific requirements needed to make application to take the CPA examination. Different states require different application credentials and specifications, and Indiana Wesleyan University makes no promises, express or implied, that this degree alone will qualify graduates to sit for the CPA examination in any state.

Additionally, students will likely need to take a CPA review course (at their own expense) once they have completed the degree at Indiana Wesleyan University. Students cannot realistically expect to complete this degree at Indiana Wesleyan and immediately pass the CPA examination without first taking a CPA review course that prepares them for the intricate and specific questions that might appear on the CPA exam. It is up to each student to make arrangements to enroll in a CPA review course in his or her state if he or she plans to sit for the CPA examination. Indiana Wesleyan does not provide a CPA review course (or any licensing or continuing education courses) as part of the CAPS program.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

### Additional admission requirements for the Accounting program:

To be admitted to this program, students must give evidence of knowledge equivalent to one semester of coursework in mathematics or statistics by meeting one of the following options:

- Transferring in a mathematics or statistics course from another institution.
- Taking a mathematics or statistics course from Indiana Wesleyan University.
- Satisfactorily completing the mathematics examination supervised by Indiana Wesleyan University.

Subject area proficiency exams are available in mathematics to fulfill prerequisite deficiencies. Students are notified of deficiencies at the time of admission. This proficiency exam is offered at all regional education centers. Online students may take proficiency exams through a university-approved proctor in their home area. A \$25 fee is charged for each test taken. A score of 70 percent or higher indicates satisfactory completion.

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Accounting (BS) - Prerequisites

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## Accounting (BS) - Program of Study

**Accounting (BS) - Prerequisites**

Students in this program are required to demonstrate proficiency in the area of accounting prior to taking ACC-311 (Intermediate Financial Accounting I) by meeting one of the following options:

- Successfully completing the IWU courses ACC-201 (Accounting Principles I) and ACC-202 (Accounting Principles II).
- By transferring in the equivalent of ACC-201 and ACC-202 from an accredited university with a grade of “C” or higher.

**Accounting (BS) - Program of Study**

	<b>Prerequisite Courses</b>	
ACC-201	Accounting Principles I	3
ACC-202	Accounting Principles II	3
	<b>Core Courses</b>	
ADM-201	Principles of Self-Management	2
FIN-210	Managerial Finance	3
ACC-311	Intermediate Financial Accounting I	3
ACC-312	Intermediate Financial Accounting II	3
ECO-330	Applied Microeconomics for Business	3
ADM-447	Business Law	3
ACC-341	Managerial Cost Accounting I	3
MGT-425	Issues in Ethics	3
ACC-423	Auditing	3
ADM-448	Strategic Planning	3
ACC-451	Advanced Accounting	3
ACC-371	Federal Income Tax I	3
ACC-372	Federal Income Tax II	3
ACC-491	Accounting Seminar	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>41</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Business Administration**

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Business Administration is an academic program designed for the working professional employed in a business or public organization.

The curriculum is designed to enable graduates to deal effectively with an increasingly complex business environment. The program stresses skill development in the areas of management, decision-making, business communications, managerial accounting and finance, economics, and marketing.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

**Human Resource Management Specialization Option:**

Business Administration students also have the option of adding a specialization of Human Resource Management by taking 12 additional hours and pursuing an HR oriented project in ADM-495. Upon successful completion of this specialization, students should be equipped to:

- Fill the role of an educated and credentialed HR professional.
  - Demonstrate an alignment of knowledge and skills with Society of Human Resource Management (SHRM) standards for Human Resources Professionals.
  - Successfully complete the SHRM certification exam (per SHRM certification qualifications, i.e., work experience).
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Business Administration - Program of Study

**Business Administration - Program of Study**

ADM-201	Principles of Self-Management	2
MGT-302	Management and Leadership	3
MGT-205	Professional Communication	3
ADM-316	Computers and Information Processing	3
MGT-425	Issues in Ethics	3
MGT-421	Strategies in Marketing Management	3
ADM-320	Business Statistics	3
ECO-330	Applied Microeconomics for Business	3
ECO-331	Applied Macroeconomics for Business	3
ADM-372	Accounting for Managers	4
ADM-474	Applied Finance for Business	4
ADM-447	Business Law	3
ADM-495	Seminar in Business	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>40</b>
	<b>Optional Courses for Human Resource Management Specialization</b>	
MGT-435	Human Resources Management	3
MGT-490	Human Resources Development	3
MGT-470	Total Rewards	3
MGT-494	Comprehensive Overview of HRM	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>52</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Business Information Systems

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Business Information Systems is an academic program designed for the working professional employed in a business or public organization.

The curriculum is designed to enable graduates to assist and lead organizations in the planning, development, and operation of information systems. Such systems are used to streamline and automate processes, to solve problems, and to provide communication channels. The program stresses skill development in the areas of analytical thinking, communication, object-oriented programming, database management systems, networking, security, and Web development, in addition to finance and marketing. The emphasis in this program is in developing the skills necessary to be successful in implementing and supporting computers and information systems. The program also helps develop skills necessary to serve as a liaison between management and information technology departments.

Students in this program must maintain a personal Internet Service Provider, and must own or have access to a personal computer throughout the program.

Also, it is **strongly recommended** that students have a working knowledge of the Windows operating system as well as word processing and spreadsheet applications.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

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Business Information Systems - Program of Study

### Business Information Systems - Program of Study

ADM-201	Principles of Self-Management	2
BIS-216	Information Systems and Project Management	3
MGT-205	Professional Communication	3
BIS-220	Analytical Thinking and Problem Solving	3
BIS-344	Visual Basic .NET Programming	4
BIS-346	Java Programming	4
MGT-421	Strategies in Marketing Management	3
ADM-372	Accounting for Managers	4
BIS-324	Networking, Systems, and Security	4
BIS-320	Managerial Relational Database Systems	3
BIS-353	Web Application Development	4
BIS-460	Business Systems Analysis and Design Seminar	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>41</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.



## Management

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Management is an academic program designed for the working professional employed in a business or public organization.

This program stresses skill development in the areas of management, decision-making, organizational behavior, and negotiation and conflict resolution.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

### Human Resource Management Specialization Option:

Management students also have the option of adding a specialization of Human Resource Management by taking six additional hours and pursuing an HR oriented project in MGT-496 (specialization also includes six hours of Management courses offered in the BSM core program). Upon successful completion of this specialization, students should be equipped to:

- Fill the role of an educated and credentialed HR professional.
- Demonstrate an alignment of knowledge and skills with Society of Human Resource Management (SHRM) standards for Human Resources Professionals.
- Successfully complete the SHRM certification exam (per SHRM certification qualifications, i.e., work experience).

Management students wishing to complete the Human Resource Management specialization also need to complete the following requirements in order to comply with SHRM guidelines:

- Finance course at the 100 level or equivalent
- Economics course at the 200 level or equivalent
- Statistics course at the 100 level or equivalent
- Business law course at the 200 level or equivalent

These courses may be completed at IWU or transferred in.

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Management - Program of Study

### Management - Program of Study

ADM-201	Principles of Self-Management	2
MGT-302	Management and Leadership	3
MGT-205	Professional Communication	3
ADM-316	Computers and Information Processing	3
MGT-425	Issues in Ethics	3
MGT-421	Strategies in Marketing Management	3
MGT-450	Negotiation/Conflict Resolution	3
MGT-432	Organizational Behavior	3
MGT-441	Philosophy of Corporate Culture	3
ADM-372	Accounting for Managers	4
MGT-460	International Issues in Business	3
MGT-435	Human Resources Management	3
MGT-490	Human Resources Development	3
MGT-496	Applied Management Project	3

<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>42</b>
	<b>Optional Courses for Human Resource Management Specialization</b>	
MGT-470	Total Rewards	3
MGT-494	Comprehensive Overview of HRM	3
ADM-495	Applied Management Project (replaces MGT-496)	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>48</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Marketing

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Marketing is an academic program designed for working professionals in a marketing or sales department, or for those desiring to move into these areas.

This major is designed to prepare students to become more effective within a competitive marketing arena. It is centered around the core marketing function and includes marketing of products and services, sales, and sales management issues, marketing communications, and applied marketing research.

While marketing is the core, the major also equips students with general business skills and a working understanding of fundamental economic, financial, and general management principles.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

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Marketing - Program of Study

### Marketing - Program of Study

ADM-201	Principles of Self-Management	2
MGT-302	Management and Leadership	3
MGT-421	Strategies in Marketing Management	3
MKG-346	Consumer Behavior	3
MKG-348	Service Marketing	3
ECO-330	Applied Microeconomics for Business	3
ADM-448	Strategic Planning	3
MGT-425	Issues in Ethics	3
MKG-357	Advertising and Promotion	3
ADM-372	Accounting for Managers	4
MKG-353	Selling/Relationship Management	3
MGT-460	International Issues in Business	3
MKG-398	Marketing Research	3
MKG-496	Marketing Seminar	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>42</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Graduate Studies in Business Division

The following programs are offered through the Graduate Studies in Business Division:

Graduate Business Certificate Programs

Master of Business Administration (MBA)

Master of Science Degree with a major in Management

Students must complete the first course of their core program with a grade of "C" or higher. If a grade of "C-" or lower is earned in the first course, the course must be repeated satisfactorily before going on with a different cohort.

### Admission Requirements

The admission requirements programs within the Graduate Studies in Business Division are as follows:

- A baccalaureate or graduate degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education verified on original transcripts sent by the institution directly to Indiana Wesleyan University.
- An undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed. If an applicant's GPA is below 2.5, the student may be admitted on a probationary basis, as established by the guidelines of the college.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience.

Additional requirements for students entering the Accounting specialization:

- Six graduate semester credits in Accounting with a minimum grade of "B" in each course; OR
- Twelve undergraduate semester credits in Accounting with a minimum grade of "B" in each course.

### Admission Requirements to the Graduate Certificate Programs:

- Baccalaureate or masters degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 from the degree-granting institution (baccalaureate or masters).
- Accounting Certificate requires accounting pre-requisites listed above.
- Students may be accepted as an unclassified student; official transcripts are required for verification of appropriate degree.

### Graduation Requirements

To graduate, students must have completed all of the following:

- All credits required in the curriculum sequence with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and a minimum grade of "C" in each course. A grade of "C-" or below will require the course to be repeated.
- Overall GPA of 3.0 in all IWU graduate work.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

### Certificate Completion Requirements:

- Completion of 12 hours required for certificate. Courses must be taken at IWU.
- Minimum grade of "B" or higher in each course.

## Master of Business Administration

The Master of Business Administration (MBA) is a 42-credit hour program consisting of a 30 credit hour common core plus one of four 12-credit-hour specializations selected by the student at registration. (IWU reserves the right to move students to another date, location, or online if less than eight students are registered for any specialization at a particular location.) The MBA is designed to meet the worldwide need for knowledgeable, principle-centered leaders. The MBA program emphasizes the integration and application of knowledge that's needed to prepare managers as both economic and ethical leaders.

Students connect with business; the connection deepens and broadens as their programs proceed. New knowledge, skills, and tools quickly form the basis of leadership in business decision-making. To that end, the class structure deals with both the qualitative and quantitative skills required of today's managers.

The MBA program emphasizes the acquisition of technical management skills within a peer group or management team context. Each course requires the adoption of an individual and cooperative approach to problem solving. Written problem analysis is required throughout the program, as is the development of presentation skills.

Students in the MBA program are required to demonstrate proficiency in the areas of statistics, economics, accounting, and finance prior to taking the corresponding advanced course in the core. Students will be provided with the MBA PRIMER™ to assist them in meeting the minimum proficiencies needed for success in each quantitative area. Attendance in a three-week preparatory class is required for accounting and finance. At the completion of each of the first two courses and the accounting preparatory class a student has the option of transferring from the MBA to the MSM program. Successful completion of the first two MBA courses will substitute for the first two courses in the MSM program.

Credit may be transferred in from a regionally accredited institution (maximum of six hours) for any core or specialization course except ADM-508 and ADM-560 upon approval.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. The university reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

### **MBAX Program**

The MBAXpress Program is an online-only program for special individuals who have the willpower and the academic discipline to participate in an accelerated, intensive MBA curriculum. Students complete an accelerated program by taking some MBA courses simultaneously.

Additional admission requirements for the MBAX program:

- Baccalaureate degree in business, economics, or engineering.
- An undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
- Documented ability to devote 24 to 30 hours per week to coursework.

### **Virtual MBA Program**

The Virtual MBA degree program with majors in Executive Management (MBVE) or International Business (MBVI) requires the completion of 36 credit hours. The Virtual MBA uses a virtual-reality setting to create an intense, interactive, experiential learning context to present a consistent real-world, on-the-job-training experience in which knowledge and skills can be transferred to the student. The Executive Management and International Business majors utilize a mastery-learning concept that keeps students from proceeding through a course until they demonstrate competency in each one of the multiple learning modules. See <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Virtual-MBA/> for additional information and short video introduction.

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Minimum Computer Requirements for School of Business and Leadership Graduate Students

Project Teams

MBA - Program of Study

Virtual MBA - Program of Study

### **MBA - Program of Study**

	<b>Core Courses</b>	
ADM-508	Business, Analysis, and Technology	3
ADM-510	Applied Management Concepts	3
ADM-471P	Essentials of Accounting	0
ADM-514	Applied Managerial Accounting	4
MGT-541	Applied Marketing Management	3

ADM-524	Managerial Economics	3
ADM-474P	Essentials of Finance	0
ADM-537	Applied Managerial Finance	4
ADM-545	Organizational Development and Change	3
ADM-515	Applied Business Statistics	4
ADM-534	Applied Economics	3
	<b>Specialization Courses - Applied Management</b>	
ADM-549	Intercultural and Global Issues	3
ADM-550	Ethics, Law, and Leadership	3
ADM-554	Operations and Strategy	3
ADM-560	Applied Management Capstone	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>42</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Accounting</b>	
ACC-549	Financial Statement Preparation and Analysis	3
ACC-552	Auditing and Fraud Detection	3
ACC-554	Business Structure and Taxes	3
ACC-556	Accounting Information Systems and Control	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>42</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Health Care</b>	
HCM-549	Health Care Systems	3
HCM-552	Health Care Policy	3
HCM-554	Health Care Finance	3
HCM-556	Health Care Issues	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>42</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Human Resources Management</b>	
HRM-549	Human Resource Management: An Overview	3
HRM-552	Compensation and Benefits	3
HRM-554	Employment Law	3
HRM-556	Motivation and Training	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>42</b>

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**Virtual MBA - Program of Study**

<b>Major in Executive Management</b>		
ADM-580	History of Management Thought	1
ADM-583	Management for Results	3
ADM-585	Management of Human Resources	3
ADM-584	Marketing for Results	3
ADM-582	Financial Accountability	3
ADM-586	International Business	3
ADM-587	International Finance	3
ADM-589	Leadership in Organizations	3
ADM-565	MIS and E-Business	3
ADM-555	Decision Analysis in Organizations	3
ADM-588	Organizational Strategy	3
ADM-560	Applied Management Capstone	3
ADM-561	Comprehensive Exam Review	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

<b>Major in International Business</b>		
ADM-581	History of International Trade	1
ADM-583	Management for Results	3
ADM-585	Management of Human Resources	3
ADM-584	Marketing for Results	3
ADM-582	Financial Accountability	3
ADM-586	International Business	3
ADM-587	International Finance	3
ADM-589	Leadership in Organizations	3
ADM-567	Business and Culture	3
ADM-569	Import and Export	3
ADM-588	Organizational Strategy	3
ADM-560	Applied Management Capstone	3
ADM-561	Comprehensive Exam Review	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

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### **Minimum Computer Requirements - Graduate Students**

Minimum requirements for all students enrolled in graduate programs within the School of Business and Leadership:

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Administrative access to a PC (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software)
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU or higher
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- 1 GB space for software installation
- CD-ROM
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
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### **Project Teams**

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A team is essentially a small number of people with complementary skills, who are committed to a common purpose, a set of performance goals, and an approach to solving problems for which they hold themselves mutually accountable. But a team is more than just a collection of individuals. A true team develops an almost organic quality. The synergy produced through interaction involving a common goal should exceed what a group of individuals might achieve working independently. Thus, there is a significant difference between the product of a well-functioning team and the product of a work group where a piece of the problem is assigned to each individual.

Indiana Wesleyan University utilizes project teams and team projects in the curriculum because team process can enhance learning, especially in adult professionals. Students working in project teams are able to take on larger projects than they would be able to individually. This enables the university to present courses in a compressed format. Not only is learning enhanced through this method, but students also have the opportunity to develop teamwork skills. We believe project teams are a vital component to the education our students receive.

Project teams are typically comprised of self-selected teams of three to five individuals who meet as needed for class assignment preparation, team projects, and team presentations.

Individuals who work effectively in teams are characterized by the following abilities:

- Able to take responsibility for the success of the entire team and not just their own success.
- Able to hold both themselves and the team accountable for mutually agreed-upon goals.
- Able to negotiate goals and ideas in a team setting.
- Skilled at listening.
- Skilled at building on the ideas of others in a creative fashion.
- Able to give constructive feedback and express emotions to others without damaging relationships.
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- Value team process.
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Core groups in programs that require project teams develop a *Project Team Plan* and *Covenant of Expectations* at the beginning of the program under the direction of an Indiana Wesleyan University instructor. These documents are then filed with the appropriate administrative office. (Note: Only the *Project Team Plan* is required for elective classes.) Students will be given additional information during the first course concerning project team requirements.



## Master of Science - Management

The Master of Science degree with a major in Management is a 36-hour graduate program consisting of a 24 credit hour common core plus one of four 12-credit-hour specializations selected by the student at registration. (IWU reserves the right to move students to another date, location, or online if less than eight students are registered for any specialization at a particular location.) It is designed to develop and advance the personal and technical management skills of working professionals. It is envisioned that successful graduates should be able to enhance their positions in both the profit or non-profit sectors.

This is a career-oriented degree program with emphasis on gaining the knowledge and skills needed in working with and leading people in an organizational environment. The program revolves around the idea of servant leadership present in both quality management literature and the Christian tradition. Strategy, decision-making, quality, and the dynamics of change in organizations are all explored in the curriculum.

Credit may be transferred in from a regionally accredited institution (maximum of six hours) for any core course except MGT-510 and MGT-557 upon approval.

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Project Teams

Management (MS) - Program of Study

### Master of Science - Management - Program of Study

	<b>Core Courses</b>	
MGT-510	Theory and Practices of Leadership	3
MGT-532	Human Relations and Organizational Behavior	3
MGT-518	Communication in Organizational Settings	3
MGT-541	Applied Marketing Management	3
MGT-513	Managerial Economics	3
MGT-535	Legal Issues for Managers	3
MGT-525	Managerial Ethics	3
MGT-524	Finance for Managers	3
	<b>Specialization Courses - Strategic Management</b>	
MGT-540	Motivation, Development, and Change	3
ADM-549	Intercultural and Global Issues	3
MGT-530	Strategy Formulation	3
MGT-557	Applied Management Capstone	3
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ACC-549	Financial Statement Preparation and Analysis	3
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ACC-556	Accounting Information Systems and Control	3
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HCM-554	Health Care Finance	3
HCM-556	Health Care Issues	3
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HRM-549	Human Resource Management: An Overview	3
HRM-552	Compensation and Benefits	3
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HRM-556	Motivation and Training	3
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- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU or higher
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- 1 GB space for software installation
- CD-ROM
- DVD-ROM
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## Certificate Programs - Graduate

In order to provide graduate students opportunities to focus on specific career-oriented areas, the College of Adult and Professional Studies offers graduate certificates in the areas of Accounting, Health Care Management, and Human Resource Management.

Graduate certificates are available to students who have a baccalaureate or masters degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education. Students may be accepted as an unclassified student. Official transcripts must be submitted for verification of the appropriate degree.

The graduate certificate programs utilize both individual and project teams approaches.

Admission and Completion Requirements - Graduate Business Certificate Programs

### Accounting

ACC-549	Financial Statement Preparation and Analysis	3
ACC-552	Auditing and Fraud Detection	3
ACC-554	Business Structure and Taxes	3
ACC-556	Accounting Information Systems and Control	3

### Health Care

HCM-549	Health Care Systems	3
HCM-552	Health Care Policy	3
HCM-554	Health Care Finance	3
HCM-556	Health Care Issues	3

### Human Resource Management

HRM-549	Human Resources Management: An Overview	3
HRM-552	Compensation and Benefits	3
HRM-554	Employment Law	3
HRM-556	Motivation and Training	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Graduate Studies in Leadership Division

The Graduate Studies in Leadership Division offers the following programs:

Master of Arts Degree (MA) with a major in Organizational Leadership

Doctor of Education degree (Ed.D.) with a major in Organizational Leadership

### Admission Requirements

#### Master of Arts:

- A baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education .
- A minimum GPA of 3.0 in all undergraduate work (or 2.75 with approval from Department chair).
- A minimum of three years of significant experience in the workplace.
- Must currently be in a leadership position or demonstrate aspirations to attain a leadership position.

#### Doctor of Education:

This is a selective program and there is no guaranteed admittance even though applicants meet all the admissions requirements. The requirements for admission to the program include:\*

- A masters degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education verified on original transcripts sent by the institution directly to Indiana Wesleyan University.
- An undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 or higher from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed..
- A graduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher from the master's degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 24 hours was completed.
- A minimum of five years of leadership experience in the workplace, volunteer organizations, or the classroom.
- Submission of all documents required by the Admissions Selection Committee and approval by the committee for admission into the program.

\*The Admissions Selection Committee retains the right to waive admission requirements for special circumstances.

### Graduation Requirements

#### Master of Arts:

- All 36 credits required in the curriculum sequence with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and a minimum grade of "C" in each course. A grade of "C-" or below will require the course to be repeated.
- Overall GPA of 3.0 in all IWU graduate work.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

#### Doctor of Education:

To fulfill graduation requirements students must have completed all of the following:

- All credits required in the course of studies with a minimum GPA of 3.25. The Seminars and Internship and Dissertation credits are recorded as Credit or No Credit.
- Minimum grade of "B-" or higher in each course.
- Comprehensive written exam and oral defense following the third summer residency institute and satisfactory completion of all coursework.
- Dissertation successfully completed and defended orally. Dissertation must be completed within four years from the point of completing DOL-915.
- Payment of tuition and fees in order to receive a diploma.

## Minimum Computer Requirements - Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

Minimum requirements for all students enrolled in programs within the School of Business and Leadership:

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
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## Master of Arts - Organizational Leadership

The Master of Arts degree with a major in Organizational Leadership will provide graduates with the fundamental knowledge of leadership theory and skills to practice leadership in organizations. The program is targeted at students from all organizations (including business), but the focus will be on recruiting individuals from nonprofit organizations, government, military, and ministries.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

Minimum Computer Requirements - Graduate Studies in Leadership Division

Organizational Leadership (MA) - Objectives

Organizational Leadership (MA) - Program of Study

### Organizational Leadership (MA) - Objectives

Upon completion of the program students should be able to:

- Describe leadership theories and explain how they guide the practice of organizational leadership.
- Understand and practice authenticity and integrity as a part of their character and leadership.
- Synthesize knowledge about the foundational concepts of wisdom, followership, and stewardship as it applies to leadership.
- Evaluate ethical dilemmas that face leaders and implement the appropriate response.
- Analyze organizational problems and determine how the behavior of leaders and followers within an organization will be impacted.
- Evaluate the change and learning needs of an organization and implement appropriate strategies for redirecting the organization toward its goals.
- Develop and implement a strategic plan for an organization that emphasizes governance and stewardship principles.
- Practice scholarship by identifying organizational problems, researching the problem, and reporting the results of the research.

### Organizational Leadership (MA) - Program of Study

MOL-500	Leadership Theory	3
MOL-505	Wisdom and Leadership	3
MOL-510A	Leadership Praxis	1
MOL-515	Followership	3

MOL-520	Ethical Challenges of Leadership	3
MOL-501B	Leadership Praxis	1
MOL-525	Organizational Behavior and Communication	3
MOL-530	Organizational Learning and Change	3
MOL-510C	Leadership Praxis	1
MOL-535	Stewardship and Strategic Planning	3
MOL-540	Research and Evaluation Methods for Learners	3
MOL-510D	Leadership Praxis	1
MOL-565	Leadership Thesis	6
MOL-511	Leadership Praxis Seminar	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Doctor of Education - Organizational Leadership

The Doctor of Education degree with a major in Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) provides an advanced graduate education for students seeking academic positions in research and teaching at leading universities, and for those seeking leadership opportunities in corporations, entrepreneurial businesses, health care, faith-based institutions, government, and non-profit organizations. This program is designed for working adults who have the intellectual capacity for advanced study, who thrive on the challenge of self-directed learning, and who desire to master the discipline of organizational leadership.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

Minimum Computer Requirements for School of Business and Leadership, Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Mission

Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Program Requirements

Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Program of Study

Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - The Dissertation

### Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Application Process

#### Application Process Requirements

The goal is to admit highly qualified students, with clear career objectives, who choose to enter the doctoral program after obtaining a master's degree. To apply for admission to the doctoral program, the applicant must complete the following steps:

- Submit a formal application with the non-refundable application fee of \$50. Send all application process materials to the attention of Graduate Admissions.
- Send a current resume that includes a career objective, previous undergraduate and graduate work, work experience, and special recognition or awards. The resume should make clear the number of employees the applicant has supervised in all leadership positions.
- Send at least three recommendation forms from the applicant's current manager (this may be the chairman of the board of directors or a peer at another organization for CEOs), an academic in higher education, and someone that can speak to the spiritual character of the applicant.
- Prepare and submit a five to six page scholarly essay according to the requirements and outline in the application packet.
- Arrange to have your undergraduate transcript and graduate transcript sent from the accredited institution granting the respective degree. Transcripts should be supplied from all institutions the applicant has attended subsequent to the completion of the bachelor's degree.
- Arrange to take (or already have taken) the general test portion of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or the Miller Analogies Test (MAT) may be substituted at the discretion of the Admissions Selection Committee.

### **Formal Application Essay**

This essay is an essential aspect of the admission process and will be carefully assessed in order to make an informed decision regarding your acceptance into the Ed.D. program. Please follow the guidelines carefully addressing each question. The essay will be assessed in regard to:

- Typed, double-spaced, and numbered with a minimum of five pages and maximum of six pages.
- Clear and convincing response to the questions.
- Organization and presentation (i.e., readability and formatting).
- Evidence of critical thinking that is clearly expressed.
- It should be carefully proof read and use convincing language and phrasing.
- Evidence of scholarly (academic) writing skills that evidences an ability to analyze and integrate literature from the leadership field.

### **Essay Questions**

All questions are to be answered in a manner that demonstrates the scholarship and critical thinking of the applicant. The questions to be addressed in the essay include:

- How will the attainment of the Ed.D. with a major in Organizational Leadership enhance your ability to fulfill your life purpose?
- How will your leadership experience prepare you to excel in a doctoral leadership program?
- How will your current leadership position enable you to put into practice the concepts and principles that you hope to learn in this program?
- What is your understanding of the concept of leadership and of the need for it in your professional field?
- What convincing evidence can you offer that you are prepared for the scholarship necessary to complete doctoral coursework and a dissertation?
- Do you have convincing evidence of sufficient computer skills to engage in online discussion forums, access online library resources, engage in online videoconferencing, word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation software?

### **Admissions Selection Process**

The admissions selection process is as follows:

- Submit completed application and forms to Adult Enrollment Services.
- The completed Application Files will be reviewed and evaluated by the Admissions Selection Committee.
- The Admissions Selection Committee will recommend admissions approval to the Chair.
- A letter of approval will be sent to the student by the Chair.
- Students will then confirm their intent to commence the program and send a \$200 deposit that can hold a position in the program for the student and be applied to the first tuition and fee statement.



### **Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Mission**

The mission of the program is to provide a Christ-centered, challenging, and field-based doctoral program enabling organizational leadership students to become accomplished in current knowledge, theory-in-use, research, self-directed learning, and as facilitators of organizational learning.

The curriculum is designed to contribute to a student's development as a servant leader, who has demonstrated competence in seven domains of knowledge represented in the conceptual model that guides the program design. These domains include servant leadership, personal authenticity, governance and ethics, globalization and multiculturalism, change, innovation and entrepreneurship, organizational theory and research, and organizational learning. A foundational expertise integrated into each domain is the mastery of critical thinking, research, and problem solving.

The College of Adult and Professional Studies offers advanced graduate education for students seeking academic positions in research and teaching at leading universities, leadership opportunities in corporations, entrepreneurial businesses, health care institutions, higher education, faith-based institutions, government, and nonprofit organizations. The program is designed for working adults who have the intellectual capacity for advanced study, who thrive on the challenge of self-directed learning, who desire to master the discipline of organizational leadership, and those who purpose to contribute to Indiana Wesleyan University's mission to raise up leaders as World Changers.

The College of Adult and Professional Studies offers the dynamic combination of an integrated and seamless lock-step curriculum and technologically advanced facilities. At the very heart of these resources are the faculty and coursework grounded in theory and practice and leading organizational learning, change, and innovation. Our advanced graduate faculty is committed to critical inquiry, excellent teaching, and responsiveness to students. The curriculum reflects current knowledge and best practice and enables the students to meet the rigorous challenges of doctoral studies in a Christ-centered culture.

The desire of the faculty and administration of the College of Adult and Professional Studies in general and the faculty of the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership in particular is to present a Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) degree program that prepares students to be Christian Leaders in their world, and from that perspective to initiate significant change for Christ. The faculty values the integration of Christian principles of faith and practice into both academic and work settings. We have developed our university mission statement to reflect this desire and this value, and the mission of the College of Adult and Professional Studies and that of the Ed.D. degree support and extend the broader university mission. For that reason, all classes include a component of faith integration, either through the basic nature of the course or via specific course objectives. It is our hope that this curricular exposure to faith integration will be the beginning of personal growth and spiritual development by each student in the program.

### **Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Program Requirements**

**Transfer Credits** - Students may transfer up to nine hours of post-masters credit from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education provided a grade of "B" or higher was earned in a post-masters course meeting the following criteria of the transcript audit:

- The course is clearly comparable to one of the Ed.D. program course offerings.
- The course is at the 600 or higher numbering system and was not part of the master's degree requirements.
- The course has been completed within the past five years.
- The course reflects current knowledge-base and best practice.
- The course reflects higher order thinking, study, assessment requirements of the scholarship of discovery.

**Advanced Degree Appeals for Transferring Additional Hours** - Students that have obtained a professional graduate degree requiring 60 credit hours or more may petition to have appropriate coursework transferred into the doctoral program under the same conditions as those for post-masters credit.

Graduate students having earned a Specialist degree, a doctoral degree, or a professional degree requiring 90 or more credit hours (e.g., Educational Administration, Counseling, Psychology, and so forth) may appeal in writing, to the Chair, Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership, for a transcript audit to transfer up to nine additional hours (18 maximum). The letter of appeal, requesting more than nine hours of transfer credit, should clearly explain and justify the request. The letter of appeal should be supported with a dossier showing clear and convincing alignment with the course of studies and having met the criteria set forth in the policy and items one through five above.

### **Attendance Policy**

All doctoral courses are a blend of live and interactive online discussions (Ed-U-Flex). Students are expected to attend all live sessions and substantively engage in all interactive online discussions, tests, quizzes, and prescribed learning activities.

- Live Class Sessions - Live classes are held on Saturdays from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm and meet on the first, fourth, and eighth Saturdays of the September, January, and April terms. Students are expected to be in attendance when class begins, and remain the entire session. A student may be allowed one absence per course. These are only to be used when absolutely necessary and require approval from the faculty member teaching the course. (Bad weather, work and family emergencies, and illness are the primary reason for which students should reserve their option of missing one class meeting per term.) Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make-up work. The criteria for full participation attendance points will be determined by the faculty member.
- Online Attendance - Attendance is determined by participating in weekly discussions. Failure to participate in each weekly discussion forum will constitute an absence for that workshop. Participating in discussion does not guarantee full participation attendance points. The criteria for full participation attendance points will be determined by the course professor. A student may be allowed one participation absence per course. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make-up work.
- Excessive Absences - If a student exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to officially withdraw before the last class session, the professor is directed to issue the grade of "F."
- Students are expected to take courses in the predetermined sequence. Students who are unable to participate in a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a temporary leave of absence with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Students needing to withdraw while in a course may do so with permission of the Division Chair and by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply.

### **Residency**

Residency for the doctoral program is satisfied by living on campus during three Summer Residency Institutes. These institutes are seven days in length and begin on a Saturday and go through the following Friday. (The exception is for those students participating in their first Summer Institute that must attend from Friday to Friday for 7½ days.) Students are expected to be in attendance every day of each institute and are not allowed an absence from required workshops, events, or class sessions that are scheduled during the Institute. The Summer Residency Institutes are normally attended during three consecutive years. However, in unusual circumstances a student may be given permission by the Division Chair to skip a year and attend the Institute another year. In no circumstances will a student be allowed more than four years to complete their residency. Students are expected to follow the community lifestyle statement of the university while living on campus. This includes refraining from the use of alcohol and tobacco.

### **Withdrawal from a Course**

A student that withdraws from a course will need to get permission from the Department Chair to continue in the program and will need to follow the plan of study prescribed by the Department Chair.

Students needing to officially withdraw from a course will be required to contact the Office of Student Services. Tuition will be reimbursed according to the following schedule:

- 100 percent of the tuition fee if withdrawing within the first seven days of attending the first live class session of the course,
- 90 percent of the tuition fee if withdrawing between the 8th and by the 14th day of the course,
- 50 percent of the tuition fee if withdrawing between the 15th and by the 21st day of the course, and
- No refund after the 21st day from the start date of the course.

Student withdrawing from the summer residency will be assessed a fee to cover the costs of room and meals.

### **Satisfactory Academic Progress**

Students enrolled in the Ed.D. program are regarded as members of the academic community of Indiana Wesleyan University and are held responsible for conducting themselves in conformity with the standards of conduct for adult learners. Continued enrollment in the program is at all times subject to review of the student's academic record and of the student's actions with regard to observance of university rules and regulations.

The student must achieve a GPA of 3.0 by the end of the third term in order to continue in the program and cannot have a grade of less than a "B-" in any course. Students will become academically ineligible to continue enrollment when any of the following are received in coursework of the Ed. D. program of study:

- Grade point average (GPA) drops below 3.0 after the first three terms of the program.
- The required 3.25 GPA for graduation is not achieved within the first 27 credit hours of the program.

A student who is dismissed for academic reasons will be eligible to reapply for admission on a provisional basis after two terms or the equivalent, but only upon the recommendation of the Division Chair and with the approval of the Associate Dean of the School of Business and Leadership.

Students who fall below the required 3.25 GPA at any point in their program of study will be placed on academic probation and given a determined amount of time to raise the GPA to the required level. The amount of time given will be decided by a committee consisting of the student’s advisor and the Division Chair.

Students that have a grade of incomplete in two or more courses are subject to suspension from the program for a time that is to be designated by the Division Chair in consultation with faculty members that have taught the courses in which the student has received the incomplete grade.

Students who do not follow the courses in the designated sequence, or who withdraw from a course, must undergo advising before being allowed to register for another course. The student’s advisor will submit the reenrollment form to the Division Chair for approval. The student may then be registered for another course by Student Services.

IWU reserves the right to deny enrollment to any student, even though the student has met the minimum grade point average required, if it is apparent from the student’s academic record of required courses that the student will not be able to meet the graduation requirements.

**Comprehensive Exam**

At the end of coursework, a comprehensive examination will be administered to each student in the Ed.D. program. This exam will be designed to:

1. Determine the student’s grasp of leadership understanding across the curriculum;
2. Assess the student’s ability to adapt and integrate leadership theory and current best practice across the curriculum, including the integration of faith and practice;
3. Give the student the opportunity to demonstrate higher order thinking with reference to Organizational Leadership theory and practice.

The exam will be constructed to cover the major domains of the program and will be administered by a committee of full-time faculty in the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership. The Comprehensive Examination Policy Guide is published annually before Comprehensive Examinations. All policies and guidelines published annually in the Guide become official academic policy of the Division and take precedent over any policies published in the catalog.

**Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Program of Study**

A student is expected to take courses in a specified sequence and this sequence can only be changed with the permission of the Department Chair. Permission is normally granted for students that want to pursue a four-year as opposed to the normal three-year course of study. The three-year course of study is detailed below.

<b>YEAR ONE</b>		
<b>July Term</b>		
DOL-715	Leadership and Personal Development	3
DOL-720	Critical Inquiry	3
<b>September Term</b>		
DOL-735	Advanced Leadership Theory	3
DOL-760A	Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>January Term</b>		
DOL-740	Organization Theory and Design	3
DOL-760B	Seminars and Praxis in Organizational	2

	Leadership	
<b>April Term</b>		
DOL-810	Statistical Research	3
DOL-760C	Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>		
<b>July Term</b>		
DOL-750	Change, Entrepreneurship, and Innovation	3
DOL-830	Global Perspectives in Leadership	3
<b>September Term</b>		
DOL-840	Ethics and Leadership	3
DOL-860/865A	Advanced Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>January Term</b>		
DOL-820	Advanced Research Design	3
DOL-860/865B	Advanced Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>April Term</b>		
DOL-800	Organizational and Adult Learning	3
DOL-860/865C	Advanced Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>		
<b>July Term</b>		
DOL-855	Stewardship	3
DOL-880	Application of Research Methods	3
<b>September Term</b>		
DOL-915	Dissertation Seminar* (*Students on the four year plan may substitute DOL-910, DOL-900A, and DOL-900B for DOL-915)	3
<b>January Term</b>		
DOL-920	Dissertation	3
<b>April Term</b>		
DOL-920	Dissertation	3
<b>July Term</b>		
DOL-920	Dissertation	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Students will continue to register for DOL-922 Dissertation Continuation all subsequent terms until dissertation is completed.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - The Dissertation**

The dissertation will be a field-based, practice-centered inquiry that attests to the student's understanding of the field and ability to conduct scholarly inquiry about an issue related to leadership practices and performance in organizations from which other leaders can benefit. In addition, the research must provide a unique contribution to the understanding of organizational leadership.

Students may conduct qualitative or quantitative research, culture evaluation, needs assessment, or any other type of research which meets the approval of their Dissertation Committee. The dissertation is expected to meet the highest standards of scholarship and inquiry, and should demonstrate doctoral level composition and format. The writer should identify the problem and its significance, outline the background and literature that informs the problem, and collect and analyze data. This should result in a written document detailing findings, implications, and recommendations for future policy, governance, and/or practice.

### **Dissertation Requirements**

The Organizational Leadership major is a 60 semester hour program. The dissertation courses include a minimum of 12 hours beyond the 48 hours of designated courses.

Every Organizational Leadership student will be required to write and defend a dissertation. The Organizational Leadership course of studies emphasizes the development of theory-in-use research and skills with a practitioner focus. A doctoral research study addresses a problem of practice, where the focus is upon the integration of knowledge or its application. A variety of research methods may be used, resulting in a number of alternative forms of scholarly study, such as an organizational improvement study, a culture evaluation study, a governance and policy analysis study, or a problem resolution study. A dissertation generates or confirms knowledge and expanded capacity while linking theory-in-use to current best practice. The process of scholarship, research, and leadership utilizes a variety of research methods, including empirical, interpretive, or critical. All doctoral research studies and dissertations will result in a substantial written document.

Three credit hours of a dissertation seminar are required. The seminar may be taken when the student successfully completes the courses offered during the term in which the student participates in their third summer residency. This enables the graduate students to integrate coursework, field-based action learning, and organizational improvement initiatives into the research design of their dissertation. Nine credit hours of dissertation credit are required during year three. Graduate students not defending their dissertation during the summer following the third year will be expected to maintain continuous enrollment and pay a dissertation continuation one hour tuition fee for each subsequent term until the dissertation is defended and approved.

A Dissertation Policy Manual will be issued by the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership and published annually. Students are expected to follow all policies, procedures, and guidelines contained in the most recent manual. A student that is unable to complete their dissertation within one year must follow the guidelines issued for the following year. For example, a student that completes their 700 and 800 level coursework in 2010 will be given a Dissertation Policy Manual issued at the Summer Residency Institute in 2010, but if the student's dissertation is not completed by June 30, 2011, the student will then be expected to follow the guidelines and policies contained in the Dissertation Policy Manual issued in July, 2011.

### **Degree Completion Limits**

The Ed.D. program is designed as a lock-step curriculum, which is to be completed in 27 months, plus the dissertation. The time limit for completing the dissertation is four years from the point of completing the DOL-915 course. Any exceptions to this policy must be made via a written petition presented, approved, and filed by the Division Chair.

### **Dissertation Continuation**

Doctoral students not completing the dissertation by the end of the July term of the fourth year will be required to maintain continuous enrollment. They will be required to enroll in a one-hour Dissertation Continuation course (DOL-922) with the university each successive term until the dissertation is successfully defended. Students will pay the one hour tuition fee and a \$25 per term resource fee to maintain continuous enrollment.

### **Candidate Status**

Doctoral students will attain candidacy status upon successful:

- Completion of all course work.
- Written and oral defense of the Comprehensive Exam.
- Completion and committee approval of the dissertation proposal (Chapters 1-3).

## School of Educational Leadership

The IWU School of Educational Leadership offers dynamic programs that serve to apply the mission of IWU by drawing teachers, administrators, and other school personnel into an integrated experience of intellectual challenge, spiritual growth, and leadership development. These programs call candidates to Christian character and academic excellence, equip them for success in their disciplines, mentor them in leadership, and prepare them for service.

Through the IWU School of Educational Leadership, a variety of Adult Education Programs are offered to help students meet personal and professional goals:

Adult Teacher Licensure Programs Department - offers a graduate level, non-degree initial licensure program.

Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders Department - offers graduate level, non degree programs resulting in additional licensure and continuing studies for license renewal.

Advanced Studies for Teacher Leaders Department - offers a graduate level, advanced degree program (Master of Education)

Educational Administration Department - offers a post-master's, non-degree licensure program leading to the P-12 Building Level Administrator's License as well as the Educational Specialist degree leading to the P-12 District Level Administrator's License.

Office of Educational Licensing - offers assistance to educators seeking to renew or professionalize a teaching license.

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

## Adult Teacher Licensure Programs Department

The Adult Teacher Licensure Programs Department offers the Transition to Teaching (TTT) initial licensure program.

### Admission Requirements

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

All applicants must have:

- Baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college with a grade point average of at least 3.00; or
- Both a baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college with a grade point average of at least 2.50 and five years of professional experience (i.e., professional experience related to the content area in which the applicant seeks licensure); or
- A graduate degree (does not apply to TTT Elementary Education applicants).
- Passing Praxis I scores (as established by the Indiana Department of Education) for reading, writing, and math.
- Passing Praxis II scores (as established by the Indiana Department of Education) for the content area in which the applicant seeks licensure (applies only to TTT Secondary Education applicants).
- Prior to any field experiences, a state approved criminal history.

### Completion Requirements

The Transition to Teaching program can recommend candidates for licensure in the following areas:

- Elementary Generalist K-6
- Junior/Senior High - Biology, Chemistry, Social Studies-Economics, Social Studies-Government, Social Studies-Psychology, Social Studies-Historical Perspectives, Social Studies-Sociology, English, Physical Education, Health Education, Mathematics, Music-Choral, Music-Instrumental, Music-Choral, General, and Instrumental, Spanish Language, and Visual Arts.

To be eligible to be recommended for licensure a candidate must:

- Complete all course requirements with a minimum GPA of 3.00 and no grade lower than a "B-."
- Pass all student teaching courses with a grade of Credit.
- Provide passing scores for all required Praxis tests.
- Provide a recent criminal history search.
- Applicants seeking licensure in Spanish will successfully demonstrate competence in oral Spanish communication skills via recorded process that is assessed by IWU approved Spanish speakers using a scoring rubric.

## Transition to Teaching (TTT)

Indiana Wesleyan University's Transition to Teaching (TTT) program is a graduate level, non-degree licensure program structured to help adults who are motivated to take their life and work experience into the classroom - to mold the minds of Indiana's future leaders. Candidates provide the content knowledge - Indiana Wesleyan University will provide the teaching theory and techniques to facilitate their growth in becoming a world-changing teacher.

There are three major areas of the Transition to Teaching program:

- **Subject Knowledge:** The basic premise behind this program is that adults with a baccalaureate degree and work experience in a particular field possess sufficient knowledge on the subject they want to teach. Therefore, the TTT program contains no courses where content knowledge on a subject will be taught. The State of Indiana will require TTT candidates to take the applicable Praxis exams to determine if they possess the requisite content knowledge to teach their subject.
- **Education Theory and Methods:** The Transition to Teaching courses will cover a wide array of teaching strategies, theories, techniques, and methods to prepare the candidate for the classroom. Course instructors are university professors or currently practicing school administrators or teachers with years of experience in the classroom using real life applications of teaching principles.
- **Student Teaching:** Candidates will be in a K-12 classroom in their area of licensure for a seventeen week student teaching experience. The student teaching experience for elementary candidates will also have an additional student teaching experience with an emphasis on reading and language arts. The university will arrange appropriate student teaching placements based on the area of licensure and geographical preference.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

TTT - Admission and Completion Requirements

TTT - Mission and Objectives

TTT - Program Requirements

TTT - Program of Study

TTT - Student Teaching Policies

### TTT - Mission and Objectives

The mission of the Transition to Teaching program is to enlarge Indiana's pool of qualified K-12 teachers by providing a quality teacher preparation program for working adults. The Transition to Teaching program meets the requirements of the enabling legislation and the Indiana Department of Education's Office of Educator Licensing and Development while eliminating as many barriers to the working adult as feasible.

Objectives of the TTT program:

- **Content/Subject Matter Expertise:** Demonstration of a liberal arts education which provides a foundation for future professional growth.
- **Personal Development (Morals and Ethics):** Internalization of an individual set of moral and ethical behaviors.
- **Professional Development:** Knowledge of how and when children learn, addressing developmental and motivational stages; awareness of recent developments in educational research.
- **Rights and Responsibilities:** Application of decision making skills necessary to implement appropriate decisions within the parameters of legal, contractual, and administrative directives.
- **Methodology:** Integration of instruction which permits the teacher to plan, implement and evaluate master learning.
- **Management of Time, Classroom, and Behavior:** Commitment to a model of classroom management based upon positive reinforcement and building self-esteem.
- **Communication:** The ability to communicate effectively with students and peers in written and verbal forms.
- **Global and Multicultural Perspectives:** Recognizing that individuals are different and that multicultural (ethnic, socio-economic, and differently abled) diversity awareness changes behavior and systems in order to remove barriers to success.

### **TTT - Program Requirements**

All candidates must be successful at each of the required gateways (Foundational, Reading, Candidacy, and Pre-Service Teacher, Exit Gateways) in order to progress to the next program gateway.

- Successful completion of each course with at least a "B-" grade and a minimum overall GPA of 3.0.
- Successful completion of the Key Assessments' expectations with a score of a "3" or "4" in each indicator of the rubric(s).
- Successful completion of the Professional Dispositions' expectations with a score of a "3" or "4" in each indicator of the rubric.
- Successful completion of the remediation goals as defined in a plan concerning the Key Assessments and Professional Dispositions' indicators that were less than scores of "3" or "4".

### **Program Gateways - Elementary**

#### **Gateway 1: Program Entrance**

- Entrance Requirements

#### **Gateway 2: Foundational**

- EDUT-540 Introduction to 21st Century Education for Elementary Teachers
- EDUT-541 Innovative Teaching for the 21st Century for Elementary Classrooms
- EDUT-545 Assessment and Learning in the Elementary Classroom

#### **Gateway 3: Reading**

- EDUT-520 Reading and Language Arts Instruction in the Elementary Classroom
- EDUT-521 Diagnostics in Reading and Language Arts in the Elementary Classroom

#### **Gateway 4: Candidacy**

- EDUT-550 Methods of Teaching the Elementary School Curriculum
- EDUT-548 Research-based Behavior Interventions and Elementary Classroom Management

#### **Gateway 5: Pre-Service Teacher**

- EDUT-590 Student Teaching: Elementary Education

#### **Gateway 6: Exit**

- Alumni Survey
- Administration Survey
- Setting Surveys
- End-of-Course Survey
- Faculty Survey
- Employer Survey
- Candidate Program Completion Survey
- Satisfactory scores on Praxis 2 Elementary Content Knowledge Test



**Program Gateways - Secondary**

**Gateway 1: Program Entrance**

- Entrance Requirements

**Gateway 2: Foundational**

- EDUT-570 Introduction to 21st Century Education for Secondary Teachers
- EDUT-571 Innovative Teaching for the 21st Century for Secondary Classrooms
- EDUT-575 Assessment and Learning in the Secondary Classroom

**Gateway 3: Candidacy**

- EDUT-560 Content Reading and Literacy for Adolescents
- EDU-578 Content Methods of Instruction in the Senior High/Junior High/Middle School Setting
- EDUT-580 Research-based Behavior Interventions and Classroom Management of Adolescents

**Gateway 4: Pre-Service Teacher**

- EDUT-595 Student Teaching: Secondary Education

**Gateway 5: Exit**

- Alumni Survey
- Administration Survey
- Setting Surveys
- End-of-Course Survey
- Faculty Survey
- Employer Survey
- Candidate Program Completion Survey
- Satisfactory scores on the Praxis 2 content specific test for the subject(s) in which licensure is sought

**TTT - Program of Study**

<b>Elementary Education</b>		
EDUT-540	Introduction to 21st Century Education for Elementary Teachers	3
EDUT-541	Innovative Teaching for the 21st Century for Elementary Classrooms	3
EDUT-545	Assessment and Learning in the Elementary Classroom	3
EDUT-520	Reading and Language Arts Instruction in the Elementary Classroom	3
EDUT-521	Diagnostics in Reading and Language Arts in the Elementary Classroom	3
EDUT-550	Methods of Teaching the Elementary School Curriculum	3
EDUT-548	Research-based Behavior Interventions and Elementary Classroom Management	3
EDUT-590	Student Teaching: Elementary Education	3
<b>Total (Elementary)</b>		<b>24</b>

<b>Secondary Education</b>		
EDUT-570	Introduction to 21st Century Education for Secondary Teachers	2

EDUT-571	Innovative Teaching for the 21st Century for Secondary Classrooms	3
EDUT-575	Assessment and Learning in the Secondary Classroom	3
EDUT-560	Content Reading and Literacy for Adolescents	2
EDU-578	Various Content Methods of Instruction in the Senior High/Junior High/Middle School Setting	3
EDUT-580	Research-based Behavior Interventions and Classroom Management of Adolescents	2
EDUT-595	Student Teaching: Secondary Education	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>18</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### TTT - Student Teaching Policies

- Once a student teaching placement has been finalized, it can only be changed by approval of the Program. The candidate bears the responsibility to present in writing sufficient evidence to justify the requested change in light of the candidate's needs (not desires) and the needs of future candidates who will need a placement in that school corporation's local schools. A change of placement fee will be paid by the candidate.
- The TTT Program, at the request of the cooperating K-12 school's administration, university supervisor, or instructor as well as by the decision of the TTT Program Director, can remove a candidate from a K-12 school student teaching assignment any time for immoral or inappropriate conduct at the K-12 assignment or with K-12 students.
- The TTT Program may remove a candidate from a student teaching experience for candidate's failure to satisfactorily perform the requirements of the student teaching experience in question. Input from the university supervisor, instructor, and the cooperating teacher will be sought before removing the candidate from the student teaching experience.
- Removal from a student teaching experience may result in the candidate being permanently withdrawn from the program. A grade of "No Credit" will be issued for the student teaching course.
- A candidate who does not receive a grade of "Credit" for EDUT-590 or EDUT-595 must request in writing to the TTT Program for permission to retake the course in question.
- If a candidate repeating one of these courses does not receive a satisfactory grade, the candidate will be withdrawn permanently from the Transition to Teaching program and will be ineligible to reapply.
- Any candidate who is being considered for removal from a student teaching experience has the right to appeal that decision pursuant to the policies of the College of Adult and Professional Studies.
- For an elementary candidate, EDUT-590 requires 17 weeks of full-time student teaching. Spring and fall breaks as well as other school holidays and closings and candidate's absences will be made up by the candidates within the time frame of the affected student teaching experience. Should a candidate not be able to meet the required hours and weeks associated with the student teaching placement, the candidate may petition to the TTT Program for an extension of time.
- For a secondary candidate, EDUT-595 requires 17 weeks of student of full-time student teaching. Spring and fall breaks as well as other school holidays and closings and candidate's absences will be made up by the candidate within the time frame of the affected student teaching experience. Should a candidate not be able to meet the required hours and weeks associated with the student teaching placement, the candidate may petition to the TTT Program for an extension of time.

## Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders Department

The Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders Department offers the following programs:

Exceptional Learners Certificate Program (ELM)

Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders

## Admission Requirements

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

### Exceptional Learners Certificate Program

All applicants must have:

- Baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college with a grade point average of at least 3.00, both in the major and overall; or
- Both a baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college with a grade point average of at least 2.50, both in the major and overall and five years of professional experience (i.e., professional experience related to the content area in which the applicant seeks licensure); or
- A Graduate degree
- Possess a current and valid Indiana initial teaching license
- Passing Praxis I scores (as established by the Indiana Department of Education) for reading, writing, and math.
- Prior to any field experiences, a state approved criminal history.

### Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders

- A copy of an official transcript from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education which indicates the recipient has earned at least a baccalaureate degree.

## Completion Requirements

### Exceptional Learners Certificate Program

Program completers who satisfactorily complete all testing and other state requirements will be recommended by Indiana Wesleyan University to the Division of Educator Licensing and Development.

To be eligible to be recommended for licensure a candidate must:

- Complete all course requirements with a minimum GPA of 3.00 and no grade lower than a "B-." .
- Submit an electronic portfolio demonstrating satisfactory competence in required standards.
- Receive a recommendation from the candidate's Instructor/Advisor.
- Receive a recommendation from the principal of the candidate's cooperating K-12 school(s).
- Submit a satisfactory score on the appropriate subject area(s) Content Knowledge Praxis II test(s).\*
- \* Per the Indiana Department of Education Division of Educator Licensing and Development, those seeking initial licensure in "Exceptional Needs: Mild Intervention" must successfully pass the Praxis-0353 Special Education: Core Principles Content Knowledge with a score of 150 and Praxis-0542 Education of Exceptional Students: Mild to Moderate Disabilities with a score of 156. Successfully passing the Praxis II is also an Indiana Wesleyan University Exceptional Learners program requirement for all program completers. Passing the Praxis II exams are required for those seeking an "Exceptional Needs: Mild Intervention" licensure through the IWU Exceptional Learners Program.

## Exceptional Learners Certificate Program (ELM)

The Exceptional Learners Certificate Program is designed for individuals seeking to accept the challenge of teaching students with special needs. The program places emphasis on drawing from the knowledge of educational theory and research in the field while integrating it through application. Candidates incorporate course content and experiences with new trends through hands on opportunities.

Candidates seeking to earn licensure can pursue any of the five developmental levels associated with serving students who have exceptional needs in areas such as learning disabilities, cognitive disabilities, orthopedic impaired, autism, and emotional disorders. Completion of the certificate program and satisfactory scores on the state required examinations and screenings will result in IWU recommending the program completer to the state of Indiana for the “Exceptional Needs: Mild Intervention” teaching license.

Candidates enroll in groups called cohorts. These candidates take the same courses together and develop professional skills through active learning activities designed to utilize the power of group dynamics and individual initiative.

The course delivery format is offered either by online or onsite. The onsite format will have several workshops online therefore all individuals will need ready access to a high speed internet server and hardware and software that meet the minimum requirements as identified by Adult Enrollment Services. The course delivery software will be Blackboard and training in its use is part of the program of study. Candidates should be proficient in word processing knowledge and skills and familiarity with other applications such as spread sheets is recommended before entering the program.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

ELM - Admission and Completion Requirements

ELM - Mission and Objectives

ELM - Program Requirements

ELM - Program of Study

### ELM - Mission and Objectives

The mission of this program is to provide accessible, challenging, Christ-centered professional growth and development opportunities for prospective exceptional needs mild intervention teachers. By expanding teaching knowledge and skills through continuous theory to practice proficiency development, exceptional needs mild intervention teachers are able to gain knowledge, skills, and dispositions necessary to meet the needs of students with mild intervention in their classrooms and school-community.

Objectives of the Exceptional Learners Certificate Program:

- **Content/Subject Matter:** Candidates will substantiate, in exceptional needs settings, growth in the knowledge of and skills in development and application of curriculum.
- **Practice Reflective Assessment:** Candidates will demonstrate the ability to select and administer appropriate assessments and to analyze their findings in order to insure quality instruction and behavior modification for exceptional needs students.
- **Professional Development:** Candidates will show proficiency in the ability to select appropriate instructional strategies and material and implement them effectively to provide quality instruction for exceptional needs students.
- **Management of Time, Classroom, and Behavior:** Candidates will express knowledge of behavioral interventions and the temperament, values, and dispositions necessary for their ethical implementation with exceptional needs students.
- **Building Learning and Services Networks:** Candidates will exhibit skill and initiative in collaboratively working with students, their parents, and members of the professional community to provide appropriate services and education for exceptional needs students.
- **Rights and Responsibilities:** Candidates will confirm an understanding of and compliance with the legal responsibilities inherent in teaching exceptional needs learners.
- **Implementing Instructional Effectiveness:** Candidates will apply theory to appropriate settings and audiences as well as development in the use of higher order cognitive skills.

### ELM - Program Requirements

Program courses contain knowledge and skills of educational theory and research in the field. Candidates will utilize their learning by engaging in professional activities and participate in the various learning communities that assist in the development of becoming lifelong learners who will reflect on and adapt their practices in ways that will have a positive impact on the field. The program is

tailored to develop candidates by expanding teaching knowledge and skills through continuous theory to practice proficiency development, in order to gain knowledge, skills, and dispositions necessary to meet the needs of students with exceptional needs.

**Course Design** - For all candidates, the program consists of a total of eight graduate level courses that are taught in an online or onsite format. When online, candidates utilize an asynchronous approach to communication and the development of group interactive learning assignments. That is, they are not required to be on line at the same time. This gives the program tremendous flexibility in meeting the scheduling needs of the individual candidates.

Candidates who have a current teaching license in the field of education will participate in four one semester hour courses in four phases that span multiple core courses and provide the candidates with instruction, coaching, and assessment in the development of the candidate's portfolio which is a requirement for program completion. The portfolio is designed as an application of theory of the knowledge, skills, and disposition necessary for exceptional needs teachers. Candidates must successfully pass each phase before progressing to the next phase.

### ELM - Program of Study

EDS-520	Understanding the Exceptional Needs Learner	3
EDS-522	Historical Perspectives of Special Education: Law, Policy, and Practices	3
EDS-536A	Field Application and Performance Competency A	1
EDS-540	Developmental Reading: Theory, Applications, and Field Practice	3
EDS-536B	Field Application and Performance Competency B	1
EDS-530	Diagnosing and Managing Behavior: Theory, Applications, and Field Practice	3
EDS-532	Assessing Learning: Theory, Development, and Field Applications of Diagnostic, Formative, and Summative Tools	3
EDU-574	Facilitating Learning with Technology	2
EDS-536C	Field Application and Performance Competency C	1
EDS-534	Teaching the Exceptional Learner: Theory, Applications, and Field Practice	4
EDS-536D	Field Application and Performance Competency D	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>25</b>

## Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders

Graduate courses offered through IWU's Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders are designed to strengthen the professional competencies of P-12 practitioners. These courses address contemporary educational challenges by employing a theory-to-practice approach to adult learning. Credit for these courses may be applied toward renewal of the Indiana state teaching license.

Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders are offered throughout the year in classroom locations across the state of Indiana as well as online. At times, IWU partners with other associates to provide a broad array of courses that will fulfill the requirements of licensure renewal. The courses are offered as credit for possible license renewal and are not eligible to apply toward any degree or professional preparation program at IWU. These courses (offered by Performance Learning Systems [PLS] or Canter and Associates) are not applicable toward the completion requirements of any School of Educational Leadership degree or professional preparation program. Educators employed by school districts in states outside Indiana are welcome but are strongly advised to consult with their own state licensure office prior to registering. Students registering in Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders courses bear the full responsibility for ensuring the applicability of IWU graduate courses for license renewal in their state.

Those new to Indiana Wesleyan University may register in Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders courses as a non-degree seeking student based on submission of the following:

- Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders course registration form.
- A copy of an official transcript from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education which indicates the recipient has earned at least a baccalaureate degree.

Registration in coursework through Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders does not constitute admission to an IWU graduate degree program. If a non-degree seeking student decides at any time to apply for admission to an IWU graduate degree program, the student must complete the full and regular admission process. With approval of the program director immediately involved, up to six semester hours earned through Continuing Studies may be applied toward an IWU graduate education degree.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Advanced Studies for Teacher Leaders Department

The Advanced Studies for Teacher Leaders Department offers a Master of Education (M.Ed.) degree program.

### Admission Requirements

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

The admission requirements for the M.Ed. program are as follows:

- A baccalaureate or graduate degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education verified on original transcripts sent by the institution directly to Indiana Wesleyan University.
- An undergraduate GPA of 2.75 or higher from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least of minimum of 30 hours was completed.
- Public school candidates to the M.Ed. Program would need:
  - A valid (but not necessarily current) state teacher's license.
  - One year of teaching experience (i.e., a minimum of one semester and one day).
  - Supporting documentation demonstrating access to a P-12 classroom (e.g., letter or contract from the prospective candidate's principal or school district).
- ACSI, FACCS, and FCCS candidates to the M.Ed. Program would need:
  - Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI), Florida Association of Christian Colleges and Schools (FACCS), or Florida Coalition of Christian Schools (FCCS) valid (but not necessarily current) temporary, standard, or professional teaching license.
  - One year of teaching experience (i.e., a minimum of one semester and one day), under contract and performed in a classroom.
  - Supporting documentation demonstrating access to a P-12 classroom (e.g., letter or contract from the prospective candidate's principal or school district).

### Graduation Requirements

To graduate, candidates must have completed the following:

- Successful completion of the M.Ed. 30 semester hour core curriculum.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above in all graduate work and a minimum grade of "C" in each course.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.
- Satisfactory completion of the Applied Masters Portfolio as a culminating project including at least one level exhibit from each of the five program domains achieving a 4.0 score (on a four-point scale). All remaining portfolio exhibits must achieve a 3.0 score (on a four-point scale).

### Master of Education (M.Ed.)

The Master of Education program is designed for practicing classroom teachers seeking an advanced degree with an emphasis on standards-based curriculum and instruction. The program emphasizes the application of theories of learning and instruction to the professional setting. Courses are designed to provide participants with methods and materials they can use in their classrooms, including the latest available technology. Instruction is designed to model best practices and procedures in the classroom. Diversity, technology, and leadership strands run throughout the program. The advanced M.Ed. degree has developed five program domains in preparing the adult professional educator as a "World Changer."

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

M.Ed. - Admission and Graduation Requirements

M.Ed. - Mission and Objectives

M.Ed. - Program Requirements

M.Ed. - Program of Study

### **M.Ed. - Mission and Objectives**

The mission of the Master of Education Program is to prepare teacher leaders to provide advanced knowledge that translates into effective teaching performances and dispositions, all of which are focused on improving P-12 student learning.

The purpose of the Master of Education Program is to provide advanced study beyond the baccalaureate degree to meet the professional needs of practicing teachers. Outcomes and expectations associated with developing master teachers as World Changers are:

- **Leading curricular change.** Candidates are proficient in curriculum development and implementation; knowledge of curriculum and subject matter is used to create positive change in classrooms, schools, and districts.
- **Implementing instructional effectiveness.** Candidates are proficient in the knowledge, dispositions, and skills needed for effective teaching; effective teaching results in successful student learning.
- **Managing classroom learning.** Candidates manage the classroom learning environment to create success for all students.
- **Practicing reflective assessment.** Candidates manage their continued learning and professional development through continuous reflection about their teaching knowledge, dispositions, skills, and practices.
- **Building learning networks.** Candidates create professional partnerships to create learning opportunities for themselves and their students.

### **M.Ed. - Program Requirements**

**Program Admittance Policy** - Formal admittance to candidacy for the Master of Education Degree from Indiana Wesleyan University will commence at the time a candidate successfully completes the Assessment Day One requirements. (*Note to Candidates: Assessment Day One occurs after the first three core courses are completed.*) An admissions committee composed of M.Ed. Faculty will review appropriate candidate data and grades earned in the program in making the final recommendation for candidacy.

#### **Non-Admittance Policy:**

- If the candidate does not successfully pass EDU-559A for credit, the candidate will be withdrawn from all courses in the M.Ed. program. Should the candidate wish to apply for re-admittance to the M.Ed. Program, the candidate will complete a Candidate Remediation Conference with the Program Director or his or her faculty designee and an Instructor/Advisor to be assigned to the candidate. A Candidate Remediation Plan will be developed and agreed to by the Program Director or his or her faculty designee, the Instructor/Advisor, and the candidate. The candidate will be readmitted to the M.Ed. program with the first available cohort. The candidate must take EDU-559A again and must pass with credit. Should the candidate fail to satisfy any portion of the Candidate Remediation Plan or fail to pass with credit EDU-559A a second time, the candidate will be recommended to the Associate Dean for permanent dismissal from the M.Ed. program.
- If the candidate does not successfully pass EDU-559B for credit, the candidate will be withdrawn from all courses in the M.Ed. program. Should the candidate wish to apply for re-admittance to the M.Ed. Program, the candidate will complete a Candidate Remediation Conference with the Program Director or his or her faculty designee and an Instructor/Advisor to be assigned to the candidate. A Candidate Remediation Plan will be developed and agreed to by the Program Director or his or her faculty designee, the Instructor/Advisor, and the candidate. The candidate will be readmitted to the M.Ed. program with the first available cohort. The candidate must take EDU-559B again and must pass with credit. Should the candidate fail to satisfy any portion of the Candidate Remediation Plan or fail to pass EDU-559B a second time, the candidate will be recommended to the Associate Dean for permanent dismissal from the M.Ed. program.

**Re-admittance Policy** - Candidates who have previously withdrawn from the Master of Education program voluntarily (i.e., the candidate was not withdrawn due to failing to pass EDU-559A or EDU-559B) and who wish to be re-admitted to the program are welcome to return. The following conditions related to re-admission apply:



- Existing program admission criteria at the time of re-admission apply.
- The Director reserves the right to require that the candidate audit some courses that the candidate may have already completed if the Director determines that the material is significantly different than when the candidate first took the course.
- The program requirements existing at the time of re-admission are the requirements the re-admitted candidate must meet prior to program completion.

**Attendance** - In addition to IWU's attendance policy for adult and graduate students, the M.Ed. program also has a tardy policy. For students enrolled in the M.Ed. program, a tardy will be recorded if the student misses 120 minutes of class time for sessions that are eight hours in length. If a student accumulates two tardies during a course, this will result in an absence being recorded on the student's attendance record.

### **M.Ed. - Program of Study**

EDU-545	Contemporary Issues in American Education	3
EDU-559A	Applied Masters Portfolio Practicum	1
EDU-554	Technology in Education	3
EDU-589	Instructional Approaches for Teaching Diverse Populations	3
EDU-553	Individual Assessment for Student Performance	3
EDU-559B	Applied Masters Portfolio Practicum	1
EDU-556A	Applied Educational Research A	2
EDU-565	Standards-Based Differentiated Learning	3
EDU-550	Curriculum Development and Design	3
EDU-559C	Applied Masters Portfolio Practicum	1
EDU-551	Instructional Theory and Design	3
EDU-556B	Applied Educational Research B	1
EDL-557	Educational Leadership	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>30</b>

### **Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership**

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- High-speed Internet access
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or Firefox 2.0.x
- Administrative access to the computer (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software or reach certain links)

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.

## Educational Administration Department

The Educational Administration Department offers the following two programs:

Principal Licensure Program (PLP) - post-master's non-degree licensure program leading to the P-12 Building Level Administrator's License

Education Specialist (Ed.S.)

### Admission Requirements

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

#### Principal Licensure Program

All candidates will:

- Be enrolled as a full-time M.Ed. candidate or have completed the M.Ed. degree at Indiana Wesleyan University or a master's degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education. The degree must be verified on official transcripts and sent directly to Indiana Wesleyan University.
- Be currently employed in or have access to a P-12 public or non-public school in which the principal is willing to serve as a mentor for the internship phase of the program.
- Hold a teaching license.
- Have a minimum of three years of teaching experience.
- Submit a type-written statement explaining the applicant's desire to pursue a P-12 Building Level Administrator's license through IWU. The statement should include a discussion of the applicant's potential, strengths, and passion to pursue a rigorous preparation program leading to qualification as a school leader. Particular attention is to be given to the clarity of ideas expressed, organization of the paper, sentence fluency, and the conventions of written expression. This statement is to be attached to the application.
- Obtain recommendations from two school leaders (superintendent, principal, or assistant principal) who are qualified to judge the applicant's knowledge, skills, and dispositions in relation to pursuing the Building Level Administrator's license.

**Out of State Applicants** - Successful completion of the IWU Principal Licensure Program (PLP) and attendant licensing requirements results in the candidate being recommended to the DPS by the university for an Indiana Building Level Administrator (P-12) License. Applicants who seek administrative licensure in states other than Indiana bear the responsibility to determine whether completion of the IWU Principal Licensure Program will meet the academic and assessment requirements of the state in which licensure is sought.

#### Educational Specialist Degree

Participants will:

- Have completed a master's degree from a regionally accredited body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Be currently employed by a public or non-public school and/or have access to a central office experience.
- Hold a valid teaching license.
- Be eligible for an Administrative License by having completed a Principal Licensure Program or received a Master's Degree in Administration, plus have taken and successfully passed the School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA) test with a grade approved by the state in which you have taken the preparation program and the SLLA test.
- Have a minimum of three years teaching experience.
- Present at least three letters of recommendation; at least one must be a sitting central office administrator.
- Present a completed internship agreement with a school corporation.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.25 or better in graduate level courses.

The possible admission decisions are acceptance, probationary acceptance (some but not all prerequisites met), denial (accompanied by recommendations to complete process), or non-acceptance.

## **Graduation Requirements**

### **Principal Licensure Program**

To complete the Principal Licensure Program, receive the certificate, and be recommended for licensure, candidates must have completed the following:

- Completion of the 33 hour program requirement of which 24 hours must be taken at IWU.
- A minimum grade of "C" or higher in the Foundational Studies; a minimum grade of "B" or higher in the Professional Studies and School-Based Internship.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0.
- Satisfactory completion, presentation, and defense of the Applied Principal's Portfolio.

### **Educational Specialist Degree**

To graduate, candidates must have completed the following:

- Successful completion of 60 graduate semester hours of which 24 must be IWU hours.
- Successful completion of the eight Ed.S. core and internship/thesis courses with a minimum grade of "B" or higher.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher.
- Successful completion and oral presentation of the portfolio and defense of the thesis based on the eight DPS standard for district level administrators and competencies.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

## **Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership**

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- High-speed Internet access
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or Firefox 2.0.x
- Administrative access to the computer (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software or reach certain links)

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.

## Principal Licensure Program (PLP)

The Principal Licensure Program (PLP) is a post-master's, non-degree licensure program leading to a comprehensive P-12 building level administrator's license. The program identifies outcomes and expectations based on current school leadership principles and practices and enables interns to engage in inquiry, research, dialogue, team learning, reflection, problem-based learning, collaboration, and standards-based assessment from a comprehensive P-12 perspective. The program is developed on the foundation of the Indiana Department of Education, Division of Professional Standards (DPS) Advisory Board, Building Level Administrator Standards; Interstate School Leaders Licensure Consortium (ISLLC) Standards; and the Educational Leadership Constituent Council (ELCC) Standards. Candidates will develop and demonstrate proficiency in relation to the DPS/ISLLC/ELCC Standards through a variety of field experience activities and performance assessments. The culminating Applied Principal's Portfolio reflects a standards-based emphasis and will prepare candidates to pass the School Leaders Licensure Assessment.

The program curriculum consists of three components including some courses earned for a master's degree:

- Fifteen credit hours of cognate courses as included in Indiana Wesleyan University's M.Ed. program.
- Nine credit hours of professional studies courses, one of which is included in the IWU M.Ed. program.
- Nine credit hours of school-based learning in the internship phase of the program.

Nine semester hours with a grade of "B" or higher from an approved institution may be transferred in for the cognate or professional studies courses. The internship phase courses must be taken at IWU.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

PLP - Admission and Completion Requirements

PLP - Mission and Objectives

PLP - Program Requirements

PLP - Program of Study

### PLP - Mission and Objectives

The Principal Licensure Program provides a clinical and school-based adult learning experience for aspiring school leaders by encouraging, empowering, and equipping them as visionary servant-leaders who model Christlikeness. They must be able to facilitate a culture of optimal social, emotional, and spiritual health and well-being; continuous improvement; and successful learning for all students and adults.

The Department of Educational Administration has adapted the DPS/ISLLC/ELCC Standards as the program objectives for the Principal as Servant Leader conceptual framework. The standards have been incorporated into the objectives of each course, the multiple means of authentic assessment and reflection within the program, and the culminating standards-based portfolio assessment process that runs through all courses in the program. The program objectives are:

- **A Vision of Learning:** To facilitate the development, articulation, implementation, and stewardship of a vision of learning that is shared and supported by the greater school community.
- **School Culture and Instructional Leadership:** To advocate, nurture, and sustain a school culture and instructional program conducive to student learning, fairness, and continuous instructional improvement.
- **Managerial Leadership:** To ensure management of the organization, operations, and resources for a safe, efficient, and effective learning environment.
- **Collaboration:** To collaborate with families and community members, respond to diverse community interests and needs, and mobilize community resources.
- **Integrity and Fairness:** To act with integrity, fairness, and in an ethical manner.
- **The Political, Social, Economic, Legal, and Cultural Context:** To understand, respond to, and influence the larger political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context.

### PLP - Program Requirements

**Matriculation Policy** - All candidates will have a maximum of three calendar years from their first enrollment in a PLP course to complete all the requirements for recommendation for a Building Level Administrator license. In the event of extenuating or emergency circumstances, exceptions to this policy may be made on the basis of an approved appeal from the student to the Director of the Principal Licensure Program.

**Re-admittance Policy** - Students who have previously withdrawn from a program of study in the School of Educational Leadership and who wish to be re-admitted to the program are welcome to return. The following conditions related to re-admission apply:

- Existing program admission criteria at the time of re-admission apply.
- The Director reserves the right to require that the student audit some courses that the student may have already completed if the Director determines that the material is significantly different than when the student first took the course.
- The program requirements existing at the time of re-admission are the requirements the re-admitted student must meet prior to program completion.

**Attendance Policy** - The nature of the Principal Licensure Program requires candidates to attend all class sessions. Some courses (EDL-610, EDL-616, and EDL-618) are each comprised of six workshops which extend over a specified time period as scheduled by the university. Each internship practicum (EDL-612 and EDL-625) runs for an entire semester and is comprised of two seminars and three regional team meetings.

Candidates are expected to be present when a class or meeting begins and remain for the entire session. To be counted "present", a candidate must attend three-fourths of the total class or meeting time. Class attendance records are maintained by the faculty member and are recorded on the university database. Faculty members may factor lateness, early departures, and full absences into a candidate's course grade, as long as such factors are addressed in the course syllabus.

Under emergency circumstances, a candidate may be allowed one absence in courses that are five class sessions or fewer in length, or two absences in courses that are six or more class sessions in length. Candidates are to inform the faculty member, in advance if possible, regarding absences and make-up work.

University policy states that if a candidate exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to officially withdraw before the last class session, the professor is directed to issue the grade of "F."

Candidates who must miss a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a temporary leave of absence with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Candidates needing to withdraw while in a course may do so by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply.

**Grades: Maintaining Grades of "B" or Better** - Candidates who earn a grade less than "B" in EDL-557, EDL-616 and/or EDL-618 must repeat the respective course earning a grade of "B" or better. Candidates who earn a grade less than "B" in EDL-610, EDL-612, or EDL-625 must temporarily withdraw from the Principal Licensure Program and re-take that course earning a "B" or better as a requirement for re-instatement to the PLP.

**Prerequisites for EDL-612 and EDL-625** - EDL-610 must be completed with a grade of "B" or better to be enrolled in EDL-612, Principal Internship. A grade below "B" will require a temporary withdrawal from the Principal Licensure Program (PLP) and a repeat of EDL-610. A candidate who requests and receives approval for a grade of "Incomplete" for EDL-610 must temporarily withdraw from the PLP, work to change the grade from "I" to at least a "B," and re-enroll for EDL-612 the next academic year.

EDL-612 must be completed with a grade of "B" or better to be enrolled in EDL-625, Applied Principal's Portfolio Practicum. A grade below "B" will require a temporary withdrawal from the Principal Licensure Program (PLP) and a repeat of EDL-612. A candidate who requests and receives approval for a grade of "Incomplete" for EDL-612 must temporarily withdraw from the PLP, work to change the grade from "I" to at least a "B," and re-enroll for EDL-625 the next academic year.

**Applied Principal's Portfolio Continuation Course** - The Applied Principal's Portfolio Continuation course provides a decision point for candidates who have completed EDL-612 and EDL-625 but who have not met the competency requirement to complete and formally present the Applied Principal's Portfolio. Candidates who have not completed and presented the Applied Principal's Portfolio by the end of EDL-625 must enroll in this course to pursue licensure as a Building Level Administrator. The cost of the course is equal to tuition for one credit hour in the program plus any required fees.

Candidates who have not completed and presented the Applied Principal's Portfolio by the end of EDL-625 AND who do NOT choose to pursue licensure may choose not to take EDL-613 Applied Principal's Portfolio Continuation.

**Competency Requirement** - To complete the Principal Licensure Program, a candidate must finish and formally present and defend the Applied Principal's Portfolio. The transcript will not reflect program completion until this requirement is met. Prior to the candidate meeting this competency requirement, the transcript will show only courses taken.

**Exit from the Principal Licensure Program** - To officially complete the Principal Licensure Program, a candidate must finish and formally present the Applied Principal's Portfolio. The transcript will not reflect program completion until this requirement is met. Prior to the candidate meeting this competency requirement, the transcript will show only courses taken.

When the candidate has successfully completed the requirements of the Principal Licensure Program and has passed the School Leaders Licensure Assessment, he or she may complete an application process through which the university will recommend to the Indiana Department of Education Division of Professional Standards that the Indiana P-12 Building Level Administrator's initial practitioner license be issued.

**PLP - Program of Study**

<b>Foundational Studies – 15 Hours (These courses are included in Indiana Wesleyan University's M.Ed. core)</b>		
EDU-545	Contemporary Issues in Education	3
EDU-550	Curriculum: Development and Design	3
EDU-551	Instructional Theory and Design	3
EDU-553	Individual Assessment of Student Performance	3
EDU-556	Applied Educational Research	3
<b>Professional Studies – 9 Hours</b>		
EDL-557	Educational Leadership	3
EDL-616	School-Community Collaboration	3
EDL-618	Legal Aspects of School Administration	3
<b>School-Based Internship – 9 Hours</b>		
EDL-610	Principalship	3
EDL-612	Principal Internship	3
EDL-625	Applied Principal's Portfolio Practicum	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>33</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Education Specialist Program (Ed.S.)

The Education Specialist Degree (Ed.S.) is a degree and licensure program for district level administrators. The World Changer Model places an emphasis on vision of learning, school culture, leadership, influence, integrity, fairness, collaboration, and ethics. Candidates in the Ed.S. program will study school law, school finance, P-12 curriculum and instruction, and school facilities management. Upon program completion, candidates are expected to possess knowledge, skills, and dispositions aligned to ISLLC/ELCC and Education Unit Standards. Successful candidates are expected to demonstrate the ability to: synthesize knowledge, utilize action research to improve schools and school districts, communicate effectively, think critically and reflectively, identify effective teaching for learning, adapt instruction and support services to the needs of diverse learners, assess learning outcomes, engage in professional development, and be active school leaders in their district, community, and state.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

Ed.S. - Admission and Graduation Requirements

Ed.S. - Mission and Objectives

Ed.S. - Program Requirements

Ed.S. - Program of Study

### Ed.S. - Mission and Objectives

The Education Specialist Degree Program provides a clinical and school-based adult learning experience for aspiring school district leaders by encouraging, empowering, and equipping them as visionary world changers who model Christlikeness and who are able to facilitate a culture of optimal social, emotional, and spiritual health and well-being, continuous improvement, and successful learning for all students and adults.

The Department of Educational Administration has adapted the DPS/ISLLC/ELCC/ Education Unit Standards as the program objectives for the Superintendent as a World Changer conceptual framework. The standards have been incorporated into the objectives of each course, the multiple means of authentic assessment and reflection within the program, and the culminating standards-based portfolio assessment process that runs through all courses in the program. The program objectives are:

- **A Vision of Learning:** To facilitate the development, articulation, implementation, and stewardship of a vision of learning that is shared and supported by the greater school community.
- **School Culture and Instructional Leadership:** To advocate, nurture, and sustain a school culture and instructional program conducive to student learning and continuous instructional improvement.
- **Managerial Leadership:** To ensure management of the organization, operations, and resources for a safe, efficient, and effective learning environment.
- **Collaboration with Families and the Community:** To collaborate with families and community members, respond to diverse community interests and needs, and mobilize community resources.
- **Acting with Integrity and Fairness and in an Ethical Manner:** To act with integrity, fairness, and in an ethical manner.
- **The Political, Social, Economic, Legal, and Cultural Context:** To understand, respond to, and influence the larger political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context.
- **Application of Knowledge:** To experience significant internship opportunities and practice to synthesize and apply guided cooperatively learned skills in real work settings for graduate credit.
- **Policy Implementation:** To guide, facilitate, and support the success of all learners by recommending and implementing policy that guides district operations.

### Ed.S. - Program Requirements

**Matriculation Policy** - All candidates will have a maximum of three calendar years from their first enrollment in the program to complete all the requirements for recommendation for a District Level Administrator license. In the event of extenuating or emergency circumstances the candidate can appeal to the Director of the Department of Educational Leadership.

**Re-admittance Policy** - Students who have previously withdrawn from a program of study in the School of Educational Leadership and who wish to be re-admitted to the program are welcome to return. The following conditions related to re-admission apply:

- Existing program admission criteria at the time of re-admission apply.
- The Director reserves the right to require that the student audit some courses that the student may have already completed if the Director determines that the material is significantly different than when the student first took the course.
- The program requirements existing at the time of re-admission are the requirements the re-admitted student must meet prior to program completion.

**Grades - Maintaining Grades of "B" or Better** - The candidate is expected to maintain a 3.5 or higher GPA in all professional studies courses. Any grade below "B" will not apply toward the degree licensure program. Candidates who earn a grade less than "B" in EDL-600, EDL-602 and/or EDL-620 must repeat the respective course earning a grade of "B" or better. Candidates who earn a grade less than "B" in EDL-700, EDL-701, or EDL-705 must temporarily withdraw from the Program and re-take that course earning a "B" or better as a requirement for re-instatement to the Program.

**Integrity** - The Education Specialist Degree Program will expect all candidates to maintain and promote the highest standards of moral principle and professional integrity. These standards apply to examinations, assigned research papers, projects, relationships, and portfolio development. Violation of these standards may result in suspension or dismissal. On all matters concerning academic grievances originated by faculty or candidates, the initial recourse is through the Program Director. Any candidate's who feels he or she has not been given adequate consideration, may appeal to the Director, Department of Educational Administration.

**Exit from the Program** - To officially complete the Education Specialist Program, a candidate must present and defend the Standards Research-Based Thesis. The transcript will not reflect program completion until this requirement is met. Prior to the candidate meeting this competency requirement, the transcript will show only courses taken. When the candidate has successfully completed the requirements of the Program, he or she will be awarded the Education Specialist Degree and then eligible to complete an application process through which the university will recommend to the Department of Education Division of Professional Standards that the Indiana P-12 District Level Administrator's initial practitioner license be issued.

**Ed.S. - Program of Study**

<b>Pre-Requisites - 6 hours</b>		
EDL-557	Educational Leadership	3
EDU-556	Applied Educational Research	3
<b>Core Program – 15 Hours</b>		
EDL-600	District Curriculum Leadership	3
EDL-602	Leading Schools to be Culturally Responsive	3
EDL-605	District Personnel Management and Supervision	3
EDL-620	Advanced School Finance	3
EDL-615	District Facilities Management and Leadership	3
<b>Internship and Thesis – 9 Hours</b>		
EDL-705	ISLLC/IDOE Standards Based Research Thesis	3
EDL-700	Applied Superintendent's Internship Program	3
EDL-701	Applied Superintendent's Internship Program II	3
<b>Electives – 30 Hours</b>		
	Electives from EDU or EDUE courses	30
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.



## Office of Educational Licensing

### License Renewal

Courses offered through the School of Educational Leadership are designed to further develop the skills of school teachers, administrators, and school services personnel. Theory-to-practice approaches to educational challenges are major goals of the program.

All courses have been approved by the Indiana Department of Education's Office of Educator Licensing and Development (OELD) and may be used to renew the Indiana teaching, administration, or school services certificate. Renewal requires completion of six semester hours of graduate level, education related coursework, completed at an accredited university within the five year period leading up to the renewal process taking place (ten year period for those holding a Professional/Accomplished Practitioner's license).

### Professional License

The requirements for professionalizing a teaching license vary according to academic discipline. ALL professionalization applications, however, will require completion of a graduate degree. In addition, applicants must provide proof directly from a high ranking school official of having completed five years of teaching experience (subsequent to the issuance of the standard license) in accredited schools at the level covered by the license.

### Recertification Requirements

- Applicants must have a valid Rules 46-47, Bulletin 400, or earlier rules standard/provisional license from the State of Indiana. (IWU cannot process reciprocal licenses, renewals of occupational/workplace specialist licenses, or Rules 2002 licenses where the license is being promoted to a new level [i.e. Initial Practitioner to Proficient Practitioner or Proficient to Accomplished]. These processes must be completed directly through the Office of Educator Licensing and Development at the Indiana Department of Education.)
- Applicants are advised to complete the online application for renewal of their Indiana Teaching, Administration, or School Services License. Instructions for this process are provided in the licensing section of the IWU Web site. (Exceptions to the use of the online application process include renewals of professional licenses as well as renewals of Rules 2002 Initial Practitioner's licenses. Contact the Licensing Department at IWU for more details.)
- Applicants must submit a copy of their license to the university license advisor. If the license is unobtainable, please contact IWU.
- Applicants must provide a \$ \$30 personal check or money order payable to Indiana Wesleyan University as a processing fee. (Fee is waived for IWU graduates or for those currently enrolled in a degree/certification program at IWU.)
- A minimum of three semester hours of graduate coursework must be completed at IWU within five years of the time that the renewal takes place or within the ten year life of a professional license if that is the license being renewed in order for IWU to assist with the processing of the license renewal. If any of the six hours of coursework used for license renewal is completed at a university other than IWU, an official transcript from that university showing those hours must be sent to the license advisor at IWU for validation purposes. The Office of Educator Licensing and Development does not permit the processing of license renewal requests until at least 60 days prior to the license expiration date.

## School of Liberal Arts

The School of Liberal Arts offers a variety of adult education programs to help students meet their personal and professional goals.

Behavioral and Social Sciences Department - offers a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Addictions Counseling.

General Studies Department - offers Associate of Science and Bachelor of Science degrees with a major in General Studies, undergraduate certificates, and course offerings in liberal arts and electives to assist students in completing degree requirements.

Public Services and Applied Sciences Department - offers Associate of Science and Bachelor of Science degrees with a major in Criminal Justice as well as an undergraduate certificate.

Religion Department - offers an Associate of Science degree with a major in Christian Ministries, a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Biblical Studies, and an undergraduate certificate.

## Behavioral and Social Sciences Department

The Behavioral and Social Sciences Department offers a Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Addictions Counseling.

### Admission Requirements

The admission requirements for this program are as follows:

- Proof of high school graduation or GED certification.
- Original transcripts from all previous college or university study at regionally accredited colleges or universities or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Prior completion of at least 60 transferable credit hours from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education is required before the student is eligible to start a bachelor core program.
- A maximum of 40 hours of credit may be earned through the assessed learning process toward the required 60.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience beyond high school.

### Graduation Requirements

To graduate with a baccalaureate degree with a major in Addictions Counseling from the College of Adult and Professional Studies at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of 124 semester hours.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- Completion of the required core courses with a GPA of 2.25 or higher.
- Completion of 30 hours of liberal arts as specified. CAPS Liberal Arts Requirements
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

### Addictions Counseling

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Addictions Counseling provides an in-depth education from a Christian perspective for persons who desire to understand and/or serve addicted persons and their families.

Admission and Graduation Requirements - Department of Behavioral and Social Sciences

Addictions Counseling - Objectives

Addictions Counseling - Program of Study

#### Addictions Counseling - Objectives

Graduates from this major should be able to:

- Explain the biopsychosocial-spiritual dimension of addictions.
- Demonstrate an understanding of sin and God's transformative power and grace using helpers and helping systems across the biopsychosocial and spiritual dimensions of addiction/recovery.
- Synthesize assessment and enhancement of client motivation within a broader context of assessment, treatment planning, and client/system change.
- Differentiate among and evaluate the theories underlying addictions counseling and apply them in practice.
- Discuss the pharmacological properties of major drugs and their impact on the brain and behavior.
- Demonstrate an understanding of ethical practice with diverse population.
- Facilitate group therapy for addicted individuals effectively.

### Addictions Counseling - Program of Study

<b>Prerequisite Course (must be completed prior to starting the core program)</b>		
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
<b>Core Courses</b>		
ADC-202	Principles of Addictions Counseling	4
ADC-210	Addictions Theory	3
PSY-250	Developmental Psychology	3
SOC-210	Minority Group Relations	3
PSY-322	Physiological Psychology	3
ADC-212	Psychopharmacology	3
PSY-366	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3
ADC-310	Addictions Counseling Skills	3
PSY-370	Theories of Personality	3
ADC-320	Theory and Practice of Group Counseling	3
ADC-330	Counseling Addicted and Dysfunctional Family Systems	3
ADC-458	Addiction Programs and Professional Development	3
ADC-461	Addictions Counseling Practicum I	2
ADC-462	Addictions Counseling Practicum II	2
ADC-463	Addictions Counseling Practicum III	2
ADC-464	Addictions Counseling Practicum IV	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>45</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## General Studies Department

The following programs are offered through the General Studies Department:

Undergraduate Certificate Programs - certificates are available in Criminal Justice, Communications, Human Services, Parish Nursing, and Religious Studies.

General Studies - Associate of Science Degree

General Studies - Bachelor of Science Degree

Undergraduate Electives - these course offerings enable students to complete liberal arts and general elective credit requirements.

## Admission Requirements

### Associate Degree Programs:

The admission requirements for the associate degree programs offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies are as follows:

- Proof of standard high school diploma or GED certification.
- A minimum of two years of post high school full-time work experience or life experience is required. Life experience can include non-traditional definitions of work experience.

### Bachelor Degree Programs:

The admission requirements for bachelor degree programs offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies are as follows:

- Proof of high school graduation or GED certification.
- Original transcripts from all previous college or university study at regionally accredited colleges or universities or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Prior completion of at least 60 transferable credit hours from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education is required before the student is eligible to start a bachelor core program.
  - A maximum of 40 hours of credit may be earned through the assessed learning process toward the required 60.
- A minimum of two years of post high school full-time work experience or life experience is required. Life experience can include non-traditional definitions of work experience.

## Graduation Requirements

### Associate Degree Programs:

To graduate with an associate degree from the College of Adult and Professional Studies at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of the core requirements.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- Payment of all tuition and fees in order to receive a diploma.

### Bachelor Degree Programs:

To graduate with a baccalaureate degree from the College of Adult and Professional Studies at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of 124 semester hours.
- Completion of the required core courses with a GPA of 2.25 or higher.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- Completion of 30 hours of liberal arts as specified. (CAPS Liberal Arts Requirements)
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

## Undergraduate - Certificate Programs

In order to provide CAPS students opportunities to take electives that will allow them to focus on specific career-oriented areas, the College of Adult and Professional Studies offers Certificates in several broad career areas. For a current listing of courses and information, please see <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAPS/School-of-Liberal-Arts/>.

Certificates are available to students in the baccalaureate and associate programs, and to students who are registered as unclassified students. The Parish Nursing Certificate has specific admissions requirements as follows:

- Current unencumbered RN license
- Associate degree/Diploma in Nursing or higher nursing degree
- Two years full-time work experience as an RN

To be awarded the Certificate, a student will need to take 15 credit hours from the selected courses in the specified certificate area. Degree-seeking students must earn at least nine of the 15 credit hours at IWU. (Six of the credits may be earned through transfer of courses from an accredited institution, through credit by examination, or through an IWU Assessed Learning Portfolio.) Unclassified students and Parish Nursing students must complete all 15 credits through IWU to be eligible for a certificate. A grade of “C” or better must be earned in each course. The Certificate area will be noted on the transcript.

### Human Services (Choose 15 credits from the following)

SOC-150	Principles of Sociology	3
SOC-152	Social Problems	3
SOC-200	Marriage and Family	3
SOC-225	Cultural Anthropology	3
PSY-365	Psychology of Personality	3
CRJ-268	Crisis Intervention	3

### Criminal Justice (Choose 15 credits from the following)

	Any Criminal Justice (CRJ) courses (For the purpose of fulfilling the CRJ certificate requirements, the following courses are accepted as CRJ courses: ADC 210, Addictions Theory; SOC 246, Criminology; PSY 250, Developmental Psychology; and PHE 365, Alcohol and Drug Education.)	15
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### Communications (Choose 15 credits from the following)

COM-110	Speech Communications (onsite only)	3
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communications	3
WRI-235	Creative Writing	3
ENG-121	English Composition II (online only)	3
COM-211	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
MGT-205	Professional Communication	3

### Religious Studies (Choose 15 credits from the following)

	Any Biblical Literature (BIL) courses, Religion (REL) courses, or Philosophy (PHL) courses	15
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**General Studies**

ENG-140	Communications I	3
MAT-108	Modern Concepts of Mathematics	3
FINA-180	Humanities: Fine Arts	3
PSY-155	Psychology of Personality	3
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communications	3

**Parish Nursing**

NUR-312	Parish Nursing	3
CNS-310	Counseling Theories for the Faith Community	3
CNS-312	Counseling Interventions for the Faith Community	3
REL-355	Theological Issues in Health, Healing, and Care Ministry	3
REL-455	The Practice of Spiritual Care Across the Lifespan	3

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**General Studies - AS**

The Associate of Science degree with a major in General Studies consists of 62 credits of coursework, which includes both liberal arts requirements and a concentration in one academic area. The program design requires the student to complete at least 30 of the 62 hours with Indiana Wesleyan University. Therefore, transfer of credits is an option for this degree if the credits are earned at other regionally accredited institutions or those accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education and a grade of "C" or higher was earned.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Department of General Studies

General Studies (AS) - Program of Study

**General Studies (AS) - Program of Study**

<b>Liberal Arts Requirements</b>		
Humanities	Choose from ENG-242, HIST-160, FINA-180, PHL-283	9
Biblical Literature	Any BIL course	3
English	One course in English Composition	3
Social Science	Choose from ECO, HST, POL, PSY, SOC courses	3
Physical Educ	Any PHE course	2
Science or Math	Choose from BIO, EAR, SCI, or MAT courses	3
<b>Required Electives</b>		
UNV-111	Philosophy and Practice of Lifelong Learning I	1
UNV-201	Liberal Arts Appreciation	1
<b>Concentration</b>		
	Concentration Area (see options below)	15
<b>Electives</b>		

	Electives	22
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>62</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Concentration Elements:**

- Business - courses with ACC, ADM, BUS, ECO, or MGT prefixes, except ADM-400.
- Communications - courses with ENG, WRI, and COM prefixes, as well as MGT-205.
- Criminal Justice - courses with CRJ prefixes and SOC-246, PSY-365, and PHE-366.
- Computer Information Technology - courses with CIT and BIS prefixes.
- Entrepreneurship - ECO-300; two or more courses in accounting; one or more courses in human resources (MGT-435 or 490); one or more non-human resources MGT courses; and ADM or BUS courses.
- Fine Arts - courses with ART and MUS prefixes and foreign language courses.
- History - courses with HST prefixes and REL-225.
- Human Services - courses with SOC and PSY prefixes, and CRJ-268.
- Liberal Arts - courses with Liberal Arts prefixes, beyond those required for the “general education” component.
- Life Sciences - courses with BIO, CHE, EAR, SCI prefixes, PHE-140, PHE-141, PHE-362, and PHE-366 with coursework from at least two separate areas required.
- Marketing - courses with MKG prefixes and MGT-421.
- Mathematics - courses with MAT prefixes and ADM-320.
- Religious Studies - courses with REL, PHL, and BIL prefixes.
- Individualized Concentration - permits customized concentration with approval of General Studies Faculty Committee.

**Concentration Requirements:**

- Fifteen credit hours with a GPA of 2.0.
- Nine of the fifteen hours must be completed at IWU.
- Concentrations include those listed above.
- Individualized concentrations must be approved by the General Studies Faculty Committee.



## General Studies - BS

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in General Studies provides a general college education for persons to build a strong academic platform for problem solving and from which to make future career and educational decisions. Individuality and flexibility describe this program of studies. Students will find maximum freedom of choice while building on a stable general education foundation.

This program consists of 124 credits of coursework, which includes both Liberal Arts requirements and a concentration in one academic area. The program design requires the student to complete at least 30 of the 124 hours with Indiana Wesleyan University. Therefore, transfer of credits is an option for this degree if the credits are earned at other regionally-accredited institutions or institutions accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education and a grade of "C" or higher was earned.

General Studies (BS) - Program of Study

### General Studies (BS) - Program of Study

<b>Liberal Arts Requirements</b>		
	CAPS Liberal Arts Requirements	30
<b>Required Electives</b>		
UNV-111	Philosophy and Practice of Lifelong Learning I	1
UNV-401	General Studies Colloquium	1
<b>Concentration</b>		
	Concentration Area (see options below)	20
<b>Electives</b>		
	Electives	72
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>124*</b>

\* 30 hours must be upper-level (300-400 level courses).

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Concentration Elements:

- Business - courses with ACC, ADM, BUS, ECO, or MGT prefixes, except ADM-400.
- Communications - courses with ENG, WRI, and COM prefixes, as well as MGT-205.
- Criminal Justice - courses with CRJ prefixes and SOC-246, PSY-365, and PHE-366.
- Computer Information Technology - courses with CIT and BIS prefixes.
- Entrepreneurship - ECO-300; two or more courses in accounting; one or more courses in human resources (MGT-435 or 490); one or more non-human resources MGT courses; and ADM or BUS courses.
- Fine Arts - courses with ART and MUS prefixes and foreign language courses.
- History - courses with HST prefixes and REL-225.
- Human Services - courses with SOC and PSY prefixes, and CRJ-268.
- Liberal Arts - courses with Liberal Arts prefixes, beyond those required for the "general education" component.
- Life Sciences - courses with BIO, CHE, EAR, SCI prefixes, PHE-140, PHE-141, PHE-362, and PHE-366 with coursework from at least two separate areas required.
- Marketing - courses with MKG prefixes and MGT-421.
- Mathematics - courses with MAT prefixes and ADM-320.
- Religious Studies - courses with REL, PHL, and BIL prefixes.
- Individualized Concentration - permits customized concentration with approval of General Studies Faculty Committee.

### Concentration Requirements:

- Twenty credit hours with a GPA of 2.25.
- Nine of the twenty hours must be completed at IWU.
- Concentrations include those listed above.
- Individualized concentrations must be approved by the General Studies Faculty Committee.

## CAPS Undergraduate Electives

The electives program within the General Studies Department enables students to complete the credit requirements they may need for graduation. These electives include classes that satisfy liberal arts requirements as well as general elective credit. Elective classes are offered in key locations or online and are scheduled to match the credit needs of our students in the various locations. Most elective classes are “enrollment driven,” which means there must be at least six students registered for the class to meet.

A complete listing of electives and other pertinent information is published twice yearly and is distributed in November and June. The schedule is also available by accessing <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Undergraduate-Electives/Locations-and-Dates/>. It is updated regularly. Elective courses can also be accessed through the IWU portal at <http://myIWU.indwes.edu> under the "Search for Classes" link.

**Tuition and Fees** - Tuition for onsite, online, and self-study elective courses is listed in the General Information section of the Electives Schedule. Book/material fees are listed in the course description section of the Electives Schedule. A late registration fee of \$50 will be assessed if the registration is received after the registration deadline date. Tuition must be paid by the deadline date to ensure a seat in the class. The student will be withdrawn from the class if tuition is not received by the deadline date. **Class registration closes two weeks prior to the start date.**

**Books and Materials** - Textbooks and class materials will be shipped approximately one week before the class start date. A student who wishes to have materials sent to an address other than the home address should indicate the same on the electives registration form. If a student has not received the books a few days before the class start, he/she should call Textbook Distribution.

**Registration** - Class size is limited. Students should register early. Registration information can be found online at <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Undergraduate-Electives/Register-Now/> or in the twice-yearly Electives Schedule Booklet. Registration closes two weeks prior to the start date. Registrations submitted for onsite overlapping classes that meet on the same day will not be accepted.

**Add-On Classes** - Add-on classes may be arranged at onsite locations if a class is requested by at least six students. These classes are subject to enrollment, faculty, site availability, and scheduled confirmed classes. To request an add-on elective class, complete the request form found in the Electives Schedule, at the Electives Web site, or contact the Electives Office at 765-677-2343 or 765-677-2507.

**Class Meeting Times** - Monday through Thursday classes meet from 6:00 PM until 10:00 PM. Saturday classes meet from 9:00 AM until 1:00 PM. Those groups adding on a class may specify a preferred meeting time other than those listed above.

**Online Classes** - Because Indiana Wesleyan University is dedicated to meeting the needs of the adult learner in today's society, Indiana Wesleyan University offers courses and programs via the Internet that are accessible from virtually any computer.

These online courses from Indiana Wesleyan University provide student access to a virtual classroom at any time, allow interactivity among participants and instructors, and provide schedule flexibility and timely completion of electives.

Students will complete one workshop (class session) per week, but may do so in asynchronous time (not necessarily at the same time as others). The courses are contained within the familiar five-week format, with specific beginning and ending dates, thereby allowing students to complete their electives in a timely fashion. Each course contains a complete syllabus and standardized assignments/activities for each workshop.

Within the Blackboard delivery system, navigation buttons provide ease of maneuvering throughout the course sections. E-mail allows students to communicate with the instructor, while electronic bulletin board capabilities allow students and instructor to post, share, and read threaded discussions, questions, and comments. Students must use Microsoft Word documents when submitting assignments.

Active links within the course material enable students to do additional research on the concepts presented. Built-in quizzes help students assess their understanding of the concepts being presented. Students are encouraged to complete an anonymous end-of-course evaluation form.

The schedule, course specifications, and other important information are available by accessing the Web page at <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Undergraduate-Electives/>. Answers to frequently asked questions are also provided.

Registration procedures and requirements for online courses are generally the same as those for onsite courses. Information may also be obtained by calling 1-800-621-8667 extension 2343.

**Withdrawal/Refund** - Official withdrawal from a course must be completed in order to avoid earning a failing grade and to receive a refund. The student must contact the Office of Student Services by e-mailing [registration.change@indwes.edu](mailto:registration.change@indwes.edu) to withdraw before the last class workshop. Notifying the instructor or other students, or simply not attending class does not withdraw the student from the class.

If a student withdraws two weeks before the course begins, all payments may be refunded.

If a student withdraws less than two weeks before the course begins, a \$50 processing fee will be assessed. All outstanding balances must be cleared before future registrations will be approved.

Students who withdraw after the first class session will be assessed a \$50 processing fee, 10 percent of the course tuition, and the book fee.

Students who withdraw after the second class session (or after the seventh day of an online course) will not be eligible for a refund. Withdrawal from an elective course may affect a student's financial aid. Call the Financial Aid Office for information.

## Public Services and Applied Sciences Department

The Public Services and Applied Sciences Department offers the following programs:

Criminal Justice - Certificate

Criminal Justice - Associate of Science Degree

Criminal Justice - Bachelor of Science Degree

### Admission Requirements

#### Associate Degree Programs:

The admission requirements for the associate degree programs offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies are as follows:

- Proof of standard high school diploma or GED certification.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience beyond high school.

#### Bachelor Degree Programs:

The admission requirements for bachelor degree programs offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies are as follows:

- Proof of high school graduation or GED certification.
- Original transcripts from all previous college or university study at regionally accredited colleges or universities or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Prior completion of at least 60 transferable credit hours from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education is required before the student is eligible to start a bachelor core program.
  - A maximum of 40 hours of credit may be earned through the assessed learning process toward the required 60.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience beyond high school.

### Graduation Requirements

#### Associate Degree Programs:

To graduate with an associate degree the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of the core requirements.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- A minimum of “C” (2.0) must be achieved in both of the communications courses (ENG-140 and ENG-141). Failure to achieve a “C” in either course will require repeating the course until a “C” is achieved before the student may continue with the core. (The “repeated courses” policy as found in the Academic Information section does not apply in this case.)
- Payment of all tuition and fees in order to receive a diploma.

#### Bachelor Degree Programs:

To graduate with a baccalaureate degree with a major in from the College of Adult and Professional Studies at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of 124 semester hours.
- Completion of the required core courses with a GPA of 2.25 or higher.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- Completion of 30 hours of liberal arts as specified. (CAPS Liberal Arts Requirements)
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

## Criminal Justice - Certificate

In order to provide CAPS students opportunities to take electives that will allow them to focus on specific career-oriented areas, the College of Adult and Professional Studies offers a certificate in the career area of Criminal Justice. For a current listing of courses and information, please see <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Certificate-Criminal-Justice/>.

Certificates are available to students in the baccalaureate and associate programs, and to students who are registered as unclassified students.

To be awarded the Certificate, a student will need to take 15 credit hours from the selected courses in the specified certificate area. Degree-seeking student must earn at least nine of the 15 credit hours at IWU. (Six of the credits may be earned through transfer of courses from an accredited institution, through credit by examination, or through an IWU Assessed Learning Portfolio.) Unclassified students must complete all 15 credits through IWU to be eligible for a certificate. A grade of "C" or better must be earned in each course. The Certificate area will be noted on the transcript.

The Certificate requires any combination of Criminal Justice (CRJ) courses, ADC-210 Addictions Theory, SOC-246 Criminology, PSY-250 Developmental Psychology, or PHE-365 Alcohol and Drug Education.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Criminal Justice - AS

The Associate of Science degree with a major in Criminal Justice consists of 62 credits of coursework which includes both criminal justice and liberal arts curricula. The program design requires the student to complete all 62 hours with Indiana Wesleyan University. Therefore, transfer of credits is not an option at the associate level.

This degree is designed specifically to prepare working adults to enter or to advance in the fields of criminal justice and homeland security.

The courses in the program relate theory to practice. Instructional methods include lectures, seminars and workshop activities. Students will form study groups to assist in the learning process. Most courses are three credit hours each. Each course is a required component of the program (core).

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Public Services and Applied Sciences Department

Criminal Justice (AS) - Program of Study

### Criminal Justice (AS) - Program of Study

UNV-111	Philosophy and Practice of Lifelong Learning I	1
ENG-140	Communications I (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
ENG-140	Communications II (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
CRJ-181	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
PHE-212	Health, Wellness, & Individual Performance Assessment with Lab	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
COM-115	Introduction to Human Communication	3
MAT-100	Analysis of Data & Research	3
HST-160	Western Civilization	3
CRJ-202	Introduction to Corrections	3
PSY-150	General Psychology	3
ENG-242	Literature and Ideas	3
CRJ-246	Criminology	3

FINA-180	Humanities: Fine Arts	3
CRJ-242	Modern Police Problems	3
PHL-283	Philosophy and Christian Thought	3
CRJ-268	Crisis Intervention	3
PSY-250	Developmental Psychology	3
CRJ-270	Homeland Security	3
CRJ-318	Criminal Procedures	3
CRJ-290	Colloquium in Criminal Justice	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>62</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Criminal Justice - BS

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Criminal Justice requires a student to earn 42 credits in 15 core courses and a total of 124 credits of coursework. Within the core, there is an emphasis in Homeland Security.

With over 1200 occupational specialties available in law enforcement and homeland security, graduates with criminal justice degrees enjoy a wide range of career choices with great opportunities for lifelong advancement. As the world is increasingly beset by crime and terrorism, the need for highly trained leaders in the fields of criminal justice and homeland security has never been greater. This program is designed to open opportunities and positions of leadership to those desiring to make this world a safer and more secure place for their fellow citizens. This need is not likely to diminish in the foreseeable future, and undoubtedly will be a growing and secure employment market for decades to come.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Public Services and Applied Sciences Department

Criminal Justice (BS) - Program of Study

### Criminal Justice (BS) - Program of Study

CRJ-281	Principles of Criminal Justice	3
CRJ-309	Youth and Crime	3
ADC-210	Addictions Theory	3
CRJ-320	Diversity in Criminal Justice	2
CRJ-358	Criminal Law	3
CRJ-472	Court Procedures	3
CRJ-461	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
CRJ-463	Forensics	3
CRJ-465	Constitutional Law/Civil Liberties	3
CRJ-467	Research Methods and Analysis in Criminal Justice	3
CRJ-322	Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism	3
CRJ-324	Risk Analysis and Security	3
CRJ-422	Disaster Preparedness	3
CRJ-424	Command and Control/Emergency Leadership	3
CRJ-486	Capstone in Criminal Justice and Homeland Security	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>42</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.



## Religion Department

The following programs are offered through the Religion Department:

Certificate in Religious Studies

Christian Ministries - Associate of Science Degree

Biblical Studies - Bachelor of Science Degree

## Admission Requirements

### Associate Degree Programs

The admission requirements for the associate degree programs offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies are as follows:

- Proof of standard high school diploma or GED certification.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience beyond high school.

### Bachelor Degree Programs

The admission requirements for bachelor degree programs offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies are as follows:

- Proof of high school graduation or GED certification.
- Original transcripts from all previous college or university study at regionally accredited colleges or universities or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Prior completion of at least 60 transferable credit hours from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education is required before the student is eligible to start a bachelor core program.
  - A maximum of 40 hours of credit may be earned through the assessed learning process toward the required 60.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience beyond high school.

## Graduation Requirements

### Associate Degree Programs

To graduate with an associate degree from the College of Adult and Professional Studies at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of the core requirements.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- A minimum of “C” (2.0) must be achieved in both of the communications courses (ENG-140 and ENG-141). Failure to achieve a “C” in either course will require repeating the course until a “C” is achieved before the student may continue with the core. (The “repeated courses” policy as found in the Academic Information section does not apply in this case.)
- Payment of all tuition and fees in order to receive a diploma.

### Bachelor Degree Programs

To graduate with a baccalaureate degree from the College of Adult and Professional Studies at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of 124 semester hours.
- Completion of the required core courses with a GPA of 2.25 or higher.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- Completion of 30 hours of liberal arts as specified. (CAPS Liberal Arts Requirements)
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.



## **Liberal Arts (General Education) Requirements**

In addition to the regular core curriculum (major), a 30-credit liberal arts core is required of all bachelor students enrolled in adult and graduate programs. This 30-credit liberal arts core includes:

- Three semester credits in Biblical Literature.
- Three semester credits in Philosophy/Religion/Biblical Literature.
- Nine semester credits in English/Composition/Speech/Literature.
- Six semester credits in Social Sciences.
- Three semester credits in Math.
- Three semester credits in Science.
- Three semester credits in Fine Arts/Foreign Language.

Bachelor core courses that fall into liberal arts categories may not be used to fulfill both the core requirement and the liberal arts requirement.

## Religious Studies - Certificate

In order to provide CAPS students opportunities to take electives that will allow them to focus on specific career-oriented areas, the College of Adult and Professional Studies offers a certificate in the career area of Religious Studies. For a current listing of courses and information, please see <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Certificate-Religious-Studies/>.

Certificates are available to students in the baccalaureate and associate programs, and to students who are registered as unclassified students.

To be awarded the Certificate, a student will need to take 15 credit hours from the selected courses in the specified certificate area. Degree-seeking student must earn at least nine of the 15 credit hours at IWU. (Six of the credits may be earned through transfer of courses from an accredited institution, through credit by examination, or through an IWU Assessed Learning Portfolio.) Unclassified students must complete all 15 credits through IWU to be eligible for a certificate. A grade of "C" or better must be earned in each course. The Certificate area will be noted on the transcript.

The Certificate requires 15 hours from any combination of the following: any Biblical Literature (BIL) courses, Religion (REL) courses, or Philosophy (PHL) courses.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Christian Ministries

The Associate of Science degree with a major in Christian Ministries prepares students for service in Christian churches and para-church organizations. This degree meets many academic and practicum requirements for licensing and/or ordination in many churches. Particularly, this degree fulfills four of six academic requirements for District License in The Wesleyan Church. Additionally, it prepares the student for bachelor-level work in Ministry or Biblical Studies. Over half of the academic requirements for ordination in The Wesleyan Church are satisfied within this program.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Religion Department

Christian Ministries - Objectives

Christian Ministries (AS) - Program of Study

### Christian Ministries - Objectives

Graduates of the Christian Ministries program should:

- Understand and be able to communicate a Christian worldview and Biblical morality from a Wesleyan-Arminian perspective.
- Be prepared to undertake entry-level ministry positions in Christian churches and para-church organizations.

### Christian Ministries - Program of Study

UNV-111	Philosophy and Practice of Lifelong Learning I	1
ENG-140	Communication I (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
ENG-141	Communication II (must be passed with "C" or higher)	3
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey	3
PHE-212	Health, Wellness & Individual Performance Assessment with Lab	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
REL-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
MAT-108	Modern Concepts of Mathematics	3
HST-160	Western Civilization	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3

PSY-150	General Psychology	3
ENG-242	Literature and Ideas	3
BIL-235	Life and Letters of Paul	3
FINA-180	Humanities: Fine Arts	3
REL-228	Defending the Christian Faith	3
PHL-283	Philosophy and Christian Thought	3
REL-280	Preaching and Teaching the Bible	3
REL-235	Worship	2
REL-235P	Worship Practicum	1
REL-264	Introduction to Pastoral Studies	2
REL-264P	Pastoral Studies Observation	1
CED-255	Local Church Education	3
CED-255P	Church Education Practicum	1
REL-275	Evangelism and Global Outreach	3
REL-275P	Evangelism and Global Outreach Practicum	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>63</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Biblical Studies

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Biblical Studies provides an in-depth education from a Wesleyan-Arminian perspective in Bible for persons who desire to understand the Christian faith and its foundational issues. This degree meets some of the requirements for licensing and ordination in many churches. Particularly, nearly two-thirds of the academic requirements for ordination in The Wesleyan Church are met upon completion of both the Associate of Science in Christian Ministries and the Bachelor of Science in Biblical Studies.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Religion Department

Biblical Studies - Objectives

Biblical Studies - Program of Study

### Biblical Studies - Objectives

Biblical Studies graduates should:

- Understand and be able to communicate a Christian worldview and biblical morality.
- Have a solid grasp of the biblical principles associated with the Wesleyan-Arminian tradition.
- Develop significant understanding of major segments and books of the Bible.
- Be able to compare and contrast the various schools of biblical interpretation and assess the strengths and weaknesses of each school.
- Apply principles and techniques for fruitful biblical study and biblical communication.

### Biblical Studies - Program of Study

<b>Pre-requisites - must be completed before taking the core courses.*</b>		
BIL-101	Old Testament Survey	3
BIL-102	New Testament Survey	3
BIL-202	Inductive Bible Study	3
REL-232	Basic Christian Doctrine	3
<b>Core Courses</b>		

UNV-181	Leading Change in the World	3
BIL-203	Advanced Inductive Bible Study	3
BIL-303	Synoptic Gospels	3
BIL-301	Pentateuch	3
BIL-302	Historical Books	3
BIL-304	Johannine Literature	3
REL-424	Christian Theology II: Salvation/Holiness	3
BIL-410	Wisdom Literature	3
BIL-404	Acts of the Apostles	3
BIL-402	Major Prophets	3
REL-241	Survey of Church History	3
BIL-412	Romans and Galatians	3
REL-410	World Faith Systems	3
REL-483	Biblical Studies Colloquium	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>42</b>

\* Note: For students lacking the prerequisites required for entrance into the Biblical Studies major, these courses are offered at the inception of the program and qualify for financial aid for eligible students.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## School of Nursing

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IWU School of Nursing has a great history in nursing education, graduating the first class in 1975. All of the programs are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education. Membership is held in the American Association of Colleges of Nursing. Eta Chi Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International (Honor Society of Nursing) is chartered at Indiana Wesleyan University.

The School of Nursing has three divisions:

Pre-licensure Program Division which offers:

- BSN degree for post-high school students.
- BSN degree for students with a previous bachelor's degree in an area other than nursing.

Post-licensure Program Division which offers:

- BSN degree for registered nurses.

Graduate Studies in Nursing Division which offers:

- MSN degree with majors in Primary Care Nursing, Nursing Administration, and Nursing Education.

The Pre-licensure BSN (undergraduate program) is focused on the discipline of nursing and is supported by courses from the humanities and the natural and social sciences. Post high school students are admitted to the university and apply for admission to the nursing major during the second semester of their freshman year. Students are admitted to the nursing major as first semester sophomores. It is a traditional four-year program of study.

The Transition to Nursing program, a Pre-licensure program, is designed as a 14-month accelerated, second-degree program. It was developed to provide an expedited method for second career seekers to become nurses.

Upon graduation, Pre-licensure students are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN).

The Post-licensure, RNBSN program, is for the practicing Registered Nurse. The program operates 12 months a year and classes are offered in either the day or evening, online or onsite or blended, to permit enrollment of working students. The Pre-licensure and Post-licensure programs are aligned in mission, philosophy, outcomes, objectives, and curriculum.

The Graduate nursing program was initiated in 1982 and offers a major in Primary Care to prepare nurse practitioners and in Nursing Education and Nursing Administration. The graduate program operates year around. Classes are offered onsite (evenings) or online, to accommodate working professionals.

### Mission of the School of Nursing

Nursing education at IWU prepares each student to become a world-changing nurse. This is accomplished by drawing students into an integrated experience of intellectual challenge, professional growth, and leadership development.

Therefore we will:

- Call students to Christian character.
- Expect academic excellence.
- Equip students for success for in the profession.
- Mentor students in leadership.
- Prepare students for service.

## Communication with the School of Nursing

Address	Indiana Wesleyan University School of Nursing 4201 S Washington St Marion IN 46953-4974 <a href="http://indwes.edu/nursing">http://indwes.edu/nursing</a> <a href="http://myIWU.indwes.edu">http://myIWU.indwes.edu</a>
Executive Director, School of Nursing	765-677-1578
Division of Pre-licensure Programs	765-677-2812
Division of Post-licensure Program	765-677-2898
Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing	765-677-2148
Registrar's Office	765-677-2131
Office of Student Services	765-677-2359
Financial Aid Office - Division of Pre-licensure Programs	765-677-2116
Financial Aid Office - Divisions of Post-licensure Programs and Graduate Studies in Nursing	765-677-2516
Accounting - Division of Pre-licensure Programs	765-677-2411
Accounting - Divisions of Post-licensure Programs and Graduate Studies in Nursing	765-677-3265 or 765-677-2878
Resources - Divisions of Post-licensure Programs and Graduate Studies in Nursing	765-677-2854

## Transcripts

The student's official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

## Grade Appeal and Academic Policy Grievance - School of Nursing

Indiana Wesleyan University follows generally accepted college and university practice in the development of academic policies, the operation of classrooms, and use of grading techniques. The university allows its instructors independence in following generally accepted practices. A student who wishes to appeal a course grade or an academic policy decision (including one believed to be discriminatory based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504), must abide by the procedures that follow.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances. All grievances, with all documents, recommendations, and decisions, will be reported to the Dean, School of Nursing. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

### **Grade Appeal**

A grade appeal involves only those situations in which a student believes that an instructor (a) has not followed fair grading practice or (b) has not followed his or her published grading policy. A student who wishes to appeal a grade based on one or both of these reasons must follow these procedures:

- The student must first contact the instructor for a full explanation of the grade given and the basis for making the grade.
- If there is no resolution, then the student may file a grade appeal request form, which can be obtained from the Regional Dean/Chair. If a properly completed grade appeal request form is not received by the university within 30 days of the date the student's grade was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal.
- After the university receives the grade appeal request form, it will be forwarded to the instructor along with a faculty grade appeal response form.
- If the instructor agrees that the grade should be changed, the university will change the grade and notify the student.
- If the instructor does not agree that the grade should be changed, the university will notify the student and send a form that may be used by the student to request a review by the School of Nursing Academic Appeals Committee. If the university does not receive the form from the student within 15 days of the date the form was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal.
- Upon receipt of the request for committee review from the student, the matter will be brought to the next regularly scheduled School of Nursing Academic Appeals Committee meeting. (NOTE: The committee reserves the right to seek clarification from the student or the instructor). If the matter involves a member of the committee, then that individual will recuse himself/herself from deciding the appeal. The committee will notify the student of its decision, which will be final.

### **Academic Policy Grievance**

An academic policy grievance involves those situations in which a student believes that the university has not followed published policies regarding an academic decision or discrimination based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504. A student who wishes to file an academic policy grievance must follow these procedures:

- Level 1 - The student must first contact the person who has made the decision for a full explanation of the policy and how the policy was followed. If the policy has been followed, then the student has no further recourse.
- Level 2 - If the policy was not followed or the student disputes the way in which the policy was applied, then the student may request that the matter be reviewed by the Regional Dean/Chair by filing a form requesting such a review. This form may be obtained from the Regional Dean/Chair. If the complaint involves the Regional Dean/Chair, the student may request that the Dean, School of Nursing review the matter. If a properly completed form is not received by the university within 30 days of the date on which the event that gave rise to the complaint occurs, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal. The Regional Dean/Chair (or, if applicable, the Dean, School of Nursing) will notify the student of the decision.
- Level 3 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved, then the student may request that the School of Nursing Academic Appeals Committee review the matter by filing a form requesting a committee review. This form may be obtained from the Dean, School of Nursing. If the university does not receive a properly completed form within 15 days of the date on which the decision notice in level two was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal. The School of Nursing Academic Appeals Committee will notify the student of its decision, which will be final.

### **Non-Academic Appeal - School of Nursing**

A non-academic appeal involves only those situations in which a student is seeking recourse from (a) a university non-academic program, policy, or decision; or (b) alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the American with Disabilities Act of 1990, or other state or federal legislation.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

All non-academic appeals will be reported to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

A student who wishes to file such an appeal must abide by the procedures that follow:

- Level 1 - The student must first contact the person or the department concerned to resolve the dispute informally. Such contact must occur within 30 days of the incident that generates the dispute.
- Level 2 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved at level one, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level one decision to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council for a review by the Student Life Council, which is comprised of the personnel and students from the School of Nursing. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claims. The Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council will communicate the committee's findings and decision to the student.
- Level 3 - If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at level two, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level two decision to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council for a review by the Dean, School of Nursing. Appeals at this level will be considered only to ensure that University procedures were followed in levels one and two. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claim and reference why the decision at level two is deemed unsatisfactory. The Dean will consider the situation and will inform the student of the decision, which will be final.



## Pre-licensure Nursing Division

The Pre-licensure Nursing program leads to a Bachelor of Science Nursing (B.S.N.) degree. There are two programs of study available to students, Nursing and Transition to Nursing (accelerated second degree). The undergraduate program prepares men and women for professional nursing practice and provides a foundation for advanced study in nursing. Following successful completion of the curriculum, students are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN) in Indiana or other states subject to that state's guidelines and regulations.

The Pre-licensure Nursing program is accredited by the Indiana State Board of Nursing and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).

The Pre-licensure Nursing program is committed to educating professional nurses prepared to change their world of influence through nursing practices grounded in the Christian ethos. The mission of the division is to provide quality nursing education within a Christian liberal arts university that equips professional nurse generalists for practice in diverse environments.

The nurse is perceived as a purposeful, self-directed individual who assumes responsibility and accountability to God, society, self, and clients who, made in the image of God, have intrinsic worth and value. Modeling the example of Jesus Christ, nurses are to protect and promote health, especially for people lacking access to health care, through the just allocation of health resources and services throughout the world.

### General Education Competencies

Students in this major meet the general education competencies by taking the approved standard courses.

### Outcomes of the Pre-licensure Nursing Program

The outcomes of the Pre-licensure Nursing program are to:

1. Call students to Christian character.
2. Expect students to develop academic excellence.
3. Equip students for success in the profession.
4. Mentor students in leadership.
5. Prepare students for service.

### Pre-licensure Nursing Entrance Requirements

High school courses that provide a foundation for nursing are biology, chemistry, English, mathematics, speech, algebra, social studies, and writing. Students should submit the university application to the director of admissions at Indiana Wesleyan University. Acceptance will be in accordance with the established admission policies. Students are advised to declare pre-nursing as the choice of major when applying for admission.

### Admission and Progression in the Pre-licensure Nursing Major

The Admission and Progression Committee approves admission to the Pre-licensure Nursing major. The following criteria must be met for admission to the major at the sophomore level:

1. Completion of 29 credits.
2. Minimum GPA of 2.75.
3. Minimum grade of "C" in all supporting courses, (A & P I, A & P II, IOBC, Micro; wet labs required, speech, and psychology).
4. Completion of health clearance form.
5. CPR certification.
6. Completion of university math requirement.
7. Certified criminal background check.
8. University math competency.
9. Test of Essential Academic Skills with a score of 75% or higher.

Application forms for admission to the nursing major may be obtained from the office of the Division of Pre-licensure Nursing. All admission requirements must be completed by May 31 for September admission into the nursing major or December 22 for January admission.

Once a student is admitted to the nursing program, he or she must complete all coursework within 4 1/2 years (9 semesters). Progression through the major requires a minimum cumulative and major GPA of 2.75, a minimum grade of “C” in all nursing courses, health clearance, and current CPR certification. Progression is monitored by the Admission and Progression Committee.

**Fees**

Assessment Testing fees, as well as clinical and lab fees will be assessed every semester.

**Probation**

Probation in the Division of Pre-licensure Nursing applies to students having a cumulative and/or major GPA less than 2.75 and/or who are repeating a nursing course. See details in the Pre-licensure Nursing Program Student Handbook.

**Advanced Standing in Nursing**

**Transfer Students**

Admission with prior credit is granted to those who meet the university requirements and who have a cumulative GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale from the transferring institution. It is recommended that transfer into the program be made no later than the first semester of the sophomore year. Students contemplating transfer into the program from another college or university must contact the School of Nursing for the transfer policy and

1. Be admitted to the university.
  2. Must have their nursing course syllabi and science course syllabi approved by the School of Nursing and the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics (wet labs required).
  3. To be considered for full admission into the nursing major, all admission criteria and credit transfers must be completed by May 31 for September admission, or December 22 for January admission.
  4. Must complete three semesters of clinical nursing courses in the IWU School of Nursing program (minimum of 1 1/2 years residency requirement).
  5. Transfer of clinical courses requires successful completion of appropriate skills proficiency exams.
- All criteria for acceptance will be successfully completed before any nursing coursework is attempted.

## College of Arts and Sciences

Welcome to the College of Arts and Sciences. We invite you to join us as we explore the enduring questions that people have asked across time. For us, these questions begin with “Who is God calling you to be?” As you discern the answer to this question, we encourage you to discover what you are called to do, what you need to learn to live out your calling, and how you can engage the world in a way that glorifies God and promotes justice, righteousness and mercy. To pursue answers to these questions and discover your life calling, we encourage you to investigate our academic programs, connect with our faculty members, explore how our community can nourish your Christian commitment, and learn how opportunities for leadership and service are waiting for you at IWU.

## Communication with the College of Arts and Sciences

Address:	4201 South Washington Street Marion, Indiana 46953-4974
General Information:	Switchboard: 765-674-6901; 866-GO-TO-IWU; geninfo@indwes.edu
Administration:	Academic Affairs: 765-677-2493
Admissions:	Undergraduate: 866-GO-TO-IWU; 765-677-2138; admissions@indwes.edu
Business Office:	765-677-2411 Billing, Cashiering
Center for Life Calling and Leadership:	765-677-2520; Career Guidance: clcl@indwes.edu
Financial Aid:	765-677-2116; Scholarships and Financial Assistance: finaidd@indwes.edu
Registrar's Office:	765-677-2131; Registration, Course Information, Transcripts and Grade Reports: registrar@indwes.edu
Student Accounts:	765-677-2122; Cashier/Business Office: howtopay@indwes.edu
Student Development:	765-677-2201; Housing, Student Organizations and Activities: studev@indwes.edu
The Center for Student Success: Student Support Services	765-677-2257; Counseling, Handicapped Student Assistance, Tutoring: center4success@indwes.edu
Catalog:	<a href="http://www.indwes.edu/catalog">http://www.indwes.edu/catalog</a>

## Academic Calendar - CAS

<b>Academic Year 2010-2011</b>	
Final Registration for Fall Semester	September 3
Fall Semester Classes Begin	September 7
Fall Break	October 22
Thanksgiving Recess	November 24-26
Final Examinations*	December 13-15
Commencement	December 18
New Student Registration - Spring Semester	January 10
Spring Semester Classes Begin	January 11
Spring Vacation	March 7-11
Final Examinations*	April 21
Easter Recess	April 22-25
Final Examinations* (Final Exams resumes at 8:00 a.m.)	April 26-27
Baccalaureate	April 29
Commencement	April 30
May Term	May 4-24
Summer I Term	May 4-August 5
Summer Session I	May 31-July 1
Summer Session II	July 5-August 5
Commencement	August 13

<b>Academic Year 2011-2012</b>	
Final Registration for Fall Semester	September 2
Fall Semester Classes Begin	September 6
Fall Break	October 11
Thanksgiving Recess	November 23-25
Final Examinations*	December 12-14
Commencement	December 17
New Student Registration - Spring Semester	January 9
Spring Semester Classes Begin	January 10
Spring Vacation	March 5-9
Easter (Classes resume Monday, April 9, 6 p.m.)	April 6-9
Final Examinations*	April 23-25
Baccalaureate	April 27
Commencement	April 28
May Term	May 2-22
Summer I Term	May 2-August 3
Summer Session I	May 29-June 29
Summer Session II	July 2-August 3
Commencement	August 11
<b>Cancellation of Classes:</b>	Announcements are made over radio stations WBAT-1400 AM, WCJC-99.3 FM, WGOM-860 AM, WMRI-106.9 FM, and WWKI-100.5 FM - Kokomo
<b>*NOTE:</b>	<b>Students will not be excused from classes or examinations for early departure at vacation times or end of semester examinations.</b>

## Policies and General Information - College of Arts and Sciences

This section of the catalog contains information regarding: admissions, orientation and registration, academic policies, academic information, financial aid and tuition, as well as student activities.

### Admission

Indiana Wesleyan University welcomes applications for admission from any academically qualified person whose motivation is in keeping with the university's purposes. Admission is based on the careful review of all credentials presented by an applicant, and in no case is admission denied due to race, color, national origin, disability, religion, or sex. Students are admitted in one of the following categories:

**Distinction**—Based on high school grade-point average and SAT/ACT scores or college GPA. Distinction students are eligible for academic scholarships.

**Regular**—Standard admission with no restrictions.

**Conditional**—Students whose GPA and/or national test scores are below the required level may be required to take courses in reading, study skills, and writing.

**Provisional**—First-year and transfer students who have a previous GPA below 2.0 on a 4.0 scale; restricts extracurricular activities and limits students to 13 credits in a semester. Some provisional students will be required to take courses in reading, study skills, and writing.

**Unclassified**—Students who are taking only a course or two and are not admitted to a program of study. Students may register for up to six hours per semester. A maximum of 18 credit hours may be taking in this status. This does not constitute admission to a university program.

Prospective students are welcome to visit the campus. Appointments for interviews with an admissions counselor and/or a professor in a student's field of interest are encouraged. Overnight lodging for students is available on campus and may be reserved in advance through the Admissions Office. Call toll-free 1-866-468-6498, ext. 6507, or direct to the Admissions Office at 765-677-6507; E-mail address: [admissions@indwes.edu](mailto:admissions@indwes.edu). Internet: <http://www.indwes.edu>

### First Year Admission

Interested students are encouraged to apply for admission at the close of their junior year in high school. Applications are accepted throughout the senior year of high school, but should be submitted before March 1 for full consideration. Applications after March 1 will be considered as space is available. The completed application, high school transcript, test scores including an essay (SAT or ACT), recommendation, community values contract and personal essay are necessary for an admission decision. A tuition deposit is required before registration and is fully refundable until May 1.

The admission decision may be made with a high school transcript at the end of the junior year. It is to be followed later by the full four-year record and certification of graduation.

A student should have a minimum of each of the following: 8 credits in language arts (equivalent to 4 years); 6-8 credits in mathematics (equivalent to 3-4 years); 6 credits in science (equivalent to 3 years); 6 credits in social studies (equivalent to 3 years); 4 credits in foreign language (equivalent to 2 years); 2 credits in health, physical education, safety (equivalent to 1 year); and 4-6 credits from other courses offered (equivalent to 2-3 years). Regular admission requires that applicants have at least a 2.6 cumulative high school GPA on a 4.0 scale and a 880 SAT (Math and Critical Reading) or 18 ACT score. Applicants who do not meet the requirements for regular admission may request special consideration.

Applicants may make arrangements at their local high school counseling office to take the SAT or ACT in the junior year or as early as possible in the senior year. Applicants who are unable to present SAT or ACT scores can make special arrangements with The Center for Student Success at the IWU campus to be tested.

Individuals not receiving a high school diploma must take the General Education Development Exam (GED) and achieve satisfactory scores to be considered for admission.

**Transfer Student Admission**

Students who have attended other colleges or universities may be admitted at advanced levels depending on the amount of credit transferable from the other institutions. Transcripts of all other college work must be submitted with other admission credentials at the time of application to the Indiana Wesleyan University Admissions Office. All transcripts must be sent directly from the office of the registrar at the college or university attended. Students are also required to have a form (Transfer Information Form) completed from the last institution attended verifying that the student left the college in good academic and social standing. All students must complete their last 30 credit hours at IWU.

**Transfer of Credit Policy - CAS**

Credit is granted for work with a satisfactory grade (“C” or above) taken at an approved college or university accredited at the same level, provided the courses are applicable to the curriculum the student wishes to pursue at Indiana Wesleyan University. An “approved college or university” generally refers to those institutions that are accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education (formerly the Accrediting Association of Bible Colleges). The university registrar is responsible to approve the transferability of all credits. Credit hours accepted in transfer are recorded, but quality points and grades are omitted and used only for the purposes of graduating with Honors.

Credit taken by correspondence from an accredited institution may be applied toward a degree at Indiana Wesleyan University, with a maximum of 12 semester hours accepted.

Credits from unaccredited colleges and universities and from schools/colleges/universities not accredited at the same level—such as proprietary business schools, vocational/technical schools, or other single purpose institutions—will not be transferable without individual assessment. The number of credits transferable from such institutions will be limited to two years (62 semester hours).

Credit from nontraditional learning by life experience may only be awarded with an Indiana Wesleyan University individual assessment. Credit will be determined through the assessment and approval process. Credit through examination (CLEP/DANTES/Advance Placement) may only be awarded with official test scores from an official testing center and an Indiana Wesleyan University individual assessment. The maximum number of credits awarded shall be limited to a total of 40 semester hours for the baccalaureate degrees and 18 semester hours for the associate degrees, and ordinarily will not be applied to upper-division requirements in the major (junior and senior levels). It is the responsibility of the student to obtain approval from the appropriate division for the application of credits to the majors.

**International Student Admission**

Indiana Wesleyan University is authorized under federal law to enroll nonimmigrant alien students. It is recommended that interested students contact the Admissions Office as early as possible (preferably one year in advance) as there are usually delays in preparing visas, passports, and transcripts. All application forms, documents, test scores, and payments must be received by July 1 of the year of intended study.

Students who do not speak English as their first and primary language must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) prior to admission to the university. A score of at least 550 (paper-based) or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission. Please visit the TOEFL Web site ([www.toefl.org](http://www.toefl.org)) for more information. Before the immigration form I-20 can be sent, students from all countries except Canada must send to the university (a) money equivalent to the first semester’s tuition, room, and board; and (b) a \$1000.00 U.S. emergency deposit to be held for the complete duration of a student’s enrollment and to be used in case of family or medical emergency. Students from all countries including Canada must send to the university (a) a letter of financial commitment with certified bank statements indicating sufficient funds for attendance; and (b) proof of health insurance coverage in the U.S. or \$500 for approximately one year of insurance premium (must be renewed annually).

Contact the Admissions Office for specific admissions procedures.

**Re-enrollment**

A student who has previously been enrolled in Indiana Wesleyan University and has discontinued enrollment for one semester or more must reapply. Application for re-enrollment may be made at the Admissions Office. Students who are not enrolled for one academic year or longer must meet the requirements of the governing catalog for the re-enrollment date. Any student who attended other institutions of higher learning must submit the transfer information form completed by the last college attended and official transcripts of all work completed before a readmission decision can be made. All transcripts must be sent directly from the office of the registrar at the college or university attended.

**Credits-in Escrow (High School Students)**

Qualified high school students are offered a head start on their university education by enrolling under the Credits-in-Escrow program. A student must have maintained a 3.0 average on a 4.0 scale in high school classes and be recommended by a high school counselor or

principal to qualify. A qualified student who has completed the first semester of the junior year may begin taking courses in the spring semester, continue each summer session, and take one course each semester of the senior year, not to exceed four courses. There is no tuition charge for credits earned under the Credits-in-Escrow program; however, a registration fee of \$50 per course is charged at the time of registration. Students must be registered by the first day of classes.

### **Special/Unclassified Admission**

Students not pursuing a university degree, who want to take individual courses for personal development, may have an unclassified admission and register for up to six hours per semester. This does not constitute admission to a university program. A maximum of 18 credit hours may be taken in this status.

Students wishing to pursue a degree program must reapply for regular admission. Guest students from other colleges should have the approval of their home institution. By special arrangement, high school students may register under this classification while meeting requirements for high school graduation. By special arrangement, senior adults may register at a reduced fee. Information on these programs is available in the Registrar's Office.

**Students are permitted to audit courses. Those wishing to audit a course may not register until the first day of classes on a space-available basis.**

### **Professional Program**

Acceptance in the freshman class with a major in teacher education, nursing education, social work, Christian/youth ministries, or other professional programs does not necessarily imply admission to these professional programs. Each department has specific requirements that must be met at different levels of the program. See the section entitled "Schools of Instruction" in this catalog for specific details.

## **Orientation and Registration**

### **New Students Orientation**

All students anticipating enrollment for the first time at Indiana Wesleyan University are required to participate in an orientation program conducted at the beginning of the semester. This program is designed to acquaint students with the university programs and services available from the various offices. There are information sessions for parents and students. The orientation time is also designed to assist students with meeting new friends and adjusting to life at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Entrance Examinations**

All freshmen are required to take entrance examinations in order to be accepted at Indiana Wesleyan University. Academic placement examinations are a part of new student registration. These tests are used to determine the level at which a student shall enter a sequence of courses. Some majors require specific placement examinations.

### **Registration Procedures - CAS**

Specified dates are set at three times in the summer and once in January for new students to come to the campus and register for the coming semester's classes. New students are notified by the Admissions Office of their acceptance to Indiana Wesleyan University. The Registrar's Office will then send information about registration procedures and the appropriate time to come to the campus for testing and advisement in the selection of courses and registration.

### **Returning Students**

Returning students may register for the fall semester and summer sessions in the spring and summer. Registration for the spring semester and May term occurs in the late fall. All students are expected to complete their registration during the time set by the director of records for advanced registration or at the specific time established in the current calendar for this purpose. Detailed instructions for registration will be provided by the Registrar's Office. Arrangements for financial payment, in accord with one of the plans approved under the section on university charges, must be made in advance or at the time of registration. All students must be registered by the first day of classes in any term. When a student registers at an advanced registration, he or she is responsible upon return to the campus to report to the Business Office for initial payment and verification of attendance.

### **Academic Advising - CAS**

Students are responsible to meet all course requirements as stated in the catalog at the time they began enrollment. A faculty advisor is assigned to each student and is available at registration periods for advisement on program requirements. Every student is, however, personally responsible to meet all requirements, including stated competencies, grade-point indexes, specified courses, total numbers of credits in each stated area of study, and total number of credits for the degree program. Each identified faculty advisor is required to

approve through web advising the student's registration form. Each student has Web access to their academic record and degree/major requirements.

## Schedule Changes

### Drop/Add

The student's choice of classes, once made and filed, is expected to be permanent for the semester. However, the last date to add a course shall be the Friday after the first day of the term, except for those students who wish to change their schedule as a result of dropping or adding a Monday evening course. In this circumstance, the deadline for adding courses shall be the Tuesday after the first day of classes. The last date to drop a course is the second Friday after the start of classes. For May term and summer I and II terms, the last date to add or drop a course is the second day of classes. For Summer I Term the last day to add a class is the end of the first week. The last day to drop a class is the end of the second week. This includes any desired change in audit registrations. Any drop/add changes made thereafter, require the approval of the student's advisor, the professors involved, and the director of records as well as academic affairs signature.

### Withdrawing from Classes

Up until the tenth week of the semester (or same percent {5/7} of partial semester classes), students may withdraw from a course with a grade of "W." This should be done only after consultation with academic advisors, the Registrar's Office, and the Financial Aid Office, as reduction of course load below 12 credits may affect eligibilities for athletics, scholarships, or financial aid. After the tenth week of the semester, no change in registration is permitted except for total withdrawal from the university.

### Withdrawal from the University

A student desiring to voluntarily withdraw from the university must obtain a form from the director of records. This form must be completed and filed with the director of records before the student leaves campus. No refunds will be made by the Business Office until the director of records certifies that the withdrawal procedure has been completed. A student failing to complete proper withdrawal remains a student and will be charged as such and receive a grade at the end of the semester. Students who fail to check out of their rooms properly will be subject to an administrative charge.

### Semester Away

Students who wish to take a course in the summer or during a special session at another college or university and not as study abroad (see Study Abroad) should get advice from the major advisor and permission from the director of records prior to registration at the external institution to ensure courses will transfer back to Indiana Wesleyan University. The form, Transfer of Credit Policy, is available in the Registrar's Office to process this request. All courses must be reviewed by the Registrar's Office prior to attending the external university. The transfer of credit policy will govern the acceptability of external credits. Semester away may impact institutional aid, and room and board freeze.

### Academic Terms - CAS

The regular academic year consists of a fall semester and a spring semester. Instructional time is typically 750 minutes per credit hour. A student is classified as full-time when enrolled for 12-16 credit hours in a semester. Students may complete the 124 semester credits required for a baccalaureate degree with four semesters of 15 credits and four semesters of 16 credits. Students who wish to register for more than 16 hours must meet the following criteria: 17 credit hours must have a 2.75 GPA, 18 credit hours a 3.0 GPA, and 19 hours a 3.5 GPA. Students who do not meet these criteria and wish to register for more than 16 hours can request an exception by submitting an academic petition.

Evening classes are offered on campus to meet the needs of individuals who seek university credit courses but are unable to pursue class work in the day session. These courses are of the same caliber as those offered in the day session and are open to those who are eligible to pursue university work. Usually they will run concurrently with the academic calendar of the day session.

Special sessions include...

#### 1. May Term (MA) - three-weeks.

- A three-week May term is offered at discounted rates for student acceleration, to make up for a course dropped, or to allow for a lighter semester load. Most May courses are three credits but a maximum of four credits may be earned. Two to four credits in May is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is four credit hours.



2. Summer Session 1 (S1) - five-week summer session (see detailed information following Summer Session 2).
3. Summer Session 2 (S2) - five week summer session.
  - An integral part of the regular university calendar with the same academic standards, these sessions (S1 and S2) may vary in length and in amount of credit that may be earned. Four semester hours of credit in each summer session (S1 and S2) is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is six credit hours.
4. Summer 1 Term (S1T) - end of spring semester thru end of Summer Session 2.
  - An integral part of the regular university calendar with the same academic standards, this session may vary in length and in amount of credit that may be earned. Four semester hours is considered full-time. Maximum enrollment is six credit hours.

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### **Enrollment Limitations**

Students may only be active in one college due to financial and academic credit implications and may not switch back and forth between the term and non-term programs. **IWU students enrolled in IWU colleges other than the College of Arts and Sciences may not enroll in classes in the College of Arts and Sciences.** Students in the College of Arts and Sciences can take designated classes in the College of Adult and Professional Studies elective offerings ONLY if the class begins after the first day of May term and ends prior to August graduation and if the course has been approved for CAS credit. Students who plan to change from programs and degrees in one college to programs and degrees in the other should carefully examine the ability to apply courses from one program to the other. See the Registrar's Office for more information.

### **Records, Rights, and Privacy**

The university complies with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and as it appears in final form in June 1976, with subsequent amendments. This law protects the rights of students to review their own records and to challenge any of the content of the record. Students may request access to their records from the following offices:

1. Permanent grade records (transcripts) for all students are kept in the Marion Campus Registrar's Office.
2. Records are maintained by the Registrar's Office, the Office of Student Services, the Accounting Offices, and the Offices of Financial Aid.

The law also protects students from the unlawful disclosure of information about their academic performance, personal campus discipline, or financial status.

The law allows the disclosure of five classes of "directory information" as follows:

1. Name, address, telephone number, dates of attendance, class, and religious affiliation
2. Previous institution(s) attended, major field of study, awards, honors, degree(s) conferred, including dates
3. Past and present participation in officially recognized sports and activities, physical factors (height and weight) of athletes, date and place of birth
4. Schedule of classes
5. Photograph

A student may request in writing that one or all of the five categories of directory information be restricted from publication. In no case will grade, discipline, or financial information be disclosed except in keeping with the law.

Requests are filed with either the Registrar's Office or the Office of Student Services.

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## Academic Information

The university seeks to meet the interests of the widest possible community of students within the commitment to a Christian world and life view. Many different major programs, disciplines, and degree routes are offered.

### Degrees Offered

Indiana Wesleyan University College of Arts and Sciences confers the following degrees:

- Associate of Arts (A.A.)
- Associate of Science (A.S.)
- Bachelor of Arts (A.B.)
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.)
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (B.S.N.)
- Bachelor of Music (B.Mus.)

### Degree - Requirements

#### College Of Arts And Sciences (CAS)

To earn a degree from Indiana Wesleyan University, the last 30 semester hours of course credit must be taken at IWU. Nine hours of the major or minor course credit must be earned at IWU. The clinical experience required of medical technology majors, or a semester away in a university-approved program, is accepted as in residence.

#### Associate Degree

1. Completion of 62 semester hours
2. Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
3. Completion of at least 24 semester hours in the major area with a GPA of 2.0 or higher; major requirements as prescribed by each department must be met.
4. Completion of general education requirements. If a student chooses to have multiple majors, the degree designation is based upon the first major.

#### Bachelor's Degree

1. Completion of 124 semester hours
2. Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
3. Completion of at least 40 semester hours in the major area with a GPA of 2.25 or higher; major requirements as prescribed by each department must be met.
4. Completion of general education requirements. If a student chooses to have multiple majors, the degree designation is based upon the first major.

#### Catalog Governing Graduation - CAS

Students may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the university catalog under which they enrolled, provided they maintain continuous enrollment and make normal progress toward a degree so that the degree may be earned within a maximum of six years. **If they withdraw from Indiana Wesleyan University, the graduation requirements, as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment, will apply.** Students changing majors, programs, moving from the College of Adult and Professional Studies to the College of Arts and Sciences programs, or vice-versa, must meet requirements as stated in the catalog that is current at the time they make such changes. Students may at any time change from an earlier catalog to a subsequent current catalog, but must meet all requirements for graduation of that catalog. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

#### Undergraduate Majors and Degrees Offered

##### Majors—A.S. and A.A. Degrees

Most programs leading to the A.S. or A.A. degree require 24 hours in the major subject. Each department offering these degrees specifies the required courses. Each major designates the degree.

**Majors—B.S., B.S.N., B.Mus., and A.B. Degrees**

Most programs leading to the B.S. or A.B. degree require a minimum of 40 hours in a major. Professional programs may require more than 40 hours. Each major specifies the designated course requirements.

A minimum of 12 hours in the major must be in courses above the sophomore level. A grade-point average of 2.25 or higher, or as defined in each major, must be earned in courses specified in the major. More than one major may be taken.

Students should make application for admission to the major by the end of the sophomore year in most cases.

**Minors**

Students may also take a minor subject as noted in each department. Most minor programs require at least 18-24 hours in the subject area. Each department offering the minor may specify required courses.

**Second Majors and Second Degrees**

A second major may be declared with the Registrar's Office by any current student. No more than nine credits may be shared between two majors. After graduating with a baccalaureate degree, a student may add a major by completing the requirements of the major subject as listed in the current catalog. If no courses in the proposed added major have been taken within 10 years of graduation, a minimum number of nine new credits in the major are required. New general education requirements will not need to be met to post an additional major.

If an Indiana Wesleyan University bachelor's degree graduate wishes to return to the university to earn a **second degree**, he or she may do so if the degree is distinct from the first. All current requirements for the second degree must be met, including general education requirements, and at least 30 additional semester hours must be taken.

To have this opportunity, a student must make application to the Registrar's Office at the beginning of the semester in which the second major/degree will be completed.

Late declaration of a major, double majoring, or the addition of a minor may delay the date of graduation.

**Undergraduate Majors - CAS**

Accounting	AS	BS
Addictions Counseling	AS	BS
Adolescent Ministries	AS	BS
Applied Health and Fitness		BS
Art Education		BS
Athletic Training		BS
Biblical Literature	AA	AB
Biochemistry		BS
Biochemistry Pre-Med		BS
Biology	AS	BS
Biology Education		BS
Biology Pre-Med		BS
Business Administration	AS	BS
Ceramics		BS
Chemistry	AS	AB, BS
Chemistry Education		BS
Chemistry Pre-Med		BS
Children's Ministry	AS	BS
Christian Education	AS	BS
Christian Ministries	AA, AS	AB, BS
Christian Worship		BS
Church Music		AB
Communication Studies		BS
Computer Information Systems	AS	BS

Computer Internet Development		BS
Computer Graphics		BS
Computer Science	AS	BS
Computer Software Engineering		BS
Criminal Justice		BS
Economics	AS	BS
Education--Elementary		BS
Education--Secondary		BS
Art Education	P-12	
English Education	5-12	
Exceptional Needs Education	P-12	
Mathematics Education	5-12	
Music Education	P-12	
Physical and Health Education	P-12	
Science Education	5-12	
Social Studies Education	5-12	
Spanish Education	P-12	
TESOL Education	P-12	
English		AB
English Education		BS
Entrepreneurship		BS
Exercise Science		BS
Finance		BS
Fine Art		BS
General Studies	AS	BS
Health Promotion and Wellness		BS
History		AB
Illustration		BS
Intercultural Studies	AS	BS
Interior Design		BS
International and Community Development		BS
International Relations		BS
Journalism		BS
Leadership	AS	BS
Management		BS
Marketing		BS
Mathematics		BS
Mathematics Education		BS
Mathematics - Interdisciplinary		BS
Media Communication		BS
Media Design		BS
Medical Technology		BS
Music-Applied		AB
Music Composition		BMus
Music Education		BS
Nursing		BSN
Painting		BS

Performance		BMus
Physical Education		BS
Photography		BS
Political Science		BS
Political Science Pre-Law		BS
Pre-Art Therapy		BS
Printmaking		BS
Psychology		BS
Public Policy		BS
Public Relations		BS
Recreation Management		BS
Philosophy and Theology	AA	AB
Science Education		BS
Social Studies	AS	BS
Social Studies Education		BS
Social Work		BS
Spanish		AB
Spanish Education		BS
Sports Management		BS
Sports Ministries		BS
TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)		AB, BS
Theatre		BS
TTN - Transition to Nursing (Accelerated 2nd degree)		BSN
Writing		AB
Youth Ministries	AS	BS
OTHER PROGRAMS		
Pre-Medical Science		Not a stand alone major
Pre-Physical Therapy		Not a stand alone major

**General Education Requirements - Associate Degree**

	<b>A.A.</b>	<b>A.S.</b>
<b>Humanities</b> (ENG-180/HST-180/MUS-180/PHL-180 and UNV-180)	15	9
<b>Biblical Literature or Religion</b> (BIL/REL)	6	3
<b>English</b> (ENG-120/Grade of "C")	3	3
<b>Language and Literature</b> (COM/ENG/FRE/GRK/HBR/SPA)	3	0
<b>Physical Education</b> (PHE-101 and one additional PHE course numbered 102-139)	2	2
<b>Social Science</b> (ECO/HST/POL/PSY/SOC)	3	3
<b>Science and Mathematics</b>	3	3

(BIO/CHE/CIS/EAR/MAT-103 or above/PHY/SCI)		
	<b>35</b>	<b>23</b>

### General Education Requirements - Bachelor's Degree

#### General Education Requirements

The general education requirements provide a common experience for all students; therefore, these courses in ENG, HST, MUS, PHL, and UNV must be completed at Indiana Wesleyan University and are not eligible as transfer credit once the student is enrolled. These courses target specific outcomes desired of all graduates in accordance with IWU's mission. The 180 courses (ENG, HST, MUS, PHL, and UNV) are required of all students as a designed common experience component. However, the rest of the general education requirements, except science lab, biblical literature and health and wellness courses, can be met by demonstrating proficiency or competency in a given area. Students should check the program guidelines or the Registrar's Office for ways to demonstrate proficiency or competency.

Core Requirements		Hours
UNV-180	Becoming World Changers: Christian Faith and Contemporary Issues	<b>3</b>

This course will provide students with a clear sense of the university's mission. It will enrich their understanding of the role of various academic disciplines in preparing them to become world changers, and will provide a clear challenge early in their academic career to do so.

Humanities Core		Hours
ENG-180	World Literature	3
HST-180	World Civilization	3
MUS-180	Fine Arts	3
PHL-180	Philosophy	3

These courses are built on the model of a basic focus on seven major historical periods: Great Age of the Greeks, Greco-Roman World, Medieval Era, Renaissance and Reformation, Rise of Modern Empire and Age of Enlightenment, Nineteenth Century, and Twentieth Century.

Biblical Literature	Hours
	<b>6</b>

Two courses in biblical literature--one from the New Testament and one from the Old Testament.

Advanced Writing or Literature	Hours
	<b>3</b>

One course in writing (WRI) above 120 or literature (ENG) above 200 except for ENG-140, ENG-141, ENG-170, ENG-201, ENG-241, ENG-352, ENG-383, ENG-455 and WRI-210, COM-223, WRI-360, WRI-356, WRI-475.

Health and Wellness		Hours
PHE-101	Concepts of Health and Wellness	1
PHE-102-PHE-139	One additional PHE course	1
Social Science and Psychology		Hours
Three courses - No more than one from any of the following areas:		<b>9</b>
ECO	Economics	3
HST	History	3
POL	Political Science	3
PSY	Psychology	3
SOC	Sociology	3
Science/Mathematics		Hours
		<b>7</b>

Lab science	4
Mathematics (at or above MAT-103 excluding MAT-108 and MAT-110) or Computer course (at or above CIS-110 excluding CIS-450)	3
<b>Students who elect to meet this general education requirement with a CIS course must still pass the mathematics competency.</b>	

### Competency and Proficiency Requirements

Courses taken to satisfy any of the following competencies must be passed with a grade of “C” or better. Students may only achieve a grade of “C” or better in any course used to satisfy university-required competencies only if they have met the competency requirements embedded in the respective course(s).

<b>Writing Competency Requirement</b>	<b>0-3 hours</b>
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Demonstrated by one of the following: Successful completion of English composition (ENG-120), CLEP Exam, or AP Credit. Students with Advanced Standing in English must either successfully complete one of the following courses (WRI-165, WRI-234, WRI-281, WRI-282) or may elect to successfully complete a portfolio to demonstrate competency. Requirement must be met within the first 30 hours of coursework.

<b>Mathematics Requirement</b>	<b>0-3 hours</b>
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Demonstrated by one of the following: Successful completion of a math course (MAT) at or above 103, or passing the Math Competency Exam before the beginning of the junior year. Transfer students who have not met math competency have two semesters (from enrollment date) to pass the exam. If a student does not pass the exam in two attempts, a course is required.

<b>Communication Requirement</b>	<b>0-3 hours</b>
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Demonstrated by one of the following: Successful completion of Speech Communication (COM-110) or Interpersonal Communication (COM-352); or when specified by the student’s major, completing specific course/competency requirements.

<b>Intercultural Experience</b>	<b>0-3 hours</b>
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Requirement met by taking an approved course. Some majors have designated a specific course; other majors allow the student to select from a university approved list. Some courses will involve travel. May not be met by CLEP or AP Credit.

<b>Supporting Requirements</b>	<b>0-10 hours</b>
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At the time students enroll at IWU, they will be informed whether it is necessary to take any of the following preparatory courses:

ENG-100	English Pre-Composition – Required based on SAT exam score
ENG-101	Critical Reading and Study Skills – Required based on acceptance Status, SAT/ACT exam scores and placement test score
MAT-101	Basic Math – Required based on SAT exam score

### Requirements - Other - CAS

<b>Major Requirements</b>	<b>40-74</b>
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Each major has a specified list of courses and requirements. The number of required credits ranges from 40 to the maximum of 60, unless there are strong extenuating circumstances and an exemption has been made due to outside accreditation requirements or as passed by the Academic Affairs Council. Some of the major requirements overlap with general education requirements. Students should consult the requirements for their majors before registering for any courses. Students are responsible for registering for the proper courses and should heed the advice of their advisors.

<b>Placement Testing</b>
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Before registering for French or Spanish courses, placement testing is required for all students who have previously taken French or Spanish at the high school level.

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**Health and Wellness Credit Limit**

Students may take two PHE Activity courses in one semester. The courses must be taken sequentially (i.e. one must meet in the first half of the term, the other must meet in the second half of the term). Students may add the second class up until the day the class starts if there are openings in the class, and the drop/add slip is signed by the professor of the class.

**Music Large/Small Ensembles**

Students will be allowed to count up to 8 credits toward graduation from courses numbered MUS-177-179, 185-188, 192-199, and to be taken no more than one per semester.

**Returning Students**

Returning students may register for the fall semester and summer sessions in the spring and summer. Registration for the spring semester and May term occurs in the late fall. All students are expected to complete their registration during the time set by the director of records for advanced registration or at the specific time established in the current calendar for this purpose. Detailed instructions for registration will be provided by the Registrar's Office. Arrangements for financial payment, in accord with one of the plans approved under the section on university charges, must be made in advance or at the time of registration. All students must be registered by the first day of classes in any term. When a student registers at an advanced registration, he or she is responsible upon return to the campus to report to the Business Office for initial payment and verification of attendance.

**Dean's List**

At the end of fall and spring semester, a dean's list is published that includes all students who have passed a minimum of 12 semester hours with a grade-point average of 3.5 or higher. The 12 hours must be passed with a letter grade other than "CR."

**Credit****Classroom Study**

The most common way to earn university credit in the College of Arts and Sciences is by registering in the semester programs of the university, attending classes under the instruction of a university professor, submitting the required work, and passing the required examinations.

**Transfer**

Students who have attended other accredited colleges or universities may transfer credit toward their education at advanced levels, depending on the amount of credit transferable from the other institutions. Transcripts of all other university work must be submitted directly to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office from the office of the registrar at the college or university attended. All students must complete their last 30 credit hours at IWU.

**Advance Placement**

Many high schools offer Advanced Placement (AP) courses to students. These are evaluated as subequivalent to university freshman-level courses and appropriate credit will be given for grades of 3 or above.

All other requests for credit are subject to the completion of 12 credits in an IWU program, acceptance into a major, and the achievement of a grade-point index of 2.0, and approval by the appropriate offices and advisors. A \$25 per credit hour transcription fee will be assessed.

Incoming Freshman who prior to their enrollment at Indiana Wesleyan University, pass the AP Spanish Language Exam with a minimum score of 4 will receive credit for SPA-237 and SPA-238. Students who pass the AP Spanish Language Exam with a minimum score of 3 will be awarded credit for SPA-117 and SPA-118. AP credit for these courses will not meet intercultural competence.

**Achievement Examinations**

The College Level Examination Program (CLEP), the Proficiency Examination Program (PEP), and DANTES offer examinations of university-level achievement. CLEP examinations may be accepted for credit by the university upon admission and registration. Scores on selected examinations at a level of "C" or above will be acceptable for credit in appropriate areas. Examinations can be scheduled by The Center for Student Success after consulting with the director of records. A \$25 per credit hour transcription fee will be assessed.



**Assessment - Portfolio**

Students with life experience education may have developed a body of information equivalent to university-level learning. This may be work experience, nonaccredited institutions, or other nontranscribed learning. After a student has been admitted into a major and has accumulated at least 12 classroom credits, assessment of such learning may be attempted. Students must work through their advisors. Guidelines and applicable fees are available in the Registrar's Office or Office of Student Services.

**Independent Learning Contract**

Occasionally, students may benefit from academic enrichment by Independent Learning. Such learning is generally intended for on campus course work in a subject not offered in the current schedule of classes. Independent Learning contracts are a privilege extended to degree seeking students who have a 3.0 cumulative GPA, have met the university writing competency requirement, have completed all course prerequisites, and have earned a minimum of 60 credit hours. Students on Academic Probation may not participate in Independent Learning.

- No more than six credit hours may be earned by Independent Learning during the student's academic career at IWU.
- No more than one Independent Learning course may be taken per semester.
- Courses with a 180 number may not be taken by Independent Learning.
- A fee of \$100 per credit hour will apply to all Independent Course work.
- Students may not take an incomplete grade in an Independent Learning course.

Students who wish to take an Independent Learning course should work closely with the professor of the course and the Registrar's Office to petition for permission to do so.

**Graduation Requirements and Procedures - CAS**

Application for graduation must be made prior to the student's final semester, preferably two semesters before graduation. The application form must be completed and signed by all academic advisors. A student may complete his/her requirements at midyear, in the spring, or in the summer. Commencement exercises are held in December, April, and August. Only those completing all requirements by August and December are eligible to participate in the August and December commencements, respectively. Undergraduate CAS students whose graduation is conditional upon May or summer school attendance may be granted the right to special participation in the spring commencement exercises before all graduation requirements have been met. The degree would then be awarded in August, after all degree requirements have been completed.

1. The total number of prescribed courses will vary depending on the major selected and the proficiencies and competencies of a student.
2. Assuming that no credits were transferred in, or were in escrow, a student could have as few as 62 prescribed credits, which would allow for 62 elective credits.
3. If a student takes a professional major, such as Christian ministries, education, or nursing, he or she might have more than 124 credits of prescribed courses, depending on proficiencies and competencies.
4. A typical student could take the following combination
  - 42 general education core requirements;
  - 6 proficiency or competency requirements;
  - 6 preparation requirements; and
  - 45 credits in a major area.

This student would have 99 of 124 graduation credits met in the above categories, with 25 left as free electives.

<b>Total Credits Needed For Graduation</b>	124
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- Completion of 124 semester hours
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Completion of at least 40 semester hours in the major area with a GPA of 2.25 or higher; major requirements as prescribed by each department must be met.
- Completion of all general education requirements

Attendance at graduation exercises is required. Petitions for the “in absentia” granting of degrees must be approved by the university registrar.

### **Academic Honors - CAS Undergraduate Candidates**

Graduation Honors are a recognition given to baccalaureate students at commencement to acknowledge outstanding grade point averages earned. Eligibility for Honors is determined as follows

1. A minimum of 80 graded hours from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education (formerly the Accrediting Association of Bible Colleges).
2. A minimum of 40 graded hours must be from Indiana Wesleyan University.
3. All graded hours transferred and transcribed are counted for transfer students.
4. For students with transfer work, the Indiana Wesleyan University GPA will appear on the transcript and in the shaded portion of the Grade Report Mailer; the Honors GPA, which will include grades from transferred courses, will appear below the shaded portion on the Grade Report Mailer.

Baccalaureate degree candidates will be awarded Honors as follows

1. GPA of 3.5 or higher - “cum laude” (with honors)
2. GPA of 3.7 or higher - “magna cum laude” (with high honors)
3. GPA of 3.9 or higher - “summa cum laude” (with highest honors)

No Honors are awarded at the associate or the master's degree level.

### **Diplomas**

Diplomas are mailed after the conferral of degrees. The university confers degrees three times a year in the spring, fall and winter (April, August and December). Diplomas indicate degree earned, date of degree, major, specialization, and honors. A student's financial account must be settled to receive a diploma.

### **Study Abroad**

Indiana Wesleyan University students may participate study in a variety of international and domestic locations. Students may attend IWU's program in Zambia or pick from affiliated programs offered by other institutions or agencies.

Up to 16 credits may be earned for participation in a full semester of study in one of the cooperating programs. Students who wish to attend a semester abroad must be in good standing with Student Development and may not be on disciplinary probation, must have at least a 2.75 GPA, and have earned 30 credits at IWU.

Students who wish to attend a semester abroad must visit the Global Studies Office and their Academic Advisor very early in the process of their considerations, preferably a full year or more prior to the participatory semester. The academic advisor and student will need to consult with the director of records to find the best application of credits from these programs.

All students wishing to spend a semester abroad must apply and be approved through the Global Studies Office by the appropriate semester deadline (December 15 for fall of the next year; April 30 for spring of the next year).

Students are required to register for course work with the Registrar's Office at Indiana Wesleyan University prior to departure for the semester program.

All semester abroad programs will cost at least the amount of the current year's IWU tuition, room and board. Any tuition and room and board costs over and above those charged by IWU will be forwarded to and are the responsibility of the student. Remittance is made by the student to IWU and will be forwarded to the cooperating institution by the IWU Business Office. Any other costs (travel, in-country excursions, insurance, vaccinations, medications and incidentals) not included in the program charges of the cooperating institution are the responsibility of the individual student and not paid to IWU.

Any external sources of scholarship and financial aid will be applicable, such as state grants, PELL grants, and student loans. Partial institutional aid may be awarded to students for cooperative programs. All IWU institutional aid is applicable to IWU Zambia.

### **IWU Zambia**

IWU's first semester-long study abroad program takes students to Choma, Zambia. Students are accompanied by IWU faculty and take a minimum of 12 credits. Various courses will be offered indifferent semesters; students should contact the Global Studies Office for more information.

Students are charged the current year's tuition, room and board and are responsible for travel costs, insurance, vaccinations, medications and personal incidental expenses. IWU students may apply their full institutional aid package to this program. Housing, meals, transportation and other in-country resources are provided by World Hope International. For more information, contact: [globalstudies@indwes.edu](mailto:globalstudies@indwes.edu)

**CCCU Best Semester Programs (descriptions used by permission):**

**American Studies Program (Washington, D.C.)**

"Since 1976, the American Studies Program has served as an experiential learning laboratory for students committed to connecting their faith to public affairs. More than 2000 students have come to Washington and nearly 500 alumni currently work in the D.C. metro area in a variety of professional fields — private and public, for-profit and not-for-profit. Each student enrolls in the program's two practicum courses: Internship and Topics in Leadership and Vocation. Students have the option of enrolling in a one-credit Professional Mentorship course. In addition, students apply to either the Public Policy Initiatives track or the Global Humanitarian Enterprise track. The Public Policy Initiatives track equips and supports students in their analysis of a pressing public policy issue. Each student produces original research by engaging area experts and practitioners off-site and in the classroom as they investigate the local, national, and global factors that influence policy-making in Washington D.C. The Global Humanitarian Enterprise track focuses on partnership initiatives taken by leaders in commercial, governmental, and non-governmental organizations as they explore the impact they can achieve by collaborating to address issues of sustainable development worldwide."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/asp>

**Australia Studies Center (Sydney, Australia and New Zealand)**

"Since Spring 2004, the CCCU has partnered with the Wesley Institute in Sydney, Australia to offer the Australia Studies Centre. Throughout the semester, students study theology, global justice issues affecting Australia, Indigenous cultures and the arts. Every student is required to take the courses "The View from Australia: Issues in Religion, Politics, Economics & Cultural Values" and "Indigenous History, Cultures & Identity." Additionally, students choose electives in theology/ministry, music, drawing/graphic design, dance and/or drama. Home stays, service learning and travel around Australia are important components of the ASC. Students observe Australia's beautiful landscape, live in the cosmopolitan melting pot of Sydney, connect with the poor of Sydney's multi-cultural ghettos, and engage the political capital of Canberra and its power players. Students also come to know the traditions of Aboriginal people during an Outback excursion and spend the last week of each semester traveling to New Zealand to meet the Maori people."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/asc>

**China Studies Program (Hong Kong, China)**

"The China Studies Program enables students to engage China's ancient history and intrigue from an insider's perspective. While immersed in Chinese culture, students participate in seminar courses on the historical, cultural, religious, geographic and economic realities of this strategic and populous nation. Students choose between completing a broad Chinese Studies Concentration or a Business Concentration, which includes an internship at an international business in China. Students also study standard Chinese language and apply their skills by serving in an orphanage or tutoring Chinese students in English. The program begins and finishes the semester in Hong Kong and introduces students to the diversity of China, including Beijing, Shanghai, Xi'an and Xiamen. This program enables students to communicate and understand the unique culture and people of China with an informed, Christ-centered perspective."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/csp>

**Contemporary Music Center (Nashville, Tenn.)**

This program provides students with the opportunity to live and work in the refining context of community while seeking to understand how God will have them integrate music, faith and business. The CMC offers three tracks: Artist, Executive and Technical. The Artist Track is tailored to students considering careers as vocalists, musicians, songwriters, recording artists, performers and producers. The Executive Track is designed for business, arts management, marketing, communications and related majors interested in possible careers as artist managers, agents, record company executives, music publishers, concert promoters and entertainment industry entrepreneurs. The Technical Track prepares students for careers in live sound, concert lighting and studio recording. Students within each of the tracks receive instruction, experience and a uniquely Christ-centered perspective on creativity and the marketplaces, while working together to create and market a recording of original music. Each track includes coursework, labs, directed study and a practicum. For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/cmc>

**Los Angeles Film Studies Center (Hollywood, Calif.)**

"Founded in 1991, the Los Angeles Film Studies Center trains students to serve in various aspects of the film industry with professional skill and Christian integrity. Each semester, students live, learn and work in L.A. The curriculum consists of two required seminars: Hollywood Production Workshop and Theology in Hollywood, focusing on the role of film in culture and the relationship of faith to work in this very influential industry. In addition, students choose one elective course from a variety of offerings in film studies. Internships in various segments of the film industry provide students with hands-on experience. The combination of the internship and seminars allows students to explore the film industry within a Christian context and form a liberal arts perspective."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/lafsc>

**Latin American Studies Program (San José, Costa Rica)**

"Based in San José, Costa Rica, the LASP introduces students to a wide range of experiences through the study of the language, literature, culture, politics, history, economics, ecology, and religion of the region. Through living with local families, students become a part of the day-to-day lives of Latin Americans. Students take part in a practicum/internship and travel to nearby Central American nations. Some students participate in one of four concentrations: Latin American Studies (offered both fall and spring terms), Advanced Language and Literature (designed for Spanish majors and offered both fall and spring terms), International Business (offered only fall terms), or Environmental Science (offered only during spring terms). Depending on their concentration, students travel to nearby Central American nations including Nicaragua, Guatemala, Cuba and Panama."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/lasp>

**Middle East Studies Program (Cairo, Egypt)**

"This program offers students a unique opportunity to explore and interact with the complex and strategically important world of the modern Middle East. Students explore diverse religious, social, cultural and political traditions of Middle Eastern peoples through interdisciplinary seminars. They also study the Arabic language and may work as volunteers with various organizations in Cairo. Through travel in the region (typically Israel, Palestine, Lebanon, Jordan, Syria and Turkey), students are exposed to the diversity and dynamism of the local culture. At a time of tension and change in the Middle East, MESP encourages and equips students to relate to the Muslim, Eastern Christian and Jewish worlds in an informed, constructive and Christ-centered manner."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/mesp>

**Scholar's Semester In Oxford (Oxford, England)**

"This program is designed for the high-achieving student who wants to study intensively and to a high standard. Students develop their academic writing and research skills while exploring disciplines and interests of their choice. As Visiting Students of Oxford University and members of Wycliffe Hall, students study in the oldest university in the English speaking world. SSO students enroll in a primary and secondary tutorial, an integrative seminar (or thesis in the case of second term students), and the British landscape course. Students group their work in a concentration so that all elements of their program work together. SSO is designed for students interested in classics, English language and literature, theology and the study of religion, philosophy, and history, though all majors may apply. Applicants are generally honors and other very high-achieving student and must have a 3.5 GPA to be considered for the program."

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/sso>

**Uganda Studies Program (Mukono, Uganda)**

"The Uganda Studies Program provides students with both immersion in a local community and broad exposure to a variety of people and places in Uganda and Rwanda. Students in the Uganda Studies Emphasis live on campus at Uganda Christian University (UCU), an international affiliate member of the CCCU, sharing their lives with university students from Uganda and other parts of Africa. Students in the Intercultural Ministry & Missions Emphasis live with host families within walking distance of the university. All USP students take classes from UCU professors and share meals with UCU students. These relationships give students a firsthand perspective as they explore issues such as poverty, aid and missions, and as they seek to reconcile the realities of East Africa with their Christian faith. Students also spend time in Rwanda and rural Uganda. In addition to the core experiential course, students will choose from an approved selection of courses from the UCU Honours College.

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/usp>

**Washington Journalism Center (Washington, D.C.)**

"This program is designed for the student interested in the field of journalism. Students will take courses focusing on personal writing skills as well as the history and future of the media. These classes — Foundations of Media Involvement; Reporting in Washington;

and Washington, News and Public Discourse — combined with an internship at a top news publication help students learn to integrate their faith in a journalism career. Students also participate in service learning opportunities as part of the WJC experience.

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/wjc>

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**Other Affiliated Semester Programs: (description information compiled from program Web sites):**

**Azusa Pacific University - Los Angeles**

"Los Angeles is home to one of the most diverse cultural realities in America and one of its largest cities. Students are impacted with the church's opportunity to reach urban dwellers, and equipped to live out their faith and values in postmodern urban culture. Students stay with local families of Los Angeles and rely on public transportation to take classes and fulfill service requirements of an internship in the heart of this urban cultural icon." *Description adapted from [www.apu.edu/latern/](http://www.apu.edu/latern/)*

For more information: <http://www.apu.edu/latern/>

**Focus Leadership Institute (Colorado Springs, Colo.)**

"Focus Leadership Institute is a multidisciplinary educational program that delves into psychology, sociology and family studies as well as leadership, social ethics, public policy, philosophy and theology. Students come from diverse academic majors—from art education to finance to marketing to ministry. Faculty members create a crucible of critical thinking, challenging students to question the assumptions that underlie their beliefs and actions. Students build a coherent worldview that can be productively applied to the challenges of living in today's world. A professional practicum assignment and opportunities for intentional reflection are important parts of the learning process." *Description adapted from [www.focusleader.org](http://www.focusleader.org).*

For more information: <http://www.focusleadership.org>

**Gordon College in Aix - (Aix, France)**

"This program emphasizes gaining fluency in French. Located in the southeast province of France, students are provided homestays with French families and are encouraged to expand their knowledge of traditional European culture and how that culture is adapting to the pressures of 21st century issues. Although they are around Aix is rich in history, with various museums and ancient architectural features, the atmosphere of art and culture make it vibrant and appealing. Note: There may be language requirements. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.gordon.edu/inaix>

**Gordon College in Orvieto - (Orvieto, Italy)**

"This program emphasizes looking and listening for new inspiration in the traditions of artists, poets, saints and mystics of the past. Although students will study the Italian language, they also will take three of six courses offered in the visual arts, creative writing, history and literature. Students will live together in community amongst vineyards and olive groves, and excursions throughout the Italian countryside are part of the experience. NOTE: This program has a higher GPA requirement. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.gordon.edu/inorvieto>

**Gordon College in Boston - (Boston, Mass.)**

"This program combines urban studies courses, professional internships and cross registration options at six partnering colleges and universities all while students study and live together among Boston's urban poor in a richly multi-ethnic neighborhood. This urban semester seeks to develop the next generation of influential urban leaders by introducing students to well-rounded presentations of the issues and realities of urban culture, all while developing cross-cultural communication skills. Students must be prepared for cultural diversity and being a respectful member of a diverse community. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.gordon.edu/inboston>

**Houghton in London - (London, England)**

Students will live in the center of London with access to all its rich historical and cultural resources and study at the London Institute for Contemporary Christianity and London School of Theology taught by both British and Houghton College professors. Academic options include English, Bible, history, social sciences, and art. Different options are offered each semester, and there are a variety of ministry and travel options available. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.houghton.edu/academics/ocp/London>

**Houghton in Tanzania - (Tanzania, Africa)**

An intensive 12-week semester offering the unique opportunity to experience life as most Africans themselves experience it. Students will be exposed to Africa on a broad front including history, anthropology, environment, languages, politics, and religion. Students will see needs and evaluate them in the light of their Christian beliefs. Extended trips away from Iringa Houghton campus site (Tanzania) include nearby game reserves and Wahehe and Maasai tribal villages. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.houghton.edu/academics/ocp/tanzania>

**Irish Studies Program - Taylor University - (Greystones, Ireland)**

This program is designed to expand cultural and spiritual awareness through the opportunities students have for studying and experiencing the history and culture of Ireland, including Celtic and contemporary Irish studies and the fine arts. Students will also experience fine Irish hill-climbing as part of the curriculum. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.taylor.edu/academics/ocp/semester/irishstudies/>

**Jerusalem University College (Jerusalem, Israel)**

This program is located in Jerusalem, Israel, and introduces students to the culture and religions of the area, especially Judaism, Islam and the variety of Christian traditions. Students gain a better understanding of the interplay of ideologies and customs in the Middle Eastern historical, political, and social relationships. Students also gain an understanding of biblical studies, especially the Old Testament Scriptures, the roots of the New Testament in the Old Testament, and the Greco-Roman-Judean world of the first century. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.juc.edu>

**Trinity Christian College Semester in Spain**

Semester in Spain provides high quality Spanish language, history and culture instruction in an experiential format. All instruction is in Spanish, and students are required to speak only Spanish while on the premises. Students are housed in homes where continued language and cultural immersion can be experienced. The program is accredited through Trinity Christian College by the Higher Learning Commission of North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The program offers courses at beginning, intermediate, and advanced levels based upon student entrance exam scores. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.semesterinspain.org>

**Affiliated Summer Programs:**

The following affiliated programs offer summer options:

**Au Sable Institute for Environmental Studies****(Campuses in the Great Lakes, the Pacific Rim and Florida)**

The Institute has several locations including the north woods country of Michigan's Lower Peninsula and along the Pacific Rim of Washington state, and the tropical region of southern Florida. The human and natural resources available to students through the Institute's programs in teaching and research are extensive. Students interested in an outdoor/environmental emphasis in their major should ask their advisor about planning for this opportunity. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.ausable.org/au.main.cfm>

**CCCU - Oxford Summer Programme: (Oxford, England)**

The Oxford Summer Programme allows students as an affiliate member of Wycliffe Hall, University of Oxford, to do intensive scholarship in the oldest university in the English speaking world. During the five-week program, students hone their research and

writing skills and delve into the areas that interest them most while exploring the relationships between Christianity and the development of the British Isles. Seminars and tutorials are given on specialized topics under expert Oxford academics in the areas of English language and literature, history, including the history of art and history of science, philosophy, and theology and the study of religion. The program is structured for rising college sophomores, juniors and seniors, graduate and seminary students, non-traditional students, teacher, and those enrolled in continuing education programs. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.bestsemester.com/osp>

### **Focus Leadership Institute (Colorado Springs, Colo.)**

"Focus Leadership Institute is a multidisciplinary educational program that delves into psychology, sociology and family studies as well as leadership, social ethics, public policy, philosophy and theology. Students come from diverse academic majors—from art education to finance to marketing to ministry. Faculty members create a crucible of critical thinking, challenging students to question the assumptions that underlie their beliefs and actions. Students build a coherent worldview that can be productively applied to the challenges of living in today's world. A professional practicum assignment and opportunities for intentional reflection are important parts of the learning process." *Description adapted from [www.focusleader.org](http://www.focusleader.org).*

For more information: <http://www.focusleadership.org>

### **Jerusalem University College: (Jerusalem, Israel)**

Various courses including those based in biblical studies, geography and history are offered throughout the summer months at various times. Please consult the Web site for more information. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.juc.edu>

### **Trinity Christian College - Semester in Spain (Sevilla, Spain)**

Although designed for the experienced student in Spanish, the courses offered greatly enrich the Spanish major or minor with literature, culture, history and art options. Travel throughout Spain is possible, and home-stays enable the student to experience the culture of Spain up close. *Description adopted from program website.*

For more information: <http://www.semesterinspain.org>

### **Cooperative Programs**

Indiana Wesleyan University cooperates with various business, church, educational, and social agencies in the community and beyond to make special facilities available to enrich the programs offered to students.

Taylor University and Indiana Wesleyan University cooperate by allowing certain courses (a limit of one per regular semester) to be available for full time students from both institutions. Although there is no extra charge for the courses in this exchange, the students are responsible for their own transportation between campuses and for payment of any fees beyond tuition.

### **Center for Life Calling and Leadership (CLCL) and Career Services**

The Center for Life Calling & Leadership (CLCL) enables individuals to find an overriding purpose for their lives, equips them to make life decisions based on this purpose, and empowers them to develop this purpose into world changing leadership. Through the CLCL, students are encouraged to explore the concept of vocation in the context of spirituality and faith, and to approach the idea of vocation through stewardship—much broader than just a job, position, or occupation. Vocation should be seen in the context of a life calling that produces confidence in an overriding purpose for one's life to bring about positive change in the world, and then living out one's life consistently with that purpose.

The CLCL directs various programs for students who have declared a major as well as students who are still exploring for a major (pre-declared). These programs help to facilitate the discovery of purpose and to integrate leadership development into this discovery process.

- *Pre-declared Community:* Students coming to IWU as a part of the pre-declared program have an immediate support system in place that will facilitate their discovery of life calling, both curricular and co-curricular. The 3-credit freshman course, UNV-180LC, focuses on developing an understanding of the concept of life calling and the discovery of one's God-given design as a basis for this calling. Students evaluate their strengths, values, spiritual gifts, passions, abilities, personality, and experiences in order to develop a calling-based perspective in selecting a major and planning a vocational course of action.
- *Life Coaching for All Students:* The Life Coaching program assists both declared and pre-declared students in discovering their unique, God-given design; developing a life plan; and equipping them with fundamental life skills for academic success, and

future personal and professional development. Life Coaches meet with students one-on-one and in workshops, utilizing a positive approach with students as they look for solutions to future questions.

- *Career Development:* The Career Development program provides strategies and innovative resources to help students develop the skill of lifelong purposeful career navigation. Students can meet with a Career Coach, enroll in a course, participate in internships, connect with a professional mentor, visit on-campus events hosted by the CLCL, and involve themselves in various stage-appropriate CLCL sponsored programs to develop a strengths-based plan for their lives.
- *Adventure Learning:* The Adventure Learning program facilitates experiential activities that directly support students' discovery process of their life calling and personal leadership development. The program includes high and low ropes courses, a rock climbing wall, and Soul Search Adventure spring break trips led by qualified students or staff. Adventure Learning programs supplement the student learning experience by challenging them in hands-on environments to apply their leadership skills and develop a deeper understanding of their life calling.
- *Leadership Studies:* CLCL faculty, teaching in the School of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Business, facilitate the Leadership Studies academic program which consists of a major and minor in Leadership.

### **Instructional Facilities**

Indiana Wesleyan has up-to-date classrooms, well-equipped laboratories, and studio spaces for academic use. The following buildings serve as academic resources:

#### **John Wesley Administration Building**

The John Wesley Administration Building, which opened in 1894, is the only building that remains from the original campus. A major renovation of the building was completed in 2003. The building houses offices for the president and the university Advancement Department, along with a meeting room for the university's Board of Trustees.

#### **APS Educational Centers**

The College of Adult and Professional Studies has educational centers in Fort Wayne, Kokomo, Columbus, Indianapolis, Merrillville, Greenwood, and Shelbyville, Indiana; Lexington and Louisville, Kentucky; and Cincinnati, Cleveland, and Dayton, Ohio. See Education Centers for detailed listing.

#### **Beard Arts Center (BAC)**

This classroom building, named after Lee and Edna Beard, has the Division of Art, art studios and shops, art galleries and four classrooms.

#### **Botany Glen**

This tract of land is designated a nature preserve where biology and botany classes can explore creation in a living laboratory. Home to a low and high ropes course, Botany Glen is an experiential learning classroom and training center for the IWU community and constituents.

#### **Burns Hall of Science and Nursing (BHSN)**

This facility includes classrooms, science and nursing laboratories, Porter Auditorium, Academic Computer Center, departmental offices for the Divisions of Natural Sciences and Mathematics and Nursing.

#### **Center Hall (CS)**

This classroom building provides additional space for math, computer and art courses.

#### **New College Wesleyan Church (CWC)**

College Wesleyan Church is an independent but cooperating agency with the university. Occasionally classrooms are scheduled in this facility located on the main campus.

#### **Elder Hall (ELDR)**

This building houses the Division of Behavioral Sciences and the Division of Modern Language, Literature, and Communication, including audio and video studios and WIWU-FM and WIWU-TV 51.

#### **Goodman Hall (GMN)**

This classroom building houses 5 classrooms and divisional offices for the Division of Education.



**Indiana Wesleyan University Canadian Campus**

A 100-acre outdoor classroom on St. Joseph Island is located 40 miles east of Sault St. Marie, Ontario. The grounds include a modern log lodge with dining facilities and insulated log cabins for accommodations.

**Jackson Library (JLB)**

This state-of-the-art, 79,000-square-foot library is named after alumnus and benefactor Dr. Lewis A. Jackson. Dr. Jackson, a 1939 Indiana Wesleyan University (then Marion College) graduate, trained the “Tuskegee Airmen” during WWII, became a university president in 1970, and was a life-long entrepreneur. This uniquely designed library contains leading-edge technology. Student Internet connections are located conveniently throughout the library. Over 20 miles of voice and data cable were laid in the floors and walls, connecting its 700 outlets to IWU’s information network.

**Maxwell Center for Business and Leadership (MAX)**

The Maxwell Center is a spacious, state-of-the-art facility that meets a variety of needs. The 63,000-square-foot building contains six classrooms. It houses the Admissions Office, Human Resources, Print Shop, the university Information Technology Department, and offices for the Division of Social Science, as well as the Division of Business for CAS students.

**Noggle Christian Ministries Center (NMC)**

This classroom and faculty office building is the home office for the School of Theology and Ministry.

**Outdoor Athletic Complex**

The Outdoor Athletic Complex serves athletic and intramural competition. It includes an indoor sports complex, track, two baseball fields, two softball fields, and three soccer fields. The main venues are lighted. Complementing the outdoor complex is a concession/public use facility. This building also serves as an athletic training facility and officials’ changing room.

**Phillippe Performing Arts Center (PPAC)**

This building houses the Tom and Joan Phillippe Chapel-Auditorium, the RCA Theater, the Joan Phillippe Music Building, and the Herman Baker Recital Hall. The music wing includes teaching studios, practice rooms, a piano laboratory, and three classrooms.

**Recreation and Wellness Center (RWC)**

The 120,000-square-foot indoor facility includes the Robert R. Luckey Gymnasium, a natatorium, racquetball courts, recreation activity center, weight room, fitness room, elevated track, locker facilities, classrooms, a lab area, office area, and a state-of-the-art athletic training facility.

**Adult and Graduate Studies Administrative Building (AGS)**

Located at the intersection of 50th Street and State Road 37, this building houses administrative offices for the College of Adult and Professional Studies and the graduate schools and programs in Nursing, Counseling and Ministry. In addition, there are four classrooms and a counseling clinic.

**Academic Policies**

**Classification**

Students enrolled for 12 hours or more are considered full-time. All students having met regular entrance requirements are classified by the university registrar. Classification is based on the following scale:

Freshmen	0-28 Semester Hours Completed
Sophomore	29-59 Semester Hours Completed
Junior	60-89 Semester Hours Completed
Senior	90 or more Semester Hours Completed

Evaluations are not made for unclassified students who are admitted without submitting full credentials for regular admission. Such students are auditory, guest students, postgraduates, or pre-university students and may take up to 18 hours under this classification but no more than 6 hours in one semester. By submitting proper application, an unclassified student may change to regular admission.

### Grading and Evaluation - CAS

A letter grade is used to evaluate coursework. For the purpose of determining scholastic standing and awarding honors, grade points are granted according to the letter grades and semester hours of credit. The grade-point average (GPA) is the number of quality points earned divided by the number of credit hours attempted.

Grade	Quality Point	Definition
A	4.0	Superior
A-	3.7	
B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Above average
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	
C	2.0	Average
C-	1.7	
D+	1.3	
D	1.0	Passing
F	.0	Failure/Also given for all unofficial withdrawals
WF	.0	Failing work at time of official withdrawal after the tenth week of the semester. Counted as "F" in grade-point average

**The following grades are not figured into the student's grade-point average:**

O	Outstanding
S	Satisfactory
U	Unsatisfactory
W	Passing work at time of official withdrawal
I	Incomplete
CR	Credit
NC	No Credit
AU	Audit
NA	No Audit

### Incomplete Courses

A grade of "I" may be given if circumstances beyond the student's control prevent completion of the work. A faculty person, at his or her discretion and within approved guidelines, may award an incomplete grade to a student. Any incomplete extended beyond the end of the next term must be approved by the Associate Dean of the governing school. Once an incomplete grade has been awarded, the student can not withdraw from the class. The entire incomplete policy is available at the Registrar's Office.

### Repeating Courses

A student may repeat once any course in which a grade below "C" ("C-," "D+," "D," "F," or "NC") was previously earned. Some specific graduate level courses are identified as repeatable and can be repeated if a student earns a grade higher than "C" but below the level required for that specific course. The course may be repeated once. Whenever a course is repeated, the last grade and credits earned replace the previous grade in computing the student's grade-point average (GPA). All entries, however, remain a part of the student's permanent academic record. Duplicate credit hours are not given for two or more passing efforts. A course taken in a classroom format may not be repeated for a grade through independent learning, credit-by-examination, by assessment of prior learning, by transfer of credit, or online.

Since a course may be repeated once, failure to achieve a satisfactory grade in a required course after two attempts will result in academic suspension or ineligibility to complete the major in which the course was repeated.

**Audit**

No credit is received when a course is audited; however, a transcript record is made. With the approval of the instructor, any student is eligible to audit any course for which the prerequisites have been met. Students may not register under this category until after the first day of class and on a space-available basis. Those auditing courses will be charged the current audit fee. No grades or evaluations of papers or tests are given. No change may be made from audit to credit, or credit to audit, after registration closes.

**Grade Reporting**

At the midpoint of each semester, grades below “C” are reported to the director of records. A progress report is then sent to each student who falls into this category. A copy also is sent to advisors and professors for counseling purposes. Mid-semester grades are not recorded in any way on the student’s permanent record. Final grade reports are sent to all students at the end of each term.

**Grade Changes**

A final grade cannot be changed after it has been verified by the Registrar's Office unless there has been an error in calculation or assignment. In the event a non-routine change of grade becomes necessary, a written recommendation must be submitted by the faculty member to the Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences who will determine the validity of the recommendation.

If a student registers for classes but does not attend any classes, the registration may be cancelled by the director of records if the student has not attended by the last day to add or drop classes.

**Transcripts**

The student’s official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

**GPA Requirements**

The following table indicates the minimum cumulative grade-point averages (GPA) that will result in the application of academic sanctions:

<b>Earned Credits</b>	<b>Academic Probation</b>	<b>Academic Suspension</b>	<b>Academic Dismissal</b>
0-28 credits	< 1.80	< 1.70	< 1.50
29-44 credits	< 1.90	< 1.80	< 1.70
45-89 credits	< 2.00	< 1.90	< 1.80
90 + credits			< 2.00

The sequence of levels of achievement is allowed in order to help students accommodate the graduation requirement of 2.0 for most programs (students should be aware that some programs require more than this minimum for graduation).

**Probation - CAS**

Students who fall below the minimum GPA levels indicated above and are allowed to remain at the university will be placed on “academic probation,” will be limited to a registration of 13 credits, must meet all requirements made by the Enrollment Management Committee, and are ineligible for most extracurricular activities. No student is entitled to more than one semester on probation.

Students who fall below the minimum GPA levels indicated above and have been placed on “academic probation” status are ineligible to participate in campus leadership or represent the university unless such participation is connected with a credit bearing course required in the student's current major area of study. Ineligibility for participation includes, for example, cheer team, club teams, extramural teams, intercollegiate athletics, music performance groups, ministry teams, student organization officer, and theatre productions/performances. Students on academic probation are not eligible to enroll in courses offered through the College of Adult and Professional Studies.

Most student leadership positions have requirements in addition to the minimum above. Please reference *IWU Student Handbook*.  
<http://www.indwes.edu/Residence-Life/>

Music majors on probation may register for ensembles and attend scheduled rehearsals for academic purposes but may not participate in performances.

Certain organizations have requirements in addition to the minimum above.

### **Suspension - CAS**

Students suspended for academic reasons may reapply after one semester away and must complete the following to be considered for readmission

1. Must attend a regionally accredited college.
2. Must complete 12 semester credit hours of coursework numbered at 100 or above (not developmental courses) with a "C" or above.
3. Must earn a minimum of 2.2 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale.
4. Fulfill all other readmission requirements.

Readmission is not guaranteed; however, all applications will be reviewed by the Enrollment Management Committee.

### **Dismissal - CAS**

Students dismissed for academic reasons may reapply after two semesters away and must complete the following to be considered for readmission

1. Must attend a regionally accredited college.
2. Must complete 12 semester credit hours of coursework numbered at 100 or above (not developmental courses) with a "C" or above.
3. Must earn a minimum of 2.2 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale.
4. Fulfill all other readmission requirements.

Readmission is not guaranteed; however, all applications will be reviewed by the Enrollment Management Committee.

### **Attendance Policy - CAS**

Students are expected to attend all sessions of classes for which they are registered. Official excuses may be given by the Academic Affairs Office for absences due to university-sponsored activities\* (see below), for illness requiring hospitalization, death of a first degree relative, or other emergencies. University and World Impact groups taking students on off campus trips which require those students to miss class shall notify and gain approval of the Academic Affairs office prior to final arrangements for the trip. Faculty may not give a penalty for a university approved absence. A student is responsible directly to the instructor for all classes missed and to see that all work is made up. A student failing to attend classes and not withdrawing officially will receive a grade of "F." Students are not allowed to attend classes for which they are not registered.

#### **\* Policy on Excused absences for Organizational Activities**

Students participating in one or more student organizations may receive only one excused absence per semester for each course (evening courses excluded) in order to participate in an approved activity.

1. Requests for the student to be excused must come from the faculty advisor of the student organization on prescribed form and include written justification for the absence based upon the university's World Changer outcomes.
2. Organizations without a faculty advisor must submit the same form, including justification and approval from the Academic Affairs Office, at least one week prior to the activity.
3. This form must be received by the instructor of the class prior to the missed class period.
4. A student may request to be excused from evening classes; however, the decision in these cases will be at the discretion of the professor.

### **Final Examination Policy**

A final examination is required in each course. It should be comprehensive in nature, requiring the student to use the accumulated knowledge and skills of the whole course. The two hours of final examination are scheduled as part of the total hours required in the

semester. If a student has more than two final exams scheduled on one day, arrangements can be made with the professor to change the exam that falls in the middle. Request forms may be obtained in the Registrar's Office.

Certain kinds of courses such as clinicals, practica, student teaching, studio instruction, and seminars may be exempted from final examinations but must plan to meet for instruction in the scheduled time.

**Scheduled final examination times are expected to be adhered to unless an emergency situation arises. If a student requires a makeup examination, it must be given at a time later than the scheduled period.**

### **Honesty and Cheating**

Academic dishonesty is inconsistent with scholarship and the pursuit of knowledge and Christian character. Thus, Indiana Wesleyan University expects students to be honest in all academic work.

### **Coursework**

Students are expected to exhibit honesty in the classroom, in homework and on quizzes and tests. Each instructor should define what constitutes honest work in a specific course. Any deviation from ordinary standards, such as the permitted use of notes for an examination or an "open book" test, should be stated clearly by the instructor.

Cheating is defined as the use or attempted use of unauthorized materials or receiving unauthorized assistance or communication during any academic exercise. Examples of cheating include:

1. Submitting work for academic evaluation that is not the student's own.
2. Copying answers from another student during an examination.
3. Using prepared notes or materials during an examination.
4. Permitting another student to copy one's work.
5. Plagiarism.
6. Falsification.
7. Other misrepresentations of academic achievement submitted for evaluation or a grade.

Plagiarism is defined as "the false assumption of authorship; the wrongful act of taking the product of another person's mind and presenting it as one's own" (A. Lindey, 2006, *Plagiarism and Originality*). *The Prentice Hall Reference Guide* (2006) indicates, "To plagiarize is to include someone else's writing, information, or idea in a paper and fail to acknowledge what you took by indicating whose work it is" (p. 292). In other words, it is not giving credit where credit is due. Plagiarism is both a moral and ethical offense and sometimes a legal one.

Examples of plagiarism include:

1. Copying another person's actual words without the use of quotation marks, source citation, or footnotes.
2. Presenting another person's ideas or theories in your own words without citing the source.
3. Failing to acknowledge contribution and collaboration from others.
4. Using information that is not common knowledge without citing the source.
5. Submitting downloaded papers or parts of papers, "cutting and pasting," or paraphrasing or copying information from Internet sources without proper acknowledgement of a source.

### **Sanctions**

It is the responsibility of each student to be aware of policies regulating academic conduct including definitions of academic dishonesty, the possible sanctions, and the appeals process.

Any undergraduate student apprehended and charged with cheating, including plagiarism, during his or her college matriculation, shall receive the following discipline:

1. First incident of cheating: failure in paper, assignment, or exam.
2. Second incident of cheating: failure in the course involved.
3. Third incident of cheating: dismissal from the university.

A graduate student is expected to understand clearly the nature of cheating and is subject to dismissal from the university for a single incident of academic dishonesty or cheating. Incidents of cheating and/or plagiarism will be investigated and judged by the appropriate graduate faculty.

Because the matter of cheating cumulatively leads to dismissal, faculty are required to report each case to the appropriate university administrator who in turn reports the case to the academic leader of the specific college/school. Unquestionable evidence must be in hand before any action will be taken to confront and accuse a student of cheating.

A student who is not satisfied with the disciplinary action may follow the grievance and appeal policies below.

**Falsification of Academic Records or University Documents:** Falsification of academic records or documents includes but is not limited to altering any documents affecting academic records; forging signatures; or falsifying information of an official document such as a grade report, ID card, financial receipt, or any other official university letter or communication. This includes information downloaded (printed) from student information available via Web (online) services.

**Unauthorized Access to Computerized Academic or Administrative Records or Systems:** Unauthorized access to computerized academic or administrative records or systems means viewing or altering the university's computer records without authorization; copying or modifying the university's computer programs or systems without authorization; releasing or dispensing information gained through unauthorized access; or interfering with the use or availability of computer systems information.

Students who are found to have falsified university documents or participated in unauthorized access to computerized academic or administrative records or systems are subject to dismissal from the university for a single incident. The university may consider legal action for any individual found to have participated in these actions.

### **Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic)**

A student may seek recourse from any university nonacademic program or employment-related dispute, alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or other state or federal legislation through the following procedures:

#### **A. Informal Procedure**

1. The student should seek informal resolution with the individual department concerned before initiating a written complaint.
2. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved, the student may request a hearing with the dean for mentoring and accountability, the assistant vice president for Student Development or the associate dean of Adult and Professional Studies.
3. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at this level, the student may request a hearing with the vice president for Student Development or the vice president for Adult and Professional Studies.
4. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at this level, the student may submit a written grievance form.

#### **B. Formal Procedure**

1. The informal resolution may be ended at any time and the complainant may begin the formal procedure by submitting a written grievance within 30 days of the event or action. Grievances must include the demographic information regarding the complainant, the clear facts of the case, the disposition or resolution achieved thus far and the requested resolution by the complainant. Additional information or clarification may be requested before a hearing is scheduled. NOTE: Appeals that are based solely on the severity of a sanction that upon investigation are within the parameters of the available sanctions for an event or action are not considered grounds for appeal.
2. A hearing will be held with the dean for mentoring and accountability, the assistant vice president for Student Development or the associate dean of Adult and Professional Studies, ordinarily within 15 working days from the filing of the written grievance.
3. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the respective assistant vice president, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the vice president for Student Development or the vice president for Adult and Professional Studies. This hearing will ordinarily be held within 15 working days following the request.
4. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the respective vice president, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the Student Development Council, which will make recommendations back to the vice president within 15 working days.

5. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the Student Development Council and the vice president, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the president of the university. This final hearing with the president will ordinarily take place within 15 working days. This is the final appeal.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

The complainant will be notified of results at each step of the grievance process. All grievances, with all papers, recommendations, and decisions related to federal or state regulations, will be reported to the vice president for Academic Affairs in whose office all files will be kept.

Because grievance and appeal processes are private university administrative hearings, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

### **Grievance and Appeal Policy (Academic)**

A student who has a grievance related to a course grade or an academic policy decision, including those believed to be discriminatory based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, should follow these procedures for resolution.

Students must begin with the awareness that the university follows generally accepted college and university practice in the development of academic policies, the operation of classrooms, and use of grading techniques. These differ widely from professor to professor and from college to college. Indiana Wesleyan University allows its instructors independence in following generally accepted practices.

### **Protest of Grade**

If the student feels that an instructor has not followed fair practice nor followed his or her own published grading policy, the following procedures should be followed:

#### **A. Protest of a Grade - Informal Procedure**

1. The student should contact the professor for a full explanation of the grade given and the basis for making the grade.
2. If there is no resolution of the problem, the student may request a review with the division chairperson (or the dean of the college if the complaint involves the chairperson).
3. The chairperson or the dean will notify the faculty member of the grievance and its nature and seek to mediate the dispute through the following steps:
  - Informal discussion of the facts of the case seeking resolution within 15 working days.
  - If the faculty member's stated policy for calculating the grade has not been followed, the chairperson or dean will insist that it be followed.
  - If the dispute is about a grade on a specific paper or an examination, the chairperson or dean will request that the professor reevaluate the paper or the examination to examine the grade given.
  - If the student is not satisfied with this informal process, the formal procedure may be initiated.

#### **B. Protest of Grade - Formal Procedure**

1. The informal resolution may be ended at any time and the complainant may begin the formal procedure by submitting a written grievance form within 30 days of receiving the grade. Grievance forms are available in the office of the dean of the college.
2. The chairperson or the dean within 15 working days will request a second reading of the specific paper or examination by two faculty members with knowledge in the academic discipline. They will submit their evaluations to the chairperson or dean within 15 working days. That person will make a judgment, within 15 working days, as to whether the grade has been definitely mis-evaluated by more than one full grade. If so, the grade may then be changed by the academic administration. The decision of the academic dean will be final in all grade disputes.

The complainant will be notified of results at each step of the grievance process. All grievances, with all papers, recommendations, and decisions related to federal or state regulations, will be reported to the vice president for Academic Affairs in whose office all files will be kept.

### **Protest of Policy**

If a student believes that the university has not followed published policies regarding academic decisions or has been discriminated against based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504, the student may follow the following procedures:

**A. Informal Procedure**

1. The student should contact the person who has made the decision for a full explanation of the university policy, or the federal or state policy, and how the policy was followed. If the university policy has been followed, that should resolve the complaint.
2. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved, the student may request a hearing with the division chairperson.
3. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the division chairperson or dean, the student may request a hearing with the vice president for Academic Affairs or the vice president for Adult and Professional Studies.
4. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the vice president informally, the formal procedure may be initiated.

**B. Formal Procedure**

1. The informal resolution may be ended at any time and the complainant may begin the formal procedure by submitting a written grievance form within 30 days of the policy decision. Grievance forms are available in the office of the vice president for Academic Affairs.
2. The student may then make a request within 15 working days for a hearing with the vice president for Academic Affairs or the vice president for Adult and Professional Studies to review the formal grievance.
3. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the vice president, the student may then request within 15 working days a hearing with the Academic Affairs Council of the university.

The decision of the Academic Affairs Council will be made within 15 working days of such a request and will be final in all academic policy disputes.

The complainant will be notified of results at each step of the grievance process. All grievances, with all papers, recommendations, and decisions related to federal or state regulations, will be reported to the vice president for Academic Affairs in whose office all files will be kept.

Because grievance and appeal processes are private university administrative hearings, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.



## Student Development

### Purpose

The Indiana Wesleyan University mission statement emphasizes the development of students in character, scholarship, and leadership. The emphasis of the Student Development Office is on helping students to achieve this growth by being concerned about the environment outside of the formal classroom-lecture-laboratory setting. Thus, the following statement of purpose:

Student Development purposes to help students grow and develop psychologically, intellectually, physically, spiritually, and socially by structuring the campus environment in ways that will give each student the opportunity and potential for such personal growth.

Luke 2:52 states that Jesus “. . . grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.” Scripture presents a model for personal growth psychologically, intellectually, physically, spiritually, and socially that focuses on building committed leaders for the Kingdom. Student Development attempts to evaluate all programs and services with this model in mind.

### Academic, Counseling, and Testing Services

The Center for Student Success provides students with academic, personal, and testing support. Academic support includes guidance in college preparation and study skills, such as effective reading and note taking, study habits, test taking, and time management.

Tutoring services are available on a limited basis in all basic education and many specialized courses. Tutoring helps to strengthen a student's basic academic skills and course content knowledge so that he/she experiences further academic development. Tutors are IWU students recommended by faculty, trained by professional staff, and paid to assist their fellow students. The program is beneficial for the students as well as the faculty.

Testing services include the SAT, MAT, ACT, CLEP, PRAXIS, testing accommodations (see “Disability Services”), and counseling assessment. Tests are scheduled individually, except for the ACT and PRAXIS, which are given on national test dates.

The Center for Student Success also houses a federally funded TRIO program that offers a range of services for eligible students. The main goal of the program is to provide support services necessary to increase college retention and graduation. The program is open to first generation and low-income students and individuals with disabilities.

Counseling services focus on assisting each student in developing skills, abilities, and potential within the academic, social, spiritual, physical, and emotional climate of the campus. Counseling is professional and confidential. Personal counseling includes support for psychological and emotional issues, as well as behavioral transitions.

### Athletics

The Indiana Wesleyan University athletic program is an integral part of the institution's total education program, subject to the same aims, policies, and objectives as other institutional programs. The four core values of the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics are Spiritual Growth, Academic Excellence, Leadership Development, and Athletic Excellence.

The Wildcat men compete in intercollegiate soccer, tennis, cross-country, basketball, baseball, golf, and track and field. Memberships are held in the NAIA (National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics), the NCCAA (National Christian College Athletic Association), and the MCC (Mid-Central Conference).

The Wildcat women compete in intercollegiate soccer, tennis, cross-country, volleyball, basketball, softball, and track and field. Memberships are held in the NAIA (National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics), the NCCAA (National Christian College Athletic Association), and the MCC (Mid-Central Conference). Our co-ed competitive cheer team competes in UCA National Competitions as well as cheering at all home basketball games.

The physical education and intramural sports departments provide vital programs to the students as well. Lifetime sport participation is emphasized in the physical education instruction program, while the intramural sports program allows students to pursue leisure time needs and interests in an organized and competitive manner.

### Commuter Students

Students who do not live on campus are expected to abide by the community standards listed in the *Student Handbook* while on campus or in the presence of resident students. Handbooks are available in the Student Development Office and online at <http://www.indwes.edu/Residence-Life/>

Commuter students receive the same services and opportunities as all other students on campus. The Student Center has a lounge specifically designed for commuter students with a kitchen, lockers, lounge furniture, and tables for group studying. Commuter students have representatives on the Student Government Association to whom they may register concerns or work toward better services for commuter students. Questions concerning commuter students may be directed to the Student Development Office.

### **Conduct Standards**

Indiana Wesleyan University, as a Christian university, is a community joined together to further academic achievement, personal development, and spiritual growth. Together the community seeks to honor Christ by integrating faith, learning, and living, while its members' hearts and lives mature in relationships to Jesus Christ and each other. With this purpose, it is desired that each member of this community is either committed to Christ or has respect for a Christian perspective.

Living in a community of believers is a special privilege. This quality is emulated by demonstration of God's grace. IWU, therefore, places great value on the following relationship characteristics: 1) being dependent and accountable to one another; 2) serving one another in the community, nation, and world; 3) supporting one another, especially those experiencing personal trials; 4) resolving problems through loving confrontation; and 5) restoring relationships that have been hurt.

Faith in God's Word should lead to behavior that displays His authority in our lives. The following statements exhibit the university's continuing desire to integrate faith and action in a relevant manner; however, these positions are not set forth as an index of Christianity.

Scripture teaches that certain attributes such as love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control are to be manifested by members of the Christian community. By contrast, Scripture condemns such attitudes as greed, jealousy, pride, lust, needless anger, an unforgiving spirit, harmful discrimination, and prejudice. Furthermore, certain behaviors are expressly prohibited by Scripture. These include theft, lying, dishonesty, gossip, slander, profanity, vulgarity, adultery, homosexual behavior, premarital sex, drunkenness, gluttony, immodesty, and occult practices.

Corporate worship aids in community building and support of the body of Christ. We gather as a community at special times for nurture and admonition in the things of God. These activities include chapel, spiritual emphasis weeks, and other university-related religious events.

Scripture teaches that all actions (work, study, play) should be performed to the glory of God. The university endeavors, therefore, to be selective in choices of entertainment and recreation, promoting those which strengthen the body of Christ and avoiding those which would diminish sensitivity to Christian responsibility.

All Indiana Wesleyan University students are expected to keep the rules of the university from the time they are accepted for admission to the university until they either graduate or officially withdraw from school (this includes vacation times).

All public activities, such as social gatherings, outings, or campus programs sponsored by student groups or by an individual must have plans submitted for approval in advance to Student Development.

All automobiles, motorcycles and bicycles must be registered with Campus Police and a permit secured and positioned on the vehicle/bicycle properly to have permission to be parked on campus.

Resident students desiring to be married during the school year must notify the dean of the chapel at least 60 days in advance.

Students at the time of their application for admission agree to live within the framework of the university's student code of conduct. Any violation of behavior standards of the university would be sufficient reason for placing the student on citizenship probation, suspension, dismissal, or in some instances, withdrawal from school.

Each student is responsible to be familiar with regulations concerning the residence hall, regulations published in the *Student Handbook* and other official university publications, and to abide by them consistently.

### **Disability Services - CAS**

Indiana Wesleyan University is committed to providing equal access to students with disabilities. The Center for Student Success works to make programs and facilities available in a non-arbitrary and beneficial manner. The Disability Services coordinator is responsible for receiving a request for academic or physical accommodations. The coordinator will work with the student to obtain and review the required documentation and will assign reasonable accommodations based on documentation that supports the student's request. Academic accommodations include, but are not limited to, alternative testing formats, note-taking services, taping lectures, books in alternate format, and adaptive technology.

### **Drug Abuse Prevention**

Drug abuse in the United States has become a major problem, and students at Indiana Wesleyan University are not immune. If you need assistance with a drug abuse problem, we encourage you to seek help at your local community drug abuse prevention center. To talk to someone in a strictly confidential atmosphere, please feel free to contact The Center for Student Success (800-332-6901) at our Marion campus. All conversations are private and will not affect your attendance at the university.

If you would like to talk to someone outside Indiana Wesleyan University, please feel free to call one of the following numbers, or a hospital or treatment center in your area:

1. The National Cocaine Hotline, (800) COCAINE, (800) 262-2463.
2. National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10A-30, Rockville, MD 20857, (800) 662-HELP, (800) 662-4357.

### **Food**

Within the Student Center there are a variety of campus dining options. The food service contractor provides well-balanced meals at reasonable cost.

A standard meal plan is automatically part of a resident student's room and board contract. Residents dine in the Baldwin dining room for all their meals but have conversion meal options in the Wildcat Express (food court) as well. Due to cleanliness and health reasons, students are not allowed to cook in their residence hall rooms. During holiday vacations, between semesters, and during spring recess food service is not available.

Commuter students are encouraged to eat their meals in the Baldwin dining room or the Wildcat Express. Commuter students purchase points that are applied to their ID card and used on a declining balance system.

### **Health Services**

Students must submit a health history with required immunizations and insurance information as part of the admissions process to Indiana Wesleyan University. The university Health Center is staffed by registered nurses and a nurse practitioner and serves the students within the College of Arts and Sciences. Students may be seen on a walk-in basis by a registered nurse or by appointment with the nurse practitioner. There is a fee to see the nurse practitioner, which can be billed to the student's insurance or paid by students. The Health Center has some prescription medications, including antibiotics, for a fee.

**IMPORTANT:** All students need to provide for their own health insurance. Health insurance is strongly encouraged for all students. The university has available a student health insurance plan for students that are not covered through parents, guardian, or employee. Information on the policy and premiums is available at [www.IWUInsurance.com](http://www.IWUInsurance.com).

### **Information Desk - Marion Campus**

The Information Desk, located on the first floor of the Student Center, is the best location on campus to find details regarding phone numbers, campus events, and campus offices. Phone (765)-677-4636 for more information.

### **Intercultural Student Services**

The mission of IWU's Intercultural Student Services is to use Biblical principles that provide every student with a positive and productive learning environment. We desire to create settings that will encourage students, faculty and staff to ask questions and engage in discussion. Our vision is to increase awareness, sensitivity, knowledge and understanding of multicultural issues and allow for such a change to take place through creative programming. The program allows students to become social agents in developing a culturally sensitive community, thus, changing the world. We believe the necessary components are the discovery, value and importance of diversity, the integration of our faith, Gods' spiritual mandate to reconciliation and engaging in relationships and partnerships that will continue multicultural education well beyond the college experience.

### **New Students Orientation**

All students anticipating enrollment for the first time at Indiana Wesleyan University are required to participate in an orientation program conducted at the beginning of the semester. This program is designed to acquaint students with the university programs and services available from the various offices. There are information sessions for parents and students. The orientation time is also designed to assist students with meeting new friends and adjusting to life at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Performing Arts**

The mission of the Phillippe Performing Arts Center is to provide opportunities for students, guests, faculty, and staff to experience a range of performing arts events.

The Phillippe Performing Arts Center hosts performances by the IWU Music Division and IWU Theatre Guild. Performances are open to the campus community and the public.

This mission remains focused on a higher goal: to experience the limitless, wondrous creativity of how God is revealed to us through ministry and the arts.

### **Publications**

Staff positions on the *Sojourn* (the student newspaper) and the *Legacy* (the university yearbook) are available for students interested in writing, photography, layout, and editing for print media. Paid editorial positions are available for students on both staffs.

The *Sojourn* is usually published every other week and made available to students. The newspaper covers many aspects of campus life through accurate and investigative reporting.

The *Legacy* is created throughout the year by a highly motivated publishing staff. The *Legacy* covers the entire year's events and is printed over the summer with distribution occurring in early fall. Using themes, photos, and creative touches from the editorial staff, each yearbook has a unique look and approach to capturing the memories of the school year.

### **Recreation**

The mission of the Department of Campus Recreation is to provide a wide variety of quality recreation, sports, fitness, and leisure activities that will increase the overall wellness of the campus community and to provide dynamic programming that enhances leadership and social development in an environment that is fair, safe, and Christ-centered.

All enrolled students, (resident and commuters), as well as faculty, staff, administrators, and their spouses are eligible to participate in activities sponsored by the Department of Campus Recreation.

Activities include, but are not limited to: intramural sand volleyball, flag football, softball, racquetball, tennis, wallyball, soccer, volleyball, basketball, golf, ultimate frisbee, bowling, table tennis, and billiards.

Students, faculty, staff and administrators also have access to a state-of-the-art recreation and wellness facility.

### **Residence Life**

The Residence Life program at Indiana Wesleyan University is designed to provide each resident with the opportunity to grow not only academically but also socially and spiritually. The most successful students after graduation have mastered not only their course of study but have developed other areas of their lives, becoming well-rounded and balanced. With this in mind, the residence hall becomes much more than a place to sleep and study. It is a community of learning that helps students more effectively grow into the image of Christ. Our hope is that students will find the residence halls a place where individuals will join together as a family to learn from one another.

The Residence Life program is administered by the Associate Vice President for Residence Life. Each residence hall or area has a trained professional resident director (RD) living in the hall. Each living unit (approximately 35 students) has a specially selected and trained undergraduate resident assistant (RA). Residents are supported through the growth process by the RA, who also coordinates a weekly devotional Bible study for residents. In addition, the Resident Hall Chaplain supplies spiritual support and guidance for the residents. The Residence Life Staff and Unit Parent Program (where the families of faculty and staff interact with each unit) provides abundant opportunity for personal support. Residents are challenged to grow into the fullness of Christ through planned activities and programs.

The Residence Life program at IWU provides a developmental approach for housing students. Freshman and sophomore students live in one of the traditional residence halls. Reed, Martin, Evans, Shatford, North Hall Complex and Carmin halls are traditional women's residence halls. Bowman, Hodson, and South Hall Complex are traditional men's residence halls. Bowman and Shatford are designated as "freshman houses" and house first-time students who desire an environment intentionally designed to meet their unique needs. Each "house" has 10 specially selected upper class students who serve as leaders and mentors for the first-year students. The North Hall and South Hall Complexes are a purposeful environment, tied closely to the university's mentoring program, which was established to provide upper class student mentors for each freshman living in the North and South Hall Complexes. Sophomores, juniors and seniors have opportunity to live in pod style units within Kem Hall and Scripture Hall. Junior, senior, and nontraditional students may stay in one of the apartment-style living areas. These include the Lodges and the Townhouse apartments. Resident students begin their stay on campus in the traditional residence halls with more support and accountability. As they grow older and more self-disciplined, they may move into more independent-style living in the apartments. The University Court holds Married and Family Housing apartments for married students and those with children.

Prospective students interested in attending IWU and living on campus must submit a \$100 tuition deposit prior to completing an on-line housing application. The New Student Housing Application must be sent to the Admissions Office. Room assignments will be made according to the date the tuition deposit is paid and the housing application is complete.

Returning students who wish to reserve a certain room may do so according to the procedure outlined in the reapplication process. A Returning Student Application must then be completed and returned with a \$50 housing deposit (paid at the Business Office). This money will be applied to their account after the drop-and-add period. All cancelations must be received prior to June 1 for a refund of the \$50 deposit.

The residence halls and apartments are closed during Thanksgiving, Christmas, and spring break vacations. There is no food service offered during these periods. During these times students must secure their own housing and food arrangements. The international student advisor will assist international students in securing break housing. Students will be charged for room damage beyond normal wear and tear.

All single students enrolled in seven credit hours or more must live in university-supervised housing unless they are 23 years of age or live with their parents. All exceptions must be granted by the Student Development Office.

### **Resident Students**

All residence hall students (or those who have resided on campus for at least one semester) are expected to live by these additional standards:

Since the body of the Christian is the temple of the Holy Spirit, deserving respect and preservation of its well-being, the university therefore disapproves of the use of tobacco in any form and the use of alcoholic beverages. Under no circumstances should controlled substances such as marijuana, hallucinogens, depressants, stimulants, cocaine, and narcotics be used, possessed, sold, or distributed on or away from campus unless prescribed by a physician. Members are expected not to abuse the use of legal substances.

Scripture teaches the stewardship of God-given resources. Therefore, we disapprove of gambling (the exchange of money and goods by betting or wagering) in its various forms. A number of evangelical denominations have historically taken a stand against social dancing as an expression of their commitment to the Christ-exalting life. Our community, considering itself in the mainstream of the evangelical tradition and recognizing the temptations inherent in the sensuous and erotic nature of some social dancing, disapproves of social dancing by members of the community. Some forms of performance choreography as it relates to the public presentations of drama, music, and cultural performances are permitted by the artists involved. Celebratory, folk, ethnic or group dance at wedding receptions is acceptable as long as it remains wholesome and avoids any hint of sensuality. Performances on campus are carefully screened and exclusively selected by university personnel as educational and appropriate to the performance.

### **Safety Policies and Campus Crime Statistics**

IWU Safety Policies can be accessed at <http://www.indwes.edu/safety> and includes crime statistics on certain reportable crimes, as well as policies concerning alcohol and drug use, crime reporting and prevention, sexual assault, and other related matters. Anyone wishing a paper copy of the policies may contact the Office of Institutional Research at 765-677-1566.

### **Spiritual Life**

Providing spiritual growth opportunities for students has been a hallmark of Indiana Wesleyan University from its beginning. Students are introduced to many different growth opportunities. This includes what takes place in the classroom, where faculty integrate faith and learning and have a vital interest in the spiritual life of students.

Providing chapel for students is another spiritual growth opportunity. Chapel is held Monday, Wednesday, and Friday throughout the semester and on Tuesday during special emphasis weeks. Chapel is a time for the university community to join together for worship and growth. Being able to attend Chapel is a wonderful opportunity and privilege.

Regular attendance at chapel-convocation sessions is expected for all students and required for all resident students and full-time commuting students under the age of 23 who have classes both before and after the chapel period. Excessive absences must be made up. See the *Student Handbook* for details.

Residence halls also provide spiritual growth opportunities. Halls have weekly devotional times and students are encouraged to join a small group where Scripture memorization, accountability, prayer, and Bible study occur.

Soul-search adventure discipleship trips take students into God's creation to grow from lessons learned through camping, rock-climbing, trekking, and similar experiences.

Christian service teams minister in area churches, family camps, and youth camps through music, sermons, drama, and testimonies. The University Chorale, Wind Ensemble, and music teams travel extensively, ministering through Christian music. IWU, through

World Impact, also plans and promotes several short-term mission trips through the year. A student can also find opportunities to serve through local community ministry organizations, churches and on-campus student organizations.

Spiritual growth and service opportunities are offered to students to help them to grow deeper in their relationship with God and for them to have a better understanding of how they can better serve Him and humankind with their gifts and talents.

### **Student Center**

The Student Center is the community center of the university for all members of the university family--students, faculty, administration, alumni, and guests. It represents a well-considered plan for the community life of the university.

The Student Center provides for the services, conveniences, and amenities that the members of the university family need in their daily life on campus and for getting to know and understand one another through informal association outside the classroom.

The Student Center is part of the university educational process. It provides a social and recreational program, aiming to make free time activity a cooperative factor with study in education. Its goal is the development of persons as well as intellects.

### **Student Life and Activities**

Student organizations and other activities provide co-curricular and extracurricular opportunities on campus in leadership and personal growth. Students are encouraged to participate in a variety of campus student organizations and activities with the intent to develop leadership skills as well as grow spiritually. The following groups and activities are designed to meet students' needs and interests.

### **Student Activities Council**

The Student Activities Council (SAC) consists of student coordinators who organize campus activities. SAC activities are designed to promote spiritual growth, develop and maintain school spirit, and provide fun and meaningful programs for students, faculty, staff, and the IWU community. Activities planned by the council range in interest, appeal, and complexity. Traditional events include Homecoming activities, Family Weekend, Kids' Day, SAC Weekend, and Spotted Cow Music Festival. The purpose of the Student Activities Council is to provide opportunities for students to interact socially, spiritually, and intellectually outside of the classroom.

### **Student Government Association**

The Indiana Wesleyan University Student Government Association (SGA) represents students in matters of self-government and problems of mutual interest to the student body and the university. Student Government is made up of an executive board (president and cabinet), senators for academic divisions, resident halls, and representatives from student organizations. The Indiana Wesleyan University Student Government Association represents the concerns of the students to the university administration and elects students to sit as members on university faculty committees.

### **Student Organizations**

IWU proudly offers many opportunities for students to be involved in extracurricular activities. More than 30 student organizations are organized and run by students and are designed to meet a variety of interests. Student organizations exist in the areas of spiritual life, academic clubs, student activities, student government, and student publications. Other student leadership opportunities exist in the New Student Orientation Program. For a listing of specific organizations, please contact the Student Development Office or visit the Wildcat page at <http://wildcat.indwes.edu/Student-Organizations/>

### **Upward Bound**

Upward Bound at IWU is a four-year federal grant program. It targets youth in five area high schools who are from homes where parents meet certain income guidelines and/or do not have baccalaureate degrees. During the school year, support is given through tutoring and twice monthly Saturday sessions. Intensive academic instruction is offered by means of a six-week on-campus summer program. IWU students and staff are utilized to provide tutoring, residence hall supervision, and classroom instruction.

## Financial Information - College of Arts and Sciences

### Tuition and Fees - CAS

It has always been the intent of Indiana Wesleyan University to keep the benefits of education within the financial possibilities of all who wish to attend. This is done by charging the student less than the actual cost and by using numerous financial assistance programs.

### Tuition

Tuition charges include all academic services, except those that require special fees, as listed on the Student Expense sheet, included in all schedule of classes, for each semester.

Charges are based on the total number of credit hours per semester. The same rate applies to day and night classes. Special rates may apply to May term and Summer Sessions.

Students taking six or more credit hours may qualify for financial aid and should contact the Financial Aid Office.

The total cost of tuition depends on the total number of credit hours (either day or night classes) taken per semester, as follows (for the 2010/2011 school year):

Number of Credit Hours	Cost Per Semester
1	\$451
2	902
3	1353
4	1804
5	2255
6	4548
7	5306
8	6064
9	6822
10	7580
11	8338
12 - 16	10607

Credit hours above 16 per semester will be charged at \$758 per credit hour.

### Fees

Art Studio Courses and Graphics	\$75 per course
Late/Change Registration Fee	\$25 additional chg
Medical Laboratory Technology	\$30 per semester
PSY-150 Fee	\$32 per course
PSY-290 Fee	\$35 per course
PSY-291 Fee	\$125 per course
SWK-343 Fee	\$125 per course
ADC-291 Fee	\$125 per course

Nursing/Clinical Fee	\$15 per credit hour
Nursing testing fees...	
vary depending on the semester and will be assessed to student accounts on a semester basis. Please contact the Nursing office to determine if you will have a testing fee for the current semester.	
Private Lessons	
(1/2 hour lesson)	\$175 per semester
(1 hour lesson)	\$300 per semester
Senior Recital	\$200 per course
Teaching/Psychology	
Practicum Fee	\$25 per credit hour
Independent Learning Fee	\$100 per credit hour
Transcript Fee	\$3 per request
Music Uniform Fee	\$30 per semester
Cross-cultural Student Teaching Fee	\$300
ATR-196	\$20 per course
Athletic Training Education Program Fee	\$70 total for traditional 4 year student
Annual TB Test	\$10
Physical Examination	\$10
Audit (Record is made)	\$25 per credit hour
Credits-in-Escrow	\$50 per course

### Examination/Assessment Fees

Portfolio Fee	\$150
Life Experience	\$35 per credit hour
Other Assessment	\$40 per credit hour
Credit by Examination	\$25 per credit hour

### Room Cost

Cost for the fall 2010 semester, as well as for the spring 2011 semester, is \$1695 per semester. This cost covers the periods of time while school is in session, per the approved university calendar.

**Summer Housing Charges** - There is a charge for all students living in campus housing. One may contact the Business Office for the charge for summer. Arrangements for summer housing must be made in the Student Development Office.

### Meal Plan Cost

The full meal plan for the fall 2010 semester, as well as for the spring 2011 semester, costs \$1809 per semester.

The above charges cover the time when school is in session, per the approved university calendar. No refunds will be given for meals missed unless approved by the associate dean of Student Development. All arrangements for meal plans must be made in the Student Development Office.

**Freeze Room and Board: Room and board will be frozen at entry level** through the student's years at IWU, including the graduate level, providing:

1. Students eligible for the freeze must complete the freeze application each semester and return it to the Business Office to receive the freeze discount. (Students will receive the application in their campus mailbox the first week of each semester.)
2. The student must remain full-time each semester of each subsequent year.
3. The student must abide by available payment methods. Late payment of the school bill will be cause for forfeiture of this benefit.



4. The student must elect the full meal plan each semester and live on campus consecutive semesters. The freeze discount takes effect at the beginning of the student's third semester on campus and will be credited to the student's account upon meeting the above requirements.

### Estimated Costs

	2010-2011 Per Semester	2010-2011 Per Academic Year
Tuition (full-time student)	\$10,607	\$21,214
Room (would not apply to commuter students)	1695	3390
Board - Full Meal Plan (would not apply to commuter students)	1809	3618
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$14,111</b>	<b>\$28,222</b>

(\$10,607 per semester for a full-time commuting student)

Special fees, books, supplies, travel, and personal expenses are additional.

### Payment Terms

The fall 2010 semester charges are due and payable by September 7, 2010. Spring 2011 charges are due and payable by January 11, 2011, except for any financial aid still pending, as long as all requested information has been submitted. If all requested documents have not been submitted to the Financial Aid Office by August 22 (for the fall) and December 26 (for the spring), the remaining balance is due immediately.

### Payment Options

You may choose one, all, or any combination of the following:

#### Cash Payment Plan

Pay the net amount due by September 7 for the fall 2010 semester or by January 11 for the spring 2011 semester. The net amount due represents the total charges less any scholarships, grants, or campus-administered loans confirmed by the Financial Aid Office. In addition to cash, Indiana Wesleyan University will accept personal or cashier checks, VISA, MASTERCARD, or DISCOVER.

#### Loan Payment Plan

Pay the net amount from any Federal Stafford or PLUS loan. All paperwork must be received in the Financial Aid Office by August 22 for the fall or December 26 for the spring.

#### Campus Employment

Pay the net amount from authorized campus employment. Contact Student Accounts to make arrangements for this plan.

#### Installment Payment Plan

See Academic Management Services brochure that is available in the Business Office.

### Refund of Tuition

Registration is an agreement between the student and the university. If a student withdraws, a refund may be given, depending upon the period of time that has elapsed from the beginning of the semester. Refunds apply to those completely withdrawing from school, not to those who drop a course.

### Notice about Withdrawal

Failure to pay one's bill does **not** automatically withdraw a student from classes. Should one decide not to attend IWU, the Registrar's Office must be notified before the first two weeks of the semester in order to receive 100% refund. If a student does not formally withdraw through the Registrar's Office, grades of "F" will be given for the semester. The following table reflects the percentage/amount of refund allowable to those who completely withdraw from school.

Tuition and Fee	Tuition Refund	Room Refund
During the first week	100%	75%
During the second week	100%	50%
During the third week	75%	25%
During the fourth week	50%	-0-
During the fifth week	25%	-0-

**No refunds after the fifth week.**

\*Special fees, such as private lesson fees, are refundable according to the same percentages as tuition.

**Refund of Meal Plan**

A student will be charged or refunded \$18.00 per day. No board refunds will be given after December 1, 2010, for the fall semester or April 1, 2011, for the spring semester.

Scholarships and other forms of financial aid are taken into consideration when refunds are calculated and are prorated according to program restrictions.

**Financial Aid**

**General Information - CAS Financial Aid**

The role of financial aid at Indiana Wesleyan University is to make a quality Christian education affordable to each and every student who qualifies.

**Criteria for Aid:** Students at Indiana Wesleyan University qualify for financial aid by virtue of their need, academic performance, major area of study, or church affiliation. For the purposes of student financial aid, “need” is defined as the difference between the total cost of education and the amount a family may be expected to contribute toward that education. Most financial aid at Indiana Wesleyan University is awarded on the basis of demonstrated need. In addition, most forms of federal, state, and institutional financial aid are intended to assist those students who have not already earned a first baccalaureate degree.

**Types of Aid:** Student financial aid can be classified under four major headings: scholarships, grants, loans, and work programs.

Scholarships and grants are both forms of nonrepayable aid. The term “scholarship” usually is applied to an award that recognizes academic achievement or promise. Sometimes the amount of a scholarship depends on the financial need of the recipient. Grants, on the other hand, are based solely on financial need.

Loans and work programs are forms of self-help aid. Student loans often contain desirable features such as deferred payments during periods of schooling, low interest rates, interest subsidies, or provision for working off the loan obligation through future service in a particular profession. Work assignments connected with the student aid program consist of part-time campus jobs.

**Applying for Aid:** All students desiring financial aid must submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) available on the Web at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). After evaluation by the Financial Aid Office, this information is used to determine the kinds and amounts of need-based aid for which the student qualifies.

**Calendar for Financial Aid**

January 1-Earliest date to file Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

March 10-All students applying for financial aid must have their FAFSA filed **and** received by the federal processor by this date to ensure consideration for all forms of financial aid.

**A Complete File Consists of the Following:**

1. Submission of the FAFSA to the federal processing center indicating IWU as one of the schools to which the data should be sent.
2. Notice of acceptance to students for admission to the university.
3. Additional documents (i.e., tax returns) as needed and requested by the Financial Aid Office.

**Awarding of Aid:** Once application forms begin to arrive in the Financial Aid Office, notices are sent to make applicants aware of any missing forms or to request additional information that may be required. Additional documents must be provided by the date specified in the letter. Without these documents, no financial aid can be awarded. All financial forms are thoroughly edited, and the Financial Aid Office communicates with the student or parents to resolve any significant questions. When the financial aid award has been made, the student is notified via the Financial Aid Award Letter or email notification.

The aid package offered to an applicant consists of a combination of scholarships, grants, loans, or work, depending upon the recipient's aid eligibility. If an aid package includes certain kinds of federal assistance, the sum total of the individual awards cannot exceed the student's calculated financial need. Also, the total of awards that apply only to tuition/fees is limited to the amount of standard tuition/fee charges. While student aid awards are committed for the whole school year, just one-half the amount of each scholarship, grant, or loan is applied to the student's account each semester.

Failure to register at the beginning of a semester, or enrollment for fewer than the required number of credit hours, automatically cancels all awards for the semester. A financial aid recipient who officially withdraws from the university or drops below the required number of credit hours during the refund period of a semester will have an adjustment made in the student aid package. Copies of the university's Packaging Policy are available upon request.

**Requirements for Receiving Aid:** In order to qualify for all federal funds with the exception of a Federal Pell Grant, a student must be enrolled at least half-time. A student is classified as half-time if registration is for a minimum of six credit hours per semester or a total of six credit hours during the summer sessions. Institutional and state scholarships and grants, however, require full-time enrollment (a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester). In addition, Pell Grant, FSEOG, state aid programs, and most forms of institutional aid require that the student does not have a previous baccalaureate degree. Financial aid recipients are required to maintain satisfactory progress toward a degree in their chosen course of study. The institutional Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy outlines the specific details of this requirement. Any student receiving an institutional grant award is expected to maintain an acceptable citizenship record.

### Satisfactory Academic Progress

Students must make Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) towards earning a degree as stipulated below to receive financial aid at IWU from all federal and state student aid grants, Work Study and loan programs. Some additional grants and scholarships may also use part or all of the SAP standards as minimum criteria for funding eligibility.

REVISED effective May 2008	Undergraduate Programs		
Total Hours Earned and Recognized by IWU for Degree Consideration from All institutions	1-28	29-44	45-up
Minimum Cumulative GPA	1.80	1.90	2.00
Minimum Pass Rate Percentage of Total Hours Successfully Completed (Measured as Hours Earned ÷ Hours Attempted)	67%	67%	67%
Maximum Total Credit Hours or Time Allowed to Complete Current Primary Degree Requirements	150% of the specific degree programs published length		

Students who fail to meet the minimum standards as shown will be placed on financial aid probation for one semester. During their probation semester, students are still fully eligible for financial aid. They must improve their cumulative academic measures by the end of that semester to meet the policy requirements in order to continue to have financial aid eligibility for subsequent semesters. Eligibility resumes when the student raises his or her cumulative academic measurements to the required levels.

SAP SUSPENSION may be appealed if unusual and/or mitigating circumstances affected academic progress. Such circumstances may include a severe illness or injury to the student or an immediate family member, the death of a student's relative, student activation into military service or other circumstances as deemed appropriate for consideration by the SAP Appeals Committee.

To appeal, the student must submit a legible letter, a completed SAP Appeal Form and supporting documentation to the IWU Financial Aid Office. These should explain in detail why the student failed to meet the minimum academic standards, what unusual and/or mitigating circumstances contributed to the failure and how his or her situation has improved. Appeals must be received by the Financial Aid Office no later than 15 business days before the end of the term for which reinstatement is desired. Early appeal submission is strongly encouraged. A committee will review the appeal and will notify the student in writing of their decision. If an appeal is approved, the student will regain financial aid eligibility for a designated period of time.

## Scholarships

### National Merit Finalist/Semifinalist Scholarship

National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test finalists and semifinalists may receive an \$8000 award but are not eligible for other IWU academic scholarships. The student must be an entering freshman, submit a copy of the National Merit Certificate, have a 3.5 high school GPA, and enroll full-time each semester. National Merit Scholarships are renewable for up to eight consecutive semesters. To renew, students must be enrolled full-time (at least 12 credit hours fall and spring semesters) and must achieve a 3.2 minimum cumulative GPA. These credits must be completed by the end of May term each year. National Merit Scholarships are not available for enrollment in summer sessions, nor will credits earned or GPA achieved in summer sessions count toward eligibility requirements until the following fall or spring calculation. If lost, the scholarship may be reinstated following completion of the next fall or spring term, if eligibility requirements are met; however recipient will have fewer semesters of eligibility remaining.

### Academic Scholarship

A full-time incoming freshman may qualify for an academic scholarship by scoring a minimum SAT 1100 (excluding writing score, math and verbal sections only) or ACT 24 (excluding writing score) and by having at least a 3.40 high school GPA (on a 4.00 scale). Academic Scholarships are renewable for up to eight consecutive semesters. To renew, students must be enrolled full-time (at least 12 credit hours fall and spring semesters) and must achieve a 3.2 minimum GPA for scholarships valued at \$6,000 per year or higher, or a 3.0 minimum cumulative GPA for scholarships with annual awards below \$6,000. These credits must be completed by the end of May term each year. Academic scholarships are not available for enrollment in summer sessions, nor will credits earned or GPA achieved in summer sessions count toward eligibility requirements until the following fall or spring calculation. If lost, the scholarship may be reinstated following completion of the next fall or spring term, if eligibility requirements are met; however recipient will have fewer semesters of eligibility remaining.

### Eligibility Grid For Academic Scholarship

1. BOTH minimum GPA and test score requirements must be met to qualify.
2. GPA updates are made only through the 7th semester in high school.
3. Test scores may not be updated after an April 15 test date.

GPA/GED	POINTS	SAT/ACT Scores
3.40	1	1100/24
3.50	2	1130/25
3.60	3	1170/26
3.70/60-63	4	1210/27
3.80/64-67	5	1240/28
3.90/68-71	6	1280/29
4.00/72+	7	1360/31
POINTS	ANNUAL AMOUNT	
2 – 3	=\$3000/year	
4 – 5	=\$3500/year	
6 – 7	=\$4000/year	
8 – 9	=\$5000/year	
10 – 11	=\$6000/year	
12 – 14	=\$7000/year	

Example: A student with 3.50 GPA (worth 2 points) and 1100 SAT (worth 1 point) would have a total of 3 points and qualify for \$3000/year (\$1500/semester).

### Transfer Academic Scholarship

A full-time transfer student who has attended at least one full-time year (at least 24 credit hours) at an approved college or university may qualify with a minimum transfer GPA of at least 3.40 on a 4.00 scale. A GPA on transfer work from more than one college or university will be calculated using a weighted average. A student with less than 24 credit hours must meet the requirements for the freshman Academic Scholarship. It is the student's responsibility to submit the necessary transcripts and test scores at the time of application for admission to Indiana Wesleyan University.

Transfer Academic Scholarships are renewable for students who enroll full-time (at least 12 credit hours fall and spring semesters) and achieve a 3.2 minimum cumulative GPA for scholarships valued at \$6,000 per year or higher, or a 3.0 minimum cumulative GPA for scholarships with annual awards below \$6,000. These credits must be completed by the end of May term each year. Transfer Academic Scholarships are not available for enrollment in summer sessions, nor will credits earned or GPA achieved in summer sessions count toward eligibility requirements until the following fall or spring calculation. If lost, the scholarship may be reinstated following completion of the next fall or spring term, if eligibility requirements are met; however, recipient will have fewer semesters of eligibility remaining. The number of semesters of eligibility will be determined by the grade level at which the student enters IWU. The chart below shows semesters of eligibility for transfer students entering at each grade level:

Freshman		eight semesters of full-time enrollment (normally four years)
Sophomore		six semesters of full-time enrollment (normally three years)
Junior		four semesters of full-time enrollment (normally two years)
Senior		two semesters of full-time enrollment (normally one year)

### **Transfer Academic Scholarship**

GPA	AMOUNT
3.40	\$2250
3.50	\$3000
3.60	\$3500
3.70	\$4000
3.80	\$5000
3.90	\$6000
4.00	\$7000

### **Valedictorian or Salutatorian Scholarship**

Awards are made to all high school valedictorians (\$1000) or salutatorians (\$500) who are first-year students (first-time college students) at Indiana Wesleyan University and whose graduating class had a minimum of 5 members. Scholarship is nonrenewable.

### **Presidential Scholarship**

Funds for these awards are made available through a trust given to Indiana Wesleyan University in memory of Henry M. and Anna Shugart. Awards are given annually to graduates of Grant County, Indiana, high schools who have attained at least a 3.50 cumulative GPA (on a 4.00 scale) and possess positive leadership and citizenship traits. The award amount is \$2,000 per year for four years to entering freshmen, full-time students only. Students must apply through the high school guidance office by the announced filing deadline. The student must maintain a 3.50 cumulative GPA to renew the scholarship.

### **Athletic Service Grant**

Several awards are granted each year to both men and women participating in intercollegiate athletics. Awards are made upon recommendation of coaches of the individual sports.

### **Music Scholarship**

Scholarships are available by audition to qualified full-time students majoring in music. Contact the Division of Music for additional information.

### **Art Scholarship**

Scholarships are available to qualified full-time students majoring in art. Contact the Division of Art for additional information.

### **Theatre Scholarship**

Scholarships are available to qualified full-time students. Contact the Division of Communication for additional information.

### **Church Matching Scholarship Program**

Indiana Wesleyan University will match a local church's contribution to its Matching Church Scholarship Fund up to a maximum of \$900 per student. To qualify, the church must file an application with the Church Relations Office prior to the first day of classes each academic year.

#### **Indiana Foundation for Home Schooling Scholarship**

A \$1000 award is available to a home schooled student participating in the IFHS graduation ceremony. Students must submit an application and have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 with SAT score of 1000 or an ACT score of 21. Scholarship renewable by maintaining a 3.0 cumulative GPA.

#### **Indiana Higher Education Award (HEA) - Indiana Residents Only**

The State Student Assistance Commission of Indiana (SSACI) administers this grant program based on financial need. Potential recipients must submit the FAFSA and have it received at the federal processor by March 10. Recipients must be full-time students. Awards vary and are dependent on the type of diploma received and state funding.

#### **Indiana Freedom-of-Choice Grant (FOC) - Indiana Residents Only**

Full-time students who qualify for the Indiana HEA and who attend an approved Indiana private institution, such as Indiana Wesleyan University, are considered for this need-based award. It is not necessary for the applicant to file any forms other than those required for the Indiana HEA award.

#### **Indiana 21st Century Scholars Program - Indiana Residents Only**

Potential recipients applied in their 6th, 7th or 8th grade year to be part of the program and fulfilled a pledge of good citizenship. Recipients must submit their FAFSA and have it received at the federal processor by March 10. The student must also enroll full-time in an approved Indiana institution. Awards vary based on eligibility received for the Indiana Higher Education Award and Indiana Freedom of Choice Grant.

#### **Family Tuition Discount**

The discount will be \$1,000 toward tuition only for each full-time undergraduate student from the same family. The definition of family is meant in the traditional, not extended sense. This could be any combination of husband/wife/father/mother/unmarried dependent sons or daughters. It is intended to assist families where two or more "living under the same roof" are attending Indiana Wesleyan University on a full-time basis in traditional programs of study.

#### **Pastor Dependent Grant**

A recipient must be a dependent undergraduate child of a full-time ordained minister serving in a local church during the academic year in which the award is granted. The student must enroll full-time; the amount is \$1,800 per academic year.

### **Grants**

#### **Federal PELL Grant**

Any U.S. citizen who does not have a baccalaureate degree can apply for a Pell grant by completing the FAFSA. Awards are based on financial need and range from \$565-\$5550 for the 2010-2011 academic year.

#### **Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)**

These awards range from \$100 to \$4,000 per year, depending upon financial need and funding received by IWU. Recipients must also be eligible for the federal Pell Grant.

#### **Indiana Wesleyan University Grant**

Funds provided by IWU available to students who file a FAFSA that is received by the federal processor by March 10. Amount varies based on student's calculated need, other financial aid received, and funding level.

#### **Shugart Grant**

Funds for this award are made available through a trust given to Indiana Wesleyan University in memory of Henry M. and Anna Shugart. Recipients must reside in Indiana and file a FAFSA that is received by the federal processor by March 10. Amount varies based on student's calculated need, other financial aid received, and funding level.

#### **Wesleyan Student Aid**

Acknowledging its Wesleyan heritage, Indiana Wesleyan University wishes to strengthen its relationship to The Wesleyan Church and enroll increased numbers of Wesleyan students. The following financial aid programs have been developed to meet these goals and assist Wesleyan students in furthering their education at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Wesleyan Student Grant**

This award of \$1,000 is given to all Wesleyan students who demonstrate financial need as calculated by the FAFSA information.

### **Wesleyan Missionary Dependent Grant**

The award amount is 50 percent of tuition for up to eight semesters. The recipient must demonstrate financial need, reside on campus, be a full-time undergraduate student, and apply for all other forms of federal and state financial aid. Parent(s) must serve full-time under direct appointment of the Global Partners or Wesleyan Native American Ministries during the academic year in which the award is received. The recipient may NOT also receive the Out-of-State Wesleyan Grant, the International Wesleyan Grant, or the Wesleyan Pastor Dependent Grant.

### **Out-of-State Wesleyan Grant**

This award is available to full-time students who regularly attended a Wesleyan Church outside the state of Indiana immediately prior to enrolling at Indiana Wesleyan University. The award of \$2,000 is given only to full-time, undergraduate, U.S. resident students who demonstrate financial need on the FAFSA, which must be completed each year.

### **Wesleyan Pastor Dependent Grant**

A recipient must be a dependent undergraduate child of a full-time ordained minister serving in a local Wesleyan church during the academic year in which the award is granted. The student must enroll full-time; the amount is 50 percent of tuition and will be provided through the combination of all scholarships and grants from federal, state and institutional programs, excluding academic honors, athletic awards, Campus Challenge and Wesleyan Bible Bowl awards.

### **Campus Challenge/Wesleyan Bible Bowl (WBB) Scholarship**

The recipient must submit the original scholarship certificates to the Financial Aid Office prior to fall enrollment. Awards earned or certificates submitted AFTER that time may be available for use in future academic years. Full-time students may use up to \$1,000 per academic year (divided one-half each semester) UNLESS the current certificates held total in excess of \$4,000, in which case the student may use one-fourth of the total per academic year. Recipients must also attend full-time.

### **John Wesley Scholarship**

Accepted Wesleyan undergraduate students must submit an application prior to the deadline to the Admissions Office to be considered for this award. This award is provided by various donors to allow funding for students who may otherwise be unable to attend IWU. Award amounts vary based on funds available and the scholarship committee's determination of the student's need for the scholarship.

### **Canadian Wesleyan Scholarship**

Wesleyan Canadian students who enroll full-time may be awarded a scholarship equal to 25 percent of the tuition for the academic year. This amount is awarded to recognize the difference in monetary values and does not necessarily represent par on any given date.

### **International Wesleyan Grant**

International Wesleyan students who attended a Wesleyan church in their home country are eligible for \$3,000 per year. A 2.5 grade average is required to renew these monies each year. The award may be received once for a total of eight semesters.

### **Wesleyan Ministerial Loan/Grant**

The Wesleyan Church and Indiana Wesleyan University cooperate in providing Ministerial Loan Grants for full-time junior and senior Christian ministries students who are members of The Wesleyan Church. Indiana Wesleyan University cooperates with The Wesleyan Church and local districts in providing funds for graduate students as well. Juniors may receive \$4,000 per year, while seniors may receive \$6,000 per year from the university. In addition, The Wesleyan Church provides funds per credit hour as available to assist with educational expenses. Students, including transfer students, must complete one full year at IWU before becoming eligible for the IWU portion. The funds are subject to all policies and procedures governing university financial aid. A separate application is required each semester by the announced deadline.

Conditions of eligibility for both undergraduate and graduate ministerial aid are as follows:

1. Student must be a member of a local Wesleyan church of the North American General Conference.
2. Examination and approval as a licensed ministerial student by the District Board of Ministerial Development prior to the beginning of the semester in which the loan/grant is to be received.
3. Cumulative grade-point average of 2.0 or higher.
4. Admission to the appropriate undergraduate or graduate Christian ministries or youth ministries major (See School of Theology and Ministry).

**5. Approval by the director of financial aid.**

Each award is issued as a loan with separate promissory notes to be signed for repayment of the denominational and university shares. However, recipients who later serve The Wesleyan Church under district appointment have the privilege of canceling 20 percent of the total loan obligation for each year of full-time service rendered. Those who are employed otherwise will repay their loan(s) over a period of five years with an annual interest rate of 10 percent. Further information about the operation of this program can be found online at the Wesleyan headquarters Web page <http://www.wesleyan.org> or secured by writing the Department of Education and the Ministry of The Wesleyan Church, P.O. Box 50434, Indianapolis, Indiana 46250-0434.

**Loans**

**Federal Perkins Loan**

Students qualify for these loans on the basis of financial need and according to the institution’s Packaging Policy. Eligible students may be assigned Perkins Loans up to \$3,000 per year, with an aggregate limit of \$15,000 as undergraduates.

For first-time borrowers, repayment of Perkins Loans begins nine months after termination of at least half-time enrollment at an eligible institution and continues over a period of 10 years (or less) with interest charges of 5 percent per year and a minimum monthly payment of \$40.

**TYPICAL REPAYMENT OF LOANS**

Total Loan Amount	Number of Payments	Monthly Payment	Total Interest Charges	Total Repaid
\$4500	120	\$47.73	\$1227.60	\$5727.60
9000	120	95.46	2455.20	11455.20
15000	120	159.10	4091.73	19091.73

**IWU Student Loan**

Awards in this institutional loan program range from \$200 to \$3,000 per academic year to students who demonstrate financial need. Repayment begins six months after the student terminates at least half-time enrollment at an eligible institution. Repayments are similar to the schedule for the federal Perkins Loan. The interest rate on the IWU student loan is 8.75 percent.

**Typical Repayment Of Loans**

Total Loan Amount	Number of Payments	Monthly Payment	Total Interest Charges	Total Repaid
\$4500	120	\$56.40	\$2267.43	\$6767.43
9000	120	112.79	4534.58	13535.58
15000	120	187.99	7558.82	22558.82

Due to the large number of loan accounts, the inherent complexities of the federal Perkins Loan program, and the new importance of loan repayments, Indiana Wesleyan University has contracted with University Accounting Service, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to handle the billing and collection functions for all federal Perkins Loans and IWU Student Loans administered by the university.

**Federal Direct Loan**

Direct Loans are need-based and/or non need-based loans for which a student applies through the Direct Loan Program. Repayment begins six months after the student ceases to be at least a half-time student and is spread over a period of up to 10 years. Deferments are available if the student meets certain conditions. A first-year student may borrow up to \$5,500 per academic year, a second-year student may borrow up to \$6,500, and students during the third year and thereafter may borrow up to \$7,500, based on financial need. The total amount of undergraduate loans may not exceed \$31,000. All students must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid to qualify for a Direct Loan.

Students with financial need may qualify for a 4.5 percent interest rate subsidized Direct Loan, which means the government is paying or subsidizing the interest while the student is in school or in the grace period. Students without financial need qualify for the unsubsidized Direct Loan at 6.8 percent interest, in which their interest is not paid by the government. Students may pay the interest monthly while in school, or the lender will capitalize the accrued interest each year causing the loan to increase more rapidly.

**Typical Repayment Of Unsubsidized Direct Loans**

Total Loan Amount	Number of Payments	Monthly Payment	Total Interest Charges	Total Repaid
\$5500	120	\$63.00	\$2095.00	\$7595.00



10500	120	120.83	4000.00	14500.00
15000	120	172.61	5714.00	20714.00
23000	120	264.68	8762.00	31762.00

### **Federal PLUS (Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students)**

Parents may borrow funds through this program to assist with their child(ren)'s educational expenses. The limit is the cost of education per child minus other financial aid. The interest rate is a fixed 7.9 percent. Borrowers must be creditworthy and can begin repayment upon disbursement of the funds or request a deferment until the student is no longer enrolled full-time.

### **Work Programs**

#### **Federal Work-Study Program**

Most student work assignments on the campus fall within the scope of the Federal Work-Study Program (FWS). Students average 10 hours per week during the academic year and from 15-40 hours per week during periods of non-enrollment. The pay rate is minimum wage for most positions on campus. A student is eligible for a FWS position if there is sufficient financial need and Work-Study is listed as one of the types of financial aid the student has been awarded. Please note that the award amount listed by financial aid is an estimate of earnings and not a guarantee. All students must find a job on campus and their earnings will be tied to hours worked and wage of position held. All student employees must complete the Immigration and Naturalization Service's I-9 Form and must be issued a Work Authorization.

#### **Indiana Wesleyan University Employment**

A limited number of campus jobs are assigned to students who do not qualify for the Federal Work-Study Program. In such cases, the institution pays all of the student's wages, and the earnings are paid directly to the student with the intent of paying the student's account. Pay rates are also at minimum wage.

### **Right to Know**

A student has the right to know...

1. What financial assistance is available, including information on all federal, state, and institutional financial aid programs.
2. The deadlines for submitting applications for each of the financial aid programs available.
3. The cost of attending the institution and the school's refund policy.
4. The criteria used by the institution to select financial aid recipients.
5. How the school determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, room and board, travel, books and supplies, personal and miscellaneous expenses, etc., are considered in your budget.
6. What resources (such as parental contribution, other financial aid, your assets, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need.
7. How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
8. An explanation of the various programs in your student aid package. If you believe you have been treated unfairly, you may request reconsideration of the award that was made to you.
9. What portion of the financial aid you received must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total amount that must be repaid, the payback procedures, the length of the time you have to repay the loan, and when repayment is to begin.

### **Responsibilities**

It is your responsibility to...

1. Review and consider all information about the school's program before you enroll.
2. Complete all application forms accurately and submit them on time to the right place.
3. Pay special attention to and accurately complete your application for student aid. Errors can result in long delays in your receipt of financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties under the U.S. Criminal Code.
4. Return all additional information, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Financial Aid Office or the agency to which you submitted your application.
5. Read and understand all forms that you are asked to sign and keep copies of them.
6. Accept responsibility for all agreements you sign.
7. Notify the lender of changes in your name, address, or school status if you have a loan.

8. Perform in a satisfactory manner the work that is agreed upon in accepting a university Work Study award.
9. Know and comply with the deadlines for application or reapplication for aid.
10. Know and comply with your school's refund procedures.

### **Withdrawal and Impact on Financial Aid**

Students who receive financial aid (federal, state, or institutional aid) and withdraw from classes during the semester are potentially subject to a review of their financial aid eligibility. The impact on a student's awards will depend on

1. When the student withdrew from a class or classes.
2. Whether the student withdrew from one or more classes, but remained enrolled or if the student completely withdrew from all classes.
3. Type of financial aid awarded.
4. Changes to the charges on the student's account.

Students need to talk with their financial aid counselor prior to withdrawing from any course(s) so that he/she can make an informed decision regarding the financial impact of the withdraw.

The following sections provide an overview of the impact of withdraws based on the type of aid received:

### **Federal Aid (Title IV)**

Students who receive federal Title IV financial aid (Pell Grant, FSEOG, Perkins Loan, federal work-study, or Direct subsidized or unsubsidized loans) and who completely withdraw from all classes during the semester are subject to the Return of Title IV Funds calculation. This calculation does not apply to a student who withdraws from one or more classes but remains enrolled in one or more classes.

The calculation is based on the number of calendar days in the term compared to the number of days elapsed when the withdrawal is completed. Based on the percentage of the term completed, the student is allowed to retain a similar percentage of the federal Title IV financial aid. The remainder of the funds is to be returned to the federal programs. The school will determine how much of the federal funds are to be returned by the school and how much, if any, is to be returned by the student.

Funds will be returned in the following order if the student received money from the fund:

Federal Unsubsidized Direct Loan

Federal Subsidized Direct Loan

Perkins Loan

PLUS

Pell Grant

Academic Competitiveness Grants

National SMART Grants

FSEOG

If the funds the student must repay need to be returned to the federal grant programs, the student will only have to repay 50 percent of the required grant. Students will be given 45 days to repay any grant monies owed. After 45 days, the student will be placed in a federal grant overpayment status and will be ineligible to receive federal funds, at any school, until the grant is repaid. Loan monies owed will become subject to the loan promissory note signed by the student.

Here is an example of how a calculation might work: If there are 10 calendar days in the term (excluding any breaks of five or more days) and the student withdraws on the 25th day, 25 percent of the term has elapsed. This means that 75 percent of the federal funds must be returned. If the student received \$5,000 in federal Title IV aid, the \$3,750 must be returned. If the school retained all of the funds to pay for school charged expenses, then the school will return all of the funds. If some of the funds were disbursed to the student, then the student may have to repay some of the funds also.

## **Institutional Aid**

The institutional aid a student receives will follow the same guidelines as provided in the federal aid section above, except that institutional aid is limited to the amount of institutional charges after any adjustments are made based on the withdraw.

## **Indiana State Aid**

The State Student Assistance Commission of Indiana (SSACI) has a refund period that consists of the first four weeks of each academic term. If a student withdraws from one or more classes and thus is not classified as a full-time student at the end of the SSACI refund period, the student is not eligible for any of their state grant funds. If a student withdraws from one or more classes after the SSACI refund period, the impact on the student's state grants will depend on any adjustment of charges made on the student's account.

Please contact the Financial Aid Office at 765-677-2116 if you have any questions regarding the impact of a withdraw on your student financial aid.

## **Financial Information - Other**

A student may not register for the next semester, term, or session or receive a transcript unless all charges are paid in full.

The university is not responsible for the loss of personal property on campus.

Students are accountable for materials and equipment issued to them. Damage to property must be paid for by those responsible.

The university does not have health insurance for students and will not be responsible for any health-related charges.

## **Financial Aid - Further Information**

For further information regarding financial aid opportunities, contact the Financial Aid Office, Indiana Wesleyan University, Marion, Indiana 46953. Phone 765-677-2116.

## Areas of Study

### Art

Ceramics  
Computer Graphics  
Fine Art  
Fine Art Minor  
Art History Minor  
Illustration  
Interior Design  
Media Design  
Painting  
Photography  
Printmaking  
Art Education  
Pre-Art Therapy

### Communication

Communication Studies  
Communication Studies Minor  
Journalism  
Journalism Minor  
Media Communication  
Media Communication Minor  
Public Relations  
Public Relations Minor  
Theatre  
Theatre Minor

### Modern Language and Literature

English  
English Minor  
English Education  
Latin American and Iberian Studies Minor  
Spanish  
Spanish Minor  
Spanish Education  
TESOL-Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages  
TESOL Minor  
TESOL Education  
Writing  
Writing Minor

## **Music**

Music (Applied)  
Church Music  
Church Music Minor  
Music Composition  
Music Education  
Music Minor  
Performance

## **Theology and Ministry**

Adolescent Ministries  
Adolescent Ministries Minor  
Biblical Literature  
Biblical Literature Minor  
Biblical Languages Minor  
Biblical History and Geography Minor  
Children's Ministry  
Children's Ministry Minor  
Christian Education  
Christian Education Minor  
Christian Ministries  
Christian Ministries Minor  
Christian Worship  
Christian Worship Minor  
Intercultural Studies  
Intercultural Studies Minor  
International and Community Development  
International and Community Development Minor  
Urban Ministries Minor  
Latin American and Iberian Studies Minor  
Philosophy and Theology  
Philosophy Minor  
Theology Minor  
Sports Ministries  
Youth Ministries  
Youth Ministries Minor

## **Behavioral Sciences**

Addictions Counseling  
Addiction Studies Minor  
Criminal Justice  
Pre-Art Therapy  
Psychology  
Psychology Minor

Social Work  
Sociology Minor

**Business**

Accounting  
Accounting Minor  
Business Administration  
Business Administration Minor  
Entrepreneurship  
Finance  
Management  
Marketing

**Social Sciences**

Economics  
Economics Minor  
History  
History Minor  
International Relations  
Political Science  
Political Science Minor  
Political Science Pre-Law  
Public Policy  
Public Policy Minor  
Social Studies  
Social Studies Education  
Latin American and Iberian Studies Minor

**Life Calling and Leadership**

Leadership  
Leadership Minor  
General Studies  
Pre-Declared Students

**Teacher Education**

Elementary Education  
Exceptional Needs Education  
Secondary Education

**Health and Human Performance**

Applied Health and Fitness  
Athletic Training  
Coaching Minor  
Exercise Science

Health, Promotion and Wellness  
Health, Promotion and Wellness Minor  
Physical Education  
Pre-Physical Therapy  
Recreation Management  
Recreation Management Minor  
Sports Management  
Sports Ministries

**Natural Sciences**

Biology  
Biology Minor  
Biology Education  
Biochemistry  
Chemistry  
Chemistry Minor  
Chemistry Education  
Medical Technology  
Physics Minor  
Pre-Medical Sciences  
Science Education

**Mathematics and Computer Information Sciences**

Computer Information Systems  
Computer Information Systems Minor  
Computer Internet Development  
Computer Science  
Computer Science Minor  
Computer Software Engineering  
Mathematics  
Mathematics - Interdisciplinary  
Mathematics Minor  
Statistics Minor  
Mathematics Education

**Pre-licensure Nursing**

Nursing  
Transition to Nursing (Accelerated, 2nd degree)

**Course Description Link**

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Undergraduate Subject Codes

ACC	Accounting
ADC	Addictions Counseling
ADM	Administration
ART	Art
ATR	Athletic Training
BIL	Biblical Literature
BIO	Biology
BIS	Business Information Systems
BUS	Business
CED	Christian Education
CHE	Chemistry
CIS	Computer and Information Sciences
CIT	Computer Information Technology
COM	Communication
CON	Continuing Education
CRJ	Criminal Justice
EAR	Earth Science
ECO	Economics
EDS	Special Education
EDU	Education
ENG	English
ENT	Entrepreneurship
FIN	Finance
FRE	French
GEO	Geography
GRE	Greek
HBR	Hebrew
HCM	Health Care Management
HNR	Honors College
HST	History
ICD	International and Community Development
INT	Intercultural Studies
LANG	Language
LAT	Latin
LDR	Leadership
MAT	Mathematics
MGT	Management
MKG	Marketing
MNG	Management
MUS	Music
NUR	Nursing
PAT	Pre-art Therapy
PBP	Public Policy
PHE	Physical Education
PHL	Philosophy
PHY	Physics
PMD	Pre-medical Sciences
POL	Political Science



PSY	Psychology
REC	Recreation Management
REL	Religion
SCI	Science
SOC	Sociology
SPA	Spanish
SPM	Sports Management
SWK	Social Work
THE	Theology
TSL	TESOL
UNV	University Studies
WRI	Writing
YTH	Youth Ministries

### Graduate Subject Codes

ADC	Addictions Counseling
ADM	Administration
CCM	Community Counseling
CHN	Community Health Nursing
CNS	Counseling
DOL	Doctorate Organizational Leadership
EDL	Educational Leadership
EDU	Education
EDUE	Graduate Education Elective
EDUM	Graduate Education Major Course
GNUR	Graduate Nursing
MGT	Management
MIN	Ministry
PYC	Primary Care

### Numbering of Courses

The course number has significance in the following ways:

000-099 Preparatory Courses (Limited number applied toward graduation)

100-199 Courses ordinarily taken in the freshman year

200-299 Courses ordinarily taken in the sophomore year

300-399 Courses ordinarily taken in the junior year

400-499 Courses ordinarily taken in the senior year

500-999 Courses ordinarily taken for graduate/doctoral credit

## Nursing - B.S.N.

The minimum requirements for the bachelor of science nursing are 124 credit hours. The required nursing courses include the following.

<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>61 hours</b>
NUR-145	Foundations of Nursing	3
NUR-221	Principles of Intervention	2
NUR-232	Advanced Principles of Intervention	2
NUR-242	Nutrition	2
NUR-245	Adult Health I	4
NUR-250	Pharmacology	3
NUR-253	Maternal Newborn Nursing	3
NUR-257	Nursing Care of Children	3
NUR-260	Physical Assessment	3
NUR-260L	Physical Assessment Lab	0
NUR-330	Gerontological Nursing	4
NUR-337	Pathophysiology	3
NUR-345	Adult Health II	5
NUR-371	Mental Health Nursing	3
NUR-400	Transcultural Nursing	2
NUR-400L	Transcultural Nursing-Practicum	1
NUR-436	Research	3
NUR-445	Adult Health III	5
NUR-470	Community Health Nursing	5
NUR-473	Nursing Leadership and Management	5
<b>Required Supporting Courses</b>		<b>21 hours</b>
BIO-111	Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO-112	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
BIO-113	Microbiology	4
CHE-120	Introduction to Organic and Biological Chemistry	4
COM-110	Speech Communications	3
PSY-150	General Psychology	3

## Transition to Nursing - B.S.N.

If you currently hold a bachelors degree in another field from any accredited institution of higher learning and are interested in becoming a nurse, this is the program for you. Transition to Nursing offers you the opportunity to become a nurse in 14 months. This full time program requires 63 credit hours of nursing coursework and leads to a BSN degree in nursing. The coursework is designed to provide a sound foundation in nursing skills and dispositions, and includes leadership and nursing research in the clinical setting. Following successful completion of the curriculum, students are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN) in Indiana or other states subject to that state's guidelines and regulations. This program also provides the foundation for the pursuit of graduate education.

The Transition to Nursing program takes advantage of your academic track record and builds upon your past experiences. It provides a realistic transition to the nursing profession in an expedited manner. Due to the rigorous nature of the program, students are strongly encouraged not to have outside employment during the program.

## FEES

Assessment Testing fees, as well as clinical and lab fees will be assessed every semester.

## Prerequisites

1. Previous baccalaureate degree with GPA of 2.75 or above.
2. Anatomy and Physiology I.
3. Anatomy and Physiology II.
4. Microbiology.
5. Chemistry.
6. CPR Certification.
7. Health clearance.
8. Certified criminal background check.
9. University math competency.
10. Test of Essential Academic Skills with a score of 75% or higher.

Required Courses		63 hours
NUR-145	Foundations of Nursing	3
NUR-221	Principles of Intervention	2
NUR-232	Advanced Principles of Intervention	2
NUR-242	Nutrition	2
NUR-245	Adult Health I	4
NUR-250	Pharmacology	3
NUR-253	Maternal Newborn Nursing	3
NUR-257	Nursing Care of Children	3
NUR-260	Physical Assessment	3
NUR-260L	Physical Assessment Lab	0
NUR-330	Gerontological Nursing	4
NUR-337	Pathophysiology	3
NUR-345	Adult Health II	5
NUR-371	Mental Health Nursing	3
NUR-400	Transcultural Nursing	2
NUR-400L	Transcultural Nursing-Practicum	1
NUR-436	Research	3
NUR-445	Adult Health III	5
NUR-450	Nursing from a Christian Worldview	2
NUR-470	Community Health Nursing	5
NUR-473	Nursing Leadership and Management	5

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## Post-licensure Nursing Division

The School of Nursing offers a post-licensure RNBSN Program leading to a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (B.S.N.). The undergraduate program prepares men and women for professional nursing practice and provides a foundation for advanced study in nursing.

Policies and General Information - Post-licensure Nursing Division

### Admission Requirements

The admissions requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree offered through the School of Nursing's Division of Post-licensure Programs are as follows:

- Proof of high school graduation or GED certification.
- Original transcripts from all previous college or university study at regionally accredited colleges or universities or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Prior completion of at least 60 transferable credit hours from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education is required before the student is eligible to start a bachelor core program.
  - A maximum of 40 hours of credit may be earned through the assessed learning process toward the required 60.
  - Applicants with a diploma from a State Board of Nursing accredited hospital school of nursing may be eligible to apply for credit through the diploma evaluation process. A maximum of 40 credit hours awarded may be counted toward the required 60. This applies only to students applying to the Nursing program.
  - Applicants who have earned an A.S. in Nursing or equivalent degree at a proprietary school which holds a national accreditation are eligible to receive credit in transfer. A maximum of 40 credit hours of supporting science and nursing courses may be counted toward the required 60. This applies only to students applying to the Nursing program.
- Applicants must be currently employed as a licensed RN either full or part-time; or have one year prior full or part-time work experience as a licensed LPN or RN.
- Proof of current **unencumbered** RN licensure;
- An overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 from all previous study. If an applicant's GPA is below 2.0, the student may be admitted on a probationary basis, as established by the guidelines of the college.

### Graduation Requirements

To graduate with a baccalaureate degree in Nursing from the School of Nursing at Indiana Wesleyan University, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of 124 semester hours.
- Completion of the required core courses with a GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- All individual core courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better.
- Completion of 30 hours of liberal arts as specified.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

### Policies and General Information - Post-licensure (RNBSN)

The right is reserved to change any of the rules and regulations of the university at any time, including those relating to admission, instruction, and graduation. The right to withdraw curricula and specific courses, alter course content, change the calendar, and to impose or increase fees similarly is reserved. All such changes are effective at such times as the proper authorities determine and may apply not only to prospective students but also to those already enrolled in the university.

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## **Academic Information - Post-licensure (RNBSN)**

**Academic Calendar** - Courses in adult and graduate programs are offered under the semester hour system but in a non-traditional academic calendar. Each program consists of specific courses that are taught in a modular format and taken sequentially. Onsite core groups meet on the same day for the duration of the program. Online core groups meet in an asynchronous environment through Blackboard. Certain programs require students to complete project team assignments.

**Catalog Governing Graduation** - Students must meet the graduation requirements as stated in the university catalog under which they enrolled. Students who maintain continuous enrollment, who make normal progress toward a degree, and who earn their degree within a maximum of six years from the date of enrollment may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they enrolled. Students who withdraw from Indiana Wesleyan University for more than six months will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment. Students changing majors or programs must meet requirements as stated in the catalog that is current at the time they make such changes. The same holds true for students moving between schools and colleges.

**Core Requirements** - The integrity of the adult and graduate programs requires that the core courses be met at Indiana Wesleyan University. Due to the nature of the programs, students can only be enrolled in one program at a time. Students are required to complete the first course of the core program with a passing grade in order to maintain enrollment with their original cohort. In general, no waivers are allowed for courses taken at other colleges/universities.

Final class dates as established by the calendar will be the final date for completion of the core curriculum. No compressing or doubling of core work is permitted to accommodate earlier completion or graduation schedules.

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### **Academic Standing - Post-licensure (RNBSN)**

**Placement on Probation** - Students enrolled in a post-licensure program will be placed on probation if their **core** GPA or their **cumulative** GPA at any time falls below 2.75.

Students are given two consecutive courses to satisfactorily raise their GPA. If the GPA is successfully raised, the probationary status is removed. Academic suspension will result if the student's GPA is not successfully raised.

**Academic Suspension** - Academic suspension will result if:

- A student fails to clear the academic probationary status within the probationary period of two consecutive courses.
- A student has two grades of failure (F) at one time on an academic record in the same degree level.
- A student has taken a course twice and failed to achieve a satisfactory grade. When this occurs, the student is ineligible to reapply for admission into the program in which the course was repeated.

In all cases, the suspension will occur once the grades have been recorded in the Registrar's Office. Students will be notified of the academic suspension in writing. Application for readmission may be made after six months. The application must be made in writing to the Executive Director of the School of Nursing.

**Academic Dismissal** - Upon a second academic suspension in the same program, a student is not eligible to reapply to Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Admission and Registration - Post-licensure (RNBSN)**

Indiana Wesleyan University welcomes applications for admission from any academically qualified person whose motivation is in keeping with the university's purposes. Admission is based on the careful review of all credentials presented by an applicant, but in no case is admission denied due to race, color, national origin, disability, religion, or sex. Students are admitted in one of the following categories:

- Regular - Students who satisfactorily meet all requirements will be granted standard admission with no restrictions.
- Probation - Students whose entering grade point average (GPA) falls below the minimum required by the program may be accepted on probation. Probationary status will be removed after the student has completed the first three courses of the core with a satisfactory GPA (2.75). In case of extended probation, the number of courses to be completed in order to change status will be determined by the Executive Director of the School of Nursing. Any student failing to remove the probationary status will be academically suspended from the program.
- Provisional - Students whose files are incomplete may be accepted provisionally at the discretion of the Associate Vice President for Student Services if it appears from the available documentation that eligibility for the program has been met. The student is given until the end of the first course to submit the required materials. Failure to meet the required deadline will result in the student being dropped from the roster and not being allowed to continue.
- Unclassified - Students not pursuing a university degree who want to take certain courses for special reasons may be accepted for a maximum of 18 hours. Students receiving an unclassified status must reapply for regular admission if they desire later to pursue a degree program. Unclassified students are not eligible for financial aid.

Registration occurs at the beginning of the student's core program. At this point, students are registered for all courses within the major. Therefore, if a student needs to miss an individual course, official withdrawal must be made through the Office of Student Services. Staff will work with the student to make arrangements to retake this class with another core group at a time that will minimize the impact on the student's financial aid. Students need to be aware that temporary withdrawals could impact their eligibility to receive financial aid based on the standards outlined in IWU's Satisfactory Academic Progress.

Students in programs that require additional credits outside the major are responsible to meet with their advisor to facilitate registration in these courses.

A student who has failed to make arrangements for the payment of tuition for a course will have registration in that course cancelled.

### **Attendance Policy - Post-licensure (RNBSN)**

Because of the delivery method of adult and graduate programs, attendance is required and monitored. Students are expected to be present for onsite class sessions and participate in online activity. Absences are allowed as follows:

1. Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed one absence in courses that are five class sessions or fewer in length. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.
2. Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed two absences in courses that are six or more class sessions in length. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.

If a student exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to officially withdraw before the last class session, the instructor is directed to issue the grade of "F." Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Students must then go through the normal readmittance process.

Students who must miss a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a withdrawal with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Students needing to withdraw while in a course may do so by arrangement with the Office of

Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply. Students will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

Faculty members reserve the right to factor lateness, early departures, and class attendance into a student's grade, as long as it is addressed in the syllabus.

**Onsite Attendance Policy** – The nature of the adult and graduate programs requires students to attend all class sessions. Class attendance records are maintained by the faculty member and submitted to the Office of Student Services.

- **Class Attendance Policy** – Students are expected to be present when class begins, and remain the entire workshop. To be counted present, a student must attend a total of three hours or more of a class that is four hours in length or six hours or more of classes that are eight hours in length.
- **Project Team Policy** – Students are expected to participate in their project team activities.

**Online Attendance Policy:** Attendance is determined by activity during a workshop, either through discussions or submission of assignments. A student is reported absent for a workshop if there is not at least one submission (or posting) of an assignment or in a discussion forum assigned during that workshop.

### **Audit of Courses**

A student who has been accepted into an Indiana Wesleyan University degree program or as an unclassified student may choose to audit specified courses within a core program or electives as follows:

- Audit registration is allowed on a space available basis.
- The current audit fee per credit hour must accompany the registration.
- Auditing a course gives one the right to attend the course. No credit or letter grade is given. The course will be indicated as an "AU" on the student's IWU transcript.
- The student auditing the course is not expected to participate in classroom or study group assignments, or to complete homework, quizzes, or tests.
- The facilitator is under no obligation to grade any work an auditing student chooses to submit or to give feedback on progress.
- The materials required for the course are optional for auditing students. If one wishes to purchase materials, the fees must accompany the registration.
- The student must meet course pre-requisites or be approved by the appropriate administrator of the specific college/school.
- No change may be made from audit to credit, or credit to audit, after registration closes.

### **Former Student Re-Enrollment**

Students who have previously withdrawn from a program and have not attended classes for six months or more must complete an application for readmission from the Office of Student Services. Receipt of the signed application will initiate a review of the student's academic file to determine remaining requirements. A student who was academically suspended from an adult and graduate program may make application for readmission after six months. All students returning after six months or more will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment.

Former Indiana Wesleyan University students from the traditional programs who wish to apply to a program must go through the regular adult program admission procedure. Students who were academically suspended from the traditional campus and wish to apply to an adult program must meet the following criteria:

- All other program admission criteria met.
- At least two years have passed since the suspension OR the student has successfully completed 12 hours elsewhere.
- There are no other holds on the student's record.

### **Grading and Evaluation**

A letter grade is used in evaluating the work for a course. For the purpose of determining scholastic standing and awarding honors, grade points are granted according to the letter grades and semester hours of credit. The grade point average (GPA) is the number of quality points earned at IWU divided by the number of credit hours attempted at IWU.

Grade	Quality Points (per credit)	Definition
A	4.0	Superior

A-	3.7	
B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Above Average
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	
C	2.0	Average
C-	1.7	
D+	1.3	
D	1.0	Passing
F	.0	Failure (Also given for unofficial withdrawals)
<b>The following grades are not figured into the GPA:</b>		
W		Passing work at time of official withdrawal
I		Incomplete
CR		Credit
NC		No Credit
AU		Audit

**Repeated Courses** - A student may repeat once any course in which a grade below “C” (“C-,” “D+,” “D,” or “F”) was previously earned. Some specific graduate level courses are identified as repeatable and can be repeated if a student earns a grade higher than “C” but below the level required for that specific course. The course may be repeated once.

Whenever a course is repeated, the last grade and credits earned replace the previous grade in computing the student’s grade point average (GPA). All entries, however, remain a part of the student’s permanent academic record. Duplicate credit hours are not given for two or more passing efforts. A course taken in a classroom format may not be repeated for a grade through independent learning.

Since a course may be repeated once, failure to achieve a satisfactory grade in a course after two attempts will result in academic suspension and ineligibility to complete the major in which the course was repeated.

**Incomplete Grades** - Students are expected to complete the course requirements by the last class session. There may be instances when crisis circumstances or events prevent the student from completing the course requirements in a timely manner. However, the issuance of an incomplete cannot be given if the student fails to meet the attendance requirements. In these rare situations, a grade of “I” (incomplete) may be issued but only after completing the following process:

- The student must request an “I” from the instructor.
- The instructor must obtain approval from the appropriate Regional Dean/Program Director/Program Chair/Division Chair.

Because “incompletes” are granted only for extenuating circumstances, the student’s grade will not be penalized.

A student who receives an “incomplete” has 10 weeks from the final meeting date of the course to complete course requirements and turn them in to the instructor. If, at the end of the 10-week extension, the student has failed to complete the course requirements, the “incomplete” will become an “F.” A student with more than one incomplete on record is subject to academic suspension.

**Grade Reports** - At the end of each course, the instructor submits grades for each student. Grade reports are mailed from the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and indicate courses taken, credits received, and grades assigned.

**Transcripts** - The student’s official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.



It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

## **Graduation**

**Graduation Ceremonies** - IWU graduation ceremonies are held three times a year. Degrees are conferred and posted to the student's transcript on these three dates only.

Eligible students are notified by the Office of Student Services of procedures and requirements concerning graduation.

Each student must complete an "Application for Graduation" provided by the Office of Student Services. This application indicates the student's intent to graduate and initiates the final evaluation of the student's academic record.

Students are also asked to inform the university as to whether they will be attending the ceremony. This allows the university to determine the number of tickets available for students who are attending. If a student cannot attend graduation due to unforeseen circumstances, the degree is still conferred; however, attendance at a future graduation is not an option.

**Graduation Requirements** - All requirements must be met and transcribed by the date established by the Office of Student Services (eight days prior to the commencement ceremony). Students taking internal or external coursework need to make sure that transcripts, grades, and scores can be received and transcribed by the deadline date.

Students may receive one degree only per commencement. Students meeting requirements for more than one degree must apply for and participate in two different ceremonies.

Students who have received a degree from IWU and have returned to meet requirements for an additional major at the same degree level will have the second major posted to their existing degree. The second major can only be posted at one of the three conferral dates, and students receiving the second major are not eligible to participate in another graduation ceremony.

**Academic Honors (Baccalaureate Candidates)** - Graduation Honors is a recognition given to baccalaureate students at commencement to acknowledge outstanding grade point averages earned. Eligibility for Honors is determined as follows:

- A minimum of 80 graded hours from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education. (NOTE: credit from ITT, International Business College, RETS College School of Nursing, hospital schools of nursing, foreign institutions, CLEP/DANTES, military, and assessed learning does not count toward this requirement.)
- A minimum of 40 graded hours must be from Indiana Wesleyan University.
- For transfer students, all graded hours transferred and transcribed are counted.
- For students with transfer work, the Indiana Wesleyan University GPA will appear on the transcript and in the shaded portion of the Grade Report Mailer; the Honors GPA, which will include grades from transferred courses, will appear below the shaded portion on the Grade Report Mailer.

Baccalaureate degree candidates will be awarded Honors as follows:

- GPA of 3.5 or higher - "cum laude" (with honors).
- GPA of 3.7 or higher - "magna cum laude" (with high honors).
- GPA of 3.9 or higher - "summa cum laude" (with highest honors).

**Diplomas** - Diplomas are mailed after the conferment of degrees. Diplomas indicate degree earned, date of degree, major, specialization, and honors. A student's financial account must be settled to receive a diploma.

## **Leave of Absence Policy**

Indiana Wesleyan University understands there are life events that may require a student to modify class enrollment and schedules. The leave of absence policy is designed to allow students flexibility in their program enrollment to adjust to these life events. The leave of absence policy also extends to students the ability to make up any courses missed during the approved leave.

A student on an approved leave of absence will be considered enrolled at IWU and eligible for an in-school deferment for student aid loans. Federal financial aid and in-school deferment may be negatively impacted if a student fails to apply for the leave of absence or if the application is denied. **This impacts students who receive Title IV federal financial aid (Federal Pell Grants, Federal**

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**Supplemental Grants, Federal Stafford Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans, Federal Parent Loans) or who want to have a federal student loan deferred from payment while in school.**

Students who will be out of attendance for a period of 29 days or more should request a leave of absence. Students out of class for less than 29 days are not eligible for a leave of absence, and a recalculation on current financial aid will be done. Students who are not on federal financial aid programs or who do not have a federal loan in deferment are not required to request a leave of absence. However, the approved leave of absence will result in the \$100 registration change fee being waived.

Students needing to make a change in their schedule need to contact the Office of Student Services to process the registration change. At that time, the leave of absence request form will be mailed to the student. The Leave of Absence Application can be downloaded, or can be requested by calling the Office of Student Services at 765-677-1207. Students must request the leave within 21 days of initiating the registration change. The request for a leave of absence should be made prior to the date the leave is to start. The start date of the leave is the first date of the class or, if the class has already started, the date the registration change is initiated.

An approved leave of absence must meet the following criteria: the request must be received within 21 days of the registration change; the request must be made prior to the start of the leave (first day of class); the reason for the request must be one approved by IWU's Leave of Absence Committee (military, medical, jury duty, loss of job, family emergency, employment emergency, transfer of coursework, passing pre-requisite requirement, transfer of core groups, changing programs, administrative cancellation of core classes, or other reasons as approved by the Leave of Absence Committee); appropriate documentation must be submitted if the request is submitted after the leave has started; the student must have an expected date of return; and, the leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period.

Documentation is required if the request for the leave of absence is made after the beginning date of the leave of absence and needs to address the nature of the reason for the request. Documentation for each circumstance will vary; the student is required to provide whatever paperwork from a third party will attest to the circumstance outlined on the application form. Examples would include physicians' statements, letters from employers, letters from pastors or counselors, court documents, etc. Documentation is also required if a request is submitted after the 21 day deadline, and needs to address the reason for the delay in the submission of the request.

The leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period. Time in excess of 180 days will not be approved. A student may request an extension to a leave providing the request is made before the end of the leave, there are unforeseen circumstances which prevent the return from the leave, and the total number of days of approved leave do not exceed 180 in a 12-month period. A maximum of two leaves of absence are allowed during a 12-month period.

Failure to return from an approved leave of absence nullifies the approved leave and may have an impact on student loan repayment terms as well as the grace period. The first day of the leave will be reported as the beginning of the grace period for loan deferment. Students may return early from an approved leave of absence prior to the leave end date. The leave will be shortened according to the student's return date.

Students will not receive disbursements of Title IV student loan financial aid funds during the leave. Students are not deferred from making regularly scheduled payments to the Accounting Office for normal fees incurred. Any change in registration can impact current financial aid regardless of approval or denial of the leave of absence request. Questions about impact on current financial aid should be directed to the Financial Aid Office at 800-621-8667 ext. 2516. Students on an approved leave of absence will be reported as such and will be eligible for in-school deferment of previous loans. Students whose request for a leave of absence is denied will be reported as withdrawn and the grace period for loan repayment will go into effect.

**Project Teams**

Global competition and accelerating change have challenged traditional notions of the corporate pyramid. Organizations seeking to improve quality and agility have replaced entire levels of management with self-managing work teams. For this reason, the skills needed for teamwork are at a premium in the workplace.

A team is essentially a small number of people with complementary skills, who are committed to a common purpose, a set of performance goals, and an approach to solving problems for which they hold themselves mutually accountable. But a team is more than just a collection of individuals. A true team develops an almost organic quality. The synergy produced through interaction involving a common goal should exceed what a group of individuals might achieve working independently. Thus, there is a significant difference between the product of a well-functioning team and the product of a work group where a piece of the problem is assigned to each individual.

Indiana Wesleyan University utilizes project teams and team projects in the curriculum because team process can enhance learning, especially in adult professionals. Students working in project teams are able to take on larger projects than they would be able to individually. This enables the university to present courses in a compressed format. Not only is learning enhanced through this method, but students also have the opportunity to develop teamwork skills. We believe project teams are a vital component to the education our students receive.

Project teams are typically comprised of self-selected teams of three to five individuals who meet as needed for class assignment preparation, team projects, and team presentations.

Individuals who work effectively in teams are characterized by the following abilities:

- Able to take responsibility for the success of the entire team and not just their own success.
- Able to hold both themselves and the team accountable for mutually agreed-upon goals.
- Able to negotiate goals and ideas in a team setting.
- Skilled at listening.
- Skilled at building on the ideas of others in a creative fashion.
- Able to give constructive feedback and express emotions to others without damaging relationships.
- Able to trust others and foster trusted relationships.
- Value team process.
- Understand the dynamics of team process and team product in pursuit of collective goals.

Core groups in programs that require project teams develop a *Project Team Plan* and *Covenant of Expectations* at the beginning of the program under the direction of an Indiana Wesleyan University instructor. These documents are then filed with the appropriate administrative office. (Note: Only the *Project Team Plan* is required for elective classes.) Students will be given additional information during the first course concerning project team requirements.

#### **Transfer of Credit Policy - Post-licensure (RNBSN)**

Credit is granted for work with a satisfactory grade ("C" or above) taken at an approved college or university accredited at the same level, provided the courses are applicable to the curriculum the student wishes to pursue at Indiana Wesleyan University. An "approved college or university" generally refers to those institutions that are accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education. The following are exceptions to the transfer policy:

1. Credits from International Business College and ITT Technical Institute are transferable only through evaluation of each individual course. Students are responsible to supply course syllabi for this evaluation. A maximum of 62 semester hours may be accepted through this process from these two institutions. (Credit earned in this way is not counted toward the honors GPA.)
2. Indiana Wesleyan University accepts official transcripts from the American Council on Education (ACE) located in Washington, D.C. ACE evaluates and provides credit recommendations for educational offerings for a significant number of corporate universities and other extrainstitutional learning providers.
3. Courses from nonaccredited colleges and universities, and from schools/colleges/universities not accredited at the same level, such as proprietary business schools, vocational/technical schools, or other single purpose institutions may be presented through the evaluation of assessed learning process. A maximum of 40 hours may be accepted through assessed learning and/or ACE credit.
4. The following pertain to applicants to the Post-licensure Nursing program:
  - Applicants with a diploma from a State Board of Nursing accredited hospital school of nursing may be eligible to apply for credit through the diploma evaluation process. A maximum of 40 semester hours may be awarded through this process.
  - Applicants who have earned an A.S. in Nursing or equivalent degree at a proprietary school which holds a national accreditation are eligible to apply per the Indiana Wesleyan admission policy. Supporting science courses and core nursing courses may transfer up to a maximum of 40 semester hours.

The University Registrar is responsible for approving the transferability of all credits. Credit hours accepted in transfer are recorded, but quality points and grades are omitted and used only for the determination of graduating with honors. All credits are accepted as semester credits. Quarter credits are converted to semester credits using the two-thirds conversion ratio.

Credit through examination (CLEP, DANTES, AP, institutional examinations) or assessed learning is not accepted in transfer from another institution's transcript. Credit through examination is awarded through Indiana Wesleyan University with official test scores

from an official testing center. Credit from nontraditional learning by life experience is awarded through the IWU's assessed learning process. The Associate Vice President of Student Services is responsible for the assessment of all nontraditional learning, and the University Registrar is responsible for approving the transcription of any credits that result.

**Transcripts from foreign institutions** - are sent to an outside agency for evaluation and determination of transferable credits, degrees, and GPA. Students are responsible for the initiation of this evaluation and for any fees incurred during the process. Applications for this service are available to the student through the university.

### **Ways to Earn University Credit toward a Degree**

Students have several options for completing liberal arts/elective requirements for a baccalaureate degree.

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### **DANTES/CLEP Examinations**

Indiana Wesleyan University offers CLEP and DANTES tests as an option for students needing to fulfill liberal arts and general elective credits for a baccalaureate degree. The CLEP (College Level Examination Program) examinations are offered by The College Board, a nonprofit membership organization that provides tests and other educational services for students, schools, and colleges. CLEP is the most widely accepted credit-by-examination program in the country. The DANTES (Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support) examinations, originally developed for military personnel, are offered by Thomson Prometric.

Students may take both CLEP and DANTES examinations at Indiana Wesleyan University at all regional education centers. Upon receipt of the official test scores, Indiana Wesleyan University will award credit based on The American Council on Education recommendations.

Students desiring to take an examination will pay a registration fee to IWU and test fee to the company sponsoring the test. In addition, students who choose to take CLEP or DANTES tests are assessed an IWU transcription fee of \$25 per credit hour satisfactorily completed. This applies to all CLEP/DANTES credits which are placed on Indiana Wesleyan University records whether taken at Indiana Wesleyan University or accepted in transfer. Credit is not placed on the academic record until payment for the credits and the official transcript are received. Before taking a CLEP/DANTES test, students should check with an academic advisor to ensure the test will apply toward degree completion plans.

### **Undergraduate Elective Offerings**

The undergraduate elective program enables students to complete the credit requirements they may need for graduation. These electives include classes that satisfy liberal arts requirements as well as general elective credit. The elective classes are offered in key locations and in an online format and are scheduled to match the credit needs of our students. Most elective classes are “enrollment driven,” which means there must be at least six students registered for the class to meet.

A complete listing of undergraduate electives is published twice yearly (normally in November and May). See the Undergraduate Electives listing for additional information or <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Undergraduate-Electives/>.

### **Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio**

Indiana Wesleyan University assesses students' non-credited learning for academic credit toward an undergraduate degree. Non-credited learning is that which has taken place outside the traditional college classroom. The Council for Adult and Experiential Learning (CAEL), an educational association founded in 1974 to promote the acceptance of the awarding of university credit for experiential learning, has led the way in developing and implementing assessment techniques. Indiana Wesleyan University uses the guidelines developed by CAEL.

The student-prepared Prior Learning Assessment portfolio is the most commonly accepted method used to evaluate non-credited learning. These portfolios are collections of narratives and documentation which articulate a student's academically relevant, non-university learning. Portfolios can vary greatly in form and content, but in their preparation all students assume the responsibility for self-analysis, preparation, and presentation. The preparation itself is a learning experience.

At Indiana Wesleyan University the purpose of the portfolio is twofold:

- The portfolio enables Indiana Wesleyan University to evaluate and assign university credit for a student's university-level learning. No grades are assigned; only credit awarded.
- The portfolio represents a learning plan which helps integrate prior learning experience with the student's educational and professional objectives.

In preparing the portfolio, the student must pause and recollect a history of learning and growth in order to develop a meaningful "learning autobiography." The student describes and analyzes learning experiences and then provides documentation that clarifies and validates the learning, e.g., letters, statements, products of work according to the Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio Instructions.

The Indiana Wesleyan University also applies to the Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio. IWU Honesty and Cheating Policy

Undergraduate students enrolled in or accepted to the General Studies associate degree program or baccalaureate degree completion programs are eligible to complete a Prior Learning Assessment portfolio. Graduate students may not earn prior learning credits. Credit hours awarded may be counted toward liberal arts or general elective requirements as applicable to the undergraduate degree. Baccalaureate students may earn a maximum of 40 hours of credit through the portfolio; General Studies associate degree students may earn a maximum of 18 hours. Undergraduate students may use portfolio credit to accrue toward the 60 hours of credit required for admission to the core curriculum. The opening fee is paid one time only.

Applicants denied entry to the program based on low GPA or insufficient work experience are not eligible to complete the portfolio process until such deficiencies have been removed. In addition, students who are suspended from the program are not allowed to complete the portfolio process. The student is responsible to develop the portfolio independently, following guidelines given at an academic advising interview. The Prior Learning Assessment Portfolio Instructions include all information necessary to prepare and submit material for evaluation. All assessment of items submitted is performed by faculty assessors whose knowledge and expertise qualify them to evaluate learning gained through experience.

The portfolio opening fee is due when the portfolio is submitted to the Office of Student Services for evaluation. All assessed fees for credits awarded through the portfolio will be billed after each assessment and are due 30 days from that date. Credits will not be posted to the student's permanent record until payment is received.

The portfolio will be viewed only by those who have an official reason for doing so: the assessment staff, faculty evaluators, and accrediting association members. Any data from portfolios that may be made public will be generalized and will in no way be attributed to an individual unless the individual student has given a signed authorization. Students are also advised not to include any materials in the portfolio that will violate the legal and moral rights to privacy of other individuals.

Portfolios may be submitted at any time; however, if the credits are needed for graduation, the portfolio must arrive at the Office of Student Services at least three months prior to the expected graduation date.

**Portfolio fees** - Students petitioning for prior learning credit are required to remit a \$100.00 opening fee for Pre-Evaluated Training Portfolio (formerly Option I) or a \$150.00 opening fee for Full Documentation Portfolio (formerly Option II). This is to be included with the portfolio at the time it is submitted. In addition, there will be a \$40.00 transcription fee for each credit awarded. The student will receive an invoice/credit by assessment report for the amount of the credit awarded. Credit is not placed on the academic record until all fees have been paid. Therefore, before starting a core program or graduating from IWU, all fees must be paid. All assessed credit fees are due 30 days from the invoice date unless payment is required sooner due to the aforementioned special circumstances.

### **Credit by Transfer**

Students may transfer credit from another university to fulfill liberal arts and general elective requirements for applicable degrees. Credit can only be transferred from an institution accredited by a regional accrediting body or by the Association for Biblical Higher Education and for courses in which a grade of "C" or higher was earned. All credits are accepted as semester credits. Quarter credits are converted to semester credits using the two-thirds conversion ratio. Students should check with an academic advisor before planning to fulfill requirements in this way. See "Transfer of Credit Policy" for limitations on transfer work.

### **Withdrawal/Change in Status**

A student who finds it necessary to withdraw from the program or to take a temporary leave of absence is required to contact the Registration Change Counselor in the Office of Student Services to complete this process ([registration.change@indwes.edu](mailto:registration.change@indwes.edu)). Students must request the withdrawal from the Registration Change Counselor before the last class workshop. Failure to initiate an official withdrawal will result in a "No Credit" or an "F" grade for the student in those related courses. Students withdrawing from a class or transferring to another core group will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

A student who is temporarily withdrawing may request an individual leave of absence up to 180 days in a 12 month period. A student cannot request more than two leaves during a 12 month period, and the total number of days on leave may not exceed 180 days within a 12 month period. All leaves must be requested through the Office of Student Services.

If a student officially withdraws after a course has started, a grade of "W" will be assigned. An "F" will be assigned to a student who stops attending but does not officially withdraw. Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Students must then go through the normal readmittance process to return to class.

Students withdrawing from the first course of a core program must withdraw from the entire program and re-enter with another core group.

If, at a later time the student wishes to re-enter the program, a re-entry form must be submitted to the Office of Student Services. Students sitting out of a core program for more than 90 days are subject to a tuition increase upon returning. Students re-entering a core program after six months or more are subject to any changes in curriculum upon returning.

Any change in registration may have an impact on the student's financial aid. Students should always check with the financial aid office before initiating a registration change.

## **Financial Information - Post-licensure (RNBSN)**

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Financial Aid - Post-licensure RNBSN

### **Fee Structure - Degree Programs**

Students are advised of financial obligations for their degree seeking (core) program during the registration process. A schedule of payments and analysis of fee structures, along with due dates, is outlined. Students are expected to meet these obligations according to the schedule. Any questions regarding payments or problems associated with making those payments should be directed to the Accounting Office.

Students who have applied for financial aid are responsible for all tuition and fees in the event it is determined they are ineligible for financial aid, decline the financial aid, or withdraw from the program prior to completing the academic award period. Students receiving military or corporate assistance who have received prior approval from the university for direct billing are required to pay their share of tuition and fees and submit appropriate assistance documents by the assigned due date. The deferral program in no way relieves the student of the financial obligation to the university and the student retains full responsibility for ensuring that all tuition and fees are paid in full and in a timely manner.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to suspend students from class attendance for failure to meet financial obligations.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to change the tuition and fee schedule at any time. Students who remain registered in their initial core group making satisfactory academic progress shall have their tuition and fees guaranteed. A \$50 late fee is charged each time a payment is received after the due date. There will be a fee charged for any check returned due to non-sufficient funds. If collection of tuition, book charges, and/or fees becomes necessary, all costs of collection, court costs, and attorney fees are the responsibility of the student. A \$100 withdrawal fee will be charged for each temporary withdrawal or transfer.

### **Refund Policy - Degree Programs**

1. Any student withdrawing after attending only the first class session of the program or orientation will be assessed a \$100 fee. All other tuition and fees will be refunded.
2. After a student has attended two class sessions of the program, tuition, application fees, and educational resource fees are not refundable.
3. Tuition is refunded according to the following policy for all subsequent courses:
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the first class session of a course - full tuition refund.
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the second class session of a course - 90 percent tuition refund.
  - Withdrawal after second class session or after the seventh day of an online class - no refund.
4. In compliance with federal regulations for the student who has received financial aid, the refund will be returned to the appropriate aid sources.
5. Book fees are not refundable once the student has attended one class session or if the books have been marred in any way prior to that time.
6. Students who are unable to complete a course or who receive an unsatisfactory grade for their specific program will be allowed to repeat that course with another group of students if arrangements are made with the Registration Change Counselor. Tuition and fees will be charged for repeating the course.
7. Decisions regarding refunds are made by the appropriate Accounting Office, and in isolated cases, by the Financial Appeals Committee.

### **Fee Structure - Elective Courses**

Students are advised of financial obligations during the registration process. The breakdown of fees and due dates is included in the Electives Schedule. Students are expected to meet these obligations according to the schedule. Any questions regarding payments should be directed to the Elective Accounting Office.

All outstanding balances must be cleared before future registrations will be approved. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to suspend students from class attendance for failure to meet financial obligations. There will be a fee charged for any check returned due to non-sufficient funds, as specified in the Electives Schedule. If collection of tuition, book charges, and/or fees becomes necessary, all costs of collection, court costs, and attorney fees are the responsibility of the student.

### **Refund Policy - Elective Courses**

If a student withdraws two weeks before the course begins, all payments may be refunded.

If a student withdraws less than two weeks before the course begins, a \$50 processing fee will be assessed. All outstanding balances must be cleared before future registrations will be approved.

Students who withdraw after the first class session will be assessed a \$50 processing fee, 10 percent of the course tuition, and the book fee.

Students who withdraw after the second class session (or after the seventh day of an online course) will not be eligible for a refund. Withdrawal from an elective course may affect a student's financial aid. Call the Financial Aid Office for information.

## **Financial Aid - Post-licensure (RNBSN)**

### **Types of Financial Aid Available**

The following types of financial aid are available to persons enrolled as degree-seeking students who meet the eligibility criteria for the aid type. Complete fund profiles may be found online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid).

**Federal Pell Grant** – is a federal need-based grant that does not require repayment. The Pell Grant is available only to undergraduate students who have not earned a bachelor's or professional degree. Recipients must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and show financial need. Students enrolled in either core or elective courses are eligible for Pell Grant consideration if all other criteria are met. The award amount is based on the Expected Family Contribution found on the Student Aid Report, a student's enrollment status, the cost of attendance, and the number of credit hours a student will complete during the particular Pell award period. Pell Grant funds are disbursed directly to the student's account, typically in one disbursement per payment period. Students may receive up to two times their scheduled Pell award in one fiscal year (July 1–June 30).

**Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)** – is a federal grant that does not require repayment available to undergraduate students who have not earned a bachelor's or professional degree. Eligibility is determined by answers provided on the FAFSA form with priority to Federal Pell Grant recipients. The maximum award amount for the 2010-2011 award year is \$400.

**Indiana State Aid** – consists of the Indiana Higher Education Award and the Indiana Freedom of Choice Grant. Together, they are commonly known as the Frank O'Bannon grant and are awarded to undergraduate students whose FAFSA was received by the federal processor on or before the March state filing deadline and who demonstrate financial need as defined by the State Student Commission of Indiana (SSACI). Any required corrections to the student's FAFSA must be received by the federal processor by May 10. Eligible students must be enrolled in 12 credit hours between July 1 and December 31 (fall term) and/or January 1 and June 30 (spring term). Funds are awarded in one payment per term. Students must be Indiana residents, be eligible for federal financial aid, and be enrolled in courses that meet at a site located within Indiana or online. The Frank O'Bannon grant is a tuition only grant. Any tuition reimbursement that a student receives will affect state grant eligibility. Please note that the state award notification sent to students from SSACI is based on the tuition charges for the traditional undergraduate program at IWU. The Financial Aid Office must recalculate all awards based on the actual tuition charges for adult and graduate programs. It is not uncommon for a student's actual award to be less than the amount reported on the state award notification.

**Kentucky State Aid** – consists of the Kentucky Tuition Grant (KTG) and the College Access Program (CAP) Grant. Students must be Kentucky residents in an undergraduate program and eligible for federal financial aid. Students whose FAFSA was received by the federal processor on or before the March 15 state filing deadline are given priority consideration for the KTG. Eligible students must be enrolled in 12 credit hours between July 1 and December 31 (fall term) and/or January 1 and June 30 (spring term). Funds are awarded in one payment per term. Students whose FAFSA was received by the federal processor on or before the March 15 state filing deadline and who demonstrate financial need as defined by the Commonwealth of Kentucky are given priority consideration for the CAP grant. Eligible students must be enrolled in 6-12 credit hours between July 1 and December 31 (fall term) and/or January 1 and June 30 (spring term). Funds are awarded in one payment per term. Only courses taken at a site located within Kentucky may count toward the credit hour requirement for each of these grants. Online classes are not considered when determining Kentucky state grant eligibility. Any tuition reimbursement that a student receives may affect state grant eligibility.

**Ohio State Aid** – is the Ohio College Opportunity Grant Program (OCOG). This program provides need-based tuition assistance to Ohio students from low to moderate-income families. Students must be Ohio residents in an undergraduate program, eligible for



federal financial aid, whose FAFSA was received by the federal processor on or before the October 1 state filing deadline. Eligible students must be enrolled in 12 credit hours between July 1 and December 31 (fall term) and/or January 1 and June 30 (spring term). Funds are awarded in one payment per term. Only courses taken at a site located within Ohio may count toward the credit hour requirement. Online classes are not considered when determining Ohio state grant eligibility. The OCOG is a tuition only grant. Any tuition reimbursement that a student receives will affect state grant eligibility.

**Indiana Nursing Scholarship Fund Program** – is a program created by the 1990 Indiana General Assembly to encourage and promote qualified individuals to pursue a nursing career in Indiana. It is administered by the State Student Assistance Commission of Indiana (SSACI), which is responsible for record keeping and for allotting funds to approved colleges and universities. The scholarship can only be applied towards tuition and fees. The maximum annual scholarship is \$5,000, but IWU determines the actual award amount. The amount of the scholarship may be affected by the level of other tuition specific grants and scholarship aid received by an applicant. Eligible students must:

1. Be admitted to an approved institution of higher learning as a full-time (12 hours or more) or part-time (6-11 hours) nursing student.
2. Be an Indiana resident and a US citizen.
3. Agree in writing to work as a nurse in an Indiana health care setting for at least the first two years following graduation.
4. Demonstrate a financial need for the scholarship.
5. Have a minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 2.0 on a scale of 4.0 or the equivalent, or meet the minimum GPA requirements established for the college's nursing program if it is higher.
6. Not be in default on a state or federally sponsored student loan.
7. Complete and file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
8. Meet all other minimum criteria established by the Commission.
9. For additional information and to download an application, log onto the state Web site at [www.in.gov/ssaci/2343.htm](http://www.in.gov/ssaci/2343.htm).

**William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan** – is available to students who file the FAFSA and all other required financial aid forms and who meet all federal criteria for eligibility. The maximum annual loan amounts for dependent students are \$5500 for freshmen, \$6500 for sophomores and \$7500 for juniors and seniors. The maximum annual loan amounts for independent students are \$9500 for freshmen, \$10,500 for sophomores, \$12,500 for juniors and seniors, and \$20,500 for graduate students. Lifetime maximum borrowing limits are \$57,500 for undergraduate programs and \$138,500 for graduate programs (including undergraduate borrowing). For students who demonstrate financial need, the federal government subsidizes loan interest for a portion of the total annual loan amount while the student is enrolled in school. Interest rates are set on July 1 each year and are fixed rates. For July 1, 2010, through June 30, 2011, the interest rate is 4.5 percent for subsidized Direct Loans for undergraduate students and 6.8 percent for subsidized Direct Loans for graduate students. The interest rate for all unsubsidized Direct Loans is 6.8 percent.

A student's total financial assistance, including loans, may not exceed the calculated cost of attendance for the program. Students with unsubsidized loans may elect to make monthly interest payments to the lender or allow the accumulated interest to accrue until repayment, which begins six months after the student ceases to be enrolled as at least a half-time student. Upon graduation or termination of studies, the student is given a six-month grace period during which no interest or principal payments are due on subsidized loans and during which only interest accrues on the unsubsidized loans. The standard minimum monthly payment is \$50, but the amount varies based on the total amount of the outstanding loans upon which the student is paying and the type of repayment plan the student has chosen.

**Federal Perkins Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 5 percent interest rate. Funding is limited, and priority consideration is given to undergraduate or graduate students with a Pell-eligible EFC. Annual loan limit is \$4000 per award year for undergraduate students. The aggregate loan limit is \$8000 for students who have not completed two academic years of undergraduate work and \$20,000 for undergraduate students who have completed two academic years and are pursuing a bachelor's degree. Repayment begins 9 months after enrollment terminates, and no interest accrues until that time.

**Undergraduate PLUS Federal Direct Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 7.9 percent interest rate available to parents of dependent undergraduate students who have remaining cost of attendance not met by Subsidized/Unsubsidized William D. Ford Federal Direct Loans. This is a credit-based federal loan.

**Active Duty Military Discount** – is a tuition discount to all active duty military personnel, including members of the Reserves and National Guard, and spouses of the aforementioned military personnel. Students must submit an Active Duty Military Discount application, available by calling the IWU Accounting Office at 800-621-8667x2878.

**Yellow Ribbon Award** – is an award that does not have to be repaid and is available to eligible students who receive Chapter 33 GI Bill benefits. The amount eligible students receive reflects 50 percent of the tuition expenses that exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition rate. The VA matches that contribution to fully cover the tuition costs.

**Loan Repayment Chart:**

Interest Rate	5%	6.5%	8%
Amount Borrowed	Monthly Payment Amount		
\$5,500	\$58	\$62	\$67
\$8,500	\$90	\$97	\$103
\$15,000	\$159	\$170	\$182
\$20,000	\$212	\$227	\$243
\$30,000	\$318	\$341	\$364
\$40,000	\$424	\$454	\$485
\$50,000	\$530	\$568	\$607
\$60,000	\$636	\$681	\$728
\$70,000	\$742	\$795	\$850

**General Eligibility Requirements**

In order to receive federal and/or state student aid, a student must meet the following criteria:

1. Must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
2. Must be a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen.
3. Must have a valid Social Security number (with the exception of students from the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau).
4. Must be enrolled as a regular student (cannot be unclassified) in an eligible degree or certificate program.
5. Must make satisfactory academic progress (SAP) as outlined in IWU’s SAP Policy.
6. Must maintain enrollment in classes.
7. No longer than 180 days may elapse between classes in any 12 month period; a leave of absence must be requested through the Office of Student Services. If there is a gap between classes of up to 180 days, a leave of absence will be reported to the lender, but no loan repayment will be required. If there is a gap between classes of more than 180 days, the university is required to report non-enrollment information to the lender, and the student will be required to begin repayment of any student loans (see your loan promissory note for further information). If additional circumstances arise which require the student to be further out of attendance, the student should contact the Financial Aid Office to discuss options.
8. Any changes in registration, such as withdrawals or cancelled courses, may result in cancellation or reduction of any or all financial aid. In such cases, the student is responsible for any remaining balance on the student account. A student who requests the credit balance from his or her student account and then makes registration changes may need to repay funds to the university and/or to the financial aid programs.

**How to Apply for Financial Aid**

Students who wish to be considered for federal and/or state student financial aid must complete the application process online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid):

1. Complete the Free Application for Federal student financial aid, or FAFSA (direct link [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)). You must list the Indiana Wesleyan University Title IV Code 001822 in step six of the FAFSA or IWU will not receive your FAFSA information from the federal processor.
2. Complete the IWU Financial Aid Request Form. Under the Additional Aid Source(s) section, you must disclose any additional funding you may receive from employer reimbursement, vocational rehabilitation, or private scholarships to help pay for your education.
3. Complete the Loan Entrance Counseling Session and William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note online (direct link [www.studentloans.gov](http://www.studentloans.gov)). You must have an established Federal student financial aid PIN in order to complete these items. It may be necessary to wait three days from the time you first apply for you PIN before trying to sign in to this website. For each item you must enter "Indiana" in the School State field even if you attend classes in another state or online.

- Entrance Counseling Session: Click on Complete Entrance Counseling from the menu. Select the appropriate counseling type for your current degree pursuit (undergraduate or graduate).
- Master Promissory Note: Click on Complete MPN from the menu and select Subsidized/ Unsubsidized from the next page.

Once the above steps have been completed, be certain to:

1. Respond to requests for additional information from the Financial Aid Office. You may be asked to complete a verification worksheet and to provide a copy of your federal tax return (and your spouse's or parents' tax return, as appropriate) as required by Department of Education regulations.
2. Provide documentation showing any amount of assistance provided by other agencies (i.e., tuition reimbursement from your employer, vocational rehabilitation benefits, scholarships from local business, etc.).
3. Fully complete all forms. Forms filled out incorrectly or submitted to the wrong place will delay your financial aid award.

### **How Eligibility is Determined and Financial Aid is Processed**

1. All forms and information submitted online must be received in the Financial Aid Office before eligibility can be determined. In general, award amounts are based a student's Expected Family Contribution found on the Student Aid Report, a student's enrollment status, the cost of attendance, and other estimated financial assistance.
2. Students must be scheduled for a full academic year, according to the academic year definition for the program in which the student is enrolled, or to degree completion for financial aid to be awarded. Any changes in planned enrollment will affect the amount of aid for which the student may qualify.
3. The Financial Aid Office will e-mail notification to the student e-mail account that financial aid has been awarded and is available for review online via the student portal at <http://myIWU.indwes.edu>. This secure Web site will indicate the types and amounts of aid for which the student qualifies. The student must submit written documentation to the Financial Aid Office via e-mail, fax, or US mail to decline all or a portion of the awarded aid. Otherwise all awarded aid will disburse to the student account.

### **How and When Financial Aid is Disbursed**

**Federal Pell Grant** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per payment period.

**Federal SEOG** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per payment period.

**Federal Direct Loans** are certified and processed after classes have begun. The funds are applied as a credit to the student's account, typically in two disbursements per academic year. For new students, the first disbursement will occur approximately 45 days from the start of the first course with the second disbursement occurring after the completion of at least half the credit hours and weeks of instruction for the academic year.

**Indiana State Aid** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per term. Indiana state grants can only be applied toward tuition costs.

**Kentucky State Aid** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per term.

**Ohio State Aid** is disbursed as a credit to the student's account in one payment per term. Ohio state grants can only be applied toward tuition costs.

All other types of aid are awarded and disbursement dates set as the necessary paperwork is received.

*All financial aid forms and information submitted online must be received at least three weeks before a planned class start.*

*Applying for financial aid does not remove responsibility for payment. If the funding is not received, the student must pay all outstanding balances immediately.*

### **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**

Students are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress toward the completion of their course of study. This includes:

1. Enrolling in and attending class as well as completing assignments and projects.
2. Maintaining good academic standing. Students on academic probation will be allowed to continue on financial aid on SAP probation. Such students must improve their academic measurements to meet the required standards by the designated time frame or eligibility will be terminated.
3. Earning passing grades in a minimum of 67 percent of all credit hours attempted.

4. Completing the program within 150 percent of the credit hours normally required to complete the course of study (i.e. if the program requires 124 credit hours to complete, then the student may attempt no more than 186 credit hours) or by the designated time frame.

Academic progress is reviewed after every graduation (approximately every four months) and before financial aid funding is provided. Students who fail to make satisfactory academic progress will be placed onto SAP Probation or Ineligibility as appropriate per the policy requirements. Students with mitigating circumstances (which may include but is not limited to death in the family or grave illness of the student or close family member) may appeal termination of financial aid eligibility due to failure to make academic progress by submitting a SAP Appeal Form, written explanation, and adding supporting documentation to the SAP Appeals Committee through the Financial Aid Office.

### **Refunds**

If a student finds it necessary to withdraw from the program, withdraw from a course or courses without an approved leave of absence, or to take leaves of absence that exceed 180 days in a twelve month period, a federal refund will be calculated. This calculation is based on the amount of class work completed during the payment period when the student withdraws. The amount of refund of federal financial aid money is based on the amount of financial aid that is considered not earned by the student. The following is an example of the refund calculation:

1. The student begins class on June 28 and the payment period runs until January 17.
2. The student withdraws from the program on October 4.
3. The payment period has 152 calendar days in it (not including break periods) and the student completed 86 days which is 56.6 percent of the payment period.
4. The amount of the refund will be 43.4 percent of the federal financial aid received.

The Financial Aid Office will determine the amount of the refund that is owed by Indiana Wesleyan University and the amount, if any, that is owed by the student. A letter will be sent to the student indicating the amount of the refund and what was done with it. Monies will be returned to the federal financial aid programs in the following order if the student received money in the program: unsubsidized Stafford loan, subsidized Stafford Loan, Perkins Loan, PLUS, Pell Grant, SEOG and other Title IV grants. The student will have 45 days to contact the Financial Aid Office to make arrangements to repay any federal grants that are owed by the student. Failure to make arrangements or to pay back the federal grants will mean the student is no longer eligible to receive federal financial aid at any institution until full repayment

### **Student's Rights and Responsibilities**

A student has the right to know:

1. What financial assistance is available, including information on all Federal and State programs.
2. The deadlines for submitting application for each of the financial aid programs available.
3. The cost of attending the programs and the school's refund policy.
4. The criteria used by the institution to select financial aid recipients.
5. How the school determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, books, and living expenses are considered in your budget.
6. What resources (such as employer reimbursement, other financial aid, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need.
7. How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
8. An explanation of the various programs in your student aid package. If you believe you have been treated unfairly, you may request reconsideration of the award which was made to you.
9. What portion of the financial aid you received must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total amount that must be repaid, the payback procedures, the length of time you have to repay the loan, and when the repayment is to begin.

A student's responsibilities:

1. Review and consider all information about the school's program before you enroll.
2. Complete all application forms accurately and in a timely manner to the correct address.
3. Pay special attention to, and accurately complete, your application for financial aid. Errors can result in delays of receipt of your financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties under the U.S. Criminal Code.

4. Return all additional information, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Financial Aid Office or the agency to which you submitted your FAFSA.
5. Accept responsibility for all agreements you sign.
6. If you have a loan, notify the lender of changes in your name, address, or school status.
7. Know and comply with the deadline for application or reapplication for aid.
8. Know and comply with the school's leave of absence or withdrawal procedures.
9. Repay student loans in agreement with the loan promissory note.

**Further Information:**

The Financial Aid staff is here to assist in any way possible. If you have questions about any of the information pertaining to financial aid, please contact: Adult and Graduate Financial Aid Office, Indiana Wesleyan University, 1900 W. 50th Street, Marion, IN 46953-5279 Voice 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2516, 765-677-2516, Fax 765-677-2030.

**General Information - Post-Licensure (RNBSN)**

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**Books and Materials**

Indiana Wesleyan University is the sole provider of all books and materials for most adult and graduate programs.

For those programs that require IWU-provided materials, books and materials will be provided for each student and will be delivered on or prior to the first class session. "Sharing of materials" is not an option and all books/materials must be purchased directly from IWU by each student. Students receive payment schedules during the registration process which indicate the total amount charged for books and materials. The university does have an arrangement with a vendor who conducts "book buybacks" several times a year for all IWU students. Students desiring more information may contact the traditional campus bookstore at 866-468-6498 ext. 2210.

Please note: Textbook changes are inevitable. Should it become necessary for a student to withdraw from a course, all books and materials should be returned immediately, if eligible, to avoid additional charges if/when the course is taken at a later date. If materials are not returned, and course materials change in the time between withdrawal and reentry, the student will be charged for new materials. Materials are eligible for return credit within 60 days from the date of withdrawal provided the student has not attended any of the class sessions, or posted any assignments for online classes, and the materials have not been used or damaged (writing, highlighting, physical damage, CD's & access codes intact in original sealed packaging, etc.) in any way.

**Chaplaincy Program**

*Spiritcare*, the Chaplaincy Program, is a ministry that seeks to care for the spiritual needs of adult students by introducing them to the person, teachings, and community of Jesus Christ. This is done primarily through classroom visits, outside contacts, multi-media presentations, and structured devotionals. The goal is to provide supportive opportunities for the growth of the complete person. Onsite and online students have direct contact with a caring pastor. *Spiritcare* desires to change the world by changing the heart. Chaplains can provide the following:

- Confidential and caring support for student and family members as requested.
- Spiritual guidance and prayer support.
- Intervention and support during life crises.
- Referrals to counseling and support groups for special needs.
- An opportunity to be referred to a local pastor and a local congregation for students seeking to grow in their faith.

Students may obtain additional information about the *Spiritcare* Chaplaincy Program through the student portal at <http://myIWU.indwes.edu> or by contacting the Office of Student Services at 800-621-8667 ext 2359.

### **Expectations for Personal and Professional Conduct**

Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christian university of higher education that upholds high standards of personal and professional conduct. Such standards include a classroom environment that promotes a positive learning environment and a professional instructional climate.

Students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner with respect for the rights of both students and faculty. The university or its representatives reserve the right to act in situations where student behavior violates established policy or detracts from the ability of students or faculty to function effectively in the classroom. Such action may include disciplinary procedures issued by the faculty or suspension from the program. (NOTE: All discussion room and live chat postings for online courses are recorded and can be reviewed at the discretion of the university.)

Only regularly enrolled students may attend class unless granted permission by an administrator and arrangements are made with the instructor.

### **Inclement Weather Procedures**

The university is reluctant to postpone classes because the schedule is already very compressed and it is difficult to schedule make-up classes. The university consults with the instructors and obtains information from the National Weather Service, the State Police, the site managers (when appropriate), and occasionally consults with other universities that serve adult populations. The university cannot make the decision based on an individual student's geographical situation and the driving distance to and from class. Students should be aware, however, that they are expected to use discretion and not to take unreasonable risks. If students choose not to attend class, they must notify their instructor and make appropriate arrangements for make-up work.

Decisions to postpone classes will be announced by the university. Regional locations will be judged by the Regional Deans. Classes will be rescheduled by the university in cooperation with the facilitator and class representative. Students unable to attend the rescheduled class must make appropriate arrangements to make up the work.

Postponement decisions for evening classes will be made by approximately 3:00 p.m. on the day of class. Decisions about Saturday classes will be made the evening before, when possible, but may be made during the early morning hours.

Postponement decisions will be announced through a variety of methods. In most cases the core group has a designated class representative who will be notified by the university. The representative should then activate the telephone calling tree to disseminate the information to the class. In cases where there is no class representative or calling tree, someone from IWU and/or the instructor will call the students. No notification will be made unless classes are postponed. Students should contact their class representatives, rather than call IWU administrative offices or class sites. In addition to the telephone calling tree, information about postponement will be announced on the university's Web site at <http://www.indwes.edu/classinfo> or by calling the university at 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2022. Announcements will also be posted on the student portal.

### **Library Services**

Off Campus Library Services provides both mediated and direct access to resources and services designed specifically for the adult student. The Jackson Library in Marion has well over 170,000+ titles (including e-books), more than 13,200+ audiovisual titles, 750+ print journal subscriptions and provides access to thousands of online journals via a searchable database. Branch libraries are available at the Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Merrillville, Louisville, Cincinnati and Cleveland campuses of the university and include some reference books and full access to the library catalog and subscription-based periodical indexes. These campuses also have some availability of reference librarians. Remote access to the catalog and computerized general and subject specific indexes are available via the library's Web page <http://www.indwes.edu/ocls> for any students with Internet access and a student ID with a 14-digit library number.

The distance student can contact OCLS via e-mail, Web page form, 800 telephone or fax. Online access to the Library Resource Guide is available from the OCLS Web page; OCLS Tools. All provided services are further described in this document.

The library is part of a consortium, Academic Libraries of Indiana, which includes access to most library collections of Indiana higher education institutions. If attending classes in Kentucky or Ohio, the regional OCLS librarian will tell you about opportunities in your area.

### **Non-Academic Appeal - School of Nursing**

A non-academic appeal involves only those situations in which a student is seeking recourse from (a) a university non-academic program, policy, or decision; or (b) alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the American with Disabilities Act of 1990, or other state or federal legislation.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

All non-academic appeals will be reported to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

A student who wishes to file such an appeal must abide by the procedures that follow:

1. Level 1 - The student must first contact the person or the department concerned to resolve the dispute informally. Such contact must occur within 30 days of the incident that generates the dispute.
2. Level 2 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved at level one, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level one decision to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council for a review by the Student Life Council, which is comprised of the personnel and students from the School of Nursing. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claims. The Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council will communicate the committee's findings and decision to the student.
3. Level 3 - If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at level two, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level two decision to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council for a review by the Dean, School of Nursing. Appeals at this level will be considered only to ensure that University procedures were followed in levels one and two. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claim and reference why the decision at level two is deemed unsatisfactory. The Dean will consider the situation and will inform the student of the decision, which will be final.

### **Services for Disabled Students**

The process for serving a disabled or impaired student enrolled in an adult and graduate program is as follows:

- Students who require special accommodation will be referred to the College's appointed coordinator of special needs requests. The student will be required to supply a physician's or other specialist's verification of his or her special need and a recommendation concerning the nature of special assistance required.
- Once this documentation is in hand, the Office of Student Services will consult with the university's designated disability officer (DDO) to ensure that the documentation is complete and in order. The disability officer will determine whether the university can reasonably accommodate the student's need. The Office of Student Services, in coordination with the DDO, will then recommend a plan of accommodation to the student.
- The Office of Student Services will ensure that all relevant faculty, site, and student services departments are notified of the plan of accommodation, and that the plan is successfully implemented.

Students who believe that they have experienced discrimination on the basis of a disability can seek resolution by following the steps as outlined in the Student Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic).

### **Student Address/Email Information**

Students should notify the Office of Student Services of any change of address, telephone number, or name so that proper records can be maintained. Name change requests require submission of appropriate documentation.

**IWU Student Email Accounts** - Upon acceptance, students are given an IWU student e-mail account. This is the only account used by IWU for communication with the student. It is extremely important that the student checks this account on a regular basis as important academic and financial information as well as university announcements will be shared in this way.

## Post-licensure (RNBSN)

The School of Nursing offers a post-licensure RNBSN Program leading to a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (B.S.N.). The undergraduate program prepares men and women for professional nursing practice and provides a foundation for advanced study in nursing.

The School of Nursing post-licensure RNBSN Program is accredited by The Higher Learning Commission (<http://www.ncahigherlearningcommission.org/>) and Indiana Wesleyan University is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The program is also accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) (202-887-6791). Memberships include the American Association of Colleges of Nursing and the Council for Christian Colleges and Universities.

Throughout the post-licensure RNBSN Program, the nurse is a purposeful, self-directed individual who assumes responsibility and accountability to God, society, self, and clients who, made in the image of God, have intrinsic worth and value. Modeling the example of Jesus Christ, nurses are to protect and promote health, especially for people lacking access to health care, through the just allocation of health resources and services throughout the world.

The post-licensure RNBSN Program is planned within the philosophy and conceptual framework of the baccalaureate program. (Adult learners want to take charge of their own learning and can be mutually responsible for the education process in partnership with faculty.) Small project teams and other strategies appropriate for adult education contribute to mastery of learning outcomes.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

Post-licensure RNBSN - Program Requirements

Post-licensure RNBSN - Program of Study

### Post-licensure (RNBSN) - Program of Study

NUR-224	Nursing Informatics	2
NUR-205	Nursing's Role in the Health Care System	3
NUR-332	Nursing Theory for the Clinician	3
NUR-365	Ethics	2
NUR-370	Gerontology	3
NUR-437	Pathophysiology	3
NUR-334	Comprehensive Health Assessment of the Well Adult	2
NUR-436	Research	3
NUR-350	Seminar in Nursing Leadership	3
NUR-235	Perspectives on Poverty and Health	2
NUR-401	Transcultural Nursing	3
NUR-460	Population-Focused Nursing Care in Communities	5
NUR-237	Complementary and Alternative Therapies	2
NUR-490	Management in Nursing	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>40</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Post-licensure (RNBSN) - Program Requirements

**Program Requirements:**



- Students must complete each individual core course with a grade of “C” or higher.
- To progress in the major, RNBSN students must have obtained a core GPA of 2.75 by the end of the third course.
- Students must have an RN license that is active and unencumbered at all times during enrollment in the program. Students must have a valid unencumbered RN license in the state(s) of the practicum sites. If students have multi state licenses, all must be unencumbered. Students may be administratively withdrawn from the program at any point if this status is not maintained.

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## Graduate Studies in Nursing Division

The Graduate Studies in Nursing Division offers the Master of Science in Nursing degree with the following majors:

Nursing Administration

Nursing Education

Primary Care Nursing

In addition, Post-Master's Certificates are also available.

Policies and General Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing

### Admission Requirements

Admission to all graduate nursing majors begins with submission of required application forms, letters of recommendation, writing sample, and official transcripts of previous college and university studies. Applications will be received by the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing. Applications will be kept on file for a period of 18 months. Acceptance into any graduate nursing program will remain valid for a period of 18 months.

To assist in the decision-making process, the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing reserves the right to require the applicant to:

- Interview with the Committee; and/or
- Take the GRE.

Criteria for regular admission are:

- B.S.N. or B.S. degree with a major in nursing from an accredited program.
- Undergraduate grade-point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
- Anyone applying to become a student at Indiana Wesleyan University must provide proof that all nursing licenses – whether current or inactive – are unencumbered. Potential students with encumbered nursing licenses will not be considered eligible for enrollment at Indiana Wesleyan University.
- Three letters of recommendation which must include references from: a former instructor, a pastor or someone with whom the applicant has worked in the past year who can attest to the applicant's service record or character, and a direct supervisor.
- Original transcript from the degree granting institution.
- A writing sample will be required, consisting of responses to three questions selected from a provided list.
- At least one year of professional practice. Students applying for admission to the Primary Care Program must have 500 hours of direct contact and/or care for patients within the year prior to admission. Students applying for admission to the Nursing Administration or Nursing Education majors must have 1000 hours of nursing practice within the three years prior to admission.
- A criminal history background check must be completed before registration for any track of the graduate nursing program. Letters of acceptance from the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing will include instructions for completing the criminal background check. The criminal background check must be completed two weeks before the beginning of the first course. A second criminal background check and drug screen will be required for Primary Care students two weeks before the first clinical course begins. Instructions for the second criminal background check and drug screen will be sent to students by the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing. Progression in the program may depend on the results of these checks.
- Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) if English is not first language. A score of at least 550 (paper-based), 213 (computer-based), or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission.
- Master's Degree in Nursing for Post-Master's degree Certificate.

### Graduation Requirements

To graduate, students must have completed the following:

- Completion of all core and major requirements for the specific program (Primary Care - 49 hours; Nursing Administration/Nursing Education - 41 hours).
- Minimum grade of "C" in each core course and "B" in each major course.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.00
- Program must be completed within a maximum of four years from the date of enrollment.
- All financial obligations must be settled in order to receive a diploma.

## Policies and General Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing Division

The right is reserved to change any of the rules and regulations of the university at any time, including those relating to admission, instruction, and graduation. The right to withdraw curricula and specific courses, alter course content, change the calendar, and to impose or increase fees similarly is reserved. All such changes are effective at such times as the proper authorities determine and may apply not only to prospective students but also to those already enrolled in the university.

Graduate Studies in Nursing - Academic Information

Graduate Studies in Nursing - Financial Information

Graduate Studies in Nursing - General Information

## Academic Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing

**Academic Calendar** - Graduate nursing courses are offered under the semester hour system but in a non-traditional academic calendar. Each major consists of required courses taught in an accelerated, modular format, and taken sequentially. Each major has an online component. The Nursing Administration and Nursing Education majors are 100 percent online. All online classes meet in an asynchronous environment through Blackboard. The Primary Care major has a significant online component, but also includes onsite classes in specified courses. Onsite classes meet for four hours on a weeknight.

**Catalog Governing Graduation** - Students must meet the graduation requirements as stated in the university catalog under which they enrolled. Students who maintain continuous enrollment, who make normal progress toward a degree, and who earn their degree within a maximum of four years from the date of enrollment may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they enrolled. **Students who withdraw from Indiana Wesleyan University for more than six months will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment.** Students changing majors or programs must meet requirements as stated in the catalog that is current at the time they make such changes. The same holds true for students moving between schools and colleges.

**Core Requirements** - The integrity of the adult and graduate programs requires that the core courses be met at Indiana Wesleyan University. Students are required to complete the first course of the core program with a passing grade in order to maintain enrollment with their cohort. In general, no waivers are allowed for courses taken at other colleges/universities.

Final class dates as established by the calendar will be the final date for completion of the core curriculum. No compressing or doubling of core work is permitted to accommodate earlier completion or graduation schedules.

Academic Standing - Graduate Studies in Nursing

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**Academic Standing - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

**Placement on Probation** - Students enrolled in a graduate nursing program will be placed on probation if their GPA falls below 3.0.

Students are given two consecutive courses to satisfactorily raise their GPA. If the GPA is successfully raised, the probationary status is removed. Academic suspension will result if the student's GPA is not successfully raised.

**Academic Suspension** - Academic suspension will result if:

- A student fails to clear the academic probationary status within the probationary period of two consecutive courses.
- A student has two grades of failure (F) at one time on an academic record in the same degree level.
- A student has taken a course twice and failed to achieve a satisfactory grade. When this occurs, the student is ineligible to reapply for admission into the program in which the course was repeated.

In all cases, the suspension will occur once the grades have been recorded in the Registrar's Office. Students will be notified of the academic suspension in writing. Application for readmission may be made after six months. The application must be made in writing to the Executive Director of the School of Nursing.

**Academic Dismissal** - Upon a second academic suspension in the same program, a student is not eligible to reapply to Indiana Wesleyan University.

**Admission and Registration - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

Indiana Wesleyan University welcomes applications for admission from any academically qualified person whose motivation is in keeping with the university's purposes. Admission is based on the careful review of all credentials presented by an applicant, but in no case is admission denied due to race, color, national origin, disability, religion, or sex. Students are admitted in one of the following categories:

- Regular - Students who satisfactorily meet all requirements will be granted standard admission with no restrictions.
- Probation - Students with an entering grade point average (GPA) which falls below the minimum required by the program may be accepted on probation. Probationary status will be removed after the student has completed the first three courses of the core with a satisfactory GPA (3.0). In case of extended probation, the number of courses to be completed in order to change status will be determined by the Executive Director, School of Nursing. Any student failing to remove the probationary status will be academically suspended from the program.
- Unclassified - Students not pursuing a university degree who want to take certain courses for special reasons may be accepted for a maximum of 12 hours. Students receiving an unclassified status must reapply for regular admission if they desire later to pursue a degree program. Unclassified students are not eligible for financial aid.

**International/Non-English Speaking Students** - A student who is living in the United States but is not a United States citizen must submit a copy of a visa or permanent resident status during the process of application. Students who do not speak English as their first and primary language must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) prior to admission to the university. A score of at least 550 (paper-based), 213 (computer-based), or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission. Student visas (I-20's) are not issued for students wanting to enter the United States to enroll in programs offered for adult and graduate students.

**Registration** - Registration occurs at the beginning of the student's core program. At this point, students are registered for all courses within the major. Therefore, if a student needs to miss an individual course, official withdrawal must be made through the Office of Student Services. Staff will work with the Division Chair and the student to make arrangements to retake this class with another core group at a time that will minimize the impact on the student's financial aid. Students need to be aware that temporary withdrawals could impact their eligibility to receive financial aid based on the standards outlined in IWU's Satisfactory Academic Progress.

A student who has failed to make arrangements for the payment of tuition for a course will have registration in that course cancelled.

**Attendance Policy - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

Because of the delivery method of adult and graduate programs, attendance is required and monitored. Students are expected to be present for onsite class sessions and participate in online activity. Absences are allowed as follows:

- Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed one absence in courses that are five class sessions or fewer in length. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.

- Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed two absences in courses that are six or more class sessions in length. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.

If a student exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to officially withdraw before the last class session, the instructor is directed to issue the grade of “F”. Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Student must then go through the normal readmittance process.

Students who must miss a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a withdrawal with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Students needing to withdraw while in a course may do so by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply. Students will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

Faculty members reserve the right to factor lateness, early departures, and class attendance into a student’s grade, as long as it is addressed in the syllabus.

**Onsite Attendance Policy** – The nature of the adult and graduate programs requires students to attend all class sessions. Class attendance records are maintained by the faculty member and submitted to the Office of Student Services. Students are expected to be present when class begins, and remain the entire workshop. To be counted present, a student must attend a total of three hours or more of a class that is four hours in length. Only under *emergency circumstances*, a student may be allowed one absence in any clinical course.

**Online Attendance Policy:** Attendance is determined by activity during a workshop, either through discussions or submission of assignments. A student is reported absent for a workshop if there is not at least one submission (or posting) of an assignment or in a discussion forum assigned during that workshop.

**Audit of Courses**

A student who has been accepted into an Indiana Wesleyan University degree program or as an unclassified student may choose to audit specified courses within a core program or electives as follows:

- Audit registration is allowed on a space available basis.
- The current audit fee per credit hour must accompany the registration.
- Auditing a course gives one the right to attend the course. No credit or letter grade is given. The course will be indicated as an "AU" on the student's IWU transcript.
- The student auditing the course is not expected to participate in classroom or study group assignments, or to complete homework, quizzes, or tests.
- The facilitator is under no obligation to grade any work an auditing student chooses to submit or to give feedback on progress.
- The materials required for the course are optional for auditing students. If one wishes to purchase materials, the fees must accompany the registration.
- The student must meet course pre-requisites or be approved by the appropriate administrator of the specific college/school.
- No change may be made from audit to credit, or credit to audit, after registration closes.

**Grading and Evaluation**

A letter grade is used in evaluating the work for a course. For the purpose of determining scholastic standing and awarding honors, grade points are granted according to the letter grades and semester hours of credit. The grade point average (GPA) is the number of quality points earned at IWU divided by the number of credit hours attempted at IWU.

Grade	Quality Points (per credit)	Definition
A	4.0	Superior
A-	3.7	
B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Above Average
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	

C	2.0	Average
C-	1.7	
D+	1.3	
D	1.0	Passing
F	.0	Failure (Also given for unofficial withdrawals)
<b>The following grades are not figured into the GPA:</b>		
W		Passing work at time of official withdrawal
I		Incomplete
CR		Credit
NC		No Credit
AU		Audit

**Repeated Courses** - A student may repeat once any course in which a grade below “C” (“C-,” “D+,” “D,” or “F”) was previously earned. Some specific graduate level courses are identified as repeatable and can be repeated if a student earns a grade higher than “C” but below the level required for that specific course. The course may be repeated once.

Whenever a course is repeated, the last grade and credits earned replace the previous grade in computing the student’s grade point average (GPA). All entries, however, remain a part of the student’s permanent academic record. Duplicate credit hours are not given for two or more passing efforts. A course taken in a classroom format may not be repeated for a grade through independent learning.

Since a course may be repeated once, failure to achieve a satisfactory grade in a course after two attempts will result in academic suspension and ineligibility to complete the major in which the course was repeated.

**Incomplete Grades** - Students are expected to complete the course requirements by the last class session. There may be instances when crisis circumstances or events prevent the student from completing the course requirements in a timely manner. However, the issuance of an incomplete cannot be given if the student fails to meet the attendance requirements. In these rare situations, a grade of “I” (incomplete) may be issued but only after completing the following process:

- The student must request an “I” from the instructor.
- The instructor must obtain approval from the appropriate Regional Dean/Program Director/Program Chair/Division Chair.

Because “incompletes” are granted only for extenuating circumstances, the student’s grade will not be penalized.

A student who receives an “incomplete” has 10 weeks from the final meeting date of the course to complete course requirements and turn them in to the instructor. If, at the end of the 10-week extension, the student has failed to complete the course requirements, the “incomplete” will become an “F.” A student with more than one incomplete on record is subject to academic suspension.

**Grade Reports** - At the end of each course, the instructor submits grades for each student. Grade reports are mailed from the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and indicate courses taken, credits received, and grades assigned.

**Transcripts** - The student’s official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

## **Graduation - Graduate Degree Programs**

**Graduation Ceremonies** - IWU graduation ceremonies are held three times a year. Degrees are conferred and posted to the student's transcript on these three dates only.

Eligible students are notified by the Office of Student Services of procedures and requirements concerning graduation.

Each student must complete an "Application for Graduation" provided by the Office of Student Services. This application indicates the student's intent to graduate and initiates the final evaluation of the student's academic record.

Students are also asked to inform the university as to whether they will be attending the ceremony. This allows the university to determine the number of tickets available for students who are attending. If a student cannot attend graduation due to unforeseen circumstances, the degree is still conferred; however, attendance at a future graduation is not an option.

**Graduation Requirements** - All requirements must be met and transcribed by the date established by the Office of Student Services (eight days prior to the commencement ceremony). Students taking internal or external coursework need to make sure that transcripts, grades, and scores can be received and transcribed by the deadline date.

Students may receive one degree only per commencement. Students meeting requirements for more than one degree must apply for and participate in two different ceremonies.

Students who have received a degree from IWU and have returned to meet requirements for an additional major at the same degree level will have the second major posted to their existing degree. The second major can only be posted at one of the three conferral dates, and students receiving the second major are not eligible to participate in another graduation ceremony.

**Diplomas** - Diplomas are mailed after the conferment of degrees. Diplomas indicate degree earned, date of degree, major, specialization, and honors. A student's financial account must be settled to receive a diploma.

## **Leave of Absence Policy**

Indiana Wesleyan University understands there are life events that may require a student to modify class enrollment and schedules. The leave of absence policy is designed to allow students flexibility in their program enrollment to adjust to these life events. The leave of absence policy also extends to students the ability to make up any courses missed during the approved leave.

A student on an approved leave of absence will be considered enrolled at IWU and eligible for an in-school deferment for student aid loans. Federal financial aid and in-school deferment may be negatively impacted if a student fails to apply for the leave of absence or if the application is denied. **This impacts students who receive Title IV federal financial aid (Federal Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Grants, Federal Stafford Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans, Federal Parent Loans) or who want to have a federal student loan deferred from payment while in school.**

Students who will be out of attendance for a period of 29 days or more should request a leave of absence. Students out of class for less than 29 days are not eligible for a leave of absence, and a recalculation on current financial aid will be done. Students who are not on federal financial aid programs or who do not have a federal loan in deferment are not required to request a leave of absence. However, the approved leave of absence will result in the \$100 registration change fee being waived.

Students needing to make a change in their schedule need to contact the Office of Student Services to process the registration change. At that time, the leave of absence request form will be mailed to the student. The Leave of Absence Application can be downloaded, or can be requested by calling the Office of Student Services at 765-677-1207. Students must request the leave within 21 days of initiating the registration change. The request for a leave of absence should be made prior to the date the leave is to start. The start date of the leave is the first date of the class or, if the class has already started, the date the registration change is initiated.

An approved leave of absence must meet the following criteria: the request must be received within 21 days of the registration change; the request must be made prior to the start of the leave (first day of class); the reason for the request must be one approved by IWU's Leave of Absence Committee (military, medical, jury duty, loss of job, family emergency, employment emergency, transfer of coursework, passing pre-requisite requirement, transfer of core groups, changing programs, administrative cancellation of core classes, or other reasons as approved by the Leave of Absence Committee); appropriate documentation must be submitted if the request is submitted after the leave has started; the student must have an expected date of return; and, the leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period.

Documentation is required if the request for the leave of absence is made after the beginning date of the leave of absence and needs to address the nature of the reason for the request. Documentation for each circumstance will vary; the student is required to provide whatever paperwork from a third party will attest to the circumstance outlined on the application form. Examples would include physicians' statements, letters from employers, letters from pastors or counselors, court documents, etc. Documentation is also

required if a request is submitted after the 21 day deadline, and needs to address the reason for the delay in the submission of the request.

The leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period. Time in excess of 180 days will not be approved. A student may request an extension to a leave providing the request is made before the end of the leave, there are unforeseen circumstances which prevent the return from the leave, and the total number of days of approved leave do not exceed 180 in a 12-month period. A maximum of two leaves of absence are allowed during a 12-month period.

Failure to return from an approved leave of absence nullifies the approved leave and may have an impact on student loan repayment terms as well as the grace period. The first day of the leave will be reported as the beginning of the grace period for loan deferment. Students may return early from an approved leave of absence prior to the leave end date. The leave will be shortened according to the student's return date.

Students will not receive disbursements of Title IV student loan financial aid funds during the leave. Students are not deferred from making regularly scheduled payments to the Accounting Office for normal fees incurred. Any change in registration can impact current financial aid regardless of approval or denial of the leave of absence request. Questions about impact on current financial aid should be directed to the Financial Aid Office at 800-621-8667 ext. 2516. Students on an approved leave of absence will be reported as such and will be eligible for in-school deferment of previous loans. Students whose request for a leave of absence is denied will be reported as withdrawn and the grace period for loan repayment will go into effect.

### **Transfer between Majors - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

It is assumed that students applying for/enrolling in graduate level programs have a higher level of maturity and decision-making ability. The selection of a graduate major should be approached with deliberation after acquiring the knowledge necessary to make the decision.

The graduate nursing majors are designed around an accelerated cohort model, intended to foster a certain group dynamic and support system for adult learners. Continued disruption of this model – as well as the curriculum schedule – inhibits the effectiveness of this design. In addition, the amount of time necessary to create a tailored plan of study for each transfer student adds an excessive amount of work to current faculty and staff.

Students who wish to change majors must submit a change of program and meet all admission requirements for the requested major. Transfer approval will be subject to review of the student's academic progress and availability of space in the requested major. The university cannot guarantee transfer requests will be approved.

Please be advised that any transfer/change in program may impact financial aid. Students will not be eligible for deferment or the 'scheduled break' option under this policy, and may have to begin loan payments until they are re-enrolled in their newly-selected major. In addition, the change may lead to a significant delay in the time it takes to complete MSN degree requirements.

### **Transfer of Credit Policy - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

The university may allow a maximum of nine credits in transfer to the graduate nursing programs. Transfer of credit will be determined by the Division Chair of the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing or designee.

Credit is granted for work with a satisfactory grade ("C" or above) taken at an approved college or university accredited at the same level, provided the courses are applicable to the curriculum the student wishes to pursue at Indiana Wesleyan University. An "approved college or university" generally refers to those institutions that are accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education.

The University Registrar is responsible for approving the transferability of all credits. Credit hours accepted in transfer are recorded, but quality points and grades are omitted. All credits are accepted as semester credits. Quarter credits are converted to semester credits using the two-thirds conversion ratio.

**Transcripts from foreign institutions** - are sent to an outside agency for evaluation and determination of transferable credits, degrees, and GPA. Students are responsible for the initiation of this evaluation and for any fees incurred during the process. Applications for this service are available to the student through the university.

### **Withdrawal/Change in Status - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

A student who finds it necessary to withdraw from the program or to take a temporary leave of absence is required to contact the Registration Change Counselor in the Office of Student Services to complete this process ([registration.change@indwes.edu](mailto:registration.change@indwes.edu)). Students must request the withdrawal from the Registration Change Counselor before the last class workshop. Failure to initiate an official



withdrawal will result in a "No Credit" or an "F" grade for the student in those related courses. Students withdrawing from a class or transferring to another core group will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

A student who is temporarily withdrawing may request an individual leave of absence up to 180 days in a 12 month period. A student cannot request more than two leaves during a 12 month period, and the total number of days on leave may not exceed 180 days within a 12 month period. All leaves must be requested through the Office of Student Services.

If a student officially withdraws after a course has started, a grade of "W" will be assigned. An "F" will be assigned to a student who stops attending but does not officially withdraw. Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Students must then go through the normal readmittance process to return to class.

Students who are unable to complete a course or who receive an unsatisfactory grade for their specific program will be allowed to repeat that course with another group of students if arrangements are made with the Registration Change Counselor and the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing. Tuition and fees will be charged for repeating the course.

Students withdrawing from the first course of a core program must withdraw from the entire program and re-enter with another core group.

If, at a later time the student wishes to re-enter the program, a re-entry form must be submitted to the Office of Student Services. Receipt of the signed application will initiate a review of the student's academic file to determine remaining requirements. A student who was academically suspended from the graduate nursing program may make application to the Executive Director for Nursing Programs for readmission after six months. Students sitting out of a core program for more than 90 days are subject to a tuition increase upon returning. Students re-entering a core program after six months or more are subject to any changes in curriculum upon returning.

Any change in registration may have an impact on the student's financial aid. Students should always check with the financial aid office before initiating a registration change.

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## Financial Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing

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### Fee Structure - Degree Programs

Students are advised of financial obligations for their degree seeking (core) program during the registration process. A schedule of payments and analysis of fee structures, along with due dates, is outlined. Students are expected to meet these obligations according to the schedule. Any questions regarding payments or problems associated with making those payments should be directed to the Accounting Office.

Students who have applied for financial aid are responsible for all tuition and fees in the event it is determined they are ineligible for financial aid, decline the financial aid, or withdraw from the program prior to completing the academic award period. Students receiving military or corporate assistance who have received prior approval from the university for direct billing are required to pay their share of tuition and fees and submit appropriate assistance documents by the assigned due date. The deferral program in no way relieves the student of the financial obligation to the university and the student retains full responsibility for ensuring that all tuition and fees are paid in full and in a timely manner.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to suspend students from class attendance for failure to meet financial obligations.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to change the tuition and fee schedule at any time. Students who remain registered in their initial core group making satisfactory academic progress shall have their tuition and fees guaranteed. A \$50 late fee is charged each time a payment is received after the due date. There will be a fee charged for any check returned due to non-sufficient funds. If collection of tuition, book charges, and/or fees becomes necessary, all costs of collection, court costs, and attorney fees are the responsibility of the student. A \$100 withdrawal fee will be charged for each temporary withdrawal or transfer.

### Refund Policy - Degree Programs

1. Any student withdrawing after attending only the first class session of the program or orientation will be assessed a \$100 fee. All other tuition and fees will be refunded.
2. After a student has attended two class sessions of the program, tuition, application fees, and educational resource fees are not refundable.
3. Tuition is refunded according to the following policy for all subsequent courses:
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the first class session of a course - full tuition refund.
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the second class session of a course - 90 percent tuition refund.
  - Withdrawal after second class session or after the seventh day of an online class - no refund.
4. In compliance with federal regulations for the student who has received financial aid, the refund will be returned to the appropriate aid sources.
5. Book fees are not refundable once the student has attended one class session or if the books have been marred in any way prior to that time.
6. Students who are unable to complete a course or who receive an unsatisfactory grade for their specific program will be allowed to repeat that course with another group of students if arrangements are made with the Registration Change Counselor. Tuition and fees will be charged for repeating the course.
7. Decisions regarding refunds are made by the appropriate Accounting Office, and in isolated cases, by the Financial Appeals Committee.

## Financial Aid - Graduate Studies in Nursing

### Types of Financial Aid Available for Graduate Nursing Programs

The following types of financial aid are available to persons enrolled as degree-seeking students who meet the eligibility criteria for the aid type. Complete fund profiles may be found online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid).

**Advanced Education Nursing Traineeship (AENT) Grant** – is a grant that does not have to be repaid and is available to students in a graduate nursing program who complete the Statement of Appointment form. Funding is limited, and awards are made on a first

come, first served basis. Funds may be applied toward tuition and up to \$500 in books, fees, and living expenses. The award amount for the 2010-2011 award year is \$1500..

**Nurse Faculty Loan Program (NFLP)** - is a loan program used to provide loan funds to students enrolled in an eligible advanced degree program in nursing. After graduation from the advanced education nursing degree program, loan recipients may cancel up to 85 percent of the NFLP loan over a consecutive four-year period while serving as full-time nurse faculty at a school of nursing. Loan funds are given to cover costs of tuition, books, and eligible fees. Funds are limited and are offered on a first come, first served basis. The student must complete an application each year. Once the amount of eligibility has been determined, an award letter will be sent. At that time the student must complete an entrance interview form along with a promissory note. Following graduation or cessation of enrollment, exit counseling materials will be sent to the student. These exit counseling materials will contain an employment form that must be completed and sent in notifying the loan holder of the current employment.

**William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan** – is available to students who file the FAFSA and all other required financial aid forms and who meet all federal criteria for eligibility. The maximum annual loan amount is \$20,500 for graduate students. Lifetime maximum borrowing limit for graduate programs is \$138,500 (including undergraduate borrowing). For students who demonstrate financial need, the federal government subsidizes loan interest for a portion of the total annual loan amount while the student is enrolled in school. Interest rates are set on July 1 each year and are fixed rates. For July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, the interest rate is 6.8 percent for all Federal Direct Loans for graduate students.

A student’s total financial assistance, including loans, may not exceed the calculated cost of attendance for the program. Students with unsubsidized loans may elect to make monthly interest payments to the lender or allow the accumulated interest to accrue until repayment, which begins six months after the student ceases to be enrolled as at least a half-time student. Upon graduation or termination of studies, the student is given a six-month grace period during which no interest or principal payments are due on subsidized loans and during which only interest accrues on the unsubsidized loans. The minimum monthly payment is \$50, but the amount varies based on the total amount of the outstanding loans upon which the student is paying.

**Federal Perkins Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 5 percent interest rate. Funding is limited, and priority consideration is given to undergraduate or graduate students with a Pell-eligible EFC who meet other need-based criteria. The annual loan limit is \$8000 per award year for graduate students. The aggregate loan limit is \$40,000 for graduate or professional students, including loans borrowed as an undergraduate student. Repayment begins 9 months after enrollment terminates, and no interest accrues until that time.

**Graduate PLUS Federal Direct Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 7.9 percent interest rate available to graduate students who have remaining cost of attendance not met by subsidized/unsubsidized William D. Ford Federal Direct Loans. This is a credit-based federal loan.

**Active Duty Military Discount** – is a tuition discount to all active duty military personnel, including members of the Reserves and National Guard, and spouses of the aforementioned military personnel. Students must submit an Active Duty Military Discount application, available by calling the IWU Accounting Office at 800-621-8667x2878.

**Yellow Ribbon Award** – is an award that does not have to be repaid and is available to eligible students who receive Chapter 33 GI Bill benefits. The amount eligible students receive reflects 50 percent of the tuition expenses that exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition rate. The VA matches that contribution to fully cover the tuition costs.

**Loan Repayment Chart:**

Interest Rate	5%	6.5%	8%
Amount Borrowed		Monthly Payment Amount	
\$5,500	\$58	\$62	\$67
\$8,500	\$90	\$97	\$103
\$15,000	\$159	\$170	\$182
\$20,000	\$212	\$227	\$243

\$30,000	\$318	\$341	\$364
\$40,000	\$424	\$454	\$485
\$50,000	\$530	\$568	\$607
\$60,000	\$636	\$681	\$728
\$70,000	\$742	\$795	\$850

### General Eligibility Requirements

- In order to receive federal and/or state student aid, a student must meet the following criteria:
  - Must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
  - Must be a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen.
  - Must have a valid Social Security number (with the exception of students from the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau).
  - Must be enrolled as a regular student (cannot be unclassified) in an eligible degree or certificate program.
  - Must make satisfactory academic progress (SAP) as outlined in IWU's SAP Policy.
  - Must maintain enrollment in classes.
- No longer than 180 days may elapse between classes in any 12 month period; a leave of absence must be requested through the Office of Student Services. If there is a gap between classes of up to 180 days, a leave of absence will be reported to the lender, but no loan repayment will be required. If there is a gap between classes of more than 180 days, the university is required to report non-enrollment information to the lender, and the student will be required to begin repayment of any student loans (see your loan promissory note for further information). If additional circumstances arise which require the student to be further out of attendance, the student should contact the Financial Aid Office to discuss options.
- Any changes in registration, such as withdrawals or cancelled courses, may result in cancellation or reduction of any or all financial aid. In such cases, the student is responsible for any remaining balance on the student account. A student who requests the credit balance from his/her student account and then makes registration changes may need to repay funds to the university and/or to the financial aid programs.

### How to Apply for Financial Aid

Students who wish to be considered for federal and/or state student financial aid must complete the application process online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid):

- Complete the Free Application for Federal student financial aid, or FAFSA (direct link [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)). You must list the Indiana Wesleyan University Title IV Code 001822 in step six of the FAFSA or IWU will not receive your FAFSA information from the federal processor.
- Complete the IWU Financial Aid Request Form. Under the Additional Aid Source(s) section, you must disclose any additional funding you may receive from employer reimbursement, vocational rehabilitation, or private scholarships to help pay for your education.
- Complete the Loan Entrance Counseling Session and William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note online (direct link [www.studentloans.gov](http://www.studentloans.gov)). You must have an established Federal student financial aid PIN in order to complete these items. It may be necessary to wait three days from the time you first apply for you PIN before trying to sign in to this website. For each item you must enter "Indiana" in the School State field even if you attend classes in another state or online.
  - Entrance Counseling Session: Click on Complete Entrance Counseling from the menu. Select the appropriate counseling type for your current degree pursuit (undergraduate or graduate).
  - Master Promissory Note: Click on Complete MPN from the menu and select Subsidized/ Unsubsidized from the next page.

Once the above steps have been completed, be certain to:

1. Respond to requests for additional information from the Financial Aid Office. You may be asked to complete a verification worksheet and to provide a copy of your federal tax return (and your spouse's or parents' tax return, as appropriate) as required by Department of Education regulations.
2. Provide documentation showing any amount of assistance provided by other agencies (i.e., tuition reimbursement from your employer, vocational rehabilitation benefits, scholarships from local business, etc.).
3. Fully complete all forms. Forms filled out incorrectly or submitted to the wrong place will delay your financial aid award.

#### **How Eligibility is Determined and Financial Aid is Processed**

1. All forms and information submitted online must be received in the Financial Aid Office before eligibility can be determined. In general, award amounts are based a student's Expected Family Contribution found on the Student Aid Report, a student's enrollment status, the cost of attendance, and other estimated financial assistance.
2. Students must be scheduled for a full academic year, according to the academic year definition for the program in which the student is enrolled, or to degree completion for financial aid to be awarded. Any changes in planned enrollment will affect the amount of aid for which the student may qualify.
3. The Financial Aid Office will e-mail notification to the student e-mail account that financial aid has been awarded and is available for review online via the student portal at <http://myIWU.indwes.edu>. This secure Web site will indicate the types and amounts of aid for which the student qualifies. The student must submit written documentation to the Financial Aid Office via e-mail, fax, or US mail to decline all or a portion of the awarded aid. Otherwise all awarded aid will disburse to the student account.

#### **How and When Financial Aid is Disbursed**

**Federal Direct Loans** are originated after classes have begun. The funds are applied as a credit to the student's account, typically in two disbursements per academic year. For new students, the first disbursement will occur approximately 45 days from the start of the first course with the second disbursement occurring after the completion of at least half the credit hours and weeks of instruction for the academic year.

All other types of aid are awarded and disbursement dates set as the necessary paperwork is received.

*All financial aid forms and information submitted online must be received at least three weeks before a planned class start.*

*Applying for financial aid does not remove responsibility for payment. If the funding is not received, the student must pay all outstanding balances immediately.*

#### **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**

Students are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress toward the completion of their course of study. This includes:

1. Enrolling in and attending class as well as completing assignments and projects.
2. Maintaining good academic standing. Students on academic probation will be allowed to continue on financial aid on SAP probation. Such students must improve their academic measurements to meet the required standards by the designated time frame or eligibility will be terminated.
3. Earning passing grades in a minimum of 67 percent of all credit hours attempted.
4. Completing the program within 150 percent of the credit hours normally required to complete the course of study (i.e. if the program requires 124 credit hours to complete, then the student may attempt no more than 186 credit hours) or by the designated time frame.

Academic progress is reviewed after every graduation (approximately every four months) and before financial aid funding is provided. Students who fail to make satisfactory academic progress will be placed onto SAP Probation or Ineligibility as appropriate per the policy requirements. Students with mitigating circumstances (which may include but is not limited to death in the family or grave illness of the student or close family member) may appeal termination of financial aid eligibility due to failure to make academic progress by submitting a SAP Appeal Form, written explanation, and adding supporting documentation to the SAP Appeals Committee through the Financial Aid Office.

#### **Refunds**

If a student finds it necessary to withdraw from the program, withdraw from a course or courses without an approved leave of absence, or to take leaves of absence that exceed 180 days in a twelve month period, a federal refund will be calculated. This calculation is based on the amount of class work completed during the payment period when the student withdraws. The amount of refund of federal financial aid money is based on the amount of financial aid that is considered not earned by the student. The following is an example of the refund calculation:

1. The student begins class on June 28 and the payment period runs until January 17.
2. The student withdraws from the program on October 4.
3. The payment period has 152 calendar days in it (not including break periods) and the student completed 86 days which is 56.6 percent of the payment period.
4. The amount of the refund will be 43.4 percent of the federal financial aid received.

The Financial Aid Office will determine the amount of the refund that is owed by Indiana Wesleyan University and the amount, if any, that is owed by the student. A letter will be sent to the student indicating the amount of the refund and what was done with it. Monies will be returned to the federal financial aid programs in the following order if the student received money in the program: unsubsidized Stafford loan, subsidized Stafford Loan, Perkins Loan, PLUS, Pell Grant, SEOG and other Title IV grants. The student will have 45 days to contact the Financial Aid Office to make arrangements to repay any federal grants that are owed by the student. Failure to make arrangements or to pay back the federal grants will mean the student is no longer eligible to receive federal financial aid at any institution until full repayment.

### Student's Rights and Responsibilities

A student has the right to know:

1. What financial assistance is available, including information on all Federal and State programs.
2. The deadlines for submitting application for each of the financial aid programs available.
3. The cost of attending the programs and the school's refund policy.
4. The criteria used by the institution to select financial aid recipients.
5. How the school determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, books, and living expenses are considered in your budget.
6. What resources (such as employer reimbursement, other financial aid, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need.
7. How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
8. An explanation of the various programs in your student aid package. If you believe you have been treated unfairly, you may request reconsideration of the award which was made to you.
9. What portion of the financial aid you received must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total amount that must be repaid, the payback procedures, the length of time you have to repay the loan, and when the repayment is to begin.

A student's responsibilities:

1. Review and consider all information about the school's program before you enroll.
2. Complete all application forms accurately and in a timely manner to the correct address.
3. Pay special attention to, and accurately complete, your application for financial aid. Errors can result in delays of receipt of your financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties under the U.S. Criminal Code.
4. Return all additional information, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Financial Aid Office or the agency to which you submitted your FAFSA.
5. Accept responsibility for all agreements you sign.
6. If you have a loan, notify the lender of changes in your name, address, or school status.
7. Know and comply with the deadline for application or reapplication for aid.
8. Know and comply with the school's leave of absence or withdrawal procedures.
9. Repay student loans in agreement with the loan promissory note.

### Further Information

The Financial Aid staff is here to assist in any way possible. If you have questions about any of the information pertaining to financial aid, please contact: Indiana Wesleyan University, Financial Aid Office, 1900 W. 50th Street, Marion, IN 46953-5279 Voice 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2516, 765-677-2516, Fax 765-677-2030.

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## Books and Materials

Indiana Wesleyan University is the sole provider of all books and materials for most adult and graduate programs.

For those programs that require IWU-provided materials, books and materials will be provided for each student and will be delivered on or prior to the first class session. "Sharing of materials" is not an option and all books/materials must be purchased directly from IWU by each student. Students receive payment schedules during the registration process which indicate the total amount charged for books and materials. The university does have an arrangement with a vendor who conducts "book buybacks" several times a year for all IWU students. Students desiring more information may contact the traditional campus bookstore at 866-468-6498 ext. 2210.

Please note: Textbook changes are inevitable. Should it become necessary for a student to withdraw from a course, all books and materials should be returned immediately, if eligible, to avoid additional charges if/when the course is taken at a later date. If materials are not returned, and course materials change in the time between withdrawal and reentry, the student will be charged for new materials. Materials are eligible for return credit within 60 days from the date of withdrawal provided the student has not attended any of the class sessions, or posted any assignments for online classes, and the materials have not been used or damaged (writing, highlighting, physical damage, CD's & access codes intact in original sealed packaging, etc.) in any way.

## Chaplaincy Program

*Spiritcare*, the Chaplaincy Program, is a ministry that seeks to care for the spiritual needs of adult students by introducing them to the person, teachings, and community of Jesus Christ. This is done primarily through classroom visits, outside contacts, multi-media presentations, and structured devotionals. The goal is to provide supportive opportunities for the growth of the complete person. Onsite and online students have direct contact with a caring pastor. *Spiritcare* desires to change the world by changing the heart. Chaplains can provide the following:

- Confidential and caring support for student and family members as requested.
- Spiritual guidance and prayer support.
- Intervention and support during life crises.
- Referrals to counseling and support groups for special needs.
- An opportunity to be referred to a local pastor and a local congregation for students seeking to grow in their faith.

Students may obtain additional information about the *Spiritcare* Chaplaincy Program through the student portal at <http://myIWU.indwes.edu> or by contacting the Office of Student Services at 800-621-8667 ext 2359.

## Expectations for Personal and Professional Conduct

Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christian university of higher education that upholds high standards of personal and professional conduct. Such standards include a classroom environment that promotes a positive learning environment and a professional instructional climate.

Students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner with respect for the rights of both students and faculty. The university or its representatives reserve the right to act in situations where student behavior violates established policy or detracts from the ability of students or faculty to function effectively in the classroom. Such action may include disciplinary procedures issued by the faculty or suspension from the program. (NOTE: All discussion room and live chat postings for online courses are recorded and can be reviewed at the discretion of the university.)

Only regularly enrolled students may attend class unless granted permission by an administrator and arrangements are made with the instructor.

### **Inclement Weather Procedures**

The university is reluctant to postpone classes because the schedule is already very compressed and it is difficult to schedule make-up classes. The university consults with the instructors and obtains information from the National Weather Service, the State Police, the site managers (when appropriate), and occasionally consults with other universities that serve adult populations. The university cannot make the decision based on an individual student's geographical situation and the driving distance to and from class. Students should be aware, however, that they are expected to use discretion and not to take unreasonable risks. If students choose not to attend class, they must notify their instructor and make appropriate arrangements for make-up work.

Decisions to postpone classes will be announced by the university. Regional locations will be judged by the Regional Deans. Classes will be rescheduled by the university in cooperation with the facilitator and class representative. Students unable to attend the rescheduled class must make appropriate arrangements to make up the work.

Postponement decisions for evening classes will be made by approximately 3:00 p.m. on the day of class. Decisions about Saturday classes will be made the evening before, when possible, but may be made during the early morning hours.

Postponement decisions will be announced through a variety of methods. In most cases the core group has a designated class representative who will be notified by the university. The representative should then activate the telephone calling tree to disseminate the information to the class. In cases where there is no class representative or calling tree, someone from IWU and/or the instructor will call the students. No notification will be made unless classes are postponed. Students should contact their class representatives, rather than call IWU administrative offices or class sites. In addition to the telephone calling tree, information about postponement will be announced on the university's Web site at <http://www.indwes.edu/classinfo> or by calling the university at 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2022. Announcements will also be posted on the student portal.

### **Library Services**

Off Campus Library Services provides both mediated and direct access to resources and services designed specifically for the adult student. The Jackson Library in Marion has well over 170,000+ titles (including e-books), more than 13,200+ audiovisual titles, 750+ print journal subscriptions and provides access to thousands of online journals via a searchable database. Branch libraries are available at the Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Merrillville, Louisville, Cincinnati and Cleveland campuses of the university and include some reference books and full access to the library catalog and subscription-based periodical indexes. These campuses also have some availability of reference librarians. Remote access to the catalog and computerized general and subject specific indexes are available via the library's Web page <http://www.indwes.edu/ocls> for any students with Internet access and a student ID with a 14-digit library number.

The distance student can contact OCLS via e-mail, Web page form, 800 telephone or fax. Online access to the Library Resource Guide is available from the OCLS Web page; OCLS Tools. All provided services are further described in this document.

The library is part of a consortium, Academic Libraries of Indiana, which includes access to most library collections of Indiana higher education institutions. If attending classes in Kentucky or Ohio, the regional OCLS librarian will tell you about opportunities in your area.

### **Non-Academic Appeal - School of Nursing**

A non-academic appeal involves only those situations in which a student is seeking recourse from (a) a university non-academic program, policy, or decision; or (b) alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the American with Disabilities Act of 1990, or other state or federal legislation.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

All non-academic appeals will be reported to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

A student who wishes to file such an appeal must abide by the procedures that follow:

1. Level 1 - The student must first contact the person or the department concerned to resolve the dispute informally. Such contact must occur within 30 days of the incident that generates the dispute.



2. Level 2 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved at level one, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level one decision to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council for a review by the Student Life Council, which is comprised of the personnel and students from the School of Nursing. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claims. The Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council will communicate the committee's findings and decision to the student.
3. Level 3 - If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at level two, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level two decision to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council for a review by the Dean, School of Nursing. Appeals at this level will be considered only to ensure that University procedures were followed in levels one and two. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claim and reference why the decision at level two is deemed unsatisfactory. The Dean will consider the situation and will inform the student of the decision, which will be final.

### **Services for Disabled Students**

The process for serving a disabled or impaired student enrolled in an adult and graduate program is as follows:

- Students who require special accommodation will be referred to the College's appointed coordinator of special needs requests. The student will be required to supply a physician's or other specialist's verification of his or her special need and a recommendation concerning the nature of special assistance required.
- Once this documentation is in hand, the Office of Student Services will consult with the university's designated disability officer (DDO) to ensure that the documentation is complete and in order. The disability officer will determine whether the university can reasonably accommodate the student's need. The Office of Student Services, in coordination with the DDO, will then recommend a plan of accommodation to the student.
- The Office of Student Services will ensure that all relevant faculty, site, and student services departments are notified of the plan of accommodation, and that the plan is successfully implemented.

Students who believe that they have experienced discrimination on the basis of a disability can seek resolution by following the steps as outlined in the Student Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic).

### **Student Address/Email Information**

Students should notify the Office of Student Services of any change of address, telephone number, or name so that proper records can be maintained. Name change requests require submission of appropriate documentation.

**IWU Student Email Accounts** - Upon acceptance, students are given an IWU student e-mail account. This is the only account used by IWU for communication with the student. It is extremely important that the student checks this account on a regular basis as important academic and financial information as well as university announcements will be shared in this way.

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Post-Master's Certificates

### Nursing Administration

The Nursing Administration major is designed to develop sound fiscal and personnel managers who are effective stewards of health care resources. It includes a practicum component as well as courses in organizational behavior, financing and role development. Graduates will be prepared to assume leadership roles within a variety of health care settings. They will also have the foundation necessary to work as a nurse educator within the university setting. Graduates of the program are eligible to apply for certification by the appropriate credentialing body.

Graduate Studies in Nursing - Program Requirements

Nursing Administration - Program of Study

#### Nursing Administration - Program of Study

	Core Courses	
GNUR-505	Advanced Nursing Seminar	3
GNUR-513A	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - A	1
GNUR-525	Ethics of Health Policy	3
GNUR-528	Biostatistics and Epidemiology	4
GNUR-526	Applied Research	4
	Major Courses	
GNUR-570	Professional Role Development for the Nursing Administrator	3
GNUR-572	Management of Health Care Delivery Systems	4
GNUR-574	Organizational Behavior	4
GNUR-576	Organization and Finance of Health Care	4
GNUR-578	Advanced Nursing Management - includes practicum	5
GNUR-590	Nursing Investigation	5
GNUR-513B	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - B	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>41</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Nursing Education

The Nursing Education major is designed to provide a solid theoretical foundation in the art and principles of effective education. It includes a student teaching component as well as courses in curriculum design, adult education and program evaluation. Graduates will become part of the solution to the current nursing shortage as they take jobs in schools and divisions of nursing. However, they will also be prepared to take on educational leadership positions within hospitals, communities and other areas where their skills are needed. Graduates of the program are eligible to apply for certification by the appropriate credentialing body.

## Graduate Studies in Nursing - Program Requirements

## Nursing Education - Program of Study

**Nursing Education - Program of Study**

<b>Core Courses</b>		
GNUR-505	Advanced Nursing Seminar	3
GNUR-513A	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - A	1
GNUR-525	Ethics of Health Care Policy	3
GNUR-528	Biostatistics and Epidemiology	4
GNUR-526	Applied Research	4
<b>Major Courses</b>		
GNUR-562	Professional Role Development for the Nursing Educator	3
GNUR-564	Curriculum Design	4
GNUR-568	Teaching and Learning Strategies	5
GNUR-566	Program Evaluation and Assessment	3
GNUR-569	Advanced Nursing Instruction - includes practicum	5
GNUR-590	Nursing Investigation	5
GNUR-513B	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - B	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>41</b>

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**Primary Care Nursing**

The Master of Science in Nursing degree with a major in Primary Care Nursing prepares registered nurses as Family Nurse Practitioners (FNP). The focus of Primary Care is the interrelationship of theory, research, and evidence-based practice. Opportunities for development of critical thinking and clinical problem-solving skills are provided throughout the program. Graduates of the program are eligible to apply for nurse practitioner certification by the appropriate credentialing body.

## Graduate Studies in Nursing - Program Requirements

## Re-enrollment Policy for the Primary Care Nursing Program

## Primary Care Nursing - Program of Study

**Primary Care Nursing - Program of Study**

<b>Core Courses</b>		
GNUR-505	Advanced Nursing Seminar	3
GNUR-513A	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - A	1
GNUR-525	Ethics of Health Policy	3
GNUR-528	Biostatistics and Epidemiology	4
GNUR-526	Applied Research	4
<b>Major Courses</b>		

PYC-502	Professional Role Development for the Nurse Practitioner	3
PYC-514	Advanced Pathophysiology	4
PYC-512	Advanced Pharmacology for Primary Care	4
PYC-522	Essentials of Primary Care	2
PYC-552	Advanced Health Status Assessment	4
PYC-530	Primary Care of Adults – includes practicum	7
PYC-532	Primary Care of Children – includes practicum	5
PYC-535	Primary Care of the Family - includes practicum	4
GNUR-513B	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - B	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>49</b>

**Clinical Attendance Policy** - The Primary Care (PYC) clinical courses combine onsite and online workshops within a single course. Students enrolled in these courses are held to a more stringent attendance standard due to the nature of the knowledge presented and its relevance to safe advanced nursing practice. If a student misses more than one onsite workshop during a clinical course, it will result in a grade of "F" for the course.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

#### **Re-enrollment Policy - Graduate Nursing, Primary Care Majors**

Re-enrollment policy for the Primary Care Nursing Program

Any student who withdraws from one or more courses in the graduate nursing Primary Care program must meet the following criteria to progress or re-enroll in the program:

- If more than 6 months have passed since the completion of PYC-512, the student must achieve an 87% on the IWU Pharmacology competency exam.
- If more than 6 months have passed since the completion of PYC-514, the student must achieve an 87% on the IWU Pathophysiology competency exam.
- If more than 6 months have passed since the completion of PYC-552, the student must achieve an 87% on the Advanced Physical Assessment competency exam.
- The Advanced Physical Assessment exam is only offered at the Marion and Louisville campuses. The student will be required to conduct a complete history and physical on a client of IWU's choosing, which must include written documentation.
- If the student does not pass the appropriate competency exam(s) at 87%, s/he will be required to audit the pertinent course(s) and satisfactorily pass the appropriate competency exam(s) before being allowed to re-enroll and continue on in the graduate nursing program. A fee will be charged to audit a class.
- The fee for each competency exam is \$100.

## Graduate Studies in Nursing - Program Requirements

### Progression Policy:

- Successful completion of all Core Courses with a minimum grade of "C" is prerequisite to entering the major.
- A minimum grade of "B" must be obtained in all Major Courses.
- Nursing Education and Administration majors must successfully complete all courses prior to beginning GNUR-590.
- A grade of "I" in GNUR-590 will require the student to register for GNUR-595 for up to two times. Failure to remove the "I" in GNUR-590 after two registrations in GNUR-595 will result in the grade of "I" being changed to an "F."
- Any student found to have falsified clinical/practicum hours will be immediately dismissed and not allowed to re-enter any graduate nursing program at IWU.
- Primary Care students must have health clearance and documentation of TB, Rubella, and Hepatitis B and any other requirements from the practicum sites for practicums and any other client contact.
- Nursing Education and Nursing Administration students may be required to provide health clearance and proof of immunization.
- Students who maintain continuous enrollment, who make normal progress toward a degree, and who earn their degree within a maximum of four years from the date of enrollment may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the bulletin under which they enrolled.
- Please refer to the Graduate Nursing Student Handbook for a full description of progression policies.

### Practicum Continuation Courses:

Students who have satisfactorily completed the didactic portion of a clinical course and have completed all required clinical hours but whose practice skills are not commensurate with faculty/preceptor expectations will be required to register for a Practicum Continuation course. The course will be 10 weeks, and the number of credit hours will be based on the number of clinical hours the student needs to improve skill proficiency based on faculty/Coordinator recommendation (1 credit = 70 clinical hours). Students who fall into this category will receive a grade of "I" for the original course. If the Practicum Continuation course is not completed satisfactorily within 10 weeks, a grade of "NC" will be awarded for the continuation course, and the grade of "I" for the original course will be changed to an "F."

## Post Master's Degree Certificate Options

An individual with a Master's degree in Nursing from an accredited nursing program may apply to complete a post master's degree certificate in any of the graduate nursing majors. Master's degree prepared nurses who complete the course of study are eligible to seek certification from the appropriate credentialing body.

Students applying for a post master's certificate as a Family Nurse Practitioner must have 500 hours of advanced practice direct contact and/or care for patients with the year prior to admission. Students applying for a post master's certificate in Nursing Education or Nursing Administration must have 1000 hours of direct contact and/or care for patients within the three years prior to admission.

The following plans of study apply only if a student fits one of the following categories:

- Is not a Nurse Practitioner but has a master's degree in nursing
- Is an Adult Nurse Practitioner
- Is a Family Nurse Practitioner
- Is a Gerontological Nurse Practitioner

To be admitted to a post master's degree certificate program, the student must have a Master's degree in Nursing, and meet all graduate nursing admission requirements.

### Plan of Study for Family Nurse Practitioner Post Master's Certificate (Applicant is not an NP and has met the 500 hour requirement)

PYC-502	Professional Role Development for the Nurse Practitioner	3
PYC-514	Advanced Pathophysiology	4
PYC-512	Advanced Pharmacology for Primary Care	4
PYC-522	Essentials of Primary Care	2
PYC-552	Advanced Health Status Assessment	4

PYC-530	Primary Care of Adults	7
PYC-532	Primary Care of Children	5
PYC-535	Primary Care of the Family	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>33</b>

**Plan of Study for Family Nurse Practitioner Post Master's Certificate  
(Applicant is an NP and has met the 500 hour requirement)**

PYC-502	Professional Role Development for the Nurse Practitioner	3
PYC-522	Essentials of Primary Care	2
PYC-532	Primary Care of Children	5
PYC-535	Primary Care of the Family	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>

**Plan of Study for Family Nurse Practitioner Post Master's Certificate  
(Applicant is an NP and has not met the 500 hour requirement)**

PYC-514	Advanced Pathophysiology	Exam**
PYC-512	Advanced Pharmacology for Primary Care	Exam**
PYC-552	Advanced Health Status Assessment	Exam**
PYC-502	Professional Role Development for the Nurse Practitioner	3
PYC-522	Essentials of Primary Care	2
PYC-532	Primary Care of Children	5
PYC-535	Primary Care of the Family	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>

\*\*student may choose to take an exam (exam score must be at least 87%) or take the course to fulfill this requirement

**Plan of Study for Nursing Administration Post Master's Certificate**

GNUR-570	Professional Role Development for the Nursing Administrator	3
GNUR-572	Management of Health Care Delivery Systems	4
GNUR-574	Organizational Behavior	4
GNUR-576	Organization and Finance of Health Care	4
GNUR-578	Advanced Nursing Management - includes practicum	5
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>

**Plan of Study for Nursing Education Post Master's Certificate**

GNUR-562	Professional Role Development for the Nursing Educator	3
GNUR-564	Curriculum Design	4
GNUR-568	Teaching and Learning Strategies	5
GNUR-566	Program Evaluation and Assessment	3
GNUR-569	Advanced Nursing Instruction	5
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>

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# Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University

Over the years a number of task forces had convened to explore the possibility of a Wesleyan seminary as part of Indiana Wesleyan University. Each time the vision was to focus on the practice of ministry and to do so as innovatively as possible. Finally, under the direction of President Henry Smith and a newly formed seminary task force, IWU approved in 2008 the offering of a Master of Divinity degree. The degree then passed through an accreditation process with the Higher Learning Commission, allowing Indiana Wesleyan University to offer professional degrees for the first time in its history. Finally, the Board of Trustees approved the formation Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University (hereafter, Wesley Seminary) in the Spring of 2009, incorporating the already existing MA with a major in Ministry program under its umbrella. The first MDIV classes commenced in August, 2009.

Policies and General Information - Wesley Seminary

Programs Offered through Wesley Seminary

## Mission of Wesley Seminary

Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christ-centered academic and ministry community committed to changing the world by equipping pastors and church leaders to minister more effectively for the Kingdom of God in the church and the world, to embody the Good News of Jesus Christ, and to cultivate personal, spiritual transformation.

It is our commitment to participate in the missio Dei with accessible and economical delivery systems and courses that are spiritually formative and content-rich, emphasizing the practice of ministry in dialog with solid theory and the foundational disciplines of the Bible, Christian theology, and church history.

## Communication with Wesley Seminary

Address	Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University 4201 S Washington St Marion IN 46953-5279 <a href="http://seminary.indwes.edu/">http://seminary.indwes.edu/</a> <a href="http://myIWU.indwes.edu">http://myIWU.indwes.edu</a>
Dean of Wesley Seminary	765-677-2258
Registrar's Office	765-677-2131
Office of Student Services	765-677-2359
Financial Aid Office	765-677-2516
Accounting	765-677-2878
Resources	765-677-2854



## **Policies and General Information - Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University**

The right is reserved to change any of the rules and regulations of the university at any time, including those relating to admission, instruction, and graduation. The right to withdraw curricula and specific courses, alter course content, change the calendar, and to impose or increase fees similarly is reserved. All such changes are effective at such times as the proper authorities determine and may apply not only to prospective students but also to those already enrolled in the university.

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### **Academic Information - Wesley Seminary**

**Academic Calendar** - Courses in adult and graduate programs are offered under the semester hour system but in a non-traditional academic calendar. Each program consists of specific courses that are taught in a modular format and taken sequentially. Onsite core groups meet on the same day for the duration of the program. Online core groups meet in an asynchronous environment through Blackboard. Certain programs require students to complete project team assignments.

**Catalog Governing Graduation** - Students must meet the graduation requirements as stated in the university catalog under which they enrolled. Students who maintain continuous enrollment, who make normal progress toward a degree, and who earn their degree within a maximum of six years from the date of enrollment may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they enrolled. **Students who withdraw from Indiana Wesleyan University for more than six months will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment.** Students changing majors or programs must meet requirements as stated in the catalog that is current at the time they make such changes. The same holds true for students moving between schools and colleges.

**Core Requirements** - The integrity of the adult and graduate programs requires that the core courses be met at Indiana Wesleyan University. Due to the nature of the programs, students can only be enrolled in one program at a time. Students are required to complete the first course of the core program with a passing grade in order to maintain enrollment with their original cohort. Certain graduate programs allow transfer credits.

Final class dates as established by the calendar will be the final date for completion of the core curriculum. No compressing or doubling of core work is permitted to accommodate earlier completion or graduation schedules.

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## Academic Standing - Wesley Seminary

**Academic Probation** - Students enrolled a seminary program will be placed on probation if their GPA falls below 3.0.

Students are given two consecutive courses to satisfactorily raise their GPA. If the GPA is successfully raised, the probationary status is removed. Academic suspension will result if the student's GPA is not successfully raised.

**Academic Suspension** - Academic suspension will result if:

- A student fails to clear the academic probationary status within the probationary period of two consecutive courses.
- A student has two grades of failure (F) at one time on an academic record in the same degree level.
- A student has taken a course twice and failed to achieve a satisfactory grade. When this occurs, the student is ineligible to reapply for admission into the program in which the course was repeated.

In all cases, the suspension will occur once the grades have been recorded in the Registrar's Office. Students will be notified of the academic suspension in writing. Application for readmission may be made after six months. The application must be made in writing to the Dean of Wesley Seminary.

**Academic Dismissal** - Upon a second academic suspension in the same program, a student is not eligible to reapply to Indiana Wesleyan University.

## Admission and Registration - Wesley Seminary

Indiana Wesleyan University welcomes applications for admission from any academically qualified person whose motivation is in keeping with the university's purposes. Admission is based on the careful review of all credentials presented by an applicant, but in no case is admission denied due to race, color, national origin, disability, religion, or sex. Students are admitted in one of the following categories:

1. Regular - Students who satisfactorily meet all requirements will be granted standard admission with no restrictions.
2. Probation - Students whose entering grade point average (GPA) falls below the minimum required by the program may be accepted on probation. Probationary status will be removed after the student has completed the first three courses of the core with a satisfactory GPA (3.00). In case of extended probation, the number of courses to be completed in order to change status will be determined by the Dean of the Seminary. Any student failing to remove the probationary status will be academically suspended from the program.
3. Provisional - Students whose files are incomplete may be accepted provisionally at the discretion of the Associate Vice President for Student Services if it appears from the available documentation that eligibility for the program has been met. The student is given until the end of the first course to submit the required materials. Failure to meet the required deadline will result in the student being dropped from the roster and not being allowed to continue.
4. Unclassified - Students not pursuing a university degree who want to take certain courses for special reasons may be accepted for a maximum of 12 hours. Students receiving an unclassified status must reapply for regular admission if they desire later to pursue a degree program. Unclassified students are not eligible for financial aid.

**International/Non-English Speaking Students** - A student who is living in the United States but is not a United States citizen must submit a copy of a visa or permanent resident status during the process of application. Students who do not speak English as their first and primary language must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) prior to admission to the university. A score of at least 550 (paper-based), 213 (computer-based), or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission. Student visas (I-20's) are not issued for students wanting to enter the United States to enroll in programs offered for adult and graduate students.

**Registration** - Registration occurs at the beginning of the student's core program. At this point, students are registered for all courses within the major. Therefore, if a student needs to miss an individual course, official withdrawal must be made through the Office of Student Services. Staff will work with the student to make arrangements to retake this class with another core group at a time that will minimize the impact on the student's financial aid. Students need to be aware that temporary withdrawals could impact their eligibility to receive financial aid based on the standards outlined in IWU's Satisfactory Academic Progress.

Students in programs that require additional credits outside the major are responsible to meet with their advisor to facilitate registration in these courses.

A student who has failed to make arrangements for the payment of tuition for a course will have registration in that course cancelled.

## Attendance Policy - Wesley Seminary

Students are expected to attend all sessions of classes for which they are registered, except in cases of prearranged official assignments by the university and absences because of emergencies which may be considered excusable by the instructor. A student is responsible directly to his/her instructor for all classes missed and for all make-up work. Each instructor or program administrator determines the extent to which absences affect course grades and grades are assigned on the basis of work accomplished. Any absence from two or three consecutive lectures concerning which the teacher has no definite information should be reported to the Office of Student Services.

Students are expected to be present for onsite class sessions and participate in online activity.

Absences are allowed as follows: Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed up to one day of absence from a one week intensive, up to two days of absence for an eight week class, and up to four days of absence for a 16 week class. Absence beyond this point constitutes failure to complete the course. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.

If a student exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to withdraw officially before the last class session, the instructor is directed to issue the grade of "F".

Students who must miss a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a temporary leave of absence with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Students needing to withdraw while in a course may do so by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply.

Faculty members reserve the right to factor lateness, early departures, and class attendance into a student's grade, as long as it is addressed in the syllabus.

Online attendance is determined by activity during a workshop, either through discussions or submission of assignments. A student is reported absent for a workshop if there is not at least one submission (or posting) of an assignment or in a discussion forum assigned during the designated dates for that workshop.

Students are expected to be present when class begins, and remain the entire session. To be counted present, a student must attend a total of three hours or more of a class that is four hours in length, four-and-a-half hours or more of classes that are six hours in length, and six hours for classes that are eight hours in length. Tardiness is recorded, and if a student accumulates two tardies during a course, it results in an absence on the student's attendance record.

## Audit of Courses

A student who has been accepted into an Indiana Wesleyan University degree program or as an unclassified student may choose to audit specified courses within a core program or electives as follows:

- Audit registration is allowed on a space available basis.
- The current audit fee per credit hour must accompany the registration.
- Auditing a course gives one the right to attend the course. No credit or letter grade is given. The course will be indicated as an "AU" on the student's IWU transcript.
- The student auditing the course is not expected to participate in classroom or study group assignments, or to complete homework, quizzes, or tests.
- The facilitator is under no obligation to grade any work an auditing student chooses to submit or to give feedback on progress.
- The materials required for the course are optional for auditing students. If one wishes to purchase materials, the fees must accompany the registration.
- The student must meet course pre-requisites or be approved by the appropriate administrator of the specific college/school.
- No change may be made from audit to credit, or credit to audit, after registration closes.

## Former Student Re-Enrollment - Wesley Seminary

Students who have previously withdrawn from a program and have not attended classes for six months or more must complete an application for readmission from the Office of Student Services. Receipt of the signed application will initiate a review of the student's academic file to determine remaining requirements. A student who was academically suspended from an adult and graduate program may make application for readmission after six months. All students returning after six months or more will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment.

## Grade Appeal and Academic Policy Grievance - Wesley Seminary

Indiana Wesleyan University follows generally accepted college and university practice in the development of academic policies, the operation of classrooms, and use of grading techniques. The university allows its instructors independence in following generally accepted practices. A student who wishes to appeal a course grade or an academic policy decision (including one believed to be discriminatory based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504), must abide by the procedures that follow.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances. All grievances, with all documents, recommendations, and decisions, will be reported to the Dean of Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

### Grade Appeal

A grade appeal involves only those situations in which a student believes that an instructor (a) has not followed fair grading practice or (b) has not followed his/her published grading policy. A student who wishes to appeal a grade based on one or both of these reasons must follow these procedures:

1. The student must first contact the instructor for a full explanation of the grade given and the basis for making the grade.
2. If there is no resolution, then the student may file a grade appeal request form, which can be obtained from the administrative office of Wesley Seminary. If a properly completed grade appeal request form is not received by the university within 30 days of the date the student's grade was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal.
3. After the university receives the grade appeal request form, it will be forwarded to the instructor along with a faculty grade appeal response form.
4. If the instructor agrees that the grade should be changed, the university will change the grade and notify the student.
5. If the instructor does not agree that the grade should be changed, the university will notify the student and send a form that may be used by the student to request a review by the Wesley Seminary Academic Appeals Committee. If the university does not receive the form from the student within 15 days of the date the form was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal.
6. Upon receipt of the request for committee review from the student, the matter will be brought to the next regularly scheduled Wesley Seminary Academic Appeals Committee meeting. (NOTE: The committee reserves the right to seek clarification from the student or the instructor). If the matter involves a member of the committee, then that individual will recuse himself/herself from deciding the appeal. The committee will notify the student of its decision, which will be final.

### Academic Policy Grievance

An academic policy grievance involves those situations in which a student believes that the university has not followed published policies regarding an academic decision or discrimination based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504. A student who wishes to file an academic policy grievance must follow these procedures:

1. Level 1 - The student must first contact the person who has made the decision for a full explanation of the policy and how the policy was followed. If the policy has been followed, then the student has no further recourse.
2. Level 2 - If the policy was not followed or the student disputes the way in which the policy was applied, then the student may request that the matter be reviewed by the Dean of Wesley Seminary by filing a form requesting such a review. This form may be obtained from the Dean. If a properly completed form is not received by the university within 30 days of the date on which the event that gave rise to the complaint occurs, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal. The Dean will notify the student of the decision.
3. Level 3 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved or if the Dean is the individual responsible for the policy decision, then the student may request that Wesley Seminary Academic Appeals Committee review the matter by filing a form requesting a committee review. This form may be obtained from the Dean of Wesley Seminary. If the university does not receive a properly completed form within 15 days of the date on which the decision notice in level 2 was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal. Wesley Seminary Academic Appeals Committee will notify the student of its decision, which will be final.

A student may seek recourse from any university nonacademic program or employment-related dispute, alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title

IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or other state or federal legislation. Further direction for this process can be found at Non-Academic Appeal Process.

## Grading and Evaluation

A letter grade is used in evaluating the work for a course. For the purpose of determining scholastic standing and awarding honors, grade points are granted according to the letter grades and semester hours of credit. The grade point average (GPA) is the number of quality points earned at IWU divided by the number of credit hours attempted at IWU.

Grade	Quality Points (per credit)	Definition
A	4.0	Superior
A-	3.7	
B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Above Average
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	
C	2.0	Average
C-	1.7	
D+	1.3	
D	1.0	Passing
F	.0	Failure (Also given for unofficial withdrawals)
<b>The following grades are not figured into the GPA:</b>		
W		Passing work at time of official withdrawal
I		Incomplete
CR		Credit
NC		No Credit
AU		Audit

**Repeated Courses** - A student may repeat once any course in which a grade below “C” (“C-,” “D+,” “D,” or “F”) was previously earned. Some specific graduate level courses are identified as repeatable and can be repeated if a student earns a grade higher than “C” but below the level required for that specific course. The course may be repeated once.

Whenever a course is repeated, the last grade and credits earned replace the previous grade in computing the student’s grade point average (GPA). All entries, however, remain a part of the student’s permanent academic record. Duplicate credit hours are not given for two or more passing efforts. A course taken in a classroom format may not be repeated for a grade through independent learning.

Since a course may be repeated once, failure to achieve a satisfactory grade in a course after two attempts will result in academic suspension and ineligibility to complete the major in which the course was repeated.

**Incomplete Grades** - Students are expected to complete the course requirements by the last class session. There may be instances when crisis circumstances or events prevent the student from completing the course requirements in a timely manner. However, the issuance of an incomplete cannot be given if the student fails to meet the attendance requirements. In these rare situations, a grade of “I” (incomplete) may be issued but only after completing the following process:

- The student must request an “I” from the instructor.
- The instructor must obtain approval from the appropriate Regional Dean/Program Director/Program Chair/Division Chair.

Because “incompletes” are granted only for extenuating circumstances, the student’s grade will not be penalized.

A student who receives an “incomplete” has 10 weeks from the final meeting date of the course to complete course requirements and turn them in to the instructor. If, at the end of the 10-week extension, the student has failed to complete the course requirements, the “incomplete” will become an “F.” A student with more than one incomplete on record is subject to academic suspension.

**Grade Reports** - At the end of each course, the instructor submits grades for each student. Grade reports are mailed from the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and indicate courses taken, credits received, and grades assigned.

**Transcripts** - The student’s official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

## Graduation - Graduate Degree Programs

**Graduation Ceremonies** - IWU graduation ceremonies are held three times a year. Degrees are conferred and posted to the student's transcript on these three dates only.

Eligible students are notified by the Office of Student Services of procedures and requirements concerning graduation.

Each student must complete an “Application for Graduation” provided by the Office of Student Services. This application indicates the student’s intent to graduate and initiates the final evaluation of the student’s academic record.

Students are also asked to inform the university as to whether they will be attending the ceremony. This allows the university to determine the number of tickets available for students who are attending. If a student cannot attend graduation due to unforeseen circumstances, the degree is still conferred; however, attendance at a future graduation is not an option.

**Graduation Requirements** - All requirements must be met and transcribed by the date established by the Office of Student Services (eight days prior to the commencement ceremony). Students taking internal or external coursework need to make sure that transcripts, grades, and scores can be received and transcribed by the deadline date.

Students may receive one degree only per commencement. Students meeting requirements for more than one degree must apply for and participate in two different ceremonies.

Students who have received a degree from IWU and have returned to meet requirements for an additional major at the same degree level will have the second major posted to their existing degree. The second major can only be posted at one of the three conferral dates, and students receiving the second major are not eligible to participate in another graduation ceremony.

**Diplomas** - Diplomas are mailed after the conferment of degrees. Diplomas indicate degree earned, date of degree, major, specialization, and honors. A student’s financial account must be settled to receive a diploma.

## Leave of Absence Policy

Indiana Wesleyan University understands there are life events that may require a student to modify class enrollment and schedules. The leave of absence policy is designed to allow students flexibility in their program enrollment to adjust to these life events. The leave of absence policy also extends to students the ability to make up any courses missed during the approved leave.

A student on an approved leave of absence will be considered enrolled at IWU and eligible for an in-school deferment for student aid loans. Federal financial aid and in-school deferment may be negatively impacted if a student fails to apply for the leave of absence or if the application is denied. **This impacts students who receive Title IV federal financial aid (Federal Pell Grants, Federal**

**Supplemental Grants, Federal Stafford Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans, Federal Parent Loans) or who want to have a federal student loan deferred from payment while in school.**

Students who will be out of attendance for a period of 29 days or more should request a leave of absence. Students out of class for less than 29 days are not eligible for a leave of absence, and a recalculation on current financial aid will be done. Students who are not on federal financial aid programs or who do not have a federal loan in deferment are not required to request a leave of absence. However, the approved leave of absence will result in the \$100 registration change fee being waived.

Students needing to make a change in their schedule need to contact the Office of Student Services to process the registration change. At that time, the leave of absence request form will be mailed to the student. The Leave of Absence Application can be downloaded, or can be requested by calling the Office of Student Services at 765-677-1207. Students must request the leave within 21 days of initiating the registration change. The request for a leave of absence should be made prior to the date the leave is to start. The start date of the leave is the first date of the class or, if the class has already started, the date the registration change is initiated.

An approved leave of absence must meet the following criteria: the request must be received within 21 days of the registration change; the request must be made prior to the start of the leave (first day of class); the reason for the request must be one approved by IWU's Leave of Absence Committee (military, medical, jury duty, loss of job, family emergency, employment emergency, transfer of coursework, passing pre-requisite requirement, transfer of core groups, changing programs, administrative cancellation of core classes, or other reasons as approved by the Leave of Absence Committee); appropriate documentation must be submitted if the request is submitted after the leave has started; the student must have an expected date of return; and, the leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period.

Documentation is required if the request for the leave of absence is made after the beginning date of the leave of absence and needs to address the nature of the reason for the request. Documentation for each circumstance will vary; the student is required to provide whatever paperwork from a third party will attest to the circumstance outlined on the application form. Examples would include physicians' statements, letters from employers, letters from pastors or counselors, court documents, etc. Documentation is also required if a request is submitted after the 21 day deadline, and needs to address the reason for the delay in the submission of the request.

The leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period. Time in excess of 180 days will not be approved. A student may request an extension to a leave providing the request is made before the end of the leave, there are unforeseen circumstances which prevent the return from the leave, and the total number of days of approved leave do not exceed 180 in a 12-month period. A maximum of two leaves of absence are allowed during a 12-month period.

Failure to return from an approved leave of absence nullifies the approved leave and may have an impact on student loan repayment terms as well as the grace period. The first day of the leave will be reported as the beginning of the grace period for loan deferment. Students may return early from an approved leave of absence prior to the leave end date. The leave will be shortened according to the student's return date.

Students will not receive disbursements of Title IV student loan financial aid funds during the leave. Students are not deferred from making regularly scheduled payments to the Accounting Office for normal fees incurred. Any change in registration can impact current financial aid regardless of approval or denial of the leave of absence request. Questions about impact on current financial aid should be directed to the Financial Aid Office at 800-621-8667 ext. 2516. Students on an approved leave of absence will be reported as such and will be eligible for in-school deferment of previous loans. Students whose request for a leave of absence is denied will be reported as withdrawn and the grace period for loan repayment will go into effect.

## **Transfer of Credit Policy - Wesley Seminary**

The university may allow a maximum of nine credits in transfer to the Master of Arts programs and a maximum of 27 hours into the Master of Divinity program. Transfer of credit will be determined by the Dean of Wesley Seminary.

Credit is granted for work with a satisfactory grade ("C" or above) taken at an approved college or university accredited at the same level, provided the courses are applicable to the curriculum the student wishes to pursue at Indiana Wesleyan University. An "approved college or university" generally refers to those institutions that are accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education.

The University Registrar is responsible for approving the transferability of all credits. Credit hours accepted in transfer are recorded, but quality points and grades are omitted. All credits are accepted as semester credits. Quarter credits are converted to semester credits using the two-thirds conversion ratio.

**Transcripts from foreign institutions** - are sent to an outside agency for evaluation and determination of transferable credits, degrees, and GPA. Students are responsible for the initiation of this evaluation and for any fees incurred during the process. Applications for this service are available to the student through the university.

## **Withdrawal/Change in Status**

A student who finds it necessary to withdraw from the program or to take a temporary leave of absence is required to contact the Registration Change Counselor in the Office of Student Services to complete this process (registration.change@indwes.edu). Students must request the withdrawal from the Registration Change Counselor before the last class workshop. Failure to initiate an official withdrawal will result in a "No Credit" or an "F" grade for the student in those related courses. Students withdrawing from a class or transferring to another core group will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

A student who is temporarily withdrawing may request an individual leave of absence up to 180 days in a 12 month period. A student cannot request more than two leaves during a 12 month period, and the total number of days on leave may not exceed 180 days within a 12 month period. All leaves must be requested through the Office of Student Services.

If a student officially withdraws after a course has started, a grade of "W" will be assigned. An "F" will be assigned to a student who stops attending but does not officially withdraw. Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Students must then go through the normal readmittance process to return to class.

Students withdrawing from the first course of a core program must withdraw from the entire program and re-enter with another core group.

If, at a later time the student wishes to re-enter the program, a re-entry form must be submitted to the Office of Student Services. Students sitting out of a core program for more than 90 days are subject to a tuition increase upon returning. Students re-entering a core program after six months or more are subject to any changes in curriculum upon returning.

Any change in registration may have an impact on the student's financial aid. Students should always check with the financial aid office before initiating a registration change.

## **Financial Information - Wesley Seminary**

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### **Fee Structure - Degree Programs**

Students are advised of financial obligations for their degree seeking (core) program during the registration process. A schedule of payments and analysis of fee structures, along with due dates, is outlined. Students are expected to meet these obligations according to the schedule. Any questions regarding payments or problems associated with making those payments should be directed to the Accounting Office.

Students who have applied for financial aid are responsible for all tuition and fees in the event it is determined they are ineligible for financial aid, decline the financial aid, or withdraw from the program prior to completing the academic award period. Students receiving military or corporate assistance who have received prior approval from the university for direct billing are required to pay their share of tuition and fees and submit appropriate assistance documents by the assigned due date. The deferral program in no way relieves the student of the financial obligation to the university and the student retains full responsibility for ensuring that all tuition and fees are paid in full and in a timely manner.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to suspend students from class attendance for failure to meet financial obligations.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to change the tuition and fee schedule at any time. Students who remain registered in their initial core group making satisfactory academic progress shall have their tuition and fees guaranteed. A \$50 late fee is charged each time a payment is received after the due date. There will be a fee charged for any check returned due to non-sufficient funds. If collection of tuition, book charges, and/or fees becomes necessary, all costs of collection, court costs, and attorney fees are the responsibility of the student. A \$100 withdrawal fee will be charged for each temporary withdrawal or transfer.



## Refund Policy - Degree Programs

1. Any student withdrawing after attending only the first class session of the program or orientation will be assessed a \$100 fee. All other tuition and fees will be refunded.
2. After a student has attended two class sessions of the program, tuition, application fees, and educational resource fees are not refundable.
3. Tuition is refunded according to the following policy for all subsequent courses:
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the first class session of a course - full tuition refund.
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the second class session of a course - 90 percent tuition refund.
  - Withdrawal after second class session or after the seventh day of an online class - no refund.
4. In compliance with federal regulations for the student who has received financial aid, the refund will be returned to the appropriate aid sources.
5. Book fees are not refundable once the student has attended one class session or if the books have been marred in any way prior to that time.
6. Students who are unable to complete a course or who receive an unsatisfactory grade for their specific program will be allowed to repeat that course with another group of students if arrangements are made with the Registration Change Counselor. Tuition and fees will be charged for repeating the course.
7. Decisions regarding refunds are made by the appropriate Accounting Office, and in isolated cases, by the Financial Appeals Committee.

## Financial Aid - Wesley Seminary

### Types of Financial Aid Available

The following types of student financial aid are available to persons enrolled as degree-seeking students who meet the eligibility criteria for the aid type. Complete fund profiles may be found online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid).

**Ministerial Student Aid Program** – is a loan program administered by The Wesleyan Church through the Department of Education & The Ministry and is available to undergraduate and graduate students in an approved ministry program. The loan only becomes a grant as the recipient serves The Wesleyan Church under a qualifying appointment. Applicants should understand that in requesting aid from this program they are applying for a loan, which must be either repaid or cancelled through service. General eligibility requirements include, but are not limited to: local church membership, district approval, and enrollment form submission. For each year of full-time district appointment in The Wesleyan Church (September 1 through August 31) following studies, 20 percent of the loan is cancelled once the service is rendered and reported. Cancellation cannot be given in the same church year that one receives loan-grant funds. Loan amounts for the 2010-2011 award year are \$72.00 per semester hour for Masters in Ministry programs and \$90.00 per semester hour for Masters of Divinity classes.

**William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan** – is available to students who file the FAFSA and all other required financial aid forms and who meet all federal criteria for eligibility. The maximum annual loan amount is \$20,500 for graduate students. Lifetime maximum borrowing limit for graduate programs is \$138,500 (including undergraduate borrowing). For students who demonstrate financial need, the federal government subsidizes loan interest for a portion of the total annual loan amount while the student is enrolled in school. Interest rates are set on July 1 each year and are fixed rates. For July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, the interest rate is 6.8 percent for all Federal Direct Loans for graduate students.

A student's total financial assistance, including loans, may not exceed the calculated cost of attendance for the program. Students with unsubsidized loans may elect to make monthly interest payments to the lender or allow the accumulated interest to accrue until repayment, which begins six months after the student ceases to be enrolled as at least a half-time student. Upon graduation or termination of studies, the student is given a six-month grace period during which no interest or principal payments are due on subsidized loans and during which only interest accrues on the unsubsidized loans. The standard minimum monthly payment is \$50, but the amount varies based on the total amount of the outstanding loans upon which the student is paying and the type of repayment plan the student has chosen.

**Federal Perkins Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 5 percent interest rate. Funding is limited, and priority consideration is given to undergraduate or graduate students with a Pell-eligible EFC who meet other need-based criteria. The annual loan limit is \$8000 per award year for graduate students. The aggregate loan limit is \$40,000 for graduate or professional students, including loans

borrowed as an undergraduate student. Repayment begins 9 months after enrollment terminates, and no interest accrues until that time.

**Graduate PLUS Federal Direct Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 7.9 percent interest rate available to graduate students who have remaining cost of attendance not met by subsidized/unsubsidized William D. Ford Federal Direct Loans. This is a credit-based federal loan.

**Active Duty Military Discount** – is a tuition discount to all active duty military personnel, including members of the Reserves and National Guard, and spouses of the aforementioned military personnel. Students must submit an Active Duty Military Discount application, available by calling the IWU Accounting Office at 800-621-8667x2878.

**Yellow Ribbon Award** – is an award that does not have to be repaid and is available to eligible students who receive Chapter 33 GI Bill benefits. The amount eligible students receive reflects 50 percent of the tuition expenses that exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition rate. The VA matches that contribution to fully cover the tuition costs.

**Loan Repayment Chart**

Interest Rate	5%	6.5%	8%
Amount Borrowed		Monthly Payment Amount	
\$5,500	\$58	\$62	\$67
\$8,500	\$90	\$97	\$103
\$15,000	\$159	\$170	\$182
\$20,000	\$212	\$227	\$243
\$30,000	\$318	\$341	\$364
\$40,000	\$424	\$454	\$485
\$50,000	\$530	\$568	\$607
\$60,000	\$636	\$681	\$728
\$70,000	\$742	\$795	\$850

**General Eligibility Requirements**

In order to receive federal and/or state student financial aid, a student must meet the following criteria:

1. Must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
2. Must be a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen.
3. Must have a valid Social Security number (with the exception of students from the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau).
4. Must be enrolled as a regular student (cannot be unclassified) in an eligible degree or certificate program.
5. Must make satisfactory academic progress (SAP) as outlined in IWU’s SAP Policy.
6. Must maintain enrollment in classes.
7. No longer than 180 days may elapse between classes in any 12 month period; a leave of absence must be requested through the Office of Student Services. If there is a gap between classes of up to 180 days, a leave of absence will be reported to the lender, but no loan repayment will be required. If there is a gap between classes of more than 180 days, the university is required to report non-enrollment information to the lender, and the student will be required to begin repayment of any student loans (see your loan promissory note for further information). If additional circumstances arise which require the student to be further out of attendance, the student should contact the Financial Aid Office to discuss options.
8. Any changes in registration, such as withdrawals or cancelled courses, may result in cancellation or reduction of any or all financial aid. In such cases, the student is responsible for any remaining balance on the student account. A student who requests the credit balance from his or her student account and then makes registration changes may need to repay funds to the university and/or to the federal student financial aid programs.

**How to Apply for Financial Aid**

Students who wish to be considered for federal and/or state student financial aid must complete the application process online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid):

1. Complete the Free Application for Federal student financial aid, or FAFSA (direct link [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)). You must list the Indiana Wesleyan University Title IV Code 001822 in step six of the FAFSA or IWU will not receive your FAFSA information from the federal processor.

2. Complete the IWU Financial Aid Request Form. Under the Additional Aid Source(s) section, you must disclose any additional funding you may receive from employer reimbursement, vocational rehabilitation, or private scholarships to help pay for your education.
3. Complete the Loan Entrance Counseling Session and William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note online (direct link [www.studentloans.gov](http://www.studentloans.gov)). You must have an established Federal student financial aid PIN in order to complete these items. It may be necessary to wait three days from the time you first apply for you PIN before trying to sign in to this website. For each item you must enter "Indiana" in the School State field even if you attend classes in another state or online.
  - Entrance Counseling Session: Click on Complete Entrance Counseling from the menu. Select the appropriate counseling type for your current degree pursuit (undergraduate or graduate).
  - Master Promissory Note: Click on Complete MPN from the menu and select Subsidized/ Unsubsidized from the next page.

Once the above steps have been completed, be certain to:

1. Respond to requests for additional information from the Financial Aid Office. You may be asked to complete a verification worksheet and to provide a copy of your federal tax return (and your spouse's or parents' tax return, as appropriate) as required by Department of Education regulations.
2. Provide documentation showing any amount of assistance provided by other agencies (i.e., tuition reimbursement from your employer, vocational rehabilitation benefits, scholarships from local business, etc.).
3. Fully complete all forms. Forms filled out incorrectly or submitted to the wrong place will delay your financial aid award.

### **How Eligibility is Determined and Financial Aid is Processed**

All forms and information submitted online must be received in the Financial Aid Office before eligibility can be determined. In general, award amounts are based on a student's Expected Family Contribution found on the Student Aid Report, a student's enrollment status, the cost of attendance, and other estimated financial assistance.

Students must be scheduled for a full academic year, according the academic year definition for the program in which the student is enrolled, or to degree completion for financial aid to be awarded. Any changes in planned enrollment will affect the amount of aid for which the student may qualify.

The Financial Aid Office will email notification to the student email account that financial aid has been awarded and is available for review online via the student portal at <https://myiwu.indwes.edu>. This secure Web site will indicate the types and amounts of aid for which the student qualifies. The student must submit written documentation to the Financial Aid Office via email, fax, or US mail to decline all or a portion of the awarded aid. Otherwise, all awarded aid will disburse to the student account.

### **How and When Financial Aid is Disbursed**

**Federal Direct Loans** are originated after classes have begun. The funds are applied as a credit to the student's account, typically in two disbursements per academic year. For new students, the first disbursement will occur approximately 45 days from the start of the first course with the second disbursement occurring after the completion of at least half the credit hours and weeks of instruction for the academic year.

All other types of aid are awarded and disbursement dates set as the necessary paperwork is received.

*All financial aid forms and information submitted online must be received at least three weeks before a planned class start.*

*Applying for financial aid does not remove responsibility for payment. If the funding is not received, the student must pay all outstanding balances immediately.*

### **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**

Students are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress toward the completion of their course of study. This includes:

1. Enrolling in and attending class as well as completing assignments and projects.
2. Maintaining good academic standing. Students on academic probation will be allowed to continue on financial aid on SAP probation. Such students must improve their academic measurements to meet the required standards by the designated time frame or eligibility will be terminated.
3. Earning passing grades in a minimum of 67 percent of all credit hours attempted.
4. Completing the program within 150% of the credit hours normally required to complete the course of study (i.e. if the program requires 124 credit hours to complete, then the student may attempt no more than 186 credit hours) or by the designated time frame.

Academic progress is reviewed after every graduation (approximately every four months) and before financial aid funding is provided. Students who fail to make satisfactory academic progress will be placed onto SAP Probation or Ineligibility as appropriate per the policy requirements. Students with mitigating circumstances (which may include but is not limited to death in the family or grave illness of the student or close family member) may appeal termination of financial aid eligibility due to failure to make academic progress by submitting a SAP Appeal Form, written explanation, and adding supporting documentation to the SAP Appeals Committee through the Financial Aid Office.

### **Refunds**

If a student finds it necessary to withdraw from the program, withdraw from a course or courses without an approved leave of absence, or to take leaves of absence that exceed 180 days in a twelve month period, a federal refund will be calculated. This calculation is based on the amount of class work completed during the payment period when the student withdraws. The amount of refund of federal financial aid money is based on the amount of financial aid that is considered not earned by the student. The following is an example of the refund calculation:

1. The student begins class on June 28 and the payment period runs until January 17.
2. The student withdraws from the program on October 4.
3. The payment period has 152 calendar days in it (not including break periods) and the student completed 86 days which is 56.6 percent of the payment period.
4. The amount of the refund will be 43.4 percent of the federal financial aid received.

The Financial Aid Office will determine the amount of the refund that is owed by Indiana Wesleyan University and the amount, if any, that is owed by the student. A letter will be sent to the student indicating the amount of the refund and what was done with it. Monies will be returned to the federal financial aid programs in the following order if the student received money in the program: unsubsidized Stafford loan, subsidized Stafford Loan, Perkins Loan, PLUS, Pell Grant, SEOG and other Title IV grants. The student will have 45 days to contact the Financial Aid Office to make arrangements to repay any federal grants that are owed by the student. Failure to make arrangements or to pay back the federal grants will mean the student is no longer eligible to receive federal financial aid at any institution until full repayment.

### **Student's Rights and Responsibilities**

A student has the right to know:

1. What financial assistance is available, including information on all Federal and State programs.
2. The deadlines for submitting application for each of the financial aid programs available.
3. The cost of attending the programs and the school's refund policy.
4. The criteria used by the institution to select financial aid recipients.
5. How the school determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, books, and living expenses are considered in your budget.
6. What resources (such as employer reimbursement, other financial aid, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need.
7. How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
8. An explanation of the various programs in your student aid package. If you believe you have been treated unfairly, you may request reconsideration of the award which was made to you.
9. What portion of the financial aid you received must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total amount that must be repaid, the payback procedures, the length of time you have to repay the loan, and when the repayment is to begin.

A student's responsibilities:

1. Review and consider all information about the school's program before you enroll.
2. Complete all application forms accurately and in a timely manner to the correct address.
3. Pay special attention to, and accurately complete, your application for financial aid. Errors can result in delays of receipt of your financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties under the U.S. Criminal Code.
4. Return all additional information, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Financial Aid Office or the agency to which you submitted your FAFSA.
5. Accept responsibility for all agreements you sign.

6. If you have a loan, notify the lender of changes in your name, address, or school status.
7. Know and comply with the deadline for application or reapplication for aid.
8. Know and comply with the school's leave of absence or withdrawal procedures.
9. Repay student loans in agreement with the loan promissory note.

#### **Further Information**

The Financial Aid staff is here to assist in any way possible. If you have questions about any information pertaining to financial aid, please contact: Adult and Graduate Financial Aid, Indiana Wesleyan University, 1900 W. 50th Street, Marion, IN 46953-5279. Voice 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2516, 765-677-2516, Fax 765-677-2030.

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## **Books and Materials - Wesley Seminary**

Indiana Wesleyan University is the sole provider of all books and materials for students who enroll in a program within Wesley Seminary with the exception of the Master of Divinity program. Books and materials will be provided for each student, and will be delivered on or prior to the first class session. "Sharing of materials" is not an option and all books/materials must be purchased directly from IWU by each student. Students receive payment schedules during the registration process which indicate the total amount charged for books and materials. The university does have an arrangement with a vendor who conducts "book buybacks" several times a year for all IWU students. Students desiring more information may contact the traditional campus bookstore at 866/468-6498 ext. 2210.

Please note: Textbook changes are inevitable. Should it become necessary for a student to withdraw from a course, all books and materials should be returned immediately, if eligible, to avoid additional charges if/when the course is taken at a later date. If materials are not returned, and course materials change in the time between withdrawal and reentry, the student will be charged for new materials. Materials are eligible for return credit within 60 days from the date of withdrawal provided the student has not attended any of the class sessions, or posted any assignments for online classes, and the materials have not been used or damaged (writing, highlighting, physical damage, CD's & access codes intact in original sealed packaging, etc.) in any way.

## **Expectations for Personal and Professional Conduct**

Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christian university of higher education that upholds high standards of personal and professional conduct. Such standards include a classroom environment that promotes a positive learning environment and a professional instructional climate.

Students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner with respect for the rights of both students and faculty. The university or its representatives reserve the right to act in situations where student behavior violates established policy or detracts from the ability of students or faculty to function effectively in the classroom. Such action may include disciplinary procedures issued by the faculty or suspension from the program. (NOTE: All discussion room and live chat postings for online courses are recorded and can be reviewed at the discretion of the university.)

Only regularly enrolled students may attend class unless granted permission by an administrator and arrangements are made with the instructor.

## **Inclement Weather Procedures**

The university is reluctant to postpone classes because the schedule is already very compressed and it is difficult to schedule make-up classes. The university consults with the instructors and obtains information from the National Weather Service, the State Police, the site managers (when appropriate), and occasionally consults with other universities that serve adult populations. The university cannot make the decision based on an individual student's geographical situation and the driving distance to and from class. Students should be aware, however, that they are expected to use discretion and not to take unreasonable risks. If students choose not to attend class, they must notify their instructor and make appropriate arrangements for make-up work.

Decisions to postpone classes will be announced by the university. Regional locations will be judged by the Regional Deans. Classes will be rescheduled by the university in cooperation with the facilitator and class representative. Students unable to attend the rescheduled class must make appropriate arrangements to make up the work.

Postponement decisions for evening classes will be made by approximately 3:00 p.m. on the day of class. Decisions about Saturday classes will be made the evening before, when possible, but may be made during the early morning hours.

Postponement decisions will be announced through a variety of methods. In most cases the core group has a designated class representative who will be notified by the university. The representative should then activate the telephone calling tree to disseminate the information to the class. In cases where there is no class representative or calling tree, someone from IWU and/or the instructor will call the students. No notification will be made unless classes are postponed. Students should contact their class representatives, rather than call IWU administrative offices or class sites. In addition to the telephone calling tree, information about postponement will be announced on the university's Web site at <http://www.indwes.edu/classinfo> or by calling the university at 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2022. Announcements will also be posted on the student portal.

## **Library Services**

Off Campus Library Services provides both mediated and direct access to resources and services designed specifically for the adult student. The Jackson Library in Marion has well over 170,000+ titles (including e-books), more than 13,200+ audiovisual titles, 750+ print journal subscriptions and provides access to thousands of online journals via a searchable database. Branch libraries are available at the Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Merrillville, Louisville, Cincinnati and Cleveland campuses of the university and include some reference books and full access to the library catalog and subscription-based periodical indexes. These campuses also have some availability of reference librarians. Remote access to the catalog and computerized general and subject specific indexes are available via the library's Web page <http://www.indwes.edu/ocls> for any students with Internet access and a student ID with a 14-digit library number.

The distance student can contact OCLS via e-mail, Web page form, 800 telephone or fax. Online access to the Library Resource Guide is available from the OCLS Web page; OCLS Tools. All provided services are further described in this document.

The library is part of a consortium, Academic Libraries of Indiana, which includes access to most library collections of Indiana higher education institutions. If attending classes in Kentucky or Ohio, the regional OCLS librarian will tell you about opportunities in your area.

## **Non-Academic Appeal - Wesley Seminary**

A non-academic appeal involves only those situations in which a student is seeking recourse from (a) a university non-academic program, policy, or decision; or (b) alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the American with Disabilities Act of 1990, or other state or federal legislation.

### **Informal Procedure**

The student should seek informal resolution with the specific party or parties involved before initiating a written complaint.

If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved, the student may request a hearing with the Dean of the Seminary.

- If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at this level, the student may submit a written grievance form to the Dean's office within 15 days of knowing the perceived grievance.

### **Formal Procedure**

- The informal resolution may be ended at any time and the complainant may begin the formal procedure by submitting a written grievance within 30 days of the event or action. Grievances must include the demographic information regarding the complainant, the clear facts of the case, the disposition or resolution achieved thus far and the requested resolution by the complainant. Additional information or clarification may be requested before a hearing is scheduled. NOTE: Appeals that are based solely on the severity of a sanction that upon investigation are within the parameters of the available sanctions for an event or action are not considered grounds for appeal.

A hearing will be held with the Dean of the Seminary or, in the event he or she is not available, the Vice President for Wesley Seminary, ordinarily within 15 working days from the filing of the written grievance.

If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the Dean, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the seminary's Student Development Council, which will make recommendations back to the Vice President for Wesley Seminary within 15 working days, who will take their recommendation under advisement.

If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the Student Development Council and the Vice President for Wesley Seminary, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the Vice President for Student Development, who will make a recommendation to the Provost. This hearing will ordinarily be held within 15 working days following the request.

- If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the Vice President for Student Development and Provost, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the president of the university. This final hearing with the president will ordinarily take place within 15 working days. This is the final appeal.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

The complainant will be notified of results at each step of the grievance process. All grievances, with all papers, recommendations, and decisions related to federal or state regulations, will be reported to the Vice President for Academic Affairs in whose office all files will be kept.

Because grievance and appeal processes are private university administrative hearings, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

### **Services for Disabled Students**

The process for serving a disabled or impaired student enrolled in an adult and graduate program is as follows:

- Students who require special accommodation will be referred to the College's appointed coordinator of special needs requests. The student will be required to supply a physician's or other specialist's verification of his or her special need and a recommendation concerning the nature of special assistance required.
- Once this documentation is in hand, the Office of Student Services will consult with the university's designated disability officer (DDO) to ensure that the documentation is complete and in order. The disability officer will determine whether the university can reasonably accommodate the student's need. The Office of Student Services, in coordination with the DDO, will then recommend a plan of accommodation to the student.
- The Office of Student Services will ensure that all relevant faculty, site, and student services departments are notified of the plan of accommodation, and that the plan is successfully implemented.

Students who believe that they have experienced discrimination on the basis of a disability can seek resolution by following the steps as outlined in the Student Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic).

### **Student Address/Email Information**

Students should notify the Office of Student Services of any change of address, telephone number, or name so that proper records can be maintained. Name change requests require submission of appropriate documentation.

**IWU Student Email Accounts** - Upon acceptance, students are given an IWU student e-mail account. This is the only account used by IWU for communication with the student. It is extremely important that the student checks this account on a regular basis as important academic and financial information as well as university announcements will be shared in this way.

## Wesley Seminary Programs

The following programs are offered through Wesley Seminary:

Master of Arts Degree with a Major in Ministry

Master of Divinity

### Admission Requirements

#### Master of Arts Programs

Admission to the Ministry major begins with completing application forms and submitting them with official transcripts and two personal recommendations. The Office of Student Services shall determine admission status from the completed forms and student file and notify the applicant in writing of the admission status granted. Regular admission to the seminary constitutes admission to candidacy for the master's degree. The basic criteria for regular admission to the MA program within the seminary are as follows:

- A baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- An undergraduate grade-point average of at least 2.5 from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
- Ability to pursue graduate work successfully. (The transcripts and certificate of recommendation from former professors and supervisors will be considered evidence of such ability.)
- Three recommendations including:
  1. An academic recommendation.
  2. A recommendation from someone who can comment on the applicant's pastoral skills.
  3. A general recommendation.
- Moral character consistent with the principles and policies of Christian conduct at Indiana Wesleyan University. (The student's certificates of recommendation are considered sufficient evidence in this matter.)
- Submission of a written statement identifying the student's philosophy of ministry and personal goals in undertaking the graduate program.

Unclassified Admission: Unclassified admission may be granted to students who do not wish or plan to become candidates for the master's degree at Indiana Wesleyan University, or who do not meet the above requirements. Such students must complete the unclassified application form and submit a copy of a transcript showing conferred undergraduate degree. A maximum of nine hours can be earned as an unclassified student. Students wishing to change from unclassified to regular status must follow normal admission procedure and meet all stated requirements.

A senior who is currently enrolled at Indiana Wesleyan University and who is within the last semester of completing course requirements for the baccalaureate degree may, with the approval of the Director of Graduate Studies in Ministry, register for a maximum of two graduate courses per semester. Such students who desire to take additional graduate courses after earning the baccalaureate degree must follow the regular admission procedure.

Graduate courses may not be counted both for graduate and undergraduate requirements.

#### Master of Divinity

- A baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- A minimum cumulative undergraduate grade-point average (GPA) of 2.5 from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which a minimum of 30 credit hours was completed.
- An official transcript from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which a minimum of 30 credit hours was completed.
- Three references, including
  1. One from a pastor or denominational supervisor.
  2. An endorsement from their local church board or appropriate church body.
  3. Two additional references of the applicant's choosing.



- A three to four page autobiography and statement of ministry purpose. The statement of purpose should reflect one's sense of God's direction in relation to Christian ministry or service.
- Applicants must currently be involved in an appropriate ministry or be willing to be placed in such a ministry throughout the program (see application for details).
- Students may transfer up to 15 hours of prior graduate work from an accredited institution in an appropriate area of study. Credit for up to half the hours of a completed master's degree may also count toward the MDIV.
- In circumstances when the Department of Graduate Ministry has an articulation agreement with a particular undergraduate institution, the total number of MDIV hours required may be shortened up to 12 hours in lieu of established course relationships.

Unclassified admission may be granted to students who do not wish or plan to become candidates for the master's degree from Indiana Wesleyan University, or who do not meet the above requirements. Such students must complete the unclassified application form (contact a Program Representative) and submit a copy of a transcript showing the conferred undergraduate baccalaureate degree. A maximum of 15 credit hours can be earned as an unclassified student. Students wishing to change from unclassified to regular status must follow normal admission procedures and meet all stated admission requirements.

### **Graduation Requirements**

- Completion of core requirements.
- Minimum grade of "C" in each course.
- Cumulative grade point average of 3.0.
- All requirements for the degree must be completed within six years of enrollment for the MA degree and ten years for the M.Div. degree.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

## Master of Arts (Ministry)

The Master of Arts is a 36 hour program that provides graduate-level training for working ministry practitioners. Costs are among the lowest charged by accredited programs and courses take place in convenient formats including online classes, one week intensives, and eight week classes that meet one night a week. A flexible curriculum allows students to choose courses based on their interest from a wide range of options. Top faculty members from IWU and across the country provide relevant and stimulating learning experiences. The program has a strong practical emphasis, making it ideal for persons currently engaged in ministry.

**Objectives** - Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University strives to promote the following key learning outcomes in the MA program. A student who has completed the MA degree with a major in Ministry should be able to:

- Exhibit reflective learning skills that equip them to continue to study and apply the disciplines required for effective ministry;
- Demonstrate a deepening of spiritual character and commitment to integrity in ministry;
- Demonstrate growth in the disciplines of Biblical study and social awareness as foundations for the ministry of preaching;
- Operate from a solid foundation of doctrinal understanding that underpins ministerial calling and service; and,
- Operate from a core set of pastoral leadership skills that equip ministers to serve as Christ-like leaders in the church.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for Wesley Seminary

MA - Program Requirements

MA - Program of Study

### Ministry (MA) - Program of Study

The Master of Arts with a major in Ministry is offered through cohort groups which meet weekly online or onsite or through week-long intensive classes. Cohort programs are designed to take groups of students through a progression of 11 courses. An additional six hours of elective credits are needed to complete the 36-hour degree requirement.

The requirements are as follows:

#### Concentration in Leadership (onsite and online)

Concentration Courses		
LEAD-540	Non-Profit Management	3
PROC-520	Transformational Communication	3
SPIR-550	Spiritual Life and Leadership	3
LEAD-560	Power, Change, and Conflict Management	3
CONG-520	Building a Multi-Generational Ministry	3
Core Courses		
MISS-520	Cross-Cultural Ministry	3
BIBL-500	The Bible as Christian Scripture	3
THEO-500	Introduction to Christian Theology	3
CHST-500	Global Christian History	3
MIN-561	Research Methodology	1
MIN-591	Project	2
	Electives	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

#### Concentration in Youth Ministry (online)

Concentration Courses		

MIN-594	Incarnational Ministry in Youth Culture and Context	3
MIN-592	Personal Development and Growth Strategies for Youth Ministries	3
MIN-589	Advanced Communication for Youth Ministry	3
MIN-593	Adolescent Development and Family Systems in Youth Ministry	3
MIN-590	Programming and Management Strategies in Youth Ministry	3
	<b>Core Courses</b>	
MISS-520	Cross-Cultural Ministry	3
BIBL-500	The Bible as Christian Scripture	3
THEO-500	Introduction to Christian Theology	3
CHST-500	Global Christian History	3
MIN-561	Research Methodology	1
MIN-591	Project	2
	Electives	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Ministry (MA) - Program Requirements

**Progression Policy** - Students must have completed all core courses before enrolling in MIN-591. Registration in MIN-591 will be cancelled for any students who fail to satisfactorily complete all core courses.

**Transfer Credit** - A maximum of nine hours may be transferred from another accredited master's program, provided it falls within seven years prior to admission.

**Substitution of Courses** - Students who have taken equivalent courses in their undergraduate program to BIBL-510 The Bible as Christian Scripture, THEO-540 Introduction to Christian Theology, and CHST-580 Global Christian History will be allowed/encouraged to substitute and advanced Bible, theology, or church history elective.

**Continuing Enrollment** - Students who are unable to complete MIN-591 within the allotted eight weeks will automatically be enrolled in MIN-595 Thesis/Project Continuation for a ten week continuation. A student may be enrolled in a maximum of two continuations. Failure to complete the course at the end of the second continuation will result in the student receiving a "No Credit" for MIN-591, and the student will be required to repeat MIN-591. A continuation fee applies.

## Master of Divinity

The MDIV is a 75 hour program that provides high quality, accessible, and economical ministerial training for pastors involved in local church ministry. Courses take place in online, blended, and onsite formats. To enroll in the degree, a person must have earned a bachelor's degree and be officially engaged in ministry at least 20 hours a week and connected with a worshipping body of Christian believers with whom they can successfully complete course assignments relating to the local church. Students take required courses (60 hours) in a carefully sequenced cohort format, but also have 15 hours of elective work. Professors include not only a core seminary faculty, but also draw on the strength of undergraduate faculty from IWU's School of Ministry and Theology, as well as on a cadre of prominent affiliate and visiting faculty who teach various courses each year.

**Objectives** - The seminary strives to promote the following key learning outcomes in the MDIV program. A student who has completed the MDIV should be able to:

- Do the work of the ministry, including full participation in the missio Dei, effective leadership of a local congregation, proclamation of God's word, facilitation of worship, the care of souls, the formation, education, and transformation of a holy people, and facilitation of healthy interpersonal relationships;
- Detail and implement a process of positive change and transformation into a holy person in one's personal, spiritual, congregational, and community life; and
- Soundly integrate the Bible, Christian theology, and church history into the practice of ministry.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for Wesley Seminary

Advanced Standing with Credit

MDIV Program Requirements

MDIV Program of Study

### Advanced Standing with Credit - MDIV

Graduates of Indiana Wesleyan University's undergraduate programs who enroll in the Master of Divinity degree program may receive up to twelve hours of advanced standing with credit on the basis of competence achieved in certain undergraduate courses. Advanced standing with credit up to twelve semester hours may be granted toward the MDIV degree for the courses listed below under the following conditions:

1. A student has received at least a "B" in the specific courses as indicated, and
2. The student successfully demonstrates competency of the required graduate course outcomes through either an oral or written assessment performed by a designated academic representative of the seminary.
  - MDIV-510 The Bible as Christian Scripture - credit may be granted for this course if the student has successfully completed BIL-201 Methods in Bible Study or BIL-202 Inductive Bible Study AND one additional BIL course at the 300 or 400 level.
  - MDIV-540 Introduction to Christian Theology - credit may be granted for this course if the student has successfully completed THE-233 Christian Theology I AND THE-424 Christian Theology II.
  - MDIV-580 Global Christian History - credit may be granted for this course if the student has successfully completed REL-331 History of Christianity I AND REL-332 History of Christianity II.
  - MDIV-530 Cultural Contexts of Ministry - credit may be granted for this course if the student has successfully completed two of the following: INT-315 Cross Cultural Communication of Faith, INT-260 Urban Ministry, SOC-225 Cultural Anthropology, REL-431 Wesleyan Church History and Discipline, or INT-240 Urban Anthropology.

### MDIV - Program of Study

The required courses (60 hours) of the Master of Divinity degree are offered in cohort groups that meet weekly online or onsite, in addition to intensive and blended classes, which are often electives (15 hours). Cohort programs take students through a sequence of courses as a group. The core of the MDIV curriculum consists of six, six-hour praxis courses of 16 weeks each, offered in the Fall and Spring. Each praxis course is further accompanied by a one-hour spiritual formation course. In addition, students take three-hour foundational courses in Bible, theology, church history, and ministry context in an intensive, one week format, along with a three-hour orientation and then capstone intensive courses. An additional 15 hours of elective credits are then needed to complete the 75 hour degree requirement.

Students who have taken equivalent courses in their undergraduate program to BIBL-500 The Bible as Christian Scripture, THEO-500 Introduction to Christian Theology, and CHST-500 Global Christian History will be allowed/encouraged to substitute and advanced Bible, theology, or church history elective.

MDIV students who wish to take the online versions of BIBL-500, THEO-500, or CHST-500 must have permission from the Dean of Wesley Seminary.

The requirements are as follows:

<b>Foundational Courses</b>		
MDIV-500	Pastor, Church, and World	3
MISS-500	Cultural Contexts of Ministry	3
BIBL-500	The Bible as Christian Scripture	3
THEO-500	Introduction to Christian Theology	3
CHST-500	Global Christian History	3
MDIV-695	Integration Capstone	3
<b>Praxis Courses</b>		
MISS-600	The Missional Church	6
LEAD-600	Congregational Leadership	6
WSHP-600	Christian Worship	6
PROC-600	Christian Proclamation	6
CONG-600	Congregational Spiritual Formation	6
PCRE-600	Congregational Relationships	6
<b>Spiritual Formation</b>		
SPIR-500	Change and Transformation	1
SPIR-520	Self Awareness and Appraisal	1
SPIR-540	Goal Setting and Accountability	1
SPIR-560	Mentoring and Spiritual Direction	1
SPIR-570	Personal and Corporate Disciplines	1
SPIR-590	Recovery and Deliverance	1
<b>Electives</b>		15
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>75</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## MDIV - Program Requirements

**Residency Requirement** - The default expectation of the MDIV program is to take at least 18 credit hours of the degree in intensive onsite courses. The student can then take the remainder of the program (57 credit hours) either online or onsite. Intensive courses are offered around a weekend of yearly convocation, during which all students and faculty in the program come to campus.

# The Graduate School

The Graduate School is charged with the Supervision of graduate level education across the university. This includes the development and implementation of new graduate programs and degrees as well as the maintenance of existing programs and degrees. The current graduate degrees offered are the Master of Arts, the Master of Science, the Master of Science in Nursing, the Master of Business Administration, the Master of Divinity, the Master of Education, the Educational Specialist degree, and the Doctor of Education (Ed. D.). In addition, a number of post-baccalaureate certificates and specialized training programs are offered through the various departments in the University. These degrees, certificates, and training programs are described in the respective departmental sections of the catalog.

The Dean of the Graduate School (Graduate Dean) is the chief academic officer for the Graduate School. The Dean is responsible for the development, evaluation, and administration of all graduate programs within the University. The Dean is also involved with issues involving graduate students including policies regarding admissions, retention, and progress toward graduation.

Graduate Programs

## Communication with the Graduate School

Address	Indiana Wesleyan University 1900 W 50th St Marion IN 46953-5279 <a href="http://graduate.indwes.edu">http://graduate.indwes.edu</a> <a href="http://myIWU.indwes.edu">http://myIWU.indwes.edu</a>
Administration Dean, The Graduate School	765-677-2090
Office of Student Services	765-677-2359
Financial Aid Office	765-677-2516 or 765-677-2116
Accounting	765-677-3265, 765-677-2878, or 765-677-2411
Resources	765-677-2854
Registrar's Office	765-677-2131

## Mission - The Graduate School

Indiana Wesleyan University's Graduate School will provide a high quality, Christ-centered, graduate education in preparing advanced students to lead change in their world.

We seek to accomplish our mission by challenging students to pursue their leadership potential within a context of academic excellence, professionalism, and ethical behavior.

## Graduate Programs

Current Graduate Programs at IWU:

### In The College of Arts and Sciences:

The Graduate Counseling Division in the School of Behavioral and Social Sciences and Business offers the Master of Arts degree with majors in:

- Community Mental Health Counseling
- Marriage and Family Therapy
- School Counseling
- Addictions Counseling

- Student Development Counseling and Administration

**In the College of Adult and Professional Studies:**

The Graduate Studies in Business Division in the School of Business and Leadership offers the following degrees:

- Master of Business Administration
- Master of Science degree with a major in Management

The Graduate Studies in Leadership Division in the School of Business and Leadership offers the following degrees:

- Master of Arts degree with a major in Organizational Leadership
- Doctor of Education degree with a major in Organization Leadership

The Adult Teacher Licensure Programs Department in the School of Educational Leadership offers the following program:

- Transition to Teaching initial licensure program

The Advanced Studies for Teacher Leaders Department in the School of Educational Leadership offers the following degree:

- Master of Education

The Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders Department in the School of Educational Leadership offers the following program:

- Exceptional Learners Certificate additional licensure program

The Educational Administration Department in the School of Educational Leadership offers the following program and degree:

- Principal Licensure Program
- Education Specialist degree

**In the School of Nursing:**

The Graduate Studies in Nursing Division offers the Master of Science in Nursing degree with the following majors:

- Primary Care
- Nursing Education
- Nursing Administration

**In Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University:**

Wesley Seminary offers the following degrees:

- Master of Arts with a major in Ministry
- Master of Divinity

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## Graduate Studies in Business Division

The following programs are offered through the Graduate Studies in Business Division:

Graduate Business Certificate Programs

Master of Business Administration (MBA)

Master of Science Degree with a major in Management

Students must complete the first course of their core program with a grade of "C" or higher. If a grade of "C-" or lower is earned in the first course, the course must be repeated satisfactorily before going on with a different cohort.

### Admission Requirements

The admission requirements programs within the Graduate Studies in Business Division are as follows:

- A baccalaureate or graduate degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education verified on original transcripts sent by the institution directly to Indiana Wesleyan University.
- An undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed. If an applicant's GPA is below 2.5, the student may be admitted on a probationary basis, as established by the guidelines of the college.
- A minimum of two years of significant full-time work experience.

Additional requirements for students entering the Accounting specialization:

- Six graduate semester credits in Accounting with a minimum grade of "B" in each course; OR
- Twelve undergraduate semester credits in Accounting with a minimum grade of "B" in each course.

### Admission Requirements to the Graduate Certificate Programs:

- Baccalaureate or masters degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 from the degree-granting institution (baccalaureate or masters).
- Accounting Certificate requires accounting pre-requisites listed above.
- Students may be accepted as an unclassified student; official transcripts are required for verification of appropriate degree.

### Graduation Requirements

To graduate, students must have completed all of the following:

- All credits required in the curriculum sequence with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and a minimum grade of "C" in each course. A grade of "C-" or below will require the course to be repeated.
- Overall GPA of 3.0 in all IWU graduate work.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

### Certificate Completion Requirements:

- Completion of 12 hours required for certificate. Courses must be taken at IWU.
- Minimum grade of "B" or higher in each course.

## Master of Business Administration

The Master of Business Administration (MBA) is a 42-credit hour program consisting of a 30 credit hour common core plus one of four 12-credit-hour specializations selected by the student at registration. (IWU reserves the right to move students to another date, location, or online if less than eight students are registered for any specialization at a particular location.) The MBA is designed to meet the worldwide need for knowledgeable, principle-centered leaders. The MBA program emphasizes the integration and application of knowledge that's needed to prepare managers as both economic and ethical leaders.



Students connect with business; the connection deepens and broadens as their programs proceed. New knowledge, skills, and tools quickly form the basis of leadership in business decision-making. To that end, the class structure deals with both the qualitative and quantitative skills required of today's managers.

The MBA program emphasizes the acquisition of technical management skills within a peer group or management team context. Each course requires the adoption of an individual and cooperative approach to problem solving. Written problem analysis is required throughout the program, as is the development of presentation skills.

Students in the MBA program are required to demonstrate proficiency in the areas of statistics, economics, accounting, and finance prior to taking the corresponding advanced course in the core. Students will be provided with the MBA PRIMER™ to assist them in meeting the minimum proficiencies needed for success in each quantitative area. Attendance in a three-week preparatory class is required for accounting and finance. At the completion of each of the first two courses and the accounting preparatory class a student has the option of transferring from the MBA to the MSM program. Successful completion of the first two MBA courses will substitute for the first two courses in the MSM program.

Credit may be transferred in from a regionally accredited institution (maximum of six hours) for any core or specialization course except ADM-508 and ADM-560 upon approval.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. The university reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

### **MBAX Program**

The MBAXpress Program is an online-only program for special individuals who have the willpower and the academic discipline to participate in an accelerated, intensive MBA curriculum. Students complete an accelerated program by taking some MBA courses simultaneously.

Additional admission requirements for the MBAX program:

- Baccalaureate degree in business, economics, or engineering.
- An undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
- Documented ability to devote 24 to 30 hours per week to coursework.

### **Virtual MBA Program**

The Virtual MBA degree program with majors in Executive Management (MBVE) or International Business (MBVI) requires the completion of 36 credit hours. The Virtual MBA uses a virtual-reality setting to create an intense, interactive, experiential learning context to present a consistent real-world, on-the-job-training experience in which knowledge and skills can be transferred to the student. The Executive Management and International Business majors utilize a mastery-learning concept that keeps students from proceeding through a course until they demonstrate competency in each one of the multiple learning modules. See <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/Virtual-MBA/> for additional information and short video introduction.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Graduate Business Programs

Minimum Computer Requirements for School of Business and Leadership Graduate Students

Project Teams

MBA - Program of Study

Virtual MBA - Program of Study

### **MBA - Program of Study**

	<b>Core Courses</b>	
ADM-508	Business, Analysis, and Technology	3
ADM-510	Applied Management Concepts	3
ADM-471P	Essentials of Accounting	0
ADM-514	Applied Managerial Accounting	4
MGT-541	Applied Marketing Management	3

ADM-524	Managerial Economics	3
ADM-474P	Essentials of Finance	0
ADM-537	Applied Managerial Finance	4
ADM-545	Organizational Development and Change	3
ADM-515	Applied Business Statistics	4
ADM-534	Applied Economics	3
	<b>Specialization Courses - Applied Management</b>	
ADM-549	Intercultural and Global Issues	3
ADM-550	Ethics, Law, and Leadership	3
ADM-554	Operations and Strategy	3
ADM-560	Applied Management Capstone	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>42</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Accounting</b>	
ACC-549	Financial Statement Preparation and Analysis	3
ACC-552	Auditing and Fraud Detection	3
ACC-554	Business Structure and Taxes	3
ACC-556	Accounting Information Systems and Control	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>42</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Health Care</b>	
HCM-549	Health Care Systems	3
HCM-552	Health Care Policy	3
HCM-554	Health Care Finance	3
HCM-556	Health Care Issues	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>42</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Human Resources Management</b>	
HRM-549	Human Resource Management: An Overview	3
HRM-552	Compensation and Benefits	3
HRM-554	Employment Law	3
HRM-556	Motivation and Training	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>42</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

**Virtual MBA - Program of Study**

<b>Major in Executive Management</b>		
ADM-580	History of Management Thought	1
ADM-583	Management for Results	3
ADM-585	Management of Human Resources	3
ADM-584	Marketing for Results	3
ADM-582	Financial Accountability	3
ADM-586	International Business	3
ADM-587	International Finance	3
ADM-589	Leadership in Organizations	3
ADM-565	MIS and E-Business	3
ADM-555	Decision Analysis in Organizations	3
ADM-588	Organizational Strategy	3
ADM-560	Applied Management Capstone	3
ADM-561	Comprehensive Exam Review	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

<b>Major in International Business</b>		
ADM-581	History of International Trade	1
ADM-583	Management for Results	3
ADM-585	Management of Human Resources	3
ADM-584	Marketing for Results	3
ADM-582	Financial Accountability	3
ADM-586	International Business	3
ADM-587	International Finance	3
ADM-589	Leadership in Organizations	3
ADM-567	Business and Culture	3
ADM-569	Import and Export	3
ADM-588	Organizational Strategy	3
ADM-560	Applied Management Capstone	3
ADM-561	Comprehensive Exam Review	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Minimum Computer Requirements - Graduate Students

Minimum requirements for all students enrolled in graduate programs within the School of Business and Leadership:

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Administrative access to a PC (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software)
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU or higher
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- 1 GB space for software installation
- CD-ROM
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- Internet access with 56K modem (Broadband highly recommended)\*
- Built-in Wireless Card and Network Card
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0, Netscape 7.1, or Firefox 2.0.x (Microsoft Internet Explorer 8+ or Firefox 3+ recommended)\*
- Free Flash Player

**\*Virtual MBA Students:** High speed (Broadband) internet access required; Microsoft Internet Explorer 8+ or Firefox 3+ recommended

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.

### Project Teams

Global competition and accelerating change have challenged traditional notions of the corporate pyramid. Organizations seeking to improve quality and agility have replaced entire levels of management with self-managing work teams. For this reason, the skills needed for teamwork are at a premium in the workplace.

A team is essentially a small number of people with complementary skills, who are committed to a common purpose, a set of performance goals, and an approach to solving problems for which they hold themselves mutually accountable. But a team is more than just a collection of individuals. A true team develops an almost organic quality. The synergy produced through interaction involving a common goal should exceed what a group of individuals might achieve working independently. Thus, there is a significant difference between the product of a well-functioning team and the product of a work group where a piece of the problem is assigned to each individual.

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## Master of Science - Management

The Master of Science degree with a major in Management is a 36-hour graduate program consisting of a 24 credit hour common core plus one of four 12-credit-hour specializations selected by the student at registration. (IWU reserves the right to move students to another date, location, or online if less than eight students are registered for any specialization at a particular location.) It is designed to develop and advance the personal and technical management skills of working professionals. It is envisioned that successful graduates should be able to enhance their positions in both the profit or non-profit sectors.

This is a career-oriented degree program with emphasis on gaining the knowledge and skills needed in working with and leading people in an organizational environment. The program revolves around the idea of servant leadership present in both quality management literature and the Christian tradition. Strategy, decision-making, quality, and the dynamics of change in organizations are all explored in the curriculum.

Credit may be transferred in from a regionally accredited institution (maximum of six hours) for any core course except MGT-510 and MGT-557 upon approval.

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. The university reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.

The same courses offered in the classroom setting are also offered via the Internet. Details are available at Online-Delivery.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Graduate Business Programs

Minimum Computer Requirements for School of Business and Leadership Graduate Students

Project Teams

Management (MS) - Program of Study

### Master of Science - Management - Program of Study

	<b>Core Courses</b>	
MGT-510	Theory and Practices of Leadership	3
MGT-532	Human Relations and Organizational Behavior	3
MGT-518	Communication in Organizational Settings	3
MGT-541	Applied Marketing Management	3
MGT-513	Managerial Economics	3
MGT-535	Legal Issues for Managers	3
MGT-525	Managerial Ethics	3
MGT-524	Finance for Managers	3
	<b>Specialization Courses - Strategic Management</b>	
MGT-540	Motivation, Development, and Change	3
ADM-549	Intercultural and Global Issues	3
MGT-530	Strategy Formulation	3
MGT-557	Applied Management Capstone	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>36</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Accounting</b>	
ACC-549	Financial Statement Preparation and Analysis	3
ACC-552	Auditing and Fraud Detection	3
ACC-554	Business Structure and Taxes	3

ACC-556	Accounting Information Systems and Control	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>36</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Health Care</b>	
HCM-549	Health Care Systems	3
HCM-552	Health Care Policy	3
HCM-554	Health Care Finance	3
HCM-556	Health Care Issues	3
<b>TOTAL with Specialization</b>		<b>36</b>
	<b>Specialization Courses - Human Resources Management</b>	
HRM-549	Human Resource Management: An Overview	3
HRM-552	Compensation and Benefits	3
HRM-554	Employment Law	3
HRM-556	Motivation and Training	3
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### Minimum Computer Requirements - Graduate Students

Minimum requirements for all students enrolled in graduate programs within the School of Business and Leadership:

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Administrative access to a PC (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software)
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU or higher
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- 1 GB space for software installation
- CD-ROM
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- Internet access with 56K modem (Broadband highly recommended)\*
- Built-in Wireless Card and Network Card
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0, Netscape 7.1, or Firefox 2.0.x (Microsoft Internet Explorer 8+ or Firefox 3+ recommended)\*
- Free Flash Player

**\*Virtual MBA Students:** High speed (Broadband) internet access required; Microsoft Internet Explorer 8+ or Firefox 3+ recommended

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.



## Certificate Programs - Graduate

In order to provide graduate students opportunities to focus on specific career-oriented areas, the College of Adult and Professional Studies offers graduate certificates in the areas of Accounting, Health Care Management, and Human Resource Management.

Graduate certificates are available to students who have a baccalaureate or masters degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education. Students may be accepted as an unclassified student. Official transcripts must be submitted for verification of the appropriate degree.

The graduate certificate programs utilize both individual and project teams approaches.

Admission and Completion Requirements - Graduate Business Certificate Programs

### Accounting

ACC-549	Financial Statement Preparation and Analysis	3
ACC-552	Auditing and Fraud Detection	3
ACC-554	Business Structure and Taxes	3
ACC-556	Accounting Information Systems and Control	3

### Health Care

HCM-549	Health Care Systems	3
HCM-552	Health Care Policy	3
HCM-554	Health Care Finance	3
HCM-556	Health Care Issues	3

### Human Resource Management

HRM-549	Human Resources Management: An Overview	3
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## Graduate Studies in Leadership Division

The Graduate Studies in Leadership Division offers the following programs:

Master of Arts Degree (MA) with a major in Organizational Leadership

Doctor of Education degree (Ed.D.) with a major in Organizational Leadership

### Admission Requirements

#### Master of Arts:

- A baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education .
- A minimum GPA of 3.0 in all undergraduate work (or 2.75 with approval from Department chair).
- A minimum of three years of significant experience in the workplace.
- Must currently be in a leadership position or demonstrate aspirations to attain a leadership position.

#### Doctor of Education:

This is a selective program and there is no guaranteed admittance even though applicants meet all the admissions requirements. The requirements for admission to the program include:\*

- A masters degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education verified on original transcripts sent by the institution directly to Indiana Wesleyan University.
- An undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 or higher from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed..
- A graduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher from the master's degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 24 hours was completed.
- A minimum of five years of leadership experience in the workplace, volunteer organizations, or the classroom.
- Submission of all documents required by the Admissions Selection Committee and approval by the committee for admission into the program.

\*The Admissions Selection Committee retains the right to waive admission requirements for special circumstances.

### Graduation Requirements

#### Master of Arts:

- All 36 credits required in the curriculum sequence with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and a minimum grade of "C" in each course. A grade of "C-" or below will require the course to be repeated.
- Overall GPA of 3.0 in all IWU graduate work.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

#### Doctor of Education:

To fulfill graduation requirements students must have completed all of the following:

- All credits required in the course of studies with a minimum GPA of 3.25. The Seminars and Internship and Dissertation credits are recorded as Credit or No Credit.
- Minimum grade of "B-" or higher in each course.
- Comprehensive written exam and oral defense following the third summer residency institute and satisfactory completion of all coursework.
- Dissertation successfully completed and defended orally. Dissertation must be completed within four years from the point of completing DOL-915.
- Payment of tuition and fees in order to receive a diploma.

## Minimum Computer Requirements - Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

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- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
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- 1.6 GHz CPU or higher
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## Master of Arts - Organizational Leadership

The Master of Arts degree with a major in Organizational Leadership will provide graduates with the fundamental knowledge of leadership theory and skills to practice leadership in organizations. The program is targeted at students from all organizations (including business), but the focus will be on recruiting individuals from nonprofit organizations, government, military, and ministries.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

Minimum Computer Requirements - Graduate Studies in Leadership Division

Organizational Leadership (MA) - Objectives

Organizational Leadership (MA) - Program of Study

### Organizational Leadership (MA) - Objectives

Upon completion of the program students should be able to:

- Describe leadership theories and explain how they guide the practice of organizational leadership.
- Understand and practice authenticity and integrity as a part of their character and leadership.
- Synthesize knowledge about the foundational concepts of wisdom, followership, and stewardship as it applies to leadership.
- Evaluate ethical dilemmas that face leaders and implement the appropriate response.
- Analyze organizational problems and determine how the behavior of leaders and followers within an organization will be impacted.
- Evaluate the change and learning needs of an organization and implement appropriate strategies for redirecting the organization toward its goals.
- Develop and implement a strategic plan for an organization that emphasizes governance and stewardship principles.
- Practice scholarship by identifying organizational problems, researching the problem, and reporting the results of the research.

### Organizational Leadership (MA) - Program of Study

MOL-500	Leadership Theory	3
MOL-505	Wisdom and Leadership	3
MOL-510A	Leadership Praxis	1
MOL-515	Followership	3

MOL-520	Ethical Challenges of Leadership	3
MOL-501B	Leadership Praxis	1
MOL-525	Organizational Behavior and Communication	3
MOL-530	Organizational Learning and Change	3
MOL-510C	Leadership Praxis	1
MOL-535	Stewardship and Strategic Planning	3
MOL-540	Research and Evaluation Methods for Learners	3
MOL-510D	Leadership Praxis	1
MOL-565	Leadership Thesis	6
MOL-511	Leadership Praxis Seminar	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Doctor of Education - Organizational Leadership

The Doctor of Education degree with a major in Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) provides an advanced graduate education for students seeking academic positions in research and teaching at leading universities, and for those seeking leadership opportunities in corporations, entrepreneurial businesses, health care, faith-based institutions, government, and non-profit organizations. This program is designed for working adults who have the intellectual capacity for advanced study, who thrive on the challenge of self-directed learning, and who desire to master the discipline of organizational leadership.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

Minimum Computer Requirements for School of Business and Leadership, Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership

Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Mission

Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Program Requirements

Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Program of Study

Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - The Dissertation

### Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Application Process

#### Application Process Requirements

The goal is to admit highly qualified students, with clear career objectives, who choose to enter the doctoral program after obtaining a master's degree. To apply for admission to the doctoral program, the applicant must complete the following steps:

- Submit a formal application with the non-refundable application fee of \$50. Send all application process materials to the attention of Graduate Admissions.
- Send a current resume that includes a career objective, previous undergraduate and graduate work, work experience, and special recognition or awards. The resume should make clear the number of employees the applicant has supervised in all leadership positions.
- Send at least three recommendation forms from the applicant's current manager (this may be the chairman of the board of directors or a peer at another organization for CEOs), an academic in higher education, and someone that can speak to the spiritual character of the applicant.
- Prepare and submit a five to six page scholarly essay according to the requirements and outline in the application packet.
- Arrange to have your undergraduate transcript and graduate transcript sent from the accredited institution granting the respective degree. Transcripts should be supplied from all institutions the applicant has attended subsequent to the completion of the bachelor's degree.
- Arrange to take (or already have taken) the general test portion of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or the Miller Analogies Test (MAT) may be substituted at the discretion of the Admissions Selection Committee.

### **Formal Application Essay**

This essay is an essential aspect of the admission process and will be carefully assessed in order to make an informed decision regarding your acceptance into the Ed.D. program. Please follow the guidelines carefully addressing each question. The essay will be assessed in regard to:

- Typed, double-spaced, and numbered with a minimum of five pages and maximum of six pages.
- Clear and convincing response to the questions.
- Organization and presentation (i.e., readability and formatting).
- Evidence of critical thinking that is clearly expressed.
- It should be carefully proof read and use convincing language and phrasing.
- Evidence of scholarly (academic) writing skills that evidences an ability to analyze and integrate literature from the leadership field.

### **Essay Questions**

All questions are to be answered in a manner that demonstrates the scholarship and critical thinking of the applicant. The questions to be addressed in the essay include:

- How will the attainment of the Ed.D. with a major in Organizational Leadership enhance your ability to fulfill your life purpose?
- How will your leadership experience prepare you to excel in a doctoral leadership program?
- How will your current leadership position enable you to put into practice the concepts and principles that you hope to learn in this program?
- What is your understanding of the concept of leadership and of the need for it in your professional field?
- What convincing evidence can you offer that you are prepared for the scholarship necessary to complete doctoral coursework and a dissertation?
- Do you have convincing evidence of sufficient computer skills to engage in online discussion forums, access online library resources, engage in online videoconferencing, word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation software?

### **Admissions Selection Process**

The admissions selection process is as follows:

- Submit completed application and forms to Adult Enrollment Services.
- The completed Application Files will be reviewed and evaluated by the Admissions Selection Committee.
- The Admissions Selection Committee will recommend admissions approval to the Chair.
- A letter of approval will be sent to the student by the Chair.
- Students will then confirm their intent to commence the program and send a \$200 deposit that can hold a position in the program for the student and be applied to the first tuition and fee statement.

### **Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Mission**

The mission of the program is to provide a Christ-centered, challenging, and field-based doctoral program enabling organizational leadership students to become accomplished in current knowledge, theory-in-use, research, self-directed learning, and as facilitators of organizational learning.

The curriculum is designed to contribute to a student's development as a servant leader, who has demonstrated competence in seven domains of knowledge represented in the conceptual model that guides the program design. These domains include servant leadership, personal authenticity, governance and ethics, globalization and multiculturalism, change, innovation and entrepreneurship, organizational theory and research, and organizational learning. A foundational expertise integrated into each domain is the mastery of critical thinking, research, and problem solving.

The College of Adult and Professional Studies offers advanced graduate education for students seeking academic positions in research and teaching at leading universities, leadership opportunities in corporations, entrepreneurial businesses, health care institutions, higher education, faith-based institutions, government, and nonprofit organizations. The program is designed for working adults who have the intellectual capacity for advanced study, who thrive on the challenge of self-directed learning, who desire to master the discipline of organizational leadership, and those who purpose to contribute to Indiana Wesleyan University's mission to raise up leaders as World Changers.

The College of Adult and Professional Studies offers the dynamic combination of an integrated and seamless lock-step curriculum and technologically advanced facilities. At the very heart of these resources are the faculty and coursework grounded in theory and practice and leading organizational learning, change, and innovation. Our advanced graduate faculty is committed to critical inquiry, excellent teaching, and responsiveness to students. The curriculum reflects current knowledge and best practice and enables the students to meet the rigorous challenges of doctoral studies in a Christ-centered culture.

The desire of the faculty and administration of the College of Adult and Professional Studies in general and the faculty of the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership in particular is to present a Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) degree program that prepares students to be Christian Leaders in their world, and from that perspective to initiate significant change for Christ. The faculty values the integration of Christian principles of faith and practice into both academic and work settings. We have developed our university mission statement to reflect this desire and this value, and the mission of the College of Adult and Professional Studies and that of the Ed.D. degree support and extend the broader university mission. For that reason, all classes include a component of faith integration, either through the basic nature of the course or via specific course objectives. It is our hope that this curricular exposure to faith integration will be the beginning of personal growth and spiritual development by each student in the program.

### **Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Program Requirements**

**Transfer Credits** - Students may transfer up to nine hours of post-masters credit from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education provided a grade of "B" or higher was earned in a post-masters course meeting the following criteria of the transcript audit:

- The course is clearly comparable to one of the Ed.D. program course offerings.
- The course is at the 600 or higher numbering system and was not part of the master's degree requirements.
- The course has been completed within the past five years.
- The course reflects current knowledge-base and best practice.
- The course reflects higher order thinking, study, assessment requirements of the scholarship of discovery.

**Advanced Degree Appeals for Transferring Additional Hours** - Students that have obtained a professional graduate degree requiring 60 credit hours or more may petition to have appropriate coursework transferred into the doctoral program under the same conditions as those for post-masters credit.

Graduate students having earned a Specialist degree, a doctoral degree, or a professional degree requiring 90 or more credit hours (e.g., Educational Administration, Counseling, Psychology, and so forth) may appeal in writing, to the Chair, Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership, for a transcript audit to transfer up to nine additional hours (18 maximum). The letter of appeal, requesting more than nine hours of transfer credit, should clearly explain and justify the request. The letter of appeal should be supported with a dossier showing clear and convincing alignment with the course of studies and having met the criteria set forth in the policy and items one through five above.

### **Attendance Policy**

All doctoral courses are a blend of live and interactive online discussions (Ed-U-Flex). Students are expected to attend all live sessions and substantively engage in all interactive online discussions, tests, quizzes, and prescribed learning activities.

- **Live Class Sessions** - Live classes are held on Saturdays from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm and meet on the first, fourth, and eighth Saturdays of the September, January, and April terms. Students are expected to be in attendance when class begins, and remain the entire session. A student may be allowed one absence per course. These are only to be used when absolutely necessary and require approval from the faculty member teaching the course. (Bad weather, work and family emergencies, and illness are the primary reason for which students should reserve their option of missing one class meeting per term.) Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make-up work. The criteria for full participation attendance points will be determined by the faculty member.
- **Online Attendance** - Attendance is determined by participating in weekly discussions. Failure to participate in each weekly discussion forum will constitute an absence for that workshop. Participating in discussion does not guarantee full participation attendance points. The criteria for full participation attendance points will be determined by the course professor. A student may be allowed one participation absence per course. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make-up work.
- **Excessive Absences** - If a student exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to officially withdraw before the last class session, the professor is directed to issue the grade of "F."
- Students are expected to take courses in the predetermined sequence. Students who are unable to participate in a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a temporary leave of absence with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Students needing to withdraw while in a course may do so with permission of the Division Chair and by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply.

### **Residency**

Residency for the doctoral program is satisfied by living on campus during three Summer Residency Institutes. These institutes are seven days in length and begin on a Saturday and go through the following Friday. (The exception is for those students participating in their first Summer Institute that must attend from Friday to Friday for 7½ days.) Students are expected to be in attendance every day of each institute and are not allowed an absence from required workshops, events, or class sessions that are scheduled during the Institute. The Summer Residency Institutes are normally attended during three consecutive years. However, in unusual circumstances a student may be given permission by the Division Chair to skip a year and attend the Institute another year. In no circumstances will a student be allowed more than four years to complete their residency. Students are expected to follow the community lifestyle statement of the university while living on campus. This includes refraining from the use of alcohol and tobacco.

### **Withdrawal from a Course**

A student that withdraws from a course will need to get permission from the Department Chair to continue in the program and will need to follow the plan of study prescribed by the Department Chair.

Students needing to officially withdraw from a course will be required to contact the Office of Student Services. Tuition will be reimbursed according to the following schedule:

- 100 percent of the tuition fee if withdrawing within the first seven days of attending the first live class session of the course,
- 90 percent of the tuition fee if withdrawing between the 8th and by the 14th day of the course,
- 50 percent of the tuition fee if withdrawing between the 15th and by the 21st day of the course, and
- No refund after the 21st day from the start date of the course.

Student withdrawing from the summer residency will be assessed a fee to cover the costs of room and meals.

### **Satisfactory Academic Progress**

Students enrolled in the Ed.D. program are regarded as members of the academic community of Indiana Wesleyan University and are held responsible for conducting themselves in conformity with the standards of conduct for adult learners. Continued enrollment in the program is at all times subject to review of the student's academic record and of the student's actions with regard to observance of university rules and regulations.

The student must achieve a GPA of 3.0 by the end of the third term in order to continue in the program and cannot have a grade of less than a "B-" in any course. Students will become academically ineligible to continue enrollment when any of the following are received in coursework of the Ed. D. program of study:

- Grade point average (GPA) drops below 3.0 after the first three terms of the program.
- The required 3.25 GPA for graduation is not achieved within the first 27 credit hours of the program.

A student who is dismissed for academic reasons will be eligible to reapply for admission on a provisional basis after two terms or the equivalent, but only upon the recommendation of the Division Chair and with the approval of the Associate Dean of the School of Business and Leadership.

Students who fall below the required 3.25 GPA at any point in their program of study will be placed on academic probation and given a determined amount of time to raise the GPA to the required level. The amount of time given will be decided by a committee consisting of the student’s advisor and the Division Chair.

Students that have a grade of incomplete in two or more courses are subject to suspension from the program for a time that is to be designated by the Division Chair in consultation with faculty members that have taught the courses in which the student has received the incomplete grade.

Students who do not follow the courses in the designated sequence, or who withdraw from a course, must undergo advising before being allowed to register for another course. The student’s advisor will submit the reenrollment form to the Division Chair for approval. The student may then be registered for another course by Student Services.

IWU reserves the right to deny enrollment to any student, even though the student has met the minimum grade point average required, if it is apparent from the student’s academic record of required courses that the student will not be able to meet the graduation requirements.

### Comprehensive Exam

At the end of coursework, a comprehensive examination will be administered to each student in the Ed.D. program. This exam will be designed to:

1. Determine the student’s grasp of leadership understanding across the curriculum;
2. Assess the student’s ability to adapt and integrate leadership theory and current best practice across the curriculum, including the integration of faith and practice;
3. Give the student the opportunity to demonstrate higher order thinking with reference to Organizational Leadership theory and practice.

The exam will be constructed to cover the major domains of the program and will be administered by a committee of full-time faculty in the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership. The Comprehensive Examination Policy Guide is published annually before Comprehensive Examinations. All policies and guidelines published annually in the Guide become official academic policy of the Division and take precedent over any policies published in the catalog.

### Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - Program of Study

A student is expected to take courses in a specified sequence and this sequence can only be changed with the permission of the Department Chair. Permission is normally granted for students that want to pursue a four-year as opposed to the normal three-year course of study. The three-year course of study is detailed below.

YEAR ONE		
<b>July Term</b>		
DOL-715	Leadership and Personal Development	3
DOL-720	Critical Inquiry	3
<b>September Term</b>		
DOL-735	Advanced Leadership Theory	3
DOL-760A	Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>January Term</b>		
DOL-740	Organization Theory and Design	3
DOL-760B	Seminars and Praxis in Organizational	2



	Leadership	
<b>April Term</b>		
DOL-810	Statistical Research	3
DOL-760C	Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>		
<b>July Term</b>		
DOL-750	Change, Entrepreneurship, and Innovation	3
DOL-830	Global Perspectives in Leadership	3
<b>September Term</b>		
DOL-840	Ethics and Leadership	3
DOL-860/865A	Advanced Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>January Term</b>		
DOL-820	Advanced Research Design	3
DOL-860/865B	Advanced Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>April Term</b>		
DOL-800	Organizational and Adult Learning	3
DOL-860/865C	Advanced Seminars and Praxis in Organizational Leadership	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>		
<b>July Term</b>		
DOL-855	Stewardship	3
DOL-880	Application of Research Methods	3
<b>September Term</b>		
DOL-915	Dissertation Seminar* (*Students on the four year plan may substitute DOL-910, DOL-900A, and DOL-900B for DOL-915)	3
<b>January Term</b>		
DOL-920	Dissertation	3
<b>April Term</b>		
DOL-920	Dissertation	3
<b>July Term</b>		
DOL-920	Dissertation	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Students will continue to register for DOL-922 Dissertation Continuation all subsequent terms until dissertation is completed.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **Organizational Leadership (Ed.D.) - The Dissertation**

The dissertation will be a field-based, practice-centered inquiry that attests to the student's understanding of the field and ability to conduct scholarly inquiry about an issue related to leadership practices and performance in organizations from which other leaders can benefit. In addition, the research must provide a unique contribution to the understanding of organizational leadership.

Students may conduct qualitative or quantitative research, culture evaluation, needs assessment, or any other type of research which meets the approval of their Dissertation Committee. The dissertation is expected to meet the highest standards of scholarship and inquiry, and should demonstrate doctoral level composition and format. The writer should identify the problem and its significance, outline the background and literature that informs the problem, and collect and analyze data. This should result in a written document detailing findings, implications, and recommendations for future policy, governance, and/or practice.

### **Dissertation Requirements**

The Organizational Leadership major is a 60 semester hour program. The dissertation courses include a minimum of 12 hours beyond the 48 hours of designated courses.

Every Organizational Leadership student will be required to write and defend a dissertation. The Organizational Leadership course of studies emphasizes the development of theory-in-use research and skills with a practitioner focus. A doctoral research study addresses a problem of practice, where the focus is upon the integration of knowledge or its application. A variety of research methods may be used, resulting in a number of alternative forms of scholarly study, such as an organizational improvement study, a culture evaluation study, a governance and policy analysis study, or a problem resolution study. A dissertation generates or confirms knowledge and expanded capacity while linking theory-in-use to current best practice. The process of scholarship, research, and leadership utilizes a variety of research methods, including empirical, interpretive, or critical. All doctoral research studies and dissertations will result in a substantial written document.

Three credit hours of a dissertation seminar are required. The seminar may be taken when the student successfully completes the courses offered during the term in which the student participates in their third summer residency. This enables the graduate students to integrate coursework, field-based action learning, and organizational improvement initiatives into the research design of their dissertation. Nine credit hours of dissertation credit are required during year three. Graduate students not defending their dissertation during the summer following the third year will be expected to maintain continuous enrollment and pay a dissertation continuation one hour tuition fee for each subsequent term until the dissertation is defended and approved.

A Dissertation Policy Manual will be issued by the Division of Graduate Studies in Leadership and published annually. Students are expected to follow all policies, procedures, and guidelines contained in the most recent manual. A student that is unable to complete their dissertation within one year must follow the guidelines issued for the following year. For example, a student that completes their 700 and 800 level coursework in 2010 will be given a Dissertation Policy Manual issued at the Summer Residency Institute in 2010, but if the student's dissertation is not completed by June 30, 2011, the student will then be expected to follow the guidelines and policies contained in the Dissertation Policy Manual issued in July, 2011.

### **Degree Completion Limits**

The Ed.D. program is designed as a lock-step curriculum, which is to be completed in 27 months, plus the dissertation. The time limit for completing the dissertation is four years from the point of completing the DOL-915 course. Any exceptions to this policy must be made via a written petition presented, approved, and filed by the Division Chair.

### **Dissertation Continuation**

Doctoral students not completing the dissertation by the end of the July term of the fourth year will be required to maintain continuous enrollment. They will be required to enroll in a one-hour Dissertation Continuation course (DOL-922) with the university each successive term until the dissertation is successfully defended. Students will pay the one hour tuition fee and a \$25 per term resource fee to maintain continuous enrollment.

### **Candidate Status**

Doctoral students will attain candidacy status upon successful:

- Completion of all course work.
- Written and oral defense of the Comprehensive Exam.
- Completion and committee approval of the dissertation proposal (Chapters 1-3).

## Adult Teacher Licensure Programs Department

The Adult Teacher Licensure Programs Department offers the Transition to Teaching (TTT) initial licensure program.

### Admission Requirements

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

All applicants must have:

- Baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college with a grade point average of at least 3.00; or
- Both a baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college with a grade point average of at least 2.50 and five years of professional experience (i.e., professional experience related to the content area in which the applicant seeks licensure); or
- A graduate degree (does not apply to TTT Elementary Education applicants).
- Passing Praxis I scores (as established by the Indiana Department of Education) for reading, writing, and math.
- Passing Praxis II scores (as established by the Indiana Department of Education) for the content area in which the applicant seeks licensure (applies only to TTT Secondary Education applicants).
- Prior to any field experiences, a state approved criminal history.

### Completion Requirements

The Transition to Teaching program can recommend candidates for licensure in the following areas:

- Elementary Generalist K-6
- Junior/Senior High - Biology, Chemistry, Social Studies-Economics, Social Studies-Government, Social Studies-Psychology, Social Studies-Historical Perspectives, Social Studies-Sociology, English, Physical Education, Health Education, Mathematics, Music-Choral, Music-Instrumental, Music-Choral, General, and Instrumental, Spanish Language, and Visual Arts.

To be eligible to be recommended for licensure a candidate must:

- Complete all course requirements with a minimum GPA of 3.00 and no grade lower than a "B-."
- Pass all student teaching courses with a grade of Credit.
- Provide passing scores for all required Praxis tests.
- Provide a recent criminal history search.
- Applicants seeking licensure in Spanish will successfully demonstrate competence in oral Spanish communication skills via recorded process that is assessed by IWU approved Spanish speakers using a scoring rubric.

### Transition to Teaching (TTT)

Indiana Wesleyan University's Transition to Teaching (TTT) program is a graduate level, non-degree licensure program structured to help adults who are motivated to take their life and work experience into the classroom - to mold the minds of Indiana's future leaders. Candidates provide the content knowledge - Indiana Wesleyan University will provide the teaching theory and techniques to facilitate their growth in becoming a world-changing teacher.

There are three major areas of the Transition to Teaching program:

- **Subject Knowledge:** The basic premise behind this program is that adults with a baccalaureate degree and work experience in a particular field possess sufficient knowledge on the subject they want to teach. Therefore, the TTT program contains no courses where content knowledge on a subject will be taught. The State of Indiana will require TTT candidates to take the applicable Praxis exams to determine if they possess the requisite content knowledge to teach their subject.
- **Education Theory and Methods:** The Transition to Teaching courses will cover a wide array of teaching strategies, theories, techniques, and methods to prepare the candidate for the classroom. Course instructors are university professors or currently practicing school administrators or teachers with years of experience in the classroom using real life applications of teaching principles.
- **Student Teaching:** Candidates will be in a K-12 classroom in their area of licensure for a seventeen week student teaching experience. The student teaching experience for elementary candidates will also have an additional student teaching experience with an emphasis on reading and language arts. The university will arrange appropriate student teaching placements based on the area of licensure and geographical preference.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

TTT - Admission and Completion Requirements

TTT - Mission and Objectives

TTT - Program Requirements

TTT - Program of Study

TTT - Student Teaching Policies

### TTT - Mission and Objectives

The mission of the Transition to Teaching program is to enlarge Indiana's pool of qualified K-12 teachers by providing a quality teacher preparation program for working adults. The Transition to Teaching program meets the requirements of the enabling legislation and the Indiana Department of Education's Office of Educator Licensing and Development while eliminating as many barriers to the working adult as feasible.

Objectives of the TTT program:

- **Content/Subject Matter Expertise:** Demonstration of a liberal arts education which provides a foundation for future professional growth.
- **Personal Development (Morals and Ethics):** Internalization of an individual set of moral and ethical behaviors.
- **Professional Development:** Knowledge of how and when children learn, addressing developmental and motivational stages; awareness of recent developments in educational research.
- **Rights and Responsibilities:** Application of decision making skills necessary to implement appropriate decisions within the parameters of legal, contractual, and administrative directives.
- **Methodology:** Integration of instruction which permits the teacher to plan, implement and evaluate master learning.
- **Management of Time, Classroom, and Behavior:** Commitment to a model of classroom management based upon positive reinforcement and building self-esteem.
- **Communication:** The ability to communicate effectively with students and peers in written and verbal forms.
- **Global and Multicultural Perspectives:** Recognizing that individuals are different and that multicultural (ethnic, socio-economic, and differently abled) diversity awareness changes behavior and systems in order to remove barriers to success.

### TTT - Program Requirements

All candidates must be successful at each of the required gateways (Foundational, Reading, Candidacy, and Pre-Service Teacher, Exit Gateways) in order to progress to the next program gateway.

- Successful completion of each course with at least a "B-" grade and a minimum overall GPA of 3.0.
- Successful completion of the Key Assessments' expectations with a score of a "3" or "4" in each indicator of the rubric(s).
- Successful completion of the Professional Dispositions' expectations with a score of a "3" or "4" in each indicator of the rubric.
- Successful completion of the remediation goals as defined in a plan concerning the Key Assessments and Professional Dispositions' indicators that were less than scores of "3" or "4".

**Program Gateways - Elementary**

**Gateway 1: Program Entrance**

- Entrance Requirements

**Gateway 2: Foundational**

- EDUT-540 Introduction to 21st Century Education for Elementary Teachers
- EDUT-541 Innovative Teaching for the 21st Century for Elementary Classrooms
- EDUT-545 Assessment and Learning in the Elementary Classroom

**Gateway 3: Reading**

- EDUT-520 Reading and Language Arts Instruction in the Elementary Classroom
- EDUT-521 Diagnostics in Reading and Language Arts in the Elementary Classroom

**Gateway 4: Candidacy**

- EDUT-550 Methods of Teaching the Elementary School Curriculum
- EDUT-548 Research-based Behavior Interventions and Elementary Classroom Management

**Gateway 5: Pre-Service Teacher**

- EDUT-590 Student Teaching: Elementary Education

**Gateway 6: Exit**

- Alumni Survey
- Administration Survey
- Setting Surveys
- End-of-Course Survey
- Faculty Survey
- Employer Survey
- Candidate Program Completion Survey
- Satisfactory scores on Praxis 2 Elementary Content Knowledge Test

**Program Gateways - Secondary**

**Gateway 1: Program Entrance**

- Entrance Requirements

**Gateway 2: Foundational**

- EDUT-570 Introduction to 21st Century Education for Secondary Teachers
- EDUT-571 Innovative Teaching for the 21st Century for Secondary Classrooms
- EDUT-575 Assessment and Learning in the Secondary Classroom

**Gateway 3: Candidacy**

- EDUT-560 Content Reading and Literacy for Adolescents
- EDU-578 Content Methods of Instruction in the Senior High/Junior High/Middle School Setting
- EDUT-580 Research-based Behavior Interventions and Classroom Management of Adolescents

**Gateway 4: Pre-Service Teacher**

- EDUT-595 Student Teaching: Secondary Education

**Gateway 5: Exit**

- Alumni Survey
- Administration Survey
- Setting Surveys
- End-of-Course Survey

- Faculty Survey
- Employer Survey
- Candidate Program Completion Survey
- Satisfactory scores on the Praxis 2 content specific test for the subject(s) in which licensure is sought

**TTT - Program of Study**

<b>Elementary Education</b>		
EDUT-540	Introduction to 21st Century Education for Elementary Teachers	3
EDUT-541	Innovative Teaching for the 21st Century for Elementary Classrooms	3
EDUT-545	Assessment and Learning in the Elementary Classroom	3
EDUT-520	Reading and Language Arts Instruction in the Elementary Classroom	3
EDUT-521	Diagnostics in Reading and Language Arts in the Elementary Classroom	3
EDUT-550	Methods of Teaching the Elementary School Curriculum	3
EDUT-548	Research-based Behavior Interventions and Elementary Classroom Management	3
EDUT-590	Student Teaching: Elementary Education	3
<b>Total (Elementary)</b>		<b>24</b>

<b>Secondary Education</b>		
EDUT-570	Introduction to 21st Century Education for Secondary Teachers	2
EDUT-571	Innovative Teaching for the 21st Century for Secondary Classrooms	3
EDUT-575	Assessment and Learning in the Secondary Classroom	3
EDUT-560	Content Reading and Literacy for Adolescents	2
EDU-578	Various Content Methods of Instruction in the Senior High/Junior High/Middle School Setting	3
EDUT-580	Research-based Behavior Interventions and Classroom Management of Adolescents	2
EDUT-595	Student Teaching: Secondary Education	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>18</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **TTT - Student Teaching Policies**

- Once a student teaching placement has been finalized, it can only be changed by approval of the Program. The candidate bears the responsibility to present in writing sufficient evidence to justify the requested change in light of the candidate's needs (not desires) and the needs of future candidates who will need a placement in that school corporation's local schools. A change of placement fee will be paid by the candidate.
- The TTT Program, at the request of the cooperating K-12 school's administration, university supervisor, or instructor as well as by the decision of the TTT Program Director, can remove a candidate from a K-12 school student teaching assignment any time for immoral or inappropriate conduct at the K-12 assignment or with K-12 students.
- The TTT Program may remove a candidate from a student teaching experience for candidate's failure to satisfactorily perform the requirements of the student teaching experience in question. Input from the university supervisor, instructor, and the cooperating teacher will be sought before removing the candidate from the student teaching experience.
- Removal from a student teaching experience may result in the candidate being permanently withdrawn from the program. A grade of "No Credit" will be issued for the student teaching course.
- A candidate who does not receive a grade of "Credit" for EDUT-590 or EDUT-595 must request in writing to the TTT Program for permission to retake the course in question.
- If a candidate repeating one of these courses does not receive a satisfactory grade, the candidate will be withdrawn permanently from the Transition to Teaching program and will be ineligible to reapply.
- Any candidate who is being considered for removal from a student teaching experience has the right to appeal that decision pursuant to the policies of the College of Adult and Professional Studies.
- For an elementary candidate, EDUT-590 requires 17 weeks of full-time student teaching. Spring and fall breaks as well as other school holidays and closings and candidate's absences will be made up by the candidates within the time frame of the affected student teaching experience. Should a candidate not be able to meet the required hours and weeks associated with the student teaching placement, the candidate may petition to the TTT Program for an extension of time.
- For a secondary candidate, EDUT-595 requires 17 weeks of student of full-time student teaching. Spring and fall breaks as well as other school holidays and closings and candidate's absences will be made up by the candidate within the time frame of the affected student teaching experience. Should a candidate not be able to meet the required hours and weeks associated with the student teaching placement, the candidate may petition to the TTT Program for an extension of time.

## Advanced Studies for Teacher Leaders Department

The Advanced Studies for Teacher Leaders Department offers a Master of Education (M.Ed.) degree program.

### Admission Requirements

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

The admission requirements for the M.Ed. program are as follows:

- A baccalaureate or graduate degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education verified on original transcripts sent by the institution directly to Indiana Wesleyan University.
- An undergraduate GPA of 2.75 or higher from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least of minimum of 30 hours was completed.
- Public school candidates to the M.Ed. Program would need:
  - A valid (but not necessarily current) state teacher's license.
  - One year of teaching experience (i.e., a minimum of one semester and one day).
  - Supporting documentation demonstrating access to a P-12 classroom (e.g., letter or contract from the prospective candidate's principal or school district).
- ACSI, FACCS, and FCCS candidates to the M.Ed. Program would need:
  - Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI), Florida Association of Christian Colleges and Schools (FACCS), or Florida Coalition of Christian Schools (FCCS) valid (but not necessarily current) temporary, standard, or professional teaching license.
  - One year of teaching experience (i.e., a minimum of one semester and one day), under contract and performed in a classroom.
  - Supporting documentation demonstrating access to a P-12 classroom (e.g., letter or contract from the prospective candidate's principal or school district).

### Graduation Requirements

To graduate, candidates must have completed the following:

- Successful completion of the M.Ed. 30 semester hour core curriculum.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above in all graduate work and a minimum grade of "C" in each course.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.
- Satisfactory completion of the Applied Masters Portfolio as a culminating project including at least one level exhibit from each of the five program domains achieving a 4.0 score (on a four-point scale). All remaining portfolio exhibits must achieve a 3.0 score (on a four-point scale).

### Master of Education (M.Ed.)

The Master of Education program is designed for practicing classroom teachers seeking an advanced degree with an emphasis on standards-based curriculum and instruction. The program emphasizes the application of theories of learning and instruction to the professional setting. Courses are designed to provide participants with methods and materials they can use in their classrooms, including the latest available technology. Instruction is designed to model best practices and procedures in the classroom. Diversity, technology, and leadership strands run throughout the program. The advanced M.Ed. degree has developed five program domains in preparing the adult professional educator as a "World Changer."

The curriculum will be completed in the order established by Indiana Wesleyan University. Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to modify the curriculum as necessary.



Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

M.Ed. - Admission and Graduation Requirements

M.Ed. - Mission and Objectives

M.Ed. - Program Requirements

M.Ed. - Program of Study

### **M.Ed. - Mission and Objectives**

The mission of the Master of Education Program is to prepare teacher leaders to provide advanced knowledge that translates into effective teaching performances and dispositions, all of which are focused on improving P-12 student learning.

The purpose of the Master of Education Program is to provide advanced study beyond the baccalaureate degree to meet the professional needs of practicing teachers. Outcomes and expectations associated with developing master teachers as World Changers are:

- **Leading curricular change.** Candidates are proficient in curriculum development and implementation; knowledge of curriculum and subject matter is used to create positive change in classrooms, schools, and districts.
- **Implementing instructional effectiveness.** Candidates are proficient in the knowledge, dispositions, and skills needed for effective teaching; effective teaching results in successful student learning.
- **Managing classroom learning.** Candidates manage the classroom learning environment to create success for all students.
- **Practicing reflective assessment.** Candidates manage their continued learning and professional development through continuous reflection about their teaching knowledge, dispositions, skills, and practices.
- **Building learning networks.** Candidates create professional partnerships to create learning opportunities for themselves and their students.

### **M.Ed. - Program Requirements**

**Program Admittance Policy** - Formal admittance to candidacy for the Master of Education Degree from Indiana Wesleyan University will commence at the time a candidate successfully completes the Assessment Day One requirements. (*Note to Candidates: Assessment Day One occurs after the first three core courses are completed.*) An admissions committee composed of M.Ed. Faculty will review appropriate candidate data and grades earned in the program in making the final recommendation for candidacy.

#### **Non-Admittance Policy:**

- If the candidate does not successfully pass EDU-559A for credit, the candidate will be withdrawn from all courses in the M.Ed. program. Should the candidate wish to apply for re-admittance to the M.Ed. Program, the candidate will complete a Candidate Remediation Conference with the Program Director or his or her faculty designee and an Instructor/Advisor to be assigned to the candidate. A Candidate Remediation Plan will be developed and agreed to by the Program Director or his or her faculty designee, the Instructor/Advisor, and the candidate. The candidate will be readmitted to the M.Ed. program with the first available cohort. The candidate must take EDU-559A again and must pass with credit. Should the candidate fail to satisfy any portion of the Candidate Remediation Plan or fail to pass with credit EDU-559A a second time, the candidate will be recommended to the Associate Dean for permanent dismissal from the M.Ed. program.
- If the candidate does not successfully pass EDU-559B for credit, the candidate will be withdrawn from all courses in the M.Ed. program. Should the candidate wish to apply for re-admittance to the M.Ed. Program, the candidate will complete a Candidate Remediation Conference with the Program Director or his or her faculty designee and an Instructor/Advisor to be assigned to the candidate. A Candidate Remediation Plan will be developed and agreed to by the Program Director or his or her faculty designee, the Instructor/Advisor, and the candidate. The candidate will be readmitted to the M.Ed. program with the first available cohort. The candidate must take EDU-559B again and must pass with credit. Should the candidate fail to satisfy any portion of the Candidate Remediation Plan or fail to pass EDU-559B a second time, the candidate will be recommended to the Associate Dean for permanent dismissal from the M.Ed. program.

**Re-admittance Policy** - Candidates who have previously withdrawn from the Master of Education program voluntarily (i.e., the candidate was not withdrawn due to failing to pass EDU-559A or EDU-559B) and who wish to be re-admitted to the program are welcome to return. The following conditions related to re-admission apply:

- Existing program admission criteria at the time of re-admission apply.
- The Director reserves the right to require that the candidate audit some courses that the candidate may have already completed if the Director determines that the material is significantly different than when the candidate first took the course.
- The program requirements existing at the time of re-admission are the requirements the re-admitted candidate must meet prior to program completion.

**Attendance** - In addition to IWU's attendance policy for adult and graduate students, the M.Ed. program also has a tardy policy. For students enrolled in the M.Ed. program, a tardy will be recorded if the student misses 120 minutes of class time for sessions that are eight hours in length. If a student accumulates two tardies during a course, this will result in an absence being recorded on the student's attendance record.

**M.Ed. - Program of Study**

EDU-545	Contemporary Issues in American Education	3
EDU-559A	Applied Masters Portfolio Practicum	1
EDU-554	Technology in Education	3
EDU-589	Instructional Approaches for Teaching Diverse Populations	3
EDU-553	Individual Assessment for Student Performance	3
EDU-559B	Applied Masters Portfolio Practicum	1
EDU-556A	Applied Educational Research A	2
EDU-565	Standards-Based Differentiated Learning	3
EDU-550	Curriculum Development and Design	3
EDU-559C	Applied Masters Portfolio Practicum	1
EDU-551	Instructional Theory and Design	3
EDU-556B	Applied Educational Research B	1
EDL-557	Educational Leadership	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>30</b>

**Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership**

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- High-speed Internet access
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or Firefox 2.0.x
- Administrative access to the computer (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software or reach certain links)

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.

## Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders Department

The Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders Department offers the following programs:

Exceptional Learners Certificate Program (ELM)

Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders

### Admission Requirements

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

### Exceptional Learners Certificate Program

All applicants must have:

- Baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college with a grade point average of at least 3.00, both in the major and overall; or
- Both a baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college with a grade point average of at least 2.50, both in the major and overall and five years of professional experience (i.e., professional experience related to the content area in which the applicant seeks licensure); or
- A Graduate degree
- Possess a current and valid Indiana initial teaching license
- Passing Praxis I scores (as established by the Indiana Department of Education) for reading, writing, and math.
- Prior to any field experiences, a state approved criminal history.

### Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders

- A copy of an official transcript from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education which indicates the recipient has earned at least a baccalaureate degree.

### Completion Requirements

#### Exceptional Learners Certificate Program

Program completers who satisfactorily complete all testing and other state requirements will be recommended by Indiana Wesleyan University to the Division of Educator Licensing and Development.

To be eligible to be recommended for licensure a candidate must:

- Complete all course requirements with a minimum GPA of 3.00 and no grade lower than a "B-." .
- Submit an electronic portfolio demonstrating satisfactory competence in required standards.
- Receive a recommendation from the candidate's Instructor/Advisor.
- Receive a recommendation from the principal of the candidate's cooperating K-12 school(s).
- Submit a satisfactory score on the appropriate subject area(s) Content Knowledge Praxis II test(s).\*
- \* Per the Indiana Department of Education Division of Educator Licensing and Development, those seeking initial licensure in "Exceptional Needs: Mild Intervention" must successfully pass the Praxis-0353 Special Education: Core Principles Content Knowledge with a score of 150 and Praxis-0542 Education of Exceptional Students: Mild to Moderate Disabilities with a score of 156. Successfully passing the Praxis II is also an Indiana Wesleyan University Exceptional Learners program requirement for all program completers. Passing the Praxis II exams are required for those seeking an "Exceptional Needs: Mild Intervention" licensure through the IWU Exceptional Learners Program.

## Exceptional Learners Certificate Program (ELM)

The Exceptional Learners Certificate Program is designed for individuals seeking to accept the challenge of teaching students with special needs. The program places emphasis on drawing from the knowledge of educational theory and research in the field while integrating it through application. Candidates incorporate course content and experiences with new trends through hands on opportunities.

Candidates seeking to earn licensure can pursue any of the five developmental levels associated with serving students who have exceptional needs in areas such as learning disabilities, cognitive disabilities, orthopedic impaired, autism, and emotional disorders. Completion of the certificate program and satisfactory scores on the state required examinations and screenings will result in IWU recommending the program completer to the state of Indiana for the “Exceptional Needs: Mild Intervention” teaching license.

Candidates enroll in groups called cohorts. These candidates take the same courses together and develop professional skills through active learning activities designed to utilize the power of group dynamics and individual initiative.

The course delivery format is offered either by online or onsite. The onsite format will have several workshops online therefore all individuals will need ready access to a high speed internet server and hardware and software that meet the minimum requirements as identified by Adult Enrollment Services. The course delivery software will be Blackboard and training in its use is part of the program of study. Candidates should be proficient in word processing knowledge and skills and familiarity with other applications such as spread sheets is recommended before entering the program.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

ELM - Admission and Completion Requirements

ELM - Mission and Objectives

ELM - Program Requirements

ELM - Program of Study

### ELM - Mission and Objectives

The mission of this program is to provide accessible, challenging, Christ-centered professional growth and development opportunities for prospective exceptional needs mild intervention teachers. By expanding teaching knowledge and skills through continuous theory to practice proficiency development, exceptional needs mild intervention teachers are able to gain knowledge, skills, and dispositions necessary to meet the needs of students with mild intervention in their classrooms and school-community.

Objectives of the Exceptional Learners Certificate Program:

- **Content/Subject Matter:** Candidates will substantiate, in exceptional needs settings, growth in the knowledge of and skills in development and application of curriculum.
- **Practice Reflective Assessment:** Candidates will demonstrate the ability to select and administer appropriate assessments and to analyze their findings in order to insure quality instruction and behavior modification for exceptional needs students.
- **Professional Development:** Candidates will show proficiency in the ability to select appropriate instructional strategies and material and implement them effectively to provide quality instruction for exceptional needs students.
- **Management of Time, Classroom, and Behavior:** Candidates will express knowledge of behavioral interventions and the temperament, values, and dispositions necessary for their ethical implementation with exceptional needs students.
- **Building Learning and Services Networks:** Candidates will exhibit skill and initiative in collaboratively working with students, their parents, and members of the professional community to provide appropriate services and education for exceptional needs students.
- **Rights and Responsibilities:** Candidates will confirm an understanding of and compliance with the legal responsibilities inherent in teaching exceptional needs learners.
- **Implementing Instructional Effectiveness:** Candidates will apply theory to appropriate settings and audiences as well as development in the use of higher order cognitive skills.

### ELM - Program Requirements

Program courses contain knowledge and skills of educational theory and research in the field. Candidates will utilize their learning by engaging in professional activities and participate in the various learning communities that assist in the development of becoming lifelong learners who will reflect on and adapt their practices in ways that will have a positive impact on the field. The program is

tailored to develop candidates by expanding teaching knowledge and skills through continuous theory to practice proficiency development, in order to gain knowledge, skills, and dispositions necessary to meet the needs of students with exceptional needs.

**Course Design** - For all candidates, the program consists of a total of eight graduate level courses that are taught in an online or onsite format. When online, candidates utilize an asynchronous approach to communication and the development of group interactive learning assignments. That is, they are not required to be on line at the same time. This gives the program tremendous flexibility in meeting the scheduling needs of the individual candidates.

Candidates who have a current teaching license in the field of education will participate in four one semester hour courses in four phases that span multiple core courses and provide the candidates with instruction, coaching, and assessment in the development of the candidate's portfolio which is a requirement for program completion. The portfolio is designed as an application of theory of the knowledge, skills, and disposition necessary for exceptional needs teachers. Candidates must successfully pass each phase before progressing to the next phase.

### ELM - Program of Study

EDS-520	Understanding the Exceptional Needs Learner	3
EDS-522	Historical Perspectives of Special Education: Law, Policy, and Practices	3
EDS-536A	Field Application and Performance Competency A	1
EDS-540	Developmental Reading: Theory, Applications, and Field Practice	3
EDS-536B	Field Application and Performance Competency B	1
EDS-530	Diagnosing and Managing Behavior: Theory, Applications, and Field Practice	3
EDS-532	Assessing Learning: Theory, Development, and Field Applications of Diagnostic, Formative, and Summative Tools	3
EDU-574	Facilitating Learning with Technology	2
EDS-536C	Field Application and Performance Competency C	1
EDS-534	Teaching the Exceptional Learner: Theory, Applications, and Field Practice	4
EDS-536D	Field Application and Performance Competency D	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>25</b>

## Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders

Graduate courses offered through IWU's Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders are designed to strengthen the professional competencies of P-12 practitioners. These courses address contemporary educational challenges by employing a theory-to-practice approach to adult learning. Credit for these courses may be applied toward renewal of the Indiana state teaching license.

Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders are offered throughout the year in classroom locations across the state of Indiana as well as online. At times, IWU partners with other associates to provide a broad array of courses that will fulfill the requirements of licensure renewal. The courses are offered as credit for possible license renewal and are not eligible to apply toward any degree or professional preparation program at IWU. These courses (offered by Performance Learning Systems [PLS] or Canter and Associates) are not applicable toward the completion requirements of any School of Educational Leadership degree or professional preparation program. Educators employed by school districts in states outside Indiana are welcome but are strongly advised to consult with their own state licensure office prior to registering. Students registering in Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders courses bear the full responsibility for ensuring the applicability of IWU graduate courses for license renewal in their state.

Those new to Indiana Wesleyan University may register in Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders courses as a non-degree seeking student based on submission of the following:

- Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders course registration form.
- A copy of an official transcript from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education which indicates the recipient has earned at least a baccalaureate degree.

Registration in coursework through Continuing Studies for Teacher Leaders does not constitute admission to an IWU graduate degree program. If a non-degree seeking student decides at any time to apply for admission to an IWU graduate degree program, the student must complete the full and regular admission process. With approval of the program director immediately involved, up to six semester hours earned through Continuing Studies may be applied toward an IWU graduate education degree.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Educational Administration Department

The Educational Administration Department offers the following two programs:

Principal Licensure Program (PLP) - post-master's non-degree licensure program leading to the P-12 Building Level Administrator's License

Education Specialist (Ed.S.)

### Admission Requirements

Applicants to any program within the School of Educational Leadership will be required to sign a disclosure of information waiver giving any prior institutions the applicant may have attended permission to supply IWU representatives all information relevant to the applicant's fitness for teacher training or licensure recommendation, including but not limited to his/her conduct, standing, or reputation while attending said institutions. Any information obtained may be considered by IWU in its decision whether or not to admit an applicant, to permit his or her continuance in a program, or to recommend him/her for licensure.

### Principal Licensure Program

All candidates will:

- Be enrolled as a full-time M.Ed. candidate or have completed the M.Ed. degree at Indiana Wesleyan University or a master's degree from a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education. The degree must be verified on official transcripts and sent directly to Indiana Wesleyan University.
- Be currently employed in or have access to a P-12 public or non-public school in which the principal is willing to serve as a mentor for the internship phase of the program.
- Hold a teaching license.
- Have a minimum of three years of teaching experience.
- Submit a type-written statement explaining the applicant's desire to pursue a P-12 Building Level Administrator's license through IWU. The statement should include a discussion of the applicant's potential, strengths, and passion to pursue a rigorous preparation program leading to qualification as a school leader. Particular attention is to be given to the clarity of ideas expressed, organization of the paper, sentence fluency, and the conventions of written expression. This statement is to be attached to the application.
- Obtain recommendations from two school leaders (superintendent, principal, or assistant principal) who are qualified to judge the applicant's knowledge, skills, and dispositions in relation to pursuing the Building Level Administrator's license.

**Out of State Applicants** - Successful completion of the IWU Principal Licensure Program (PLP) and attendant licensing requirements results in the candidate being recommended to the DPS by the university for an Indiana Building Level Administrator (P-12) License. Applicants who seek administrative licensure in states other than Indiana bear the responsibility to determine whether completion of the IWU Principal Licensure Program will meet the academic and assessment requirements of the state in which licensure is sought.

### Educational Specialist Degree

Participants will:

- Have completed a master's degree from a regionally accredited body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- Be currently employed by a public or non-public school and/or have access to a central office experience.
- Hold a valid teaching license.
- Be eligible for an Administrative License by having completed a Principal Licensure Program or received a Master's Degree in Administration, plus have taken and successfully passed the School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA) test with a grade approved by the state in which you have taken the preparation program and the SLLA test.
- Have a minimum of three years teaching experience.
- Present at least three letters of recommendation; at least one must be a sitting central office administrator.
- Present a completed internship agreement with a school corporation.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.25 or better in graduate level courses.

The possible admission decisions are acceptance, probationary acceptance (some but not all prerequisites met), denial (accompanied by recommendations to complete process), or non-acceptance.

## Graduation Requirements

### Principal Licensure Program

To complete the Principal Licensure Program, receive the certificate, and be recommended for licensure, candidates must have completed the following:

- Completion of the 33 hour program requirement of which 24 hours must be taken at IWU.
- A minimum grade of "C" or higher in the Foundational Studies; a minimum grade of "B" or higher in the Professional Studies and School-Based Internship.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0.
- Satisfactory completion, presentation, and defense of the Applied Principal's Portfolio.

### Educational Specialist Degree

To graduate, candidates must have completed the following:

- Successful completion of 60 graduate semester hours of which 24 must be IWU hours.
- Successful completion of the eight Ed.S. core and internship/thesis courses with a minimum grade of "B" or higher.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher.
- Successful completion and oral presentation of the portfolio and defense of the thesis based on the eight DPS standard for district level administrators and competencies.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

## Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

- Microsoft Windows XP with Service Pack 2
- Microsoft Office 2007 Standard (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- 1.6 GHz CPU
- 2 GB RAM
- 80 GB Hard Drive
- DVD-ROM
- Sound card and speakers
- 1024 x 768 resolution monitor
- High-speed Internet access
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or Firefox 2.0.x
- Administrative access to the computer (in order to have the ability to install course-specific software or reach certain links)

NOTE: Apple/Mac users must be able to access a PC with Microsoft Windows; because course textbooks have required CDs/DVDs that WILL NOT work on or install to Apple computers.



## Principal Licensure Program (PLP)

The Principal Licensure Program (PLP) is a post-master's, non-degree licensure program leading to a comprehensive P-12 building level administrator's license. The program identifies outcomes and expectations based on current school leadership principles and practices and enables interns to engage in inquiry, research, dialogue, team learning, reflection, problem-based learning, collaboration, and standards-based assessment from a comprehensive P-12 perspective. The program is developed on the foundation of the Indiana Department of Education, Division of Professional Standards (DPS) Advisory Board, Building Level Administrator Standards; Interstate School Leaders Licensure Consortium (ISLLC) Standards; and the Educational Leadership Constituent Council (ELCC) Standards. Candidates will develop and demonstrate proficiency in relation to the DPS/ISLLC/ELCC Standards through a variety of field experience activities and performance assessments. The culminating Applied Principal's Portfolio reflects a standards-based emphasis and will prepare candidates to pass the School Leaders Licensure Assessment.

The program curriculum consists of three components including some courses earned for a master's degree:

- Fifteen credit hours of cognate courses as included in Indiana Wesleyan University's M.Ed. program.
- Nine credit hours of professional studies courses, one of which is included in the IWU M.Ed. program.
- Nine credit hours of school-based learning in the internship phase of the program.

Nine semester hours with a grade of "B" or higher from an approved institution may be transferred in for the cognate or professional studies courses. The internship phase courses must be taken at IWU.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

PLP - Admission and Completion Requirements

PLP - Mission and Objectives

PLP - Program Requirements

PLP - Program of Study

### PLP - Mission and Objectives

The Principal Licensure Program provides a clinical and school-based adult learning experience for aspiring school leaders by encouraging, empowering, and equipping them as visionary servant-leaders who model Christlikeness. They must be able to facilitate a culture of optimal social, emotional, and spiritual health and well-being; continuous improvement; and successful learning for all students and adults.

The Department of Educational Administration has adapted the DPS/ISLLC/ELCC Standards as the program objectives for the Principal as Servant Leader conceptual framework. The standards have been incorporated into the objectives of each course, the multiple means of authentic assessment and reflection within the program, and the culminating standards-based portfolio assessment process that runs through all courses in the program. The program objectives are:

- **A Vision of Learning:** To facilitate the development, articulation, implementation, and stewardship of a vision of learning that is shared and supported by the greater school community.
- **School Culture and Instructional Leadership:** To advocate, nurture, and sustain a school culture and instructional program conducive to student learning, fairness, and continuous instructional improvement.
- **Managerial Leadership:** To ensure management of the organization, operations, and resources for a safe, efficient, and effective learning environment.
- **Collaboration:** To collaborate with families and community members, respond to diverse community interests and needs, and mobilize community resources.
- **Integrity and Fairness:** To act with integrity, fairness, and in an ethical manner.
- **The Political, Social, Economic, Legal, and Cultural Context:** To understand, respond to, and influence the larger political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context.

### PLP - Program Requirements

**Matriculation Policy** - All candidates will have a maximum of three calendar years from their first enrollment in a PLP course to complete all the requirements for recommendation for a Building Level Administrator license. In the event of extenuating or emergency circumstances, exceptions to this policy may be made on the basis of an approved appeal from the student to the Director of the Principal Licensure Program.

**Re-admittance Policy** - Students who have previously withdrawn from a program of study in the School of Educational Leadership and who wish to be re-admitted to the program are welcome to return. The following conditions related to re-admission apply:

- Existing program admission criteria at the time of re-admission apply.
- The Director reserves the right to require that the student audit some courses that the student may have already completed if the Director determines that the material is significantly different than when the student first took the course.
- The program requirements existing at the time of re-admission are the requirements the re-admitted student must meet prior to program completion.

**Attendance Policy** - The nature of the Principal Licensure Program requires candidates to attend all class sessions. Some courses (EDL-610, EDL-616, and EDL-618) are each comprised of six workshops which extend over a specified time period as scheduled by the university. Each internship practicum (EDL-612 and EDL-625) runs for an entire semester and is comprised of two seminars and three regional team meetings.

Candidates are expected to be present when a class or meeting begins and remain for the entire session. To be counted “present”, a candidate must attend three-fourths of the total class or meeting time. Class attendance records are maintained by the faculty member and are recorded on the university database. Faculty members may factor lateness, early departures, and full absences into a candidate’s course grade, as long as such factors are addressed in the course syllabus.

Under emergency circumstances, a candidate may be allowed one absence in courses that are five class sessions or fewer in length, or two absences in courses that are six or more class sessions in length. Candidates are to inform the faculty member, in advance if possible, regarding absences and make-up work.

University policy states that if a candidate exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to officially withdraw before the last class session, the professor is directed to issue the grade of "F."

Candidates who must miss a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a temporary leave of absence with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Candidates needing to withdraw while in a course may do so by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply.

**Grades: Maintaining Grades of "B" or Better** - Candidates who earn a grade less than "B" in EDL-557, EDL-616 and/or EDL-618 must repeat the respective course earning a grade of "B" or better. Candidates who earn a grade less than "B" in EDL-610, EDL-612, or EDL-625 must temporarily withdraw from the Principal Licensure Program and re-take that course earning a "B" or better as a requirement for re-instatement to the PLP.

**Prerequisites for EDL-612 and EDL-625** - EDL-610 must be completed with a grade of "B" or better to be enrolled in EDL-612, Principal Internship. A grade below "B" will require a temporary withdrawal from the Principal Licensure Program (PLP) and a repeat of EDL-610. A candidate who requests and receives approval for a grade of “Incomplete” for EDL-610 must temporarily withdraw from the PLP, work to change the grade from “I” to at least a "B," and re-enroll for EDL-612 the next academic year.

EDL-612 must be completed with a grade of "B" or better to be enrolled in EDL-625, Applied Principal’s Portfolio Practicum. A grade below "B" will require a temporary withdrawal from the Principal Licensure Program (PLP) and a repeat of EDL-612. A candidate who requests and receives approval for a grade of “Incomplete” for EDL-612 must temporarily withdraw from the PLP, work to change the grade from “I” to at least a "B," and re-enroll for EDL-625 the next academic year.

**Applied Principal's Portfolio Continuation Course** - The Applied Principal's Portfolio Continuation course provides a decision point for candidates who have completed EDL-612 and EDL-625 but who have not met the competency requirement to complete and formally present the Applied Principal's Portfolio. Candidates who have not completed and presented the Applied Principal's Portfolio by the end of EDL-625 must enroll in this course to pursue licensure as a Building Level Administrator. The cost of the course is equal to tuition for one credit hour in the program plus any required fees.

Candidates who have not completed and presented the Applied Principal's Portfolio by the end of EDL-625 AND who do NOT choose to pursue licensure may choose not to take EDL-613 Applied Principal's Portfolio Continuation.

**Competency Requirement** - To complete the Principal Licensure Program, a candidate must finish and formally present and defend the Applied Principal's Portfolio. The transcript will not reflect program completion until this requirement is met. Prior to the candidate meeting this competency requirement, the transcript will show only courses taken.

**Exit from the Principal Licensure Program** - To officially complete the Principal Licensure Program, a candidate must finish and formally present the Applied Principal's Portfolio. The transcript will not reflect program completion until this requirement is met. Prior to the candidate meeting this competency requirement, the transcript will show only courses taken.

When the candidate has successfully completed the requirements of the Principal Licensure Program and has passed the School Leaders Licensure Assessment, he or she may complete an application process through which the university will recommend to the Indiana Department of Education Division of Professional Standards that the Indiana P-12 Building Level Administrator's initial practitioner license be issued.

### PLP - Program of Study

<b>Foundational Studies – 15 Hours (These courses are included in Indiana Wesleyan University's M.Ed. core)</b>		
EDU-545	Contemporary Issues in Education	3
EDU-550	Curriculum: Development and Design	3
EDU-551	Instructional Theory and Design	3
EDU-553	Individual Assessment of Student Performance	3
EDU-556	Applied Educational Research	3
<b>Professional Studies – 9 Hours</b>		
EDL-557	Educational Leadership	3
EDL-616	School-Community Collaboration	3
EDL-618	Legal Aspects of School Administration	3
<b>School-Based Internship – 9 Hours</b>		
EDL-610	Principalship	3
EDL-612	Principal Internship	3
EDL-625	Applied Principal's Portfolio Practicum	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>33</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Education Specialist Program (Ed.S.)

The Education Specialist Degree (Ed.S.) is a degree and licensure program for district level administrators. The World Changer Model places an emphasis on vision of learning, school culture, leadership, influence, integrity, fairness, collaboration, and ethics. Candidates in the Ed.S. program will study school law, school finance, P-12 curriculum and instruction, and school facilities management. Upon program completion, candidates are expected to possess knowledge, skills, and dispositions aligned to ISLLC/ELCC and Education Unit Standards. Successful candidates are expected to demonstrate the ability to: synthesize knowledge, utilize action research to improve schools and school districts, communicate effectively, think critically and reflectively, identify effective teaching for learning, adapt instruction and support services to the needs of diverse learners, assess learning outcomes, engage in professional development, and be active school leaders in their district, community, and state.

Minimum Computer Requirements - School of Educational Leadership

Ed.S. - Admission and Graduation Requirements

Ed.S. - Mission and Objectives

Ed.S. - Program Requirements

Ed.S. - Program of Study

### Ed.S. - Mission and Objectives

The Education Specialist Degree Program provides a clinical and school-based adult learning experience for aspiring school district leaders by encouraging, empowering, and equipping them as visionary world changers who model Christlikeness and who are able to facilitate a culture of optimal social, emotional, and spiritual health and well-being, continuous improvement, and successful learning for all students and adults.

The Department of Educational Administration has adapted the DPS/ISLLC/ELCC/ Education Unit Standards as the program objectives for the Superintendent as a World Changer conceptual framework. The standards have been incorporated into the objectives of each course, the multiple means of authentic assessment and reflection within the program, and the culminating standards-based portfolio assessment process that runs through all courses in the program. The program objectives are:

- **A Vision of Learning:** To facilitate the development, articulation, implementation, and stewardship of a vision of learning that is shared and supported by the greater school community.
- **School Culture and Instructional Leadership:** To advocate, nurture, and sustain a school culture and instructional program conducive to student learning and continuous instructional improvement.
- **Managerial Leadership:** To ensure management of the organization, operations, and resources for a safe, efficient, and effective learning environment.
- **Collaboration with Families and the Community:** To collaborate with families and community members, respond to diverse community interests and needs, and mobilize community resources.
- **Acting with Integrity and Fairness and in an Ethical Manner:** To act with integrity, fairness, and in an ethical manner.
- **The Political, Social, Economic, Legal, and Cultural Context:** To understand, respond to, and influence the larger political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context.
- **Application of Knowledge:** To experience significant internship opportunities and practice to synthesize and apply guided cooperatively learned skills in real work settings for graduate credit.
- **Policy Implementation:** To guide, facilitate, and support the success of all learners by recommending and implementing policy that guides district operations.

### Ed.S. - Program Requirements

**Matriculation Policy** - All candidates will have a maximum of three calendar years from their first enrollment in the program to complete all the requirements for recommendation for a District Level Administrator license. In the event of extenuating or emergency circumstances the candidate can appeal to the Director of the Department of Educational Leadership.

**Re-admittance Policy** - Students who have previously withdrawn from a program of study in the School of Educational Leadership and who wish to be re-admitted to the program are welcome to return. The following conditions related to re-admission apply:

- Existing program admission criteria at the time of re-admission apply.
- The Director reserves the right to require that the student audit some courses that the student may have already completed if the Director determines that the material is significantly different than when the student first took the course.
- The program requirements existing at the time of re-admission are the requirements the re-admitted student must meet prior to program completion.

**Grades - Maintaining Grades of "B" or Better** - The candidate is expected to maintain a 3.5 or higher GPA in all professional studies courses. Any grade below "B" will not apply toward the degree licensure program. Candidates who earn a grade less than "B" in EDL-600, EDL-602 and/or EDL-620 must repeat the respective course earning a grade of "B" or better. Candidates who earn a grade less than "B" in EDL-700, EDL-701, or EDL-705 must temporarily withdraw from the Program and re-take that course earning a "B" or better as a requirement for re-instatement to the Program.

**Integrity** - The Education Specialist Degree Program will expect all candidates to maintain and promote the highest standards of moral principle and professional integrity. These standards apply to examinations, assigned research papers, projects, relationships, and portfolio development. Violation of these standards may result in suspension or dismissal. On all matters concerning academic grievances originated by faculty or candidates, the initial recourse is through the Program Director. Any candidate's who feels he or she has not been given adequate consideration, may appeal to the Director, Department of Educational Administration.

**Exit from the Program** - To officially complete the Education Specialist Program, a candidate must present and defend the Standards Research-Based Thesis. The transcript will not reflect program completion until this requirement is met. Prior to the candidate meeting this competency requirement, the transcript will show only courses taken. When the candidate has successfully completed the requirements of the Program, he or she will be awarded the Education Specialist Degree and then eligible to complete an application process through which the university will recommend to the Department of Education Division of Professional Standards that the Indiana P-12 District Level Administrator's initial practitioner license be issued.

**Ed.S. - Program of Study**

<b>Pre-Requisites - 6 hours</b>		
EDL-557	Educational Leadership	3
EDU-556	Applied Educational Research	3
<b>Core Program – 15 Hours</b>		
EDL-600	District Curriculum Leadership	3
EDL-602	Leading Schools to be Culturally Responsive	3
EDL-605	District Personnel Management and Supervision	3
EDL-620	Advanced School Finance	3
EDL-615	District Facilities Management and Leadership	3
<b>Internship and Thesis – 9 Hours</b>		
EDL-705	ISLLC/IDOE Standards Based Research Thesis	3
EDL-700	Applied Superintendent's Internship Program	3
EDL-701	Applied Superintendent's Internship Program II	3
<b>Electives – 30 Hours</b>		
	Electives from EDU or EDUE courses	30
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Graduate Studies in Nursing Division

The Graduate Studies in Nursing Division offers the Master of Science in Nursing degree with the following majors:

Nursing Administration

Nursing Education

Primary Care Nursing

In addition, Post-Master's Certificates are also available.

Policies and General Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing

### Admission Requirements

Admission to all graduate nursing majors begins with submission of required application forms, letters of recommendation, writing sample, and official transcripts of previous college and university studies. Applications will be received by the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing. Applications will be kept on file for a period of 18 months. Acceptance into any graduate nursing program will remain valid for a period of 18 months.

To assist in the decision-making process, the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing reserves the right to require the applicant to:

- Interview with the Committee; and/or
- Take the GRE.

Criteria for regular admission are:

- B.S.N. or B.S. degree with a major in nursing from an accredited program.
- Undergraduate grade-point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
- Anyone applying to become a student at Indiana Wesleyan University must provide proof that all nursing licenses – whether current or inactive – are unencumbered. Potential students with encumbered nursing licenses will not be considered eligible for enrollment at Indiana Wesleyan University.
- Three letters of recommendation which must include references from: a former instructor, a pastor or someone with whom the applicant has worked in the past year who can attest to the applicant's service record or character, and a direct supervisor.
- Original transcript from the degree granting institution.
- A writing sample will be required, consisting of responses to three questions selected from a provided list.
- At least one year of professional practice. Students applying for admission to the Primary Care Program must have 500 hours of direct contact and/or care for patients within the year prior to admission. Students applying for admission to the Nursing Administration or Nursing Education majors must have 1000 hours of nursing practice within the three years prior to admission.
- A criminal history background check must be completed before registration for any track of the graduate nursing program. Letters of acceptance from the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing will include instructions for completing the criminal background check. The criminal background check must be completed two weeks before the beginning of the first course. A second criminal background check and drug screen will be required for Primary Care students two weeks before the first clinical course begins. Instructions for the second criminal background check and drug screen will be sent to students by the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing. Progression in the program may depend on the results of these checks.
- Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) if English is not first language. A score of at least 550 (paper-based), 213 (computer-based), or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission.
- Master's Degree in Nursing for Post-Master's degree Certificate.

## Graduation Requirements

To graduate, students must have completed the following:

- Completion of all core and major requirements for the specific program (Primary Care - 49 hours; Nursing Administration/Nursing Education - 41 hours).
- Minimum grade of "C" in each core course and "B" in each major course.
- Cumulative GPA of 3.00
- Program must be completed within a maximum of four years from the date of enrollment.
- All financial obligations must be settled in order to receive a diploma.

## Policies and General Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing Division

The right is reserved to change any of the rules and regulations of the university at any time, including those relating to admission, instruction, and graduation. The right to withdraw curricula and specific courses, alter course content, change the calendar, and to impose or increase fees similarly is reserved. All such changes are effective at such times as the proper authorities determine and may apply not only to prospective students but also to those already enrolled in the university.

Graduate Studies in Nursing - Academic Information

Graduate Studies in Nursing - Financial Information

Graduate Studies in Nursing - General Information

### Academic Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing

**Academic Calendar** - Graduate nursing courses are offered under the semester hour system but in a non-traditional academic calendar. Each major consists of required courses taught in an accelerated, modular format, and taken sequentially. Each major has an online component. The Nursing Administration and Nursing Education majors are 100 percent online. All online classes meet in an asynchronous environment through Blackboard. The Primary Care major has a significant online component, but also includes onsite classes in specified courses. Onsite classes meet for four hours on a weeknight.

**Catalog Governing Graduation** - Students must meet the graduation requirements as stated in the university catalog under which they enrolled. Students who maintain continuous enrollment, who make normal progress toward a degree, and who earn their degree within a maximum of four years from the date of enrollment may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they enrolled. **Students who withdraw from Indiana Wesleyan University for more than six months will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment.** Students changing majors or programs must meet requirements as stated in the catalog that is current at the time they make such changes. The same holds true for students moving between schools and colleges.

**Core Requirements** - The integrity of the adult and graduate programs requires that the core courses be met at Indiana Wesleyan University. Students are required to complete the first course of the core program with a passing grade in order to maintain enrollment with their cohort. In general, no waivers are allowed for courses taken at other colleges/universities.

Final class dates as established by the calendar will be the final date for completion of the core curriculum. No compressing or doubling of core work is permitted to accommodate earlier completion or graduation schedules.

Academic Standing - Graduate Studies in Nursing

Admission and Registration - Graduate Studies in Nursing

Attendance Policy - Graduate Studies in Nursing

Audit of Courses

Leave of Absence

Grading and Evaluation

Graduation - Graduate Degree Programs

Transfer Between Majors - Graduate Studies in Nursing

Transfer of Credit Policy - Graduate Studies in Nursing

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## Withdrawal/Change in Status - Graduate Studies in Nursing

### Academic Standing - Graduate Studies in Nursing

**Placement on Probation** - Students enrolled in a graduate nursing program will be placed on probation if their GPA falls below 3.0.

Students are given two consecutive courses to satisfactorily raise their GPA. If the GPA is successfully raised, the probationary status is removed. Academic suspension will result if the student's GPA is not successfully raised.

**Academic Suspension** - Academic suspension will result if:

- A student fails to clear the academic probationary status within the probationary period of two consecutive courses.
- A student has two grades of failure (F) at one time on an academic record in the same degree level.
- A student has taken a course twice and failed to achieve a satisfactory grade. When this occurs, the student is ineligible to reapply for admission into the program in which the course was repeated.

In all cases, the suspension will occur once the grades have been recorded in the Registrar's Office. Students will be notified of the academic suspension in writing. Application for readmission may be made after six months. The application must be made in writing to the Executive Director of the School of Nursing.

**Academic Dismissal** - Upon a second academic suspension in the same program, a student is not eligible to reapply to Indiana Wesleyan University.

### Admission and Registration - Graduate Studies in Nursing

Indiana Wesleyan University welcomes applications for admission from any academically qualified person whose motivation is in keeping with the university's purposes. Admission is based on the careful review of all credentials presented by an applicant, but in no case is admission denied due to race, color, national origin, disability, religion, or sex. Students are admitted in one of the following categories:

- Regular - Students who satisfactorily meet all requirements will be granted standard admission with no restrictions.
- Probation - Students with an entering grade point average (GPA) which falls below the minimum required by the program may be accepted on probation. Probationary status will be removed after the student has completed the first three courses of the core with a satisfactory GPA (3.0). In case of extended probation, the number of courses to be completed in order to change status will be determined by the Executive Director, School of Nursing. Any student failing to remove the probationary status will be academically suspended from the program.
- Unclassified - Students not pursuing a university degree who want to take certain courses for special reasons may be accepted for a maximum of 12 hours. Students receiving an unclassified status must reapply for regular admission if they desire later to pursue a degree program. Unclassified students are not eligible for financial aid.

**International/Non-English Speaking Students** - A student who is living in the United States but is not a United States citizen must submit a copy of a visa or permanent resident status during the process of application. Students who do not speak English as their first and primary language must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) prior to admission to the university. A score of at least 550 (paper-based), 213 (computer-based), or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission. Student visas (I-20's) are not issued for students wanting to enter the United States to enroll in programs offered for adult and graduate students.

**Registration** - Registration occurs at the beginning of the student's core program. At this point, students are registered for all courses within the major. Therefore, if a student needs to miss an individual course, official withdrawal must be made through the Office of Student Services. Staff will work with the Division Chair and the student to make arrangements to retake this class with another core group at a time that will minimize the impact on the student's financial aid. Students need to be aware that temporary withdrawals could impact their eligibility to receive financial aid based on the standards outlined in IWU's Satisfactory Academic Progress.

A student who has failed to make arrangements for the payment of tuition for a course will have registration in that course cancelled.

### Attendance Policy - Graduate Studies in Nursing

Because of the delivery method of adult and graduate programs, attendance is required and monitored. Students are expected to be present for onsite class sessions and participate in online activity. Absences are allowed as follows:

- Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed one absence in courses that are five class sessions or fewer in length. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.



- Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed two absences in courses that are six or more class sessions in length. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.

If a student exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to officially withdraw before the last class session, the instructor is directed to issue the grade of “F”. Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Student must then go through the normal readmittance process.

Students who must miss a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a withdrawal with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Students needing to withdraw while in a course may do so by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply. Students will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

Faculty members reserve the right to factor lateness, early departures, and class attendance into a student’s grade, as long as it is addressed in the syllabus.

**Onsite Attendance Policy** – The nature of the adult and graduate programs requires students to attend all class sessions. Class attendance records are maintained by the faculty member and submitted to the Office of Student Services. Students are expected to be present when class begins, and remain the entire workshop. To be counted present, a student must attend a total of three hours or more of a class that is four hours in length. Only under *emergency circumstances*, a student may be allowed one absence in any clinical course.

**Online Attendance Policy:** Attendance is determined by activity during a workshop, either through discussions or submission of assignments. A student is reported absent for a workshop if there is not at least one submission (or posting) of an assignment or in a discussion forum assigned during that workshop.

**Audit of Courses**

A student who has been accepted into an Indiana Wesleyan University degree program or as an unclassified student may choose to audit specified courses within a core program or electives as follows:

- Audit registration is allowed on a space available basis.
- The current audit fee per credit hour must accompany the registration.
- Auditing a course gives one the right to attend the course. No credit or letter grade is given. The course will be indicated as an "AU" on the student's IWU transcript.
- The student auditing the course is not expected to participate in classroom or study group assignments, or to complete homework, quizzes, or tests.
- The facilitator is under no obligation to grade any work an auditing student chooses to submit or to give feedback on progress.
- The materials required for the course are optional for auditing students. If one wishes to purchase materials, the fees must accompany the registration.
- The student must meet course pre-requisites or be approved by the appropriate administrator of the specific college/school.
- No change may be made from audit to credit, or credit to audit, after registration closes.

**Grading and Evaluation**

A letter grade is used in evaluating the work for a course. For the purpose of determining scholastic standing and awarding honors, grade points are granted according to the letter grades and semester hours of credit. The grade point average (GPA) is the number of quality points earned at IWU divided by the number of credit hours attempted at IWU.

Grade	Quality Points (per credit)	Definition
A	4.0	Superior
A-	3.7	
B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Above Average
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	

C	2.0	Average
C-	1.7	
D+	1.3	
D	1.0	Passing
F	.0	Failure (Also given for unofficial withdrawals)
<b>The following grades are not figured into the GPA:</b>		
W		Passing work at time of official withdrawal
I		Incomplete
CR		Credit
NC		No Credit
AU		Audit

**Repeated Courses** - A student may repeat once any course in which a grade below “C” (“C-,” “D+,” “D,” or “F”) was previously earned. Some specific graduate level courses are identified as repeatable and can be repeated if a student earns a grade higher than “C” but below the level required for that specific course. The course may be repeated once.

Whenever a course is repeated, the last grade and credits earned replace the previous grade in computing the student’s grade point average (GPA). All entries, however, remain a part of the student’s permanent academic record. Duplicate credit hours are not given for two or more passing efforts. A course taken in a classroom format may not be repeated for a grade through independent learning.

Since a course may be repeated once, failure to achieve a satisfactory grade in a course after two attempts will result in academic suspension and ineligibility to complete the major in which the course was repeated.

**Incomplete Grades** - Students are expected to complete the course requirements by the last class session. There may be instances when crisis circumstances or events prevent the student from completing the course requirements in a timely manner. However, the issuance of an incomplete cannot be given if the student fails to meet the attendance requirements. In these rare situations, a grade of “I” (incomplete) may be issued but only after completing the following process:

- The student must request an “I” from the instructor.
- The instructor must obtain approval from the appropriate Regional Dean/Program Director/Program Chair/Division Chair.

Because “incompletes” are granted only for extenuating circumstances, the student’s grade will not be penalized.

A student who receives an “incomplete” has 10 weeks from the final meeting date of the course to complete course requirements and turn them in to the instructor. If, at the end of the 10-week extension, the student has failed to complete the course requirements, the “incomplete” will become an “F.” A student with more than one incomplete on record is subject to academic suspension.

**Grade Reports** - At the end of each course, the instructor submits grades for each student. Grade reports are mailed from the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and indicate courses taken, credits received, and grades assigned.

**Transcripts** - The student’s official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

## **Graduation - Graduate Degree Programs**

**Graduation Ceremonies** - IWU graduation ceremonies are held three times a year. Degrees are conferred and posted to the student's transcript on these three dates only.

Eligible students are notified by the Office of Student Services of procedures and requirements concerning graduation.

Each student must complete an "Application for Graduation" provided by the Office of Student Services. This application indicates the student's intent to graduate and initiates the final evaluation of the student's academic record.

Students are also asked to inform the university as to whether they will be attending the ceremony. This allows the university to determine the number of tickets available for students who are attending. If a student cannot attend graduation due to unforeseen circumstances, the degree is still conferred; however, attendance at a future graduation is not an option.

**Graduation Requirements** - All requirements must be met and transcribed by the date established by the Office of Student Services (eight days prior to the commencement ceremony). Students taking internal or external coursework need to make sure that transcripts, grades, and scores can be received and transcribed by the deadline date.

Students may receive one degree only per commencement. Students meeting requirements for more than one degree must apply for and participate in two different ceremonies.

Students who have received a degree from IWU and have returned to meet requirements for an additional major at the same degree level will have the second major posted to their existing degree. The second major can only be posted at one of the three conferral dates, and students receiving the second major are not eligible to participate in another graduation ceremony.

**Diplomas** - Diplomas are mailed after the conferment of degrees. Diplomas indicate degree earned, date of degree, major, specialization, and honors. A student's financial account must be settled to receive a diploma.

## **Leave of Absence Policy**

Indiana Wesleyan University understands there are life events that may require a student to modify class enrollment and schedules. The leave of absence policy is designed to allow students flexibility in their program enrollment to adjust to these life events. The leave of absence policy also extends to students the ability to make up any courses missed during the approved leave.

A student on an approved leave of absence will be considered enrolled at IWU and eligible for an in-school deferment for student aid loans. Federal financial aid and in-school deferment may be negatively impacted if a student fails to apply for the leave of absence or if the application is denied. **This impacts students who receive Title IV federal financial aid (Federal Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Grants, Federal Stafford Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans, Federal Parent Loans) or who want to have a federal student loan deferred from payment while in school.**

Students who will be out of attendance for a period of 29 days or more should request a leave of absence. Students out of class for less than 29 days are not eligible for a leave of absence, and a recalculation on current financial aid will be done. Students who are not on federal financial aid programs or who do not have a federal loan in deferment are not required to request a leave of absence. However, the approved leave of absence will result in the \$100 registration change fee being waived.

Students needing to make a change in their schedule need to contact the Office of Student Services to process the registration change. At that time, the leave of absence request form will be mailed to the student. The Leave of Absence Application can be downloaded, or can be requested by calling the Office of Student Services at 765-677-1207. Students must request the leave within 21 days of initiating the registration change. The request for a leave of absence should be made prior to the date the leave is to start. The start date of the leave is the first date of the class or, if the class has already started, the date the registration change is initiated.

An approved leave of absence must meet the following criteria: the request must be received within 21 days of the registration change; the request must be made prior to the start of the leave (first day of class); the reason for the request must be one approved by IWU's Leave of Absence Committee (military, medical, jury duty, loss of job, family emergency, employment emergency, transfer of coursework, passing pre-requisite requirement, transfer of core groups, changing programs, administrative cancellation of core classes, or other reasons as approved by the Leave of Absence Committee); appropriate documentation must be submitted if the request is submitted after the leave has started; the student must have an expected date of return; and, the leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period.

Documentation is required if the request for the leave of absence is made after the beginning date of the leave of absence and needs to address the nature of the reason for the request. Documentation for each circumstance will vary; the student is required to provide whatever paperwork from a third party will attest to the circumstance outlined on the application form. Examples would include physicians' statements, letters from employers, letters from pastors or counselors, court documents, etc. Documentation is also

required if a request is submitted after the 21 day deadline, and needs to address the reason for the delay in the submission of the request.

The leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period. Time in excess of 180 days will not be approved. A student may request an extension to a leave providing the request is made before the end of the leave, there are unforeseen circumstances which prevent the return from the leave, and the total number of days of approved leave do not exceed 180 in a 12-month period. A maximum of two leaves of absence are allowed during a 12-month period.

Failure to return from an approved leave of absence nullifies the approved leave and may have an impact on student loan repayment terms as well as the grace period. The first day of the leave will be reported as the beginning of the grace period for loan deferment. Students may return early from an approved leave of absence prior to the leave end date. The leave will be shortened according to the student's return date.

Students will not receive disbursements of Title IV student loan financial aid funds during the leave. Students are not deferred from making regularly scheduled payments to the Accounting Office for normal fees incurred. Any change in registration can impact current financial aid regardless of approval or denial of the leave of absence request. Questions about impact on current financial aid should be directed to the Financial Aid Office at 800-621-8667 ext. 2516. Students on an approved leave of absence will be reported as such and will be eligible for in-school deferment of previous loans. Students whose request for a leave of absence is denied will be reported as withdrawn and the grace period for loan repayment will go into effect.

### **Transfer between Majors - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

It is assumed that students applying for/enrolling in graduate level programs have a higher level of maturity and decision-making ability. The selection of a graduate major should be approached with deliberation after acquiring the knowledge necessary to make the decision.

The graduate nursing majors are designed around an accelerated cohort model, intended to foster a certain group dynamic and support system for adult learners. Continued disruption of this model – as well as the curriculum schedule – inhibits the effectiveness of this design. In addition, the amount of time necessary to create a tailored plan of study for each transfer student adds an excessive amount of work to current faculty and staff.

Students who wish to change majors must submit a change of program and meet all admission requirements for the requested major. Transfer approval will be subject to review of the student's academic progress and availability of space in the requested major. The university cannot guarantee transfer requests will be approved.

Please be advised that any transfer/change in program may impact financial aid. Students will not be eligible for deferment or the 'scheduled break' option under this policy, and may have to begin loan payments until they are re-enrolled in their newly-selected major. In addition, the change may lead to a significant delay in the time it takes to complete MSN degree requirements.

### **Transfer of Credit Policy - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

The university may allow a maximum of nine credits in transfer to the graduate nursing programs. Transfer of credit will be determined by the Division Chair of the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing or designee.

Credit is granted for work with a satisfactory grade ("C" or above) taken at an approved college or university accredited at the same level, provided the courses are applicable to the curriculum the student wishes to pursue at Indiana Wesleyan University. An "approved college or university" generally refers to those institutions that are accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education.

The University Registrar is responsible for approving the transferability of all credits. Credit hours accepted in transfer are recorded, but quality points and grades are omitted. All credits are accepted as semester credits. Quarter credits are converted to semester credits using the two-thirds conversion ratio.

**Transcripts from foreign institutions** - are sent to an outside agency for evaluation and determination of transferable credits, degrees, and GPA. Students are responsible for the initiation of this evaluation and for any fees incurred during the process. Applications for this service are available to the student through the university.

### **Withdrawal/Change in Status - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

A student who finds it necessary to withdraw from the program or to take a temporary leave of absence is required to contact the Registration Change Counselor in the Office of Student Services to complete this process ([registration.change@indwes.edu](mailto:registration.change@indwes.edu)). Students must request the withdrawal from the Registration Change Counselor before the last class workshop. Failure to initiate an official

withdrawal will result in a "No Credit" or an "F" grade for the student in those related courses. Students withdrawing from a class or transferring to another core group will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

A student who is temporarily withdrawing may request an individual leave of absence up to 180 days in a 12 month period. A student cannot request more than two leaves during a 12 month period, and the total number of days on leave may not exceed 180 days within a 12 month period. All leaves must be requested through the Office of Student Services.

If a student officially withdraws after a course has started, a grade of "W" will be assigned. An "F" will be assigned to a student who stops attending but does not officially withdraw. Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Students must then go through the normal readmittance process to return to class.

Students who are unable to complete a course or who receive an unsatisfactory grade for their specific program will be allowed to repeat that course with another group of students if arrangements are made with the Registration Change Counselor and the Division of Graduate Studies in Nursing. Tuition and fees will be charged for repeating the course.

Students withdrawing from the first course of a core program must withdraw from the entire program and re-enter with another core group.

If, at a later time the student wishes to re-enter the program, a re-entry form must be submitted to the Office of Student Services. Receipt of the signed application will initiate a review of the student's academic file to determine remaining requirements. A student who was academically suspended from the graduate nursing program may make application to the Executive Director for Nursing Programs for readmission after six months. Students sitting out of a core program for more than 90 days are subject to a tuition increase upon returning. Students re-entering a core program after six months or more are subject to any changes in curriculum upon returning.

Any change in registration may have an impact on the student's financial aid. Students should always check with the financial aid office before initiating a registration change.

## **Financial Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

Fee Structure - Degree Programs

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Financial Aid - Graduate Studies in Nursing

### **Fee Structure - Degree Programs**

Students are advised of financial obligations for their degree seeking (core) program during the registration process. A schedule of payments and analysis of fee structures, along with due dates, is outlined. Students are expected to meet these obligations according to the schedule. Any questions regarding payments or problems associated with making those payments should be directed to the Accounting Office.

Students who have applied for financial aid are responsible for all tuition and fees in the event it is determined they are ineligible for financial aid, decline the financial aid, or withdraw from the program prior to completing the academic award period. Students receiving military or corporate assistance who have received prior approval from the university for direct billing are required to pay their share of tuition and fees and submit appropriate assistance documents by the assigned due date. The deferral program in no way relieves the student of the financial obligation to the university and the student retains full responsibility for ensuring that all tuition and fees are paid in full and in a timely manner.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to suspend students from class attendance for failure to meet financial obligations.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to change the tuition and fee schedule at any time. Students who remain registered in their initial core group making satisfactory academic progress shall have their tuition and fees guaranteed. A \$50 late fee is charged each time a payment is received after the due date. There will be a fee charged for any check returned due to non-sufficient funds. If collection of tuition, book charges, and/or fees becomes necessary, all costs of collection, court costs, and attorney fees are the responsibility of the student. A \$100 withdrawal fee will be charged for each temporary withdrawal or transfer.

### **Refund Policy - Degree Programs**

1. Any student withdrawing after attending only the first class session of the program or orientation will be assessed a \$100 fee. All other tuition and fees will be refunded.
2. After a student has attended two class sessions of the program, tuition, application fees, and educational resource fees are not refundable.
3. Tuition is refunded according to the following policy for all subsequent courses:
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the first class session of a course - full tuition refund.
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the second class session of a course - 90 percent tuition refund.
  - Withdrawal after second class session or after the seventh day of an online class - no refund.
4. In compliance with federal regulations for the student who has received financial aid, the refund will be returned to the appropriate aid sources.
5. Book fees are not refundable once the student has attended one class session or if the books have been marred in any way prior to that time.
6. Students who are unable to complete a course or who receive an unsatisfactory grade for their specific program will be allowed to repeat that course with another group of students if arrangements are made with the Registration Change Counselor. Tuition and fees will be charged for repeating the course.
7. Decisions regarding refunds are made by the appropriate Accounting Office, and in isolated cases, by the Financial Appeals Committee.

## **Financial Aid - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

### **Types of Financial Aid Available for Graduate Nursing Programs**

The following types of financial aid are available to persons enrolled as degree-seeking students who meet the eligibility criteria for the aid type. Complete fund profiles may be found online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid).

**Advanced Education Nursing Traineeship (AENT) Grant** – is a grant that does not have to be repaid and is available to students in a graduate nursing program who complete the Statement of Appointment form. Funding is limited, and awards are made on a first come, first served basis. Funds may be applied toward tuition and up to \$500 in books, fees, and living expenses. The award amount for the 2010-2011 award year is \$1500..

**Nurse Faculty Loan Program (NFLP)** - is a loan program used to provide loan funds to students enrolled in an eligible advanced degree program in nursing. After graduation from the advanced education nursing degree program, loan recipients may cancel up to 85 percent of the NFLP loan over a consecutive four-year period while serving as full-time nurse faculty at a school of nursing. Loan funds are given to cover costs of tuition, books, and eligible fees. Funds are limited and are offered on a first come, first served basis. The student must complete an application each year. Once the amount of eligibility has been determined, an award letter will be sent. At that time the student must complete an entrance interview form along with a promissory note. Following graduation or cessation of enrollment, exit counseling materials will be sent to the student. These exit counseling materials will contain an employment form that must be completed and sent in notifying the loan holder of the current employment.

**William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan** – is available to students who file the FAFSA and all other required financial aid forms and who meet all federal criteria for eligibility. The maximum annual loan amount is \$20,500 for graduate students. Lifetime maximum borrowing limit for graduate programs is \$138,500 (including undergraduate borrowing). For students who demonstrate financial need, the federal government subsidizes loan interest for a portion of the total annual loan amount while the student is enrolled in school. Interest rates are set on July 1 each year and are fixed rates. For July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, the interest rate is 6.8 percent for all Federal Direct Loans for graduate students.

A student’s total financial assistance, including loans, may not exceed the calculated cost of attendance for the program. Students with unsubsidized loans may elect to make monthly interest payments to the lender or allow the accumulated interest to accrue until repayment, which begins six months after the student ceases to be enrolled as at least a half-time student. Upon graduation or termination of studies, the student is given a six-month grace period during which no interest or principal payments are due on subsidized loans and during which only interest accrues on the unsubsidized loans. The minimum monthly payment is \$50, but the amount varies based on the total amount of the outstanding loans upon which the student is paying.

**Federal Perkins Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 5 percent interest rate. Funding is limited, and priority consideration is given to undergraduate or graduate students with a Pell-eligible EFC who meet other need-based criteria. The annual loan limit is \$8000 per award year for graduate students. The aggregate loan limit is \$40,000 for graduate or professional students, including loans borrowed as an undergraduate student. Repayment begins 9 months after enrollment terminates, and no interest accrues until that time.

**Graduate PLUS Federal Direct Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 7.9 percent interest rate available to graduate students who have remaining cost of attendance not met by subsidized/unsubsidized William D. Ford Federal Direct Loans. This is a credit-based federal loan.

**Active Duty Military Discount** – is a tuition discount to all active duty military personnel, including members of the Reserves and National Guard, and spouses of the aforementioned military personnel. Students must submit an Active Duty Military Discount application, available by calling the IWU Accounting Office at 800-621-8667x2878.

**Yellow Ribbon Award** – is an award that does not have to be repaid and is available to eligible students who receive Chapter 33 GI Bill benefits. The amount eligible students receive reflects 50 percent of the tuition expenses that exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition rate. The VA matches that contribution to fully cover the tuition costs.

**Loan Repayment Chart:**

Interest Rate	5%	6.5%	8%
Amount Borrowed		Monthly Payment Amount	
\$5,500	\$58	\$62	\$67
\$8,500	\$90	\$97	\$103
\$15,000	\$159	\$170	\$182
\$20,000	\$212	\$227	\$243
\$30,000	\$318	\$341	\$364

\$40,000	\$424	\$454	\$485
\$50,000	\$530	\$568	\$607
\$60,000	\$636	\$681	\$728
\$70,000	\$742	\$795	\$850

### General Eligibility Requirements

- In order to receive federal and/or state student aid, a student must meet the following criteria:
  - Must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
  - Must be a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen.
  - Must have a valid Social Security number (with the exception of students from the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau).
  - Must be enrolled as a regular student (cannot be unclassified) in an eligible degree or certificate program.
  - Must make satisfactory academic progress (SAP) as outlined in IWU's SAP Policy.
  - Must maintain enrollment in classes.
- No longer than 180 days may elapse between classes in any 12 month period; a leave of absence must be requested through the Office of Student Services. If there is a gap between classes of up to 180 days, a leave of absence will be reported to the lender, but no loan repayment will be required. If there is a gap between classes of more than 180 days, the university is required to report non-enrollment information to the lender, and the student will be required to begin repayment of any student loans (see your loan promissory note for further information). If additional circumstances arise which require the student to be further out of attendance, the student should contact the Financial Aid Office to discuss options.
- Any changes in registration, such as withdrawals or cancelled courses, may result in cancellation or reduction of any or all financial aid. In such cases, the student is responsible for any remaining balance on the student account. A student who requests the credit balance from his/her student account and then makes registration changes may need to repay funds to the university and/or to the financial aid programs.

### How to Apply for Financial Aid

Students who wish to be considered for federal and/or state student financial aid must complete the application process online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid):

- Complete the Free Application for Federal student financial aid, or FAFSA (direct link [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)). You must list the Indiana Wesleyan University Title IV Code 001822 in step six of the FAFSA or IWU will not receive your FAFSA information from the federal processor.
- Complete the IWU Financial Aid Request Form. Under the Additional Aid Source(s) section, you must disclose any additional funding you may receive from employer reimbursement, vocational rehabilitation, or private scholarships to help pay for your education.
- Complete the Loan Entrance Counseling Session and William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note online (direct link [www.studentloans.gov](http://www.studentloans.gov)). You must have an established Federal student financial aid PIN in order to complete these items. It may be necessary to wait three days from the time you first apply for you PIN before trying to sign in to this website. For each item you must enter "Indiana" in the School State field even if you attend classes in another state or online.
  - Entrance Counseling Session: Click on Complete Entrance Counseling from the menu. Select the appropriate counseling type for your current degree pursuit (undergraduate or graduate).
  - Master Promissory Note: Click on Complete MPN from the menu and select Subsidized/ Unsubsidized from the next page.

Once the above steps have been completed, be certain to:

- Respond to requests for additional information from the Financial Aid Office. You may be asked to complete a verification worksheet and to provide a copy of your federal tax return (and your spouse's or parents' tax return, as appropriate) as required by Department of Education regulations.



2. Provide documentation showing any amount of assistance provided by other agencies (i.e., tuition reimbursement from your employer, vocational rehabilitation benefits, scholarships from local business, etc.).
3. Fully complete all forms. Forms filled out incorrectly or submitted to the wrong place will delay your financial aid award.

### **How Eligibility is Determined and Financial Aid is Processed**

1. All forms and information submitted online must be received in the Financial Aid Office before eligibility can be determined. In general, award amounts are based a student's Expected Family Contribution found on the Student Aid Report, a student's enrollment status, the cost of attendance, and other estimated financial assistance.
2. Students must be scheduled for a full academic year, according to the academic year definition for the program in which the student is enrolled, or to degree completion for financial aid to be awarded. Any changes in planned enrollment will affect the amount of aid for which the student may qualify.
3. The Financial Aid Office will e-mail notification to the student e-mail account that financial aid has been awarded and is available for review online via the student portal at <http://myIWU.indwes.edu>. This secure Web site will indicate the types and amounts of aid for which the student qualifies. The student must submit written documentation to the Financial Aid Office via e-mail, fax, or US mail to decline all or a portion of the awarded aid. Otherwise all awarded aid will disburse to the student account.

### **How and When Financial Aid is Disbursed**

**Federal Direct Loans** are originated after classes have begun. The funds are applied as a credit to the student's account, typically in two disbursements per academic year. For new students, the first disbursement will occur approximately 45 days from the start of the first course with the second disbursement occurring after the completion of at least half the credit hours and weeks of instruction for the academic year.

All other types of aid are awarded and disbursement dates set as the necessary paperwork is received.

*All financial aid forms and information submitted online must be received at least three weeks before a planned class start.*

*Applying for financial aid does not remove responsibility for payment. If the funding is not received, the student must pay all outstanding balances immediately.*

### **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**

Students are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress toward the completion of their course of study. This includes:

1. Enrolling in and attending class as well as completing assignments and projects.
2. Maintaining good academic standing. Students on academic probation will be allowed to continue on financial aid on SAP probation. Such students must improve their academic measurements to meet the required standards by the designated time frame or eligibility will be terminated.
3. Earning passing grades in a minimum of 67 percent of all credit hours attempted.
4. Completing the program within 150 percent of the credit hours normally required to complete the course of study (i.e. if the program requires 124 credit hours to complete, then the student may attempt no more than 186 credit hours) or by the designated time frame.

Academic progress is reviewed after every graduation (approximately every four months) and before financial aid funding is provided. Students who fail to make satisfactory academic progress will be placed onto SAP Probation or Ineligibility as appropriate per the policy requirements. Students with mitigating circumstances (which may include but is not limited to death in the family or grave illness of the student or close family member) may appeal termination of financial aid eligibility due to failure to make academic progress by submitting a SAP Appeal Form, written explanation, and adding supporting documentation to the SAP Appeals Committee through the Financial Aid Office.

### **Refunds**

If a student finds it necessary to withdraw from the program, withdraw from a course or courses without an approved leave of absence, or to take leaves of absence that exceed 180 days in a twelve month period, a federal refund will be calculated. This calculation is based on the amount of class work completed during the payment period when the student withdraws. The amount of refund of federal financial aid money is based on the amount of financial aid that is considered not earned by the student. The following is an example of the refund calculation:

1. The student begins class on June 28 and the payment period runs until January 17.
2. The student withdraws from the program on October 4.

3. The payment period has 152 calendar days in it (not including break periods) and the student completed 86 days which is 56.6 percent of the payment period.
4. The amount of the refund will be 43.4 percent of the federal financial aid received.  
The Financial Aid Office will determine the amount of the refund that is owed by Indiana Wesleyan University and the amount, if any, that is owed by the student. A letter will be sent to the student indicating the amount of the refund and what was done with it. Monies will be returned to the federal financial aid programs in the following order if the student received money in the program: unsubsidized Stafford loan, subsidized Stafford Loan, Perkins Loan, PLUS, Pell Grant, SEOG and other Title IV grants. The student will have 45 days to contact the Financial Aid Office to make arrangements to repay any federal grants that are owed by the student. Failure to make arrangements or to pay back the federal grants will mean the student is no longer eligible to receive federal financial aid at any institution until full repayment.

### **Student's Rights and Responsibilities**

A student has the right to know:

1. What financial assistance is available, including information on all Federal and State programs.
2. The deadlines for submitting application for each of the financial aid programs available.
3. The cost of attending the programs and the school's refund policy.
4. The criteria used by the institution to select financial aid recipients.
5. How the school determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, books, and living expenses are considered in your budget.
6. What resources (such as employer reimbursement, other financial aid, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need.
7. How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
8. An explanation of the various programs in your student aid package. If you believe you have been treated unfairly, you may request reconsideration of the award which was made to you.
9. What portion of the financial aid you received must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total amount that must be repaid, the payback procedures, the length of time you have to repay the loan, and when the repayment is to begin.

A student's responsibilities:

1. Review and consider all information about the school's program before you enroll.
2. Complete all application forms accurately and in a timely manner to the correct address.
3. Pay special attention to, and accurately complete, your application for financial aid. Errors can result in delays of receipt of your financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties under the U.S. Criminal Code.
4. Return all additional information, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Financial Aid Office or the agency to which you submitted your FAFSA.
5. Accept responsibility for all agreements you sign.
6. If you have a loan, notify the lender of changes in your name, address, or school status.
7. Know and comply with the deadline for application or reapplication for aid.
8. Know and comply with the school's leave of absence or withdrawal procedures.
9. Repay student loans in agreement with the loan promissory note.

### **Further Information**

The Financial Aid staff is here to assist in any way possible. If you have questions about any of the information pertaining to financial aid, please contact: Indiana Wesleyan University, Financial Aid Office, 1900 W. 50th Street, Marion, IN 46953-5279 Voice 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2516, 765-677-2516, Fax 765-677-2030.

### **General Information - Graduate Studies in Nursing**

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### **Books and Materials**

Indiana Wesleyan University is the sole provider of all books and materials for most adult and graduate programs.

For those programs that require IWU-provided materials, books and materials will be provided for each student and will be delivered on or prior to the first class session. "Sharing of materials" is not an option and all books/materials must be purchased directly from IWU by each student. Students receive payment schedules during the registration process which indicate the total amount charged for books and materials. The university does have an arrangement with a vendor who conducts "book buybacks" several times a year for all IWU students. Students desiring more information may contact the traditional campus bookstore at 866-468-6498 ext. 2210.

Please note: Textbook changes are inevitable. Should it become necessary for a student to withdraw from a course, all books and materials should be returned immediately, if eligible, to avoid additional charges if/when the course is taken at a later date. If materials are not returned, and course materials change in the time between withdrawal and reentry, the student will be charged for new materials. Materials are eligible for return credit within 60 days from the date of withdrawal provided the student has not attended any of the class sessions, or posted any assignments for online classes, and the materials have not been used or damaged (writing, highlighting, physical damage, CD's & access codes intact in original sealed packaging, etc.) in any way.

### **Chaplaincy Program**

*Spiritcare*, the Chaplaincy Program, is a ministry that seeks to care for the spiritual needs of adult students by introducing them to the person, teachings, and community of Jesus Christ. This is done primarily through classroom visits, outside contacts, multi-media presentations, and structured devotionals. The goal is to provide supportive opportunities for the growth of the complete person. Onsite and online students have direct contact with a caring pastor. *Spiritcare* desires to change the world by changing the heart. Chaplains can provide the following:

- Confidential and caring support for student and family members as requested.
- Spiritual guidance and prayer support.
- Intervention and support during life crises.
- Referrals to counseling and support groups for special needs.
- An opportunity to be referred to a local pastor and a local congregation for students seeking to grow in their faith.

Students may obtain additional information about the *Spiritcare* Chaplaincy Program through the student portal at <http://myIWU.indwes.edu> or by contacting the Office of Student Services at 800-621-8667 ext 2359.

### **Expectations for Personal and Professional Conduct**

Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christian university of higher education that upholds high standards of personal and professional conduct. Such standards include a classroom environment that promotes a positive learning environment and a professional instructional climate.

Students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner with respect for the rights of both students and faculty. The university or its representatives reserve the right to act in situations where student behavior violates established policy or detracts from the ability of students or faculty to function effectively in the classroom. Such action may include disciplinary procedures issued by the faculty or suspension from the program. (NOTE: All discussion room and live chat postings for online courses are recorded and can be reviewed at the discretion of the university.)

Only regularly enrolled students may attend class unless granted permission by an administrator and arrangements are made with the instructor.

### **Inclement Weather Procedures**

The university is reluctant to postpone classes because the schedule is already very compressed and it is difficult to schedule make-up classes. The university consults with the instructors and obtains information from the National Weather Service, the State Police, the site managers (when appropriate), and occasionally consults with other universities that serve adult populations. The university cannot make the decision based on an individual student's geographical situation and the driving distance to and from class. Students

should be aware, however, that they are expected to use discretion and not to take unreasonable risks. If students choose not to attend class, they must notify their instructor and make appropriate arrangements for make-up work.

Decisions to postpone classes will be announced by the university. Regional locations will be judged by the Regional Deans. Classes will be rescheduled by the university in cooperation with the facilitator and class representative. Students unable to attend the rescheduled class must make appropriate arrangements to make up the work.

Postponement decisions for evening classes will be made by approximately 3:00 p.m. on the day of class. Decisions about Saturday classes will be made the evening before, when possible, but may be made during the early morning hours.

Postponement decisions will be announced through a variety of methods. In most cases the core group has a designated class representative who will be notified by the university. The representative should then activate the telephone calling tree to disseminate the information to the class. In cases where there is no class representative or calling tree, someone from IWU and/or the instructor will call the students. No notification will be made unless classes are postponed. Students should contact their class representatives, rather than call IWU administrative offices or class sites. In addition to the telephone calling tree, information about postponement will be announced on the university's Web site at <http://www.indwes.edu/classinfo> or by calling the university at 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2022. Announcements will also be posted on the student portal.

### **Library Services**

Off Campus Library Services provides both mediated and direct access to resources and services designed specifically for the adult student. The Jackson Library in Marion has well over 170,000+ titles (including e-books), more than 13,200+ audiovisual titles, 750+ print journal subscriptions and provides access to thousands of online journals via a searchable database. Branch libraries are available at the Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Merrillville, Louisville, Cincinnati and Cleveland campuses of the university and include some reference books and full access to the library catalog and subscription-based periodical indexes. These campuses also have some availability of reference librarians. Remote access to the catalog and computerized general and subject specific indexes are available via the library's Web page <http://www.indwes.edu/ocls> for any students with Internet access and a student ID with a 14-digit library number.

The distance student can contact OCLS via e-mail, Web page form, 800 telephone or fax. Online access to the Library Resource Guide is available from the OCLS Web page; OCLS Tools. All provided services are further described in this document.

The library is part of a consortium, Academic Libraries of Indiana, which includes access to most library collections of Indiana higher education institutions. If attending classes in Kentucky or Ohio, the regional OCLS librarian will tell you about opportunities in your area.

### **Non-Academic Appeal - School of Nursing**

A non-academic appeal involves only those situations in which a student is seeking recourse from (a) a university non-academic program, policy, or decision; or (b) alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the American with Disabilities Act of 1990, or other state or federal legislation.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

All non-academic appeals will be reported to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

A student who wishes to file such an appeal must abide by the procedures that follow:

1. Level 1 - The student must first contact the person or the department concerned to resolve the dispute informally. Such contact must occur within 30 days of the incident that generates the dispute.
2. Level 2 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved at level one, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level one decision to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council for a review by the Student Life Council, which is comprised of the personnel and students from the School of Nursing. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claims. The Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council will communicate the committee's findings and decision to the student.

3. Level 3 - If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at level two, the student may submit a written request within 30 days of the level two decision to the Chair of the School of Nursing Student Life Council for a review by the Dean, School of Nursing. Appeals at this level will be considered only to ensure that University procedures were followed in levels one and two. The request from the student should include thorough documentation supporting the student's claim and reference why the decision at level two is deemed unsatisfactory. The Dean will consider the situation and will inform the student of the decision, which will be final.

### **Services for Disabled Students**

The process for serving a disabled or impaired student enrolled in an adult and graduate program is as follows:

- Students who require special accommodation will be referred to the College's appointed coordinator of special needs requests. The student will be required to supply a physician's or other specialist's verification of his or her special need and a recommendation concerning the nature of special assistance required.
- Once this documentation is in hand, the Office of Student Services will consult with the university's designated disability officer (DDO) to ensure that the documentation is complete and in order. The disability officer will determine whether the university can reasonably accommodate the student's need. The Office of Student Services, in coordination with the DDO, will then recommend a plan of accommodation to the student.
- The Office of Student Services will ensure that all relevant faculty, site, and student services departments are notified of the plan of accommodation, and that the plan is successfully implemented.

Students who believe that they have experienced discrimination on the basis of a disability can seek resolution by following the steps as outlined in the Student Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic).

### **Student Address/Email Information**

Students should notify the Office of Student Services of any change of address, telephone number, or name so that proper records can be maintained. Name change requests require submission of appropriate documentation.

**IWU Student Email Accounts** - Upon acceptance, students are given an IWU student e-mail account. This is the only account used by IWU for communication with the student. It is extremely important that the student checks this account on a regular basis as important academic and financial information as well as university announcements will be shared in this way.

## Graduate Studies in Nursing

Nursing Administration

Nursing Education

Primary Care Nursing

Post-Master's Certificates

### Nursing Administration

The Nursing Administration major is designed to develop sound fiscal and personnel managers who are effective stewards of health care resources. It includes a practicum component as well as courses in organizational behavior, financing and role development. Graduates will be prepared to assume leadership roles within a variety of health care settings. They will also have the foundation necessary to work as a nurse educator within the university setting. Graduates of the program are eligible to apply for certification by the appropriate credentialing body.

Graduate Studies in Nursing - Program Requirements

Nursing Administration - Program of Study

### Nursing Administration - Program of Study

	Core Courses	
GNUR-505	Advanced Nursing Seminar	3
GNUR-513A	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - A	1
GNUR-525	Ethics of Health Policy	3
GNUR-528	Biostatistics and Epidemiology	4
GNUR-526	Applied Research	4
	<b>Major Courses</b>	
GNUR-570	Professional Role Development for the Nursing Administrator	3
GNUR-572	Management of Health Care Delivery Systems	4
GNUR-574	Organizational Behavior	4
GNUR-576	Organization and Finance of Health Care	4
GNUR-578	Advanced Nursing Management - includes practicum	5
GNUR-590	Nursing Investigation	5
GNUR-513B	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - B	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>41</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Nursing Education

The Nursing Education major is designed to provide a solid theoretical foundation in the art and principles of effective education. It includes a student teaching component as well as courses in curriculum design, adult education and program evaluation. Graduates will become part of the solution to the current nursing shortage as they take jobs in schools and divisions of nursing. However, they will also be prepared to take on educational leadership positions within hospitals, communities and other areas where their skills are needed. Graduates of the program are eligible to apply for certification by the appropriate credentialing body.

Graduate Studies in Nursing - Program Requirements

Nursing Education - Program of Study

**Nursing Education - Program of Study**

<b>Core Courses</b>		
GNUR-505	Advanced Nursing Seminar	3
GNUR-513A	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - A	1
GNUR-525	Ethics of Health Care Policy	3
GNUR-528	Biostatistics and Epidemiology	4
GNUR-526	Applied Research	4
<b>Major Courses</b>		
GNUR-562	Professional Role Development for the Nursing Educator	3
GNUR-564	Curriculum Design	4
GNUR-568	Teaching and Learning Strategies	5
GNUR-566	Program Evaluation and Assessment	3
GNUR-569	Advanced Nursing Instruction - includes practicum	5
GNUR-590	Nursing Investigation	5
GNUR-513B	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - B	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>41</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup

**Primary Care Nursing**

The Master of Science in Nursing degree with a major in Primary Care Nursing prepares registered nurses as Family Nurse Practitioners (FNP). The focus of Primary Care is the interrelationship of theory, research, and evidence-based practice. Opportunities for development of critical thinking and clinical problem-solving skills are provided throughout the program. Graduates of the program are eligible to apply for nurse practitioner certification by the appropriate credentialing body.

Graduate Studies in Nursing - Program Requirements

Re-enrollment Policy for the Primary Care Nursing Program

Primary Care Nursing - Program of Study

**Primary Care Nursing - Program of Study**

<b>Core Courses</b>		
GNUR-505	Advanced Nursing Seminar	3
GNUR-513A	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - A	1
GNUR-525	Ethics of Health Policy	3
GNUR-528	Biostatistics and Epidemiology	4
GNUR-526	Applied Research	4
<b>Major Courses</b>		
PYC-502	Professional Role Development for the Nurse Practitioner	3
PYC-514	Advanced Pathophysiology	4
PYC-512	Advanced Pharmacology for Primary Care	4
PYC-522	Essentials of Primary Care	2

PYC-552	Advanced Health Status Assessment	4
PYC-530	Primary Care of Adults – includes practicum	7
PYC-532	Primary Care of Children – includes practicum	5
PYC-535	Primary Care of the Family - includes practicum	4
GNUR-513B	Professional Development for Advanced Practice - B	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>49</b>

**Clinical Attendance Policy** - The Primary Care (PYC) clinical courses combine onsite and online workshops within a single course. Students enrolled in these courses are held to a more stringent attendance standard due to the nature of the knowledge presented and its relevance to safe advanced nursing practice. If a student misses more than one onsite workshop during a clinical course, it will result in a grade of "F" for the course.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **Re-enrollment Policy - Graduate Nursing, Primary Care Majors**

Re-enrollment policy for the Primary Care Nursing Program

Any student who withdraws from one or more courses in the graduate nursing Primary Care program must meet the following criteria to progress or re-enroll in the program:

- If more than 6 months have passed since the completion of PYC-512, the student must achieve an 87% on the IWU Pharmacology competency exam.
- If more than 6 months have passed since the completion of PYC-514, the student must achieve an 87% on the IWU Pathophysiology competency exam.
- If more than 6 months have passed since the completion of PYC-552, the student must achieve an 87% on the Advanced Physical Assessment competency exam.
- The Advanced Physical Assessment exam is only offered at the Marion and Louisville campuses. The student will be required to conduct a complete history and physical on a client of IWU's choosing, which must include written documentation.
- If the student does not pass the appropriate competency exam(s) at 87%, s/he will be required to audit the pertinent course(s) and satisfactorily pass the appropriate competency exam(s) before being allowed to re-enroll and continue on in the graduate nursing program. A fee will be charged to audit a class.
- The fee for each competency exam is \$100.

### **Graduate Studies in Nursing - Program Requirements**

**Progression Policy:**



- Successful completion of all Core Courses with a minimum grade of "C" is prerequisite to entering the major.
- A minimum grade of "B" must be obtained in all Major Courses.
- Nursing Education and Administration majors must successfully complete all courses prior to beginning GNUR-590.
- A grade of "I" in GNUR-590 will require the student to register for GNUR-595 for up to two times. Failure to remove the "I" in GNUR-590 after two registrations in GNUR-595 will result in the grade of "I" being changed to an "F."
- Any student found to have falsified clinical/practicum hours will be immediately dismissed and not allowed to re-enter any graduate nursing program at IWU.
- Primary Care students must have health clearance and documentation of TB, Rubella, and Hepatitis B and any other requirements from the practicum sites for practicums and any other client contact.
- Nursing Education and Nursing Administration students may be required to provide health clearance and proof of immunization.
- Students who maintain continuous enrollment, who make normal progress toward a degree, and who earn their degree within a maximum of four years from the date of enrollment may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the bulletin under which they enrolled.
- Please refer to the Graduate Nursing Student Handbook for a full description of progression policies.

**Practicum Continuation Courses:**

Students who have satisfactorily completed the didactic portion of a clinical course and have completed all required clinical hours but whose practice skills are not commensurate with faculty/preceptor expectations will be required to register for a Practicum Continuation course. The course will be 10 weeks, and the number of credit hours will be based on the number of clinical hours the student needs to improve skill proficiency based on faculty/Coordinator recommendation (1 credit = 70 clinical hours). Students who fall into this category will receive a grade of "I" for the original course. If the Practicum Continuation course is not completed satisfactorily within 10 weeks, a grade of "NC" will be awarded for the continuation course, and the grade of "I" for the original course will be changed to an "F."

**Post Master's Degree Certificate Options**

An individual with a Master's degree in Nursing from an accredited nursing program may apply to complete a post master's degree certificate in any of the graduate nursing majors. Master's degree prepared nurses who complete the course of study are eligible to seek certification from the appropriate credentialing body.

Students applying for a post master's certificate as a Family Nurse Practitioner must have 500 hours of advanced practice direct contact and/or care for patients with the year prior to admission. Students applying for a post master's certificate in Nursing Education or Nursing Administration must have 1000 hours of direct contact and/or care for patients within the three years prior to admission.

The following plans of study apply only if a student fits one of the following categories:

- Is not a Nurse Practitioner but has a master's degree in nursing
- Is an Adult Nurse Practitioner
- Is a Family Nurse Practitioner
- Is a Gerontological Nurse Practitioner

To be admitted to a post master's degree certificate program, the student must have a Master's degree in Nursing, and meet all graduate nursing admission requirements.

**Plan of Study for Family Nurse Practitioner Post Master's Certificate (Applicant is not an NP and has met the 500 hour requirement)**

PYC-502	Professional Role Development for the Nurse Practitioner	3
PYC-514	Advanced Pathophysiology	4
PYC-512	Advanced Pharmacology for Primary Care	4
PYC-522	Essentials of Primary Care	2
PYC-552	Advanced Health Status Assessment	4
PYC-530	Primary Care of Adults	7
PYC-532	Primary Care of Children	5
PYC-535	Primary Care of the Family	4

<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>33</b>
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**Plan of Study for Family Nurse Practitioner Post Master's Certificate  
(Applicant is an NP and has met the 500 hour requirement)**

PYC-502	Professional Role Development for the Nurse Practitioner	3
PYC-522	Essentials of Primary Care	2
PYC-532	Primary Care of Children	5
PYC-535	Primary Care of the Family	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>

**Plan of Study for Family Nurse Practitioner Post Master's Certificate  
(Applicant is an NP and has not met the 500 hour requirement)**

PYC-514	Advanced Pathophysiology	Exam**
PYC-512	Advanced Pharmacology for Primary Care	Exam**
PYC-552	Advanced Health Status Assessment	Exam**
PYC-502	Professional Role Development for the Nurse Practitioner	3
PYC-522	Essentials of Primary Care	2
PYC-532	Primary Care of Children	5
PYC-535	Primary Care of the Family	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>

\*\*student may choose to take an exam (exam score must be at least 87%) or take the course to fulfill this requirement

**Plan of Study for Nursing Administration Post Master's Certificate**

GNUR-570	Professional Role Development for the Nursing Administrator	3
GNUR-572	Management of Health Care Delivery Systems	4
GNUR-574	Organizational Behavior	4
GNUR-576	Organization and Finance of Health Care	4
GNUR-578	Advanced Nursing Management - includes practicum	5
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>

**Plan of Study for Nursing Education Post Master's Certificate**

GNUR-562	Professional Role Development for the Nursing Educator	3
GNUR-564	Curriculum Design	4

GNUR-568	Teaching and Learning Strategies	5
GNUR-566	Program Evaluation and Assessment	3
GNUR-569	Advanced Nursing Instruction	5
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup

## Graduate Counseling

The Master of Arts degree with majors in Counseling prepares counselors who are able to integrate their Christian faith and values with integrity in their practice of counseling. Graduates of the program will be prepared to provide professional service to public agencies, churches, educational settings, para-church organizations, and business and industry settings. To that end, the graduate counseling program offers the following objectives:

1. Students will demonstrate mastery of comprehensive counseling curriculum.
2. Students will demonstrate competence in reading, interpreting, evaluating, and applying scholarly research.
3. Students will demonstrate clinical proficiency.
4. Students will demonstrate multicultural awareness in clinical practice.
5. Students will demonstrate professional integrity.
6. Students will demonstrate an ability to integrate faith with the counseling profession.
7. Students will demonstrate proficiency in communication skills.
8. Students will demonstrate proficiency in their selected area of specialization.

Three majors - Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Marriage and Family Therapy, and School Counseling - of the counseling program at Indiana Wesleyan University are accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP) (5999 Stevenson Ave, Alexandria, VA 22304, 703-823-9800). CACREP is an independent agency recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation to accredit master's and doctoral degree programs in the counseling-related professions. The Community Counseling program requires the completion of 48 semester hours, the Clinical Mental Health Counseling program requires 60 semester hours, the Marriage and Family Therapy Program requires 60 semester hours, and the School Counseling Program requires 48 semester hours. All majors require a supervised practicum and internships. The 60-hour programs meet the requirements for Licensed Mental Health Counselor or Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist in Indiana. The School Counseling Program is approved by the Indiana Professional Standards Board.

The Division of Graduate Counseling also offers majors in Addictions Counseling and Student Development Counseling and Administration. The purpose and goal of the Addictions Counseling major is to educate students and returning professionals in the competency and practice of addictions sciences. This major seeks to be a world-class program of "science to service" with a relevant Christian perspective of hope and healing. The program has been granted Provider Status by the National Association of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors (NAADAC) and the NAADAC State affiliate, the Indiana Association for Addiction Professionals (IAAP). Upon completion of the degree, students will be eligible to take the NAADAC/IAAP exam for the national Master Addiction Counselor (MAC) and state Indiana Certified Addictions Counselor I or II (ICAC I, II) certification.

The M.A. in Counseling with a major in Student Development Counseling and Administration prepares students for careers in the Student Development professions in the settings of higher education. This program can be completed online.

Students with a master's degree with a major in counseling who do not meet the requirements for Indiana state licensure may complete the academic requirements through Indiana Wesleyan University's Graduate Counseling Program. Those interested in this option should call 765-677-2855 or 800-895-0036 for more information.

### Admission to Graduate Studies in Counseling

The admission requirements are:\*

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university, or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
2. An undergraduate grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
3. Six semester hours in psychology of which three semester hours must be in Abnormal Psychology.
4. Six semester hours in Bible. Students may take any of the undergraduate courses at Indiana Wesleyan University and be admitted on a conditional basis until all prerequisites are satisfactorily completed.
5. Graduate Record Exam (GRE) taken within five years of application to the program. Overall score of 1000 (V + Q) strongly preferred; Verbal (V) score of at least 400 is required.
6. A typewritten autobiography, philosophy of counseling, and supplemental application.
7. An official transcript from each undergraduate and graduate institution attended.

8. Three recommendations – at least one from a professor and one from a supervisor/professional.
9. Applicants whose application documents demonstrate potential for success in the Graduate Program in Counseling will participate in a personal interview.

\*The graduate admissions committee retains the right to waive an admission requirement for special circumstances. GRE scores must be no older than five years. Successful graduate coursework may be substituted for the GRE.

### **Prerequisites for Graduate Studies in Counseling**

The following prerequisites must be completed before completing 12 semester hours of counseling courses:

1. Six semester hours in Psychology which must include three hours in Abnormal Psychology.
2. Six semester hours in Bible, Religion, or Theology. Students may take any of the undergraduate required courses at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Program Requirements for Graduate Studies in Counseling**

Students are evaluated by faculty upon completion of their initial twelve hours of graduate study. This evaluation includes: current GPA, written and communication skills, and overall style of interactions with faculty, staff, and peers within the program. In addition, students are evaluated by a core faculty member at the mid-term of the practicum class. This evaluation includes: ability to perform a basic listening skills sequence and establishment of therapeutic relationships, appropriate responses to supervision, and basic conceptualization of clients in their caseloads.

To remain in good standing within the program, students are expected to maintain specific academic and professional standards. Students may choose to not register for one semester and remain in good standing. However, if a student does not register for two or more consecutive semesters, he or she will be considered inactive. In such cases, students must seek readmission in order to resume work in the program.

In order to remain in good academic standing within the program, students must maintain a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0. Students whose cumulative GPA falls below 3.0 will be placed on academic probation. Furthermore, students may be suspended from the program if their cumulative GPA is not 3.0 or above upon completion of the following semester.

Coursework, practica, and internships provide both students and faculty opportunities to determine “professional goodness-of-fit.” In addition to assessing academic performance, faculty utilizes these times to evaluate students’ suitability for the counseling profession. Students who do not possess characteristics deemed as essential for counselors will be asked to develop, in collaboration with faculty, remediative plans of correction. Such plans might include referrals for individual counseling to address specific identified issues. In cases where remediative plans are unsuccessful or inappropriate, the student will be asked to withdraw from the program. In such cases, career services will be made available to assist such persons in finding a more appropriate vocational direction.

Students admitted to the Graduate Studies in Counseling at Indiana Wesleyan University are expected to behave in a professional and ethical manner. Failure to conform to acceptable standards of behavior in classes, practica, or internships is considered cause for dismissal from the program. Once admitted to the program, non-academic cause for dismissal includes, but is not limited to:

1. Behavior that is prohibited under the ethical standards and practices of the American Counseling Association (ACA), American Mental Health Counselors Association (AMHCA), NAADAC/IAAP, American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT), American Association of Christian Counselors (AACC), and/or the Counselor Licensure laws in the State of Indiana.
2. Indecent or malicious behavior and disrespect directed toward instructors, supervisors, administrators, or fellow students; use of profanity or verbal/physical intimidation toward others; failure to follow reasonable instructions; or any form of sexual harassment.
3. Use of deceit or fraud, academic or otherwise, to gain admission to or in any activity within the program.
4. Conviction of a felony or of an offense involving possession, sale, or consumption of a controlled substance.
5. Conviction for a misdemeanor offense committed during or related to the practice of any counseling procedure or activity.
6. Conviction of an offense involving sexual transgression.
7. Behavior that violates one of the lifestyle expectations of the university.

### **Programs in Graduate Studies in Counseling**

All students who obtain a Master of Arts degree with a major in Counseling from Indiana Wesleyan University must complete either 48 or 60 hours of study. Students who major in Student Development Counseling and Administration are required to complete a minimum of 36 hours of study. For the majors in Addictions Counseling, Community Counseling – non-licensure track, and School Counseling, 48 semester hours of graduate studies are required. Sixty semester hours of graduate studies are required for completion

of the Community Counseling – Licensure track and Marriage and Family Therapy. Programs of study in the majors of Community Counseling (48 and 60 semester hours), Marriage and Family Therapy, and School Counseling consist of the following components: core courses, clinical experiences, and specialization courses. In contrast, the program of study in Addictions Counseling consists of a unique set of core courses as well as clinical experiences. Each of these programs of study is described in greater detail below.

### **Certificate Programs for Graduate Studies in Counseling**

The Graduate Studies in Counseling programs offer certificates to persons seeking specialized academic preparation in one of the major areas of study offered by the program, but who do not desire or require degree completion at Indiana Wesleyan University. This includes persons who have already attained a Master of Arts degree in a counseling-related program, but whose degree program and/or post-graduate clinical experiences do not meet specific state licensure or national certification requirements. In such cases, program faculty collaborates with the student to develop a specific program of study that seeks to fulfill the identified academic requirements. It is the responsibility of the student to provide evidence identifying the specific academic content or coursework required by the particular credentialing entity. This evidence is typically discovered through the student's consultation with the particular licensure/certification board.

In addition, an Addictions Counseling Certificate is available for students presently enrolled in non-IWU graduate counseling programs and whose programs do not offer sufficient coursework in addictions counseling. Such students can enroll in the Addictions Certificate Program and obtain specialized training in addictions counseling to enhance their academic training to better meet their professional goals.

#### **Objectives of Certificate programs:**

1. Students will demonstrate proficiency in their selected area of specialization (e.g., School Counseling, Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Addictions Counseling, Marriage and Family Therapy);
2. Student meets learning objectives specified in his/her plan of study.

#### **Admission Requirements include:**

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university, or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
2. An undergraduate GPA of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 semester hours was completed.
3. A completed application form for admission to the IWU Graduate Studies in Counseling Certificate Program.
4. If graduate work has been attempted, all transcripts must be submitted, and a minimum GPA of 3.0 earned.
5. A letter clearly stating reason(s) for seeking admission into the certificate program.
6. In those cases where the applicant is seeking to fulfill requirements for any licensure/certification, identification of a specific plan of study for any license/certification process is the responsibility of the applicant.

#### **Exit Requirements include:**

1. Successful completion of all coursework identified on certificate plan of study.
2. All course grades at or above level of "C+."
3. Overall cumulative GPA of 3.0.

**Addictions Counseling Certificate** - 15 hour certificate requires the following courses: CNS-511, CNS-512, CNS-533, CNS-535, CNS-545.

### **Student Development Counseling and Administration Program**

The Master of Arts degree with a major in Student Development Counseling and Administration is a 36 semester-hour degree designed for individuals who have a focused interest in Student Life and in one of the various venues at the college and university level (e.g. Dean or Vice President, Residence Life, Experiential Learning, Leadership Programs, Mentoring, Campus Recreation, etc.) The program, a combination of theory and practical experience, will approach student development from the perspective of a Christian worldview and fits with the Graduate Counseling majors with many overlapping courses. The program includes a core of counseling courses as well as courses in higher education administration and two supervised internships.

#### **Admission to Student Development Counseling and Administration**

The admission requirements are:\*

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university, or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
2. An undergraduate grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
3. Six semester hours in psychology of which three semester hours must be in Life-Span Development.
4. Six semester hours in Bible, religion, or theology. Students may take any of the undergraduate courses at Indiana Wesleyan University and be admitted on a conditional basis until all prerequisites are satisfactorily completed.
5. Graduate Record Exam (GRE) taken within five years of application to the program. Overall score of 1000 (V + Q) strongly preferred; Verbal (V) score of at least 400 is required.
6. A typewritten autobiography, philosophy of counseling, and supplemental application.
7. An official transcript from each undergraduate and graduate institution attended.
8. Three recommendations – at least one from a professor and one from a supervisor/professional.
9. Applicants whose application documents demonstrate potential for success in the Student Development Counseling and Administration will participate in a personal interview.

\*The graduate admissions committee retains the right to waive an admission requirement for special circumstances. GRE scores must be no older than five years. Successful graduate coursework may be substituted for the GRE.

### Prerequisites for Student Development Counseling and Administration

The following prerequisites must be completed before completing 12 semester hours of counseling courses:

1. Six semester hours in Psychology which must include three hours in Life-Span Development.
2. Six semester hours in Bible, Religion, or Theology. Students may take any of the undergraduate required courses at Indiana Wesleyan University.

### Addictions Counseling

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-511	Issues in Addiction and Recovery	3
CNS-535	Theories and Treatment of Addiction	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
CNS-512	Psychopharmacology	3
CNS-533	Psychopathology	3
CNS-545	Counseling Addicted Families	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552	Supervised Internship	6
	Elective	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>48</b>

\*For fulfillment of the academic requirements for LMHC licensure in the state of Indiana, the following additional courses must be successfully completed: CNS-501, CNS-505, CNS-522, CNS-523, and CNS-554.

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Clinical Mental Health Counseling – Non-licensure Track

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-501	Human Growth and Development	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-505	Theory and Techniques in Career Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552	Supervised Internships	6
<b>Specialization Courses</b>		
CNS-522	Foundations in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
CNS-523	Clinical Mental Health Assessment and Intervention	3
	Electives	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>48</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Clinical Mental Health Counseling

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-501	Human Growth and Development	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-505	Theory and Techniques in Career Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3



CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552, 554	Supervised Internships	9
<b>Specialization Courses</b>		
CNS-511	Issues in Addiction Recovery	3
CNS-512	Psychopharmacology	3
CNS-522	Foundations in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
CNS-523	Clinical Mental Health Assessment and Intervention	3
CNS-524	Ecological Counseling and Prevention	3
CNS-533	Psychopathology	3
	Electives	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Marriage and Family Therapy

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-501	Human Growth and Development	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-505	Theory and Techniques in Career Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552, 554	Supervised Internships	9
<b>Specialization Courses</b>		
CNS-520	Sexuality, Intimacy, and Gender	3
CNS-533	Psychopathology	3
CNS-541	Foundations of Marriage and Family Therapy	3

CNS-542	Major Models of MFT I: Theory, Assessment and Application	3
CNS-543	Major Models of MFT II: Theory, Assessment, and Application	3
CNS-546	Major Models of MFT III: Theory, Assessment, and Application	3
	Electives	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### School Counseling

<b>Core Courses</b>		
CNS-501	Human Growth and Development	3
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
CNS-505	Theory and Techniques in Career Counseling	3
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals and Families	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
CNS-508	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	3
CNS-509	Integration of the Theory and Practice of Christian Counseling	3
<b>Clinical Experiences</b>		
CNS-550	Counseling Practicum	3
CNS-551, 552	Supervised Internships	6
<b>Specialization Courses</b>		
CNS-519	Theories and Techniques of School Counseling I	3
CNS-529	Theories and Techniques of School Counseling II	3
	Electives	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>48</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Student Development Counseling and Administration

SDC-509	Administration and Finance in Higher Education	3
SDC-510	The College Student	3
SDC-501	History of Higher Education	2
SDC-525	Special Topics in Student Life	3

	Administration	
SDC-508	Legal and Ethical Issues in Student Development	2
CNS-502	Multicultural Counseling	3
CNS-503	Theory and Techniques in the in Helping Relationship	3
CNS-504	Theory and Techniques in Group Counseling	3
SDC-505	Career Counseling for Student Development	2
CNS-506	Appraisal of Individuals	3
SDC-551	Supervised Internship - Student Development	3
SDC-552	Supervised Internship - Student Development	3
CNS-507	Research and Evaluation of Methods and Practice	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

## Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University

Over the years a number of task forces had convened to explore the possibility of a Wesleyan seminary as part of Indiana Wesleyan University. Each time the vision was to focus on the practice of ministry and to do so as innovatively as possible. Finally, under the direction of President Henry Smith and a newly formed seminary task force, IWU approved in 2008 the offering of a Master of Divinity degree. The degree then passed through an accreditation process with the Higher Learning Commission, allowing Indiana Wesleyan University to offer professional degrees for the first time in its history. Finally, the Board of Trustees approved the formation Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University (hereafter, Wesley Seminary) in the Spring of 2009, incorporating the already existing MA with a major in Ministry program under its umbrella. The first MDIV classes commenced in August, 2009.

Policies and General Information - Wesley Seminary

Programs Offered through Wesley Seminary

### Mission of Wesley Seminary

Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christ-centered academic and ministry community committed to changing the world by equipping pastors and church leaders to minister more effectively for the Kingdom of God in the church and the world, to embody the Good News of Jesus Christ, and to cultivate personal, spiritual transformation.

It is our commitment to participate in the *missio Dei* with accessible and economical delivery systems and courses that are spiritually formative and content-rich, emphasizing the practice of ministry in dialog with solid theory and the foundational disciplines of the Bible, Christian theology, and church history.

### Communication with Wesley Seminary

Address	Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University 4201 S Washington St Marion IN 46953-5279 <a href="http://seminary.indwes.edu/">http://seminary.indwes.edu/</a> <a href="http://myIWU.indwes.edu">http://myIWU.indwes.edu</a>
Dean of Wesley Seminary	765-677-2258
Registrar's Office	765-677-2131
Office of Student Services	765-677-2359
Financial Aid Office	765-677-2516
Accounting	765-677-2878
Resources	765-677-2854

## **Policies and General Information - Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University**

The right is reserved to change any of the rules and regulations of the university at any time, including those relating to admission, instruction, and graduation. The right to withdraw curricula and specific courses, alter course content, change the calendar, and to impose or increase fees similarly is reserved. All such changes are effective at such times as the proper authorities determine and may apply not only to prospective students but also to those already enrolled in the university.

Wesley Seminary - Academic Information

Wesley Seminary - Financial Information

Wesley Seminary - General Information

### **Academic Information - Wesley Seminary**

**Academic Calendar** - Courses in adult and graduate programs are offered under the semester hour system but in a non-traditional academic calendar. Each program consists of specific courses that are taught in a modular format and taken sequentially. Onsite core groups meet on the same day for the duration of the program. Online core groups meet in an asynchronous environment through Blackboard. Certain programs require students to complete project team assignments.

**Catalog Governing Graduation** - Students must meet the graduation requirements as stated in the university catalog under which they enrolled. Students who maintain continuous enrollment, who make normal progress toward a degree, and who earn their degree within a maximum of six years from the date of enrollment may meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they enrolled. **Students who withdraw from Indiana Wesleyan University for more than six months will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment.** Students changing majors or programs must meet requirements as stated in the catalog that is current at the time they make such changes. The same holds true for students moving between schools and colleges.

**Core Requirements** - The integrity of the adult and graduate programs requires that the core courses be met at Indiana Wesleyan University. Due to the nature of the programs, students can only be enrolled in one program at a time. Students are required to complete the first course of the core program with a passing grade in order to maintain enrollment with their original cohort. Certain graduate programs allow transfer credits.

Final class dates as established by the calendar will be the final date for completion of the core curriculum. No compressing or doubling of core work is permitted to accommodate earlier completion or graduation schedules.

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Transfer of Credit Policy - The Seminary

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### **Academic Standing - Wesley Seminary**

**Academic Probation** - Students enrolled a seminary program will be placed on probation if their GPA falls below 3.0.

Students are given two consecutive courses to satisfactorily raise their GPA. If the GPA is successfully raised, the probationary status is removed. Academic suspension will result if the student's GPA is not successfully raised.

**Academic Suspension** - Academic suspension will result if:

- A student fails to clear the academic probationary status within the probationary period of two consecutive courses.
- A student has two grades of failure (F) at one time on an academic record in the same degree level.
- A student has taken a course twice and failed to achieve a satisfactory grade. When this occurs, the student is ineligible to reapply for admission into the program in which the course was repeated.

In all cases, the suspension will occur once the grades have been recorded in the Registrar's Office. Students will be notified of the academic suspension in writing. Application for readmission may be made after six months. The application must be made in writing to the Dean of Wesley Seminary.

**Academic Dismissal** - Upon a second academic suspension in the same program, a student is not eligible to reapply to Indiana Wesleyan University.

### **Admission and Registration - Wesley Seminary**

Indiana Wesleyan University welcomes applications for admission from any academically qualified person whose motivation is in keeping with the university's purposes. Admission is based on the careful review of all credentials presented by an applicant, but in no case is admission denied due to race, color, national origin, disability, religion, or sex. Students are admitted in one of the following categories:

1. Regular - Students who satisfactorily meet all requirements will be granted standard admission with no restrictions.
2. Probation - Students whose entering grade point average (GPA) falls below the minimum required by the program may be accepted on probation. Probationary status will be removed after the student has completed the first three courses of the core with a satisfactory GPA (3.00). In case of extended probation, the number of courses to be completed in order to change status will be determined by the Dean of the Seminary. Any student failing to remove the probationary status will be academically suspended from the program.
3. Provisional - Students whose files are incomplete may be accepted provisionally at the discretion of the Associate Vice President for Student Services if it appears from the available documentation that eligibility for the program has been met. The student is given until the end of the first course to submit the required materials. Failure to meet the required deadline will result in the student being dropped from the roster and not being allowed to continue.
4. Unclassified - Students not pursuing a university degree who want to take certain courses for special reasons may be accepted for a maximum of 12 hours. Students receiving an unclassified status must reapply for regular admission if they desire later to pursue a degree program. Unclassified students are not eligible for financial aid.

**International/Non-English Speaking Students** - A student who is living in the United States but is not a United States citizen must submit a copy of a visa or permanent resident status during the process of application. Students who do not speak English as their first and primary language must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) prior to admission to the university. A score of at least 550 (paper-based), 213 (computer-based), or 79 (Internet-based) is required for regular academic admission. Student visas (I-20's) are not issued for students wanting to enter the United States to enroll in programs offered for adult and graduate students.

**Registration** - Registration occurs at the beginning of the student's core program. At this point, students are registered for all courses within the major. Therefore, if a student needs to miss an individual course, official withdrawal must be made through the Office of Student Services. Staff will work with the student to make arrangements to retake this class with another core group at a time that will minimize the impact on the student's financial aid. Students need to be aware that temporary withdrawals could impact their eligibility to receive financial aid based on the standards outlined in IWU's Satisfactory Academic Progress.

Students in programs that require additional credits outside the major are responsible to meet with their advisor to facilitate registration in these courses.

A student who has failed to make arrangements for the payment of tuition for a course will have registration in that course cancelled.

### **Attendance Policy - Wesley Seminary**

Students are expected to attend all sessions of classes for which they are registered, except in cases of prearranged official assignments by the university and absences because of emergencies which may be considered excusable by the instructor. A student is responsible directly to his/her instructor for all classes missed and for all make-up work. Each instructor or program administrator determines the extent to which absences affect course grades and grades are assigned on the basis of work accomplished. Any absence from two or three consecutive lectures concerning which the teacher has no definite information should be reported to the Office of Student Services.

Students are expected to be present for onsite class sessions and participate in online activity.

Absences are allowed as follows: Under emergency circumstances, a student may be allowed up to one day of absence from a one week intensive, up to two days of absence for an eight week class, and up to four days of absence for a 16 week class. Absence beyond this point constitutes failure to complete the course. Students need to contact the faculty member regarding make up work.

If a student exceeds the allowed absences and does not contact the Office of Student Services to withdraw officially before the last class session, the instructor is directed to issue the grade of "F".

Students who must miss a course due to unavoidable circumstances must arrange for a temporary leave of absence with the Office of Student Services prior to the beginning of the course. Students needing to withdraw while in a course may do so by arrangement with the Office of Student Services prior to the end of the course, but the regular refund and academic withdrawal policies apply.

Faculty members reserve the right to factor lateness, early departures, and class attendance into a student's grade, as long as it is addressed in the syllabus.

Online attendance is determined by activity during a workshop, either through discussions or submission of assignments. A student is reported absent for a workshop if there is not at least one submission (or posting) of an assignment or in a discussion forum assigned during the designated dates for that workshop.

Students are expected to be present when class begins, and remain the entire session. To be counted present, a student must attend a total of three hours or more of a class that is four hours in length, four-and-a-half hours or more of classes that are six hours in length, and six hours for classes that are eight hours in length. Tardiness is recorded, and if a student accumulates two tardies during a course, it results in an absence on the student's attendance record.

### **Audit of Courses**

A student who has been accepted into an Indiana Wesleyan University degree program or as an unclassified student may choose to audit specified courses within a core program or electives as follows:

- Audit registration is allowed on a space available basis.
- The current audit fee per credit hour must accompany the registration.
- Auditing a course gives one the right to attend the course. No credit or letter grade is given. The course will be indicated as an "AU" on the student's IWU transcript.
- The student auditing the course is not expected to participate in classroom or study group assignments, or to complete homework, quizzes, or tests.
- The facilitator is under no obligation to grade any work an auditing student chooses to submit or to give feedback on progress.
- The materials required for the course are optional for auditing students. If one wishes to purchase materials, the fees must accompany the registration.
- The student must meet course pre-requisites or be approved by the appropriate administrator of the specific college/school.
- No change may be made from audit to credit, or credit to audit, after registration closes.

### **Former Student Re-Enrollment - Wesley Seminary**

Students who have previously withdrawn from a program and have not attended classes for six months or more must complete an application for readmission from the Office of Student Services. Receipt of the signed application will initiate a review of the student's academic file to determine remaining requirements. A student who was academically suspended from an adult and graduate program may make application for readmission after six months. All students returning after six months or more will meet the graduation requirements as stated in the catalog under which they resume enrollment.

### **Grade Appeal and Academic Policy Grievance - Wesley Seminary**

Indiana Wesleyan University follows generally accepted college and university practice in the development of academic policies, the operation of classrooms, and use of grading techniques. The university allows its instructors independence in following generally accepted practices. A student who wishes to appeal a course grade or an academic policy decision (including one believed to be discriminatory based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504), must abide by the procedures that follow.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances. All grievances, with all documents, recommendations, and decisions, will be reported to the Dean of Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University. Because the appeal process is a private university administrative process, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

### **Grade Appeal**

A grade appeal involves only those situations in which a student believes that an instructor (a) has not followed fair grading practice or (b) has not followed his/her published grading policy. A student who wishes to appeal a grade based on one or both of these reasons must follow these procedures:

1. The student must first contact the instructor for a full explanation of the grade given and the basis for making the grade.
2. If there is no resolution, then the student may file a grade appeal request form, which can be obtained from the administrative office of Wesley Seminary. If a properly completed grade appeal request form is not received by the university within 30 days of the date the student's grade was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal.
3. After the university receives the grade appeal request form, it will be forwarded to the instructor along with a faculty grade appeal response form.
4. If the instructor agrees that the grade should be changed, the university will change the grade and notify the student.
5. If the instructor does not agree that the grade should be changed, the university will notify the student and send a form that may be used by the student to request a review by the Wesley Seminary Academic Appeals Committee. If the university does not receive the form from the student within 15 days of the date the form was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal.
6. Upon receipt of the request for committee review from the student, the matter will be brought to the next regularly scheduled Wesley Seminary Academic Appeals Committee meeting. (NOTE: The committee reserves the right to seek clarification from the student or the instructor). If the matter involves a member of the committee, then that individual will recuse himself/herself from deciding the appeal. The committee will notify the student of its decision, which will be final.

### Academic Policy Grievance

An academic policy grievance involves those situations in which a student believes that the university has not followed published policies regarding an academic decision or discrimination based on race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504. A student who wishes to file an academic policy grievance must follow these procedures:

1. Level 1 - The student must first contact the person who has made the decision for a full explanation of the policy and how the policy was followed. If the policy has been followed, then the student has no further recourse.
2. Level 2 - If the policy was not followed or the student disputes the way in which the policy was applied, then the student may request that the matter be reviewed by the Dean of Wesley Seminary by filing a form requesting such a review. This form may be obtained from the Dean. If a properly completed form is not received by the university within 30 days of the date on which the event that gave rise to the complaint occurs, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal. The Dean will notify the student of the decision.
3. Level 3 - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved or if the Dean is the individual responsible for the policy decision, then the student may request that Wesley Seminary Academic Appeals Committee review the matter by filing a form requesting a committee review. This form may be obtained from the Dean of Wesley Seminary. If the university does not receive a properly completed form within 15 days of the date on which the decision notice in level 2 was sent, then the student will forfeit any further right to appeal. Wesley Seminary Academic Appeals Committee will notify the student of its decision, which will be final.

A student may seek recourse from any university nonacademic program or employment-related dispute, alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or other state or federal legislation. Further direction for this process can be found at Non-Academic Appeal Process.

### Grading and Evaluation

A letter grade is used in evaluating the work for a course. For the purpose of determining scholastic standing and awarding honors, grade points are granted according to the letter grades and semester hours of credit. The grade point average (GPA) is the number of quality points earned at IWU divided by the number of credit hours attempted at IWU.

Grade	Quality Points (per credit)	Definition
A	4.0	Superior
A-	3.7	



B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Above Average
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	
C	2.0	Average
C-	1.7	
D+	1.3	
D	1.0	Passing
F	.0	Failure (Also given for unofficial withdrawals)
<b>The following grades are not figured into the GPA:</b>		
W		Passing work at time of official withdrawal
I		Incomplete
CR		Credit
NC		No Credit
AU		Audit

**Repeated Courses** - A student may repeat once any course in which a grade below “C” (“C-,” “D+,” “D,” or “F”) was previously earned. Some specific graduate level courses are identified as repeatable and can be repeated if a student earns a grade higher than “C” but below the level required for that specific course. The course may be repeated once.

Whenever a course is repeated, the last grade and credits earned replace the previous grade in computing the student’s grade point average (GPA). All entries, however, remain a part of the student’s permanent academic record. Duplicate credit hours are not given for two or more passing efforts. A course taken in a classroom format may not be repeated for a grade through independent learning.

Since a course may be repeated once, failure to achieve a satisfactory grade in a course after two attempts will result in academic suspension and ineligibility to complete the major in which the course was repeated.

**Incomplete Grades** - Students are expected to complete the course requirements by the last class session. There may be instances when crisis circumstances or events prevent the student from completing the course requirements in a timely manner. However, the issuance of an incomplete cannot be given if the student fails to meet the attendance requirements. In these rare situations, a grade of “I” (incomplete) may be issued but only after completing the following process:

- The student must request an “I” from the instructor.
- The instructor must obtain approval from the appropriate Regional Dean/Program Director/Program Chair/Division Chair.

Because “incompletes” are granted only for extenuating circumstances, the student’s grade will not be penalized.

A student who receives an “incomplete” has 10 weeks from the final meeting date of the course to complete course requirements and turn them in to the instructor. If, at the end of the 10-week extension, the student has failed to complete the course requirements, the “incomplete” will become an “F.” A student with more than one incomplete on record is subject to academic suspension.

**Grade Reports** - At the end of each course, the instructor submits grades for each student. Grade reports are mailed from the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and indicate courses taken, credits received, and grades assigned.

**Transcripts** - The student’s official transcript is prepared by the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office and will show the course, grade, credit, and dates of instruction for each course. Requests for transcripts of coursework at Indiana Wesleyan University must conform with the Privacy Act of 1974, which requires that all transcript requests be submitted in writing and signed by the student, for protection of the student's confidentiality. A transcript is official only when it bears the university seal.

It is university policy not to release a transcript if the student owes anything to the university or if he or she is delinquent on any loan received through Indiana Wesleyan University. A \$3 fee is charged for each transcript and must be enclosed, along with a complete address to which the transcript is to be mailed. Please provide a current address if request is to be sent to student's home. Students requesting a transcript should write to the Indiana Wesleyan University Registrar's Office, 4201 South Washington Street, Marion, IN 46953. For more information, call 1-765-677-2966 or <http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/Registrar/Transcripts>

### **Graduation - Graduate Degree Programs**

**Graduation Ceremonies** - IWU graduation ceremonies are held three times a year. Degrees are conferred and posted to the student's transcript on these three dates only.

Eligible students are notified by the Office of Student Services of procedures and requirements concerning graduation.

Each student must complete an "Application for Graduation" provided by the Office of Student Services. This application indicates the student's intent to graduate and initiates the final evaluation of the student's academic record.

Students are also asked to inform the university as to whether they will be attending the ceremony. This allows the university to determine the number of tickets available for students who are attending. If a student cannot attend graduation due to unforeseen circumstances, the degree is still conferred; however, attendance at a future graduation is not an option.

**Graduation Requirements** - All requirements must be met and transcribed by the date established by the Office of Student Services (eight days prior to the commencement ceremony). Students taking internal or external coursework need to make sure that transcripts, grades, and scores can be received and transcribed by the deadline date.

Students may receive one degree only per commencement. Students meeting requirements for more than one degree must apply for and participate in two different ceremonies.

Students who have received a degree from IWU and have returned to meet requirements for an additional major at the same degree level will have the second major posted to their existing degree. The second major can only be posted at one of the three conferral dates, and students receiving the second major are not eligible to participate in another graduation ceremony.

**Diplomas** - Diplomas are mailed after the conferment of degrees. Diplomas indicate degree earned, date of degree, major, specialization, and honors. A student's financial account must be settled to receive a diploma.

### **Leave of Absence Policy**

Indiana Wesleyan University understands there are life events that may require a student to modify class enrollment and schedules. The leave of absence policy is designed to allow students flexibility in their program enrollment to adjust to these life events. The leave of absence policy also extends to students the ability to make up any courses missed during the approved leave.

A student on an approved leave of absence will be considered enrolled at IWU and eligible for an in-school deferment for student aid loans. Federal financial aid and in-school deferment may be negatively impacted if a student fails to apply for the leave of absence or if the application is denied. **This impacts students who receive Title IV federal financial aid (Federal Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Grants, Federal Stafford Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans, Federal Parent Loans) or who want to have a federal student loan deferred from payment while in school.**

Students who will be out of attendance for a period of 29 days or more should request a leave of absence. Students out of class for less than 29 days are not eligible for a leave of absence, and a recalculation on current financial aid will be done. Students who are not on federal financial aid programs or who do not have a federal loan in deferment are not required to request a leave of absence. However, the approved leave of absence will result in the \$100 registration change fee being waived.

Students needing to make a change in their schedule need to contact the Office of Student Services to process the registration change. At that time, the leave of absence request form will be mailed to the student. The Leave of Absence Application can be downloaded, or can be requested by calling the Office of Student Services at 765-677-1207. Students must request the leave within 21 days of initiating the registration change. The request for a leave of absence should be made prior to the date the leave is to start. The start date of the leave is the first date of the class or, if the class has already started, the date the registration change is initiated.

An approved leave of absence must meet the following criteria: the request must be received within 21 days of the registration change; the request must be made prior to the start of the leave (first day of class); the reason for the request must be one approved by IWU's Leave of Absence Committee (military, medical, jury duty, loss of job, family emergency, employment emergency, transfer of coursework, passing pre-requisite requirement, transfer of core groups, changing programs, administrative cancellation of core classes, or other reasons as approved by the Leave of Absence Committee); appropriate documentation must be submitted if the request is submitted after the leave has started; the student must have an expected date of return; and, the leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period.

Documentation is required if the request for the leave of absence is made after the beginning date of the leave of absence and needs to address the nature of the reason for the request. Documentation for each circumstance will vary; the student is required to provide whatever paperwork from a third party will attest to the circumstance outlined on the application form. Examples would include physicians' statements, letters from employers, letters from pastors or counselors, court documents, etc. Documentation is also required if a request is submitted after the 21 day deadline, and needs to address the reason for the delay in the submission of the request.

The leave of absence together with any additional leaves of absence must not exceed a total of 180 days in any 12-month period. Time in excess of 180 days will not be approved. A student may request an extension to a leave providing the request is made before the end of the leave, there are unforeseen circumstances which prevent the return from the leave, and the total number of days of approved leave do not exceed 180 in a 12-month period. A maximum of two leaves of absence are allowed during a 12-month period.

Failure to return from an approved leave of absence nullifies the approved leave and may have an impact on student loan repayment terms as well as the grace period. The first day of the leave will be reported as the beginning of the grace period for loan deferment. Students may return early from an approved leave of absence prior to the leave end date. The leave will be shortened according to the student's return date.

Students will not receive disbursements of Title IV student loan financial aid funds during the leave. Students are not deferred from making regularly scheduled payments to the Accounting Office for normal fees incurred. Any change in registration can impact current financial aid regardless of approval or denial of the leave of absence request. Questions about impact on current financial aid should be directed to the Financial Aid Office at 800-621-8667 ext. 2516. Students on an approved leave of absence will be reported as such and will be eligible for in-school deferment of previous loans. Students whose request for a leave of absence is denied will be reported as withdrawn and the grace period for loan repayment will go into effect.

### **Transfer of Credit Policy - Wesley Seminary**

The university may allow a maximum of nine credits in transfer to the Master of Arts programs and a maximum of 27 hours into the Master of Divinity program. Transfer of credit will be determined by the Dean of Wesley Seminary.

Credit is granted for work with a satisfactory grade ("C" or above) taken at an approved college or university accredited at the same level, provided the courses are applicable to the curriculum the student wishes to pursue at Indiana Wesleyan University. An "approved college or university" generally refers to those institutions that are accredited by a regional accrediting body or the Association for Biblical Higher Education.

The University Registrar is responsible for approving the transferability of all credits. Credit hours accepted in transfer are recorded, but quality points and grades are omitted. All credits are accepted as semester credits. Quarter credits are converted to semester credits using the two-thirds conversion ratio.

**Transcripts from foreign institutions** - are sent to an outside agency for evaluation and determination of transferable credits, degrees, and GPA. Students are responsible for the initiation of this evaluation and for any fees incurred during the process. Applications for this service are available to the student through the university.

### **Withdrawal/Change in Status**

A student who finds it necessary to withdraw from the program or to take a temporary leave of absence is required to contact the Registration Change Counselor in the Office of Student Services to complete this process ([registration.change@indwes.edu](mailto:registration.change@indwes.edu)). Students must request the withdrawal from the Registration Change Counselor before the last class workshop. Failure to initiate an official withdrawal will result in a "No Credit" or an "F" grade for the student in those related courses. Students withdrawing from a class or transferring to another core group will be charged a \$100 withdrawal fee.

A student who is temporarily withdrawing may request an individual leave of absence up to 180 days in a 12 month period. A student cannot request more than two leaves during a 12 month period, and the total number of days on leave may not exceed 180 days within a 12 month period. All leaves must be requested through the Office of Student Services.

If a student officially withdraws after a course has started, a grade of "W" will be assigned. An "F" will be assigned to a student who stops attending but does not officially withdraw. Students who never attend a class and do not withdraw will be administratively withdrawn from the course and from all subsequent courses. Students must then go through the normal readmittance process to return to class.

Students withdrawing from the first course of a core program must withdraw from the entire program and re-enter with another core group.

If, at a later time the student wishes to re-enter the program, a re-entry form must be submitted to the Office of Student Services. Students sitting out of a core program for more than 90 days are subject to a tuition increase upon returning. Students re-entering a core program after six months or more are subject to any changes in curriculum upon returning.

Any change in registration may have an impact on the student's financial aid. Students should always check with the financial aid office before initiating a registration change.

### **Financial Information - Wesley Seminary**

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### **Fee Structure - Degree Programs**

Students are advised of financial obligations for their degree seeking (core) program during the registration process. A schedule of payments and analysis of fee structures, along with due dates, is outlined. Students are expected to meet these obligations according to the schedule. Any questions regarding payments or problems associated with making those payments should be directed to the Accounting Office.

Students who have applied for financial aid are responsible for all tuition and fees in the event it is determined they are ineligible for financial aid, decline the financial aid, or withdraw from the program prior to completing the academic award period. Students receiving military or corporate assistance who have received prior approval from the university for direct billing are required to pay their share of tuition and fees and submit appropriate assistance documents by the assigned due date. The deferral program in no way relieves the student of the financial obligation to the university and the student retains full responsibility for ensuring that all tuition and fees are paid in full and in a timely manner.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to suspend students from class attendance for failure to meet financial obligations.

Indiana Wesleyan University reserves the right to change the tuition and fee schedule at any time. Students who remain registered in their initial core group making satisfactory academic progress shall have their tuition and fees guaranteed. A \$50 late fee is charged each time a payment is received after the due date. There will be a fee charged for any check returned due to non-sufficient funds. If collection of tuition, book charges, and/or fees becomes necessary, all costs of collection, court costs, and attorney fees are the responsibility of the student. A \$100 withdrawal fee will be charged for each temporary withdrawal or transfer.

### **Refund Policy - Degree Programs**

1. Any student withdrawing after attending only the first class session of the program or orientation will be assessed a \$100 fee. All other tuition and fees will be refunded.
2. After a student has attended two class sessions of the program, tuition, application fees, and educational resource fees are not refundable.
3. Tuition is refunded according to the following policy for all subsequent courses:
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the first class session of a course - full tuition refund.
  - Notification of withdrawal prior to the second class session of a course - 90 percent tuition refund.
  - Withdrawal after second class session or after the seventh day of an online class - no refund.
4. In compliance with federal regulations for the student who has received financial aid, the refund will be returned to the appropriate aid sources.
5. Book fees are not refundable once the student has attended one class session or if the books have been marred in any way prior to that time.
6. Students who are unable to complete a course or who receive an unsatisfactory grade for their specific program will be allowed to repeat that course with another group of students if arrangements are made with the Registration Change Counselor. Tuition and fees will be charged for repeating the course.
7. Decisions regarding refunds are made by the appropriate Accounting Office, and in isolated cases, by the Financial Appeals Committee.

## Financial Aid - Wesley Seminary

### Types of Financial Aid Available

The following types of student financial aid are available to persons enrolled as degree-seeking students who meet the eligibility criteria for the aid type. Complete fund profiles may be found online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Types-of-Aid).

**Ministerial Student Aid Program** – is a loan program administered by The Wesleyan Church through the Department of Education & The Ministry and is available to undergraduate and graduate students in an approved ministry program. The loan only becomes a grant as the recipient serves The Wesleyan Church under a qualifying appointment. Applicants should understand that in requesting aid from this program they are applying for a loan, which must be either repaid or cancelled through service. General eligibility requirements include, but are not limited to: local church membership, district approval, and enrollment form submission. For each year of full-time district appointment in The Wesleyan Church (September 1 through August 31) following studies, 20 percent of the loan is cancelled once the service is rendered and reported. Cancellation cannot be given in the same church year that one receives loan-grant funds. Loan amounts for the 2010-2011 award year are \$72.00 per semester hour for Masters in Ministry programs and \$90.00 per semester hour for Masters of Divinity classes.

**William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan** – is available to students who file the FAFSA and all other required financial aid forms and who meet all federal criteria for eligibility. The maximum annual loan amount is \$20,500 for graduate students. Lifetime maximum borrowing limit for graduate programs is \$138,500 (including undergraduate borrowing). For students who demonstrate financial need, the federal government subsidizes loan interest for a portion of the total annual loan amount while the student is enrolled in school. Interest rates are set on July 1 each year and are fixed rates. For July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, the interest rate is 6.8 percent for all Federal Direct Loans for graduate students.

A student's total financial assistance, including loans, may not exceed the calculated cost of attendance for the program. Students with unsubsidized loans may elect to make monthly interest payments to the lender or allow the accumulated interest to accrue until repayment, which begins six months after the student ceases to be enrolled as at least a half-time student. Upon graduation or termination of studies, the student is given a six-month grace period during which no interest or principal payments are due on subsidized loans and during which only interest accrues on the unsubsidized loans. The standard minimum monthly payment is \$50, but the amount varies based on the total amount of the outstanding loans upon which the student is paying and the type of repayment plan the student has chosen.

**Federal Perkins Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 5 percent interest rate. Funding is limited, and priority consideration is given to undergraduate or graduate students with a Pell-eligible EFC who meet other need-based criteria. The annual loan limit is \$8000 per award year for graduate students. The aggregate loan limit is \$40,000 for graduate or professional students, including loans borrowed as an undergraduate student. Repayment begins 9 months after enrollment terminates, and no interest accrues until that time.

**Graduate PLUS Federal Direct Loan** – is a federal loan with a fixed 7.9 percent interest rate available to graduate students who have remaining cost of attendance not met by subsidized/unsubsidized William D. Ford Federal Direct Loans. This is a credit-based federal loan.

**Active Duty Military Discount** – is a tuition discount to all active duty military personnel, including members of the Reserves and National Guard, and spouses of the aforementioned military personnel. Students must submit an Active Duty Military Discount application, available by calling the IWU Accounting Office at 800-621-8667x2878.

**Yellow Ribbon Award** – is an award that does not have to be repaid and is available to eligible students who receive Chapter 33 GI Bill benefits. The amount eligible students receive reflects 50 percent of the tuition expenses that exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition rate. The VA matches that contribution to fully cover the tuition costs.

### Loan Repayment Chart

Interest Rate	5%	6.5%	8%
Amount Borrowed		Monthly Payment Amount	
\$5,500	\$58	\$62	\$67
\$8,500	\$90	\$97	\$103
\$15,000	\$159	\$170	\$182
\$20,000	\$212	\$227	\$243
\$30,000	\$318	\$341	\$364
\$40,000	\$424	\$454	\$485

\$50,000	\$530	\$568	\$607
\$60,000	\$636	\$681	\$728
\$70,000	\$742	\$795	\$850

### General Eligibility Requirements

In order to receive federal and/or state student financial aid, a student must meet the following criteria:

1. Must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
2. Must be a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen.
3. Must have a valid Social Security number (with the exception of students from the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau).
4. Must be enrolled as a regular student (cannot be unclassified) in an eligible degree or certificate program.
5. Must make satisfactory academic progress (SAP) as outlined in IWU's SAP Policy.
6. Must maintain enrollment in classes.
7. No longer than 180 days may elapse between classes in any 12 month period; a leave of absence must be requested through the Office of Student Services. If there is a gap between classes of up to 180 days, a leave of absence will be reported to the lender, but no loan repayment will be required. If there is a gap between classes of more than 180 days, the university is required to report non-enrollment information to the lender, and the student will be required to begin repayment of any student loans (see your loan promissory note for further information). If additional circumstances arise which require the student to be further out of attendance, the student should contact the Financial Aid Office to discuss options.
8. Any changes in registration, such as withdrawals or cancelled courses, may result in cancellation or reduction of any or all financial aid. In such cases, the student is responsible for any remaining balance on the student account. A student who requests the credit balance from his or her student account and then makes registration changes may need to repay funds to the university and/or to the federal student financial aid programs.

### How to Apply for Financial Aid

Students who wish to be considered for federal and/or state student financial aid must complete the application process online at [www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid](http://www.indwes.edu/Financial-Aid/Adult-and-Graduate/Apply-For-Aid):

1. Complete the Free Application for Federal student financial aid, or FAFSA (direct link [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)). You must list the Indiana Wesleyan University Title IV Code 001822 in step six of the FAFSA or IWU will not receive your FAFSA information from the federal processor.
2. Complete the IWU Financial Aid Request Form. Under the Additional Aid Source(s) section, you must disclose any additional funding you may receive from employer reimbursement, vocational rehabilitation, or private scholarships to help pay for your education.
3. Complete the Loan Entrance Counseling Session and William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note online (direct link [www.studentloans.gov](http://www.studentloans.gov)). You must have an established Federal student financial aid PIN in order to complete these items. It may be necessary to wait three days from the time you first apply for you PIN before trying to sign in to this website. For each item you must enter "Indiana" in the School State field even if you attend classes in another state or online.
  - Entrance Counseling Session: Click on Complete Entrance Counseling from the menu. Select the appropriate counseling type for your current degree pursuit (undergraduate or graduate).
  - Master Promissory Note: Click on Complete MPN from the menu and select Subsidized/ Unsubsidized from the next page.

Once the above steps have been completed, be certain to:

1. Respond to requests for additional information from the Financial Aid Office. You may be asked to complete a verification worksheet and to provide a copy of your federal tax return (and your spouse's or parents' tax return, as appropriate) as required by Department of Education regulations.
2. Provide documentation showing any amount of assistance provided by other agencies (i.e., tuition reimbursement from your employer, vocational rehabilitation benefits, scholarships from local business, etc.).
3. Fully complete all forms. Forms filled out incorrectly or submitted to the wrong place will delay your financial aid award.

### How Eligibility is Determined and Financial Aid is Processed

All forms and information submitted online must be received in the Financial Aid Office before eligibility can be determined. In general, award amounts are based on a student's Expected Family Contribution found on the Student Aid Report, a student's enrollment status, the cost of attendance, and other estimated financial assistance.

Students must be scheduled for a full academic year, according to the academic year definition for the program in which the student is enrolled, or to degree completion for financial aid to be awarded. Any changes in planned enrollment will affect the amount of aid for which the student may qualify.

The Financial Aid Office will email notification to the student email account that financial aid has been awarded and is available for review online via the student portal at <https://myiwu.indwes.edu>. This secure Web site will indicate the types and amounts of aid for which the student qualifies. The student must submit written documentation to the Financial Aid Office via email, fax, or US mail to decline all or a portion of the awarded aid. Otherwise, all awarded aid will disburse to the student account.

### **How and When Financial Aid is Disbursed**

**Federal Direct Loans** are originated after classes have begun. The funds are applied as a credit to the student's account, typically in two disbursements per academic year. For new students, the first disbursement will occur approximately 45 days from the start of the first course with the second disbursement occurring after the completion of at least half the credit hours and weeks of instruction for the academic year.

All other types of aid are awarded and disbursement dates set as the necessary paperwork is received.

*All financial aid forms and information submitted online must be received at least three weeks before a planned class start.*

*Applying for financial aid does not remove responsibility for payment. If the funding is not received, the student must pay all outstanding balances immediately.*

### **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**

Students are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress toward the completion of their course of study. This includes:

1. Enrolling in and attending class as well as completing assignments and projects.
2. Maintaining good academic standing. Students on academic probation will be allowed to continue on financial aid on SAP probation. Such students must improve their academic measurements to meet the required standards by the designated time frame or eligibility will be terminated.
3. Earning passing grades in a minimum of 67 percent of all credit hours attempted.
4. Completing the program within 150% of the credit hours normally required to complete the course of study (i.e. if the program requires 124 credit hours to complete, then the student may attempt no more than 186 credit hours) or by the designated time frame.

Academic progress is reviewed after every graduation (approximately every four months) and before financial aid funding is provided. Students who fail to make satisfactory academic progress will be placed onto SAP Probation or Ineligibility as appropriate per the policy requirements. Students with mitigating circumstances (which may include but is not limited to death in the family or grave illness of the student or close family member) may appeal termination of financial aid eligibility due to failure to make academic progress by submitting a SAP Appeal Form, written explanation, and adding supporting documentation to the SAP Appeals Committee through the Financial Aid Office.

### **Refunds**

If a student finds it necessary to withdraw from the program, withdraw from a course or courses without an approved leave of absence, or to take leaves of absence that exceed 180 days in a twelve month period, a federal refund will be calculated. This calculation is based on the amount of class work completed during the payment period when the student withdraws. The amount of refund of federal financial aid money is based on the amount of financial aid that is considered not earned by the student. The following is an example of the refund calculation:

1. The student begins class on June 28 and the payment period runs until January 17.
2. The student withdraws from the program on October 4.
3. The payment period has 152 calendar days in it (not including break periods) and the student completed 86 days which is 56.6 percent of the payment period.
4. The amount of the refund will be 43.4 percent of the federal financial aid received.

The Financial Aid Office will determine the amount of the refund that is owed by Indiana Wesleyan University and the amount, if any, that is owed by the student. A letter will be sent to the student indicating the amount of the refund and what was done with it. Monies will be returned to the federal financial aid programs in the following order if the student received money in the program: unsubsidized Stafford loan, subsidized Stafford Loan, Perkins Loan, PLUS, Pell Grant, SEOG and other Title IV grants. The student will have 45 days to contact the Financial Aid Office to make arrangements to repay any federal grants that are owed by the student.

Failure to make arrangements or to pay back the federal grants will mean the student is no longer eligible to receive federal financial aid at any institution until full repayment

### **Student's Rights and Responsibilities**

A student has the right to know:

1. What financial assistance is available, including information on all Federal and State programs.
2. The deadlines for submitting application for each of the financial aid programs available.
3. The cost of attending the programs and the school's refund policy.
4. The criteria used by the institution to select financial aid recipients.
5. How the school determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, books, and living expenses are considered in your budget.
6. What resources (such as employer reimbursement, other financial aid, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need.
7. How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
8. An explanation of the various programs in your student aid package. If you believe you have been treated unfairly, you may request reconsideration of the award which was made to you.
9. What portion of the financial aid you received must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total amount that must be repaid, the payback procedures, the length of time you have to repay the loan, and when the repayment is to begin.

A student's responsibilities:

1. Review and consider all information about the school's program before you enroll.
2. Complete all application forms accurately and in a timely manner to the correct address.
3. Pay special attention to, and accurately complete, your application for financial aid. Errors can result in delays of receipt of your financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties under the U.S. Criminal Code.
4. Return all additional information, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Financial Aid Office or the agency to which you submitted your FAFSA.
5. Accept responsibility for all agreements you sign.
6. If you have a loan, notify the lender of changes in your name, address, or school status.
7. Know and comply with the deadline for application or reapplication for aid.
8. Know and comply with the school's leave of absence or withdrawal procedures.
9. Repay student loans in agreement with the loan promissory note.

### **Further Information**

The Financial Aid staff is here to assist in any way possible. If you have questions about any information pertaining to financial aid, please contact: Adult and Graduate Financial Aid, Indiana Wesleyan University, 1900 W. 50th Street, Marion, IN 46953-5279. Voice 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2516, 765-677-2516, Fax 765-677-2030.

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### **Books and Materials - Wesley Seminary**

Indiana Wesleyan University is the sole provider of all books and materials for students who enroll in a program within Wesley Seminary with the exception of the Master of Divinity program. Books and materials will be provided for each student, and will be delivered on or prior to the first class session. "Sharing of materials" is not an option and all books/materials must be purchased directly from IWU by each student. Students receive payment schedules during the registration process which indicate the total amount charged for books and materials. The university does have an arrangement with a vendor who conducts "book buybacks" several times a year for all IWU students. Students desiring more information may contact the traditional campus bookstore at 866/468-6498 ext. 2210.

Please note: Textbook changes are inevitable. Should it become necessary for a student to withdraw from a course, all books and materials should be returned immediately, if eligible, to avoid additional charges if/when the course is taken at a later date. If materials are not returned, and course materials change in the time between withdrawal and reentry, the student will be charged for new materials. Materials are eligible for return credit within 60 days from the date of withdrawal provided the student has not attended any of the class sessions, or posted any assignments for online classes, and the materials have not been used or damaged (writing, highlighting, physical damage, CD's & access codes intact in original sealed packaging, etc.) in any way.

### **Expectations for Personal and Professional Conduct**

Indiana Wesleyan University is a Christian university of higher education that upholds high standards of personal and professional conduct. Such standards include a classroom environment that promotes a positive learning environment and a professional instructional climate.

Students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner with respect for the rights of both students and faculty. The university or its representatives reserve the right to act in situations where student behavior violates established policy or detracts from the ability of students or faculty to function effectively in the classroom. Such action may include disciplinary procedures issued by the faculty or suspension from the program. (NOTE: All discussion room and live chat postings for online courses are recorded and can be reviewed at the discretion of the university.)

Only regularly enrolled students may attend class unless granted permission by an administrator and arrangements are made with the instructor.

### **Inclement Weather Procedures**

The university is reluctant to postpone classes because the schedule is already very compressed and it is difficult to schedule make-up classes. The university consults with the instructors and obtains information from the National Weather Service, the State Police, the site managers (when appropriate), and occasionally consults with other universities that serve adult populations. The university cannot make the decision based on an individual student's geographical situation and the driving distance to and from class. Students should be aware, however, that they are expected to use discretion and not to take unreasonable risks. If students choose not to attend class, they must notify their instructor and make appropriate arrangements for make-up work.

Decisions to postpone classes will be announced by the university. Regional locations will be judged by the Regional Deans. Classes will be rescheduled by the university in cooperation with the facilitator and class representative. Students unable to attend the rescheduled class must make appropriate arrangements to make up the work.

Postponement decisions for evening classes will be made by approximately 3:00 p.m. on the day of class. Decisions about Saturday classes will be made the evening before, when possible, but may be made during the early morning hours.

Postponement decisions will be announced through a variety of methods. In most cases the core group has a designated class representative who will be notified by the university. The representative should then activate the telephone calling tree to disseminate the information to the class. In cases where there is no class representative or calling tree, someone from IWU and/or the instructor will call the students. No notification will be made unless classes are postponed. Students should contact their class representatives, rather than call IWU administrative offices or class sites. In addition to the telephone calling tree, information about postponement will be announced on the university's Web site at <http://www.indwes.edu/classinfo> or by calling the university at 1-800-621-8667 ext. 2022. Announcements will also be posted on the student portal.

### **Library Services**

Off Campus Library Services provides both mediated and direct access to resources and services designed specifically for the adult student. The Jackson Library in Marion has well over 170,000+ titles (including e-books), more than 13,200+ audiovisual titles, 750+ print journal subscriptions and provides access to thousands of online journals via a searchable database. Branch libraries are available at the Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Merrillville, Louisville, Cincinnati and Cleveland campuses of the university and include some reference books and full access to the library catalog and subscription-based periodical indexes. These campuses also have some availability of reference librarians. Remote access to the catalog and computerized general and subject specific indexes are available

via the library's Web page <http://www.indwes.edu/ocls> for any students with Internet access and a student ID with a 14-digit library number.

The distance student can contact OCLS via e-mail, Web page form, 800 telephone or fax. Online access to the Library Resource Guide is available from the OCLS Web page; OCLS Tools. All provided services are further described in this document.

The library is part of a consortium, Academic Libraries of Indiana, which includes access to most library collections of Indiana higher education institutions. If attending classes in Kentucky or Ohio, the regional OCLS librarian will tell you about opportunities in your area.

### **Non-Academic Appeal - Wesley Seminary**

A non-academic appeal involves only those situations in which a student is seeking recourse from (a) a university non-academic program, policy, or decision; or (b) alleged discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, disability, or age, including alleged violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Educational Amendments Acts of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the American with Disabilities Act of 1990, or other state or federal legislation.

#### **Informal Procedure**

The student should seek informal resolution with the specific party or parties involved before initiating a written complaint.

If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved, the student may request a hearing with the Dean of the Seminary.

- If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved at this level, the student may submit a written grievance form to the Dean's office within 15 days of knowing the perceived grievance.

#### **Formal Procedure**

- The informal resolution may be ended at any time and the complainant may begin the formal procedure by submitting a written grievance within 30 days of the event or action. Grievances must include the demographic information regarding the complainant, the clear facts of the case, the disposition or resolution achieved thus far and the requested resolution by the complainant. Additional information or clarification may be requested before a hearing is scheduled. NOTE: Appeals that are based solely on the severity of a sanction that upon investigation are within the parameters of the available sanctions for an event or action are not considered grounds for appeal.

A hearing will be held with the Dean of the Seminary or, in the event he or she is not available, the Vice President for Wesley Seminary, ordinarily within 15 working days from the filing of the written grievance.

If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the Dean, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the seminary's Student Development Council, which will make recommendations back to the Vice President for Wesley Seminary within 15 working days, who will take their recommendation under advisement.

If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the Student Development Council and the Vice President for Wesley Seminary, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the Vice President for Student Development, who will make a recommendation to the Provost. This hearing will ordinarily be held within 15 working days following the request.

- If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved with the Vice President for Student Development and Provost, the student may then request, within 15 working days, a hearing with the president of the university. This final hearing with the president will ordinarily take place within 15 working days. This is the final appeal.

Each stated time frame will be the ordinary process. More time may be necessary in the event of a lengthy investigation, hearing, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances.

The complainant will be notified of results at each step of the grievance process. All grievances, with all papers, recommendations, and decisions related to federal or state regulations, will be reported to the Vice President for Academic Affairs in whose office all files will be kept.

Because grievance and appeal processes are private university administrative hearings, legal counsel or representation is inappropriate.

### **Services for Disabled Students**

The process for serving a disabled or impaired student enrolled in an adult and graduate program is as follows:

- Students who require special accommodation will be referred to the College's appointed coordinator of special needs requests. The student will be required to supply a physician's or other specialist's verification of his or her special need and a recommendation concerning the nature of special assistance required.
- Once this documentation is in hand, the Office of Student Services will consult with the university's designated disability officer (DDO) to ensure that the documentation is complete and in order. The disability officer will determine whether the university can reasonably accommodate the student's need. The Office of Student Services, in coordination with the DDO, will then recommend a plan of accommodation to the student.
- The Office of Student Services will ensure that all relevant faculty, site, and student services departments are notified of the plan of accommodation, and that the plan is successfully implemented.

Students who believe that they have experienced discrimination on the basis of a disability can seek resolution by following the steps as outlined in the Student Grievance and Appeal Policy (Non-academic).

### **Student Address/Email Information**

Students should notify the Office of Student Services of any change of address, telephone number, or name so that proper records can be maintained. Name change requests require submission of appropriate documentation.

**IWU Student Email Accounts** - Upon acceptance, students are given an IWU student e-mail account. This is the only account used by IWU for communication with the student. It is extremely important that the student checks this account on a regular basis as important academic and financial information as well as university announcements will be shared in this way.

## Wesley Seminary Programs

The following programs are offered through Wesley Seminary:

Master of Arts Degree with a Major in Ministry

Master of Divinity

## Admission Requirements

### Master of Arts Programs

Admission to the Ministry major begins with completing application forms and submitting them with official transcripts and two personal recommendations. The Office of Student Services shall determine admission status from the completed forms and student file and notify the applicant in writing of the admission status granted. Regular admission to the seminary constitutes admission to candidacy for the master's degree. The basic criteria for regular admission to the MA program within the seminary are as follows:

- A baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- An undergraduate grade-point average of at least 2.5 from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which at least a minimum of 30 hours was completed.
- Ability to pursue graduate work successfully. (The transcripts and certificate of recommendation from former professors and supervisors will be considered evidence of such ability.)
- Three recommendations including:
  1. An academic recommendation.
  2. A recommendation from someone who can comment on the applicant's pastoral skills.
  3. A general recommendation.
- Moral character consistent with the principles and policies of Christian conduct at Indiana Wesleyan University. (The student's certificates of recommendation are considered sufficient evidence in this matter.)
- Submission of a written statement identifying the student's philosophy of ministry and personal goals in undertaking the graduate program.

Unclassified Admission: Unclassified admission may be granted to students who do not wish or plan to become candidates for the master's degree at Indiana Wesleyan University, or who do not meet the above requirements. Such students must complete the unclassified application form and submit a copy of a transcript showing conferred undergraduate degree. A maximum of nine hours can be earned as an unclassified student. Students wishing to change from unclassified to regular status must follow normal admission procedure and meet all stated requirements.

A senior who is currently enrolled at Indiana Wesleyan University and who is within the last semester of completing course requirements for the baccalaureate degree may, with the approval of the Director of Graduate Studies in Ministry, register for a maximum of two graduate courses per semester. Such students who desire to take additional graduate courses after earning the baccalaureate degree must follow the regular admission procedure.

Graduate courses may not be counted both for graduate and undergraduate requirements.

### Master of Divinity

- A baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited college or university or an institution accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education.
- A minimum cumulative undergraduate grade-point average (GPA) of 2.5 from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which a minimum of 30 credit hours was completed.
- An official transcript from the baccalaureate degree granting institution at which a minimum of 30 credit hours was completed.
- Three references, including
  1. One from a pastor or denominational supervisor.
  2. An endorsement from their local church board or appropriate church body.
  3. Two additional references of the applicant's choosing.

- A three to four page autobiography and statement of ministry purpose. The statement of purpose should reflect one's sense of God's direction in relation to Christian ministry or service.
- Applicants must currently be involved in an appropriate ministry or be willing to be placed in such a ministry throughout the program (see application for details).
- Students may transfer up to 15 hours of prior graduate work from an accredited institution in an appropriate area of study. Credit for up to half the hours of a completed master's degree may also count toward the MDIV.

• In circumstances when the Department of Graduate Ministry has an articulation agreement with a particular undergraduate institution, the total number of MDIV hours required may be shortened up to 12 hours in lieu of established course relationships.

Unclassified admission may be granted to students who do not wish or plan to become candidates for the master's degree from Indiana Wesleyan University, or who do not meet the above requirements. Such students must complete the unclassified application form (contact a Program Representative) and submit a copy of a transcript showing the conferred undergraduate baccalaureate degree. A maximum of 15 credit hours can be earned as an unclassified student. Students wishing to change from unclassified to regular status must follow normal admission procedures and meet all stated admission requirements.

### **Graduation Requirements**

- Completion of core requirements.
- Minimum grade of "C" in each course.
- Cumulative grade point average of 3.0.
- All requirements for the degree must be completed within six years of enrollment for the MA degree and ten years for the M.Div. degree.
- Payment of all tuition and fees is required to receive a diploma.

**Master of Arts (Ministry)**

The Master of Arts is a 36 hour program that provides graduate-level training for working ministry practitioners. Costs are among the lowest charged by accredited programs and courses take place in convenient formats including online classes, one week intensives, and eight week classes that meet one night a week. A flexible curriculum allows students to choose courses based on their interest from a wide range of options. Top faculty members from IWU and across the country provide relevant and stimulating learning experiences. The program has a strong practical emphasis, making it ideal for persons currently engaged in ministry.

**Objectives** - Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University strives to promote the following key learning outcomes in the MA program. A student who has completed the MA degree with a major in Ministry should be able to:

- Exhibit reflective learning skills that equip them to continue to study and apply the disciplines required for effective ministry;
- Demonstrate a deepening of spiritual character and commitment to integrity in ministry;
- Demonstrate growth in the disciplines of Biblical study and social awareness as foundations for the ministry of preaching;
- Operate from a solid foundation of doctrinal understanding that underpins ministerial calling and service; and,
- Operate from a core set of pastoral leadership skills that equip ministers to serve as Christ-like leaders in the church.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for Wesley Seminary

MA - Program Requirements

MA - Program of Study

**Ministry (MA) - Program of Study**

The Master of Arts with a major in Ministry is offered through cohort groups which meet weekly online or onsite or through week-long intensive classes. Cohort programs are designed to take groups of students through a progression of 11 courses. An additional six hours of elective credits are needed to complete the 36-hour degree requirement.

The requirements are as follows:

**Concentration in Leadership (onsite and online)**

<b>Concentration Courses</b>		
LEAD-540	Non-Profit Management	3
PROC-520	Transformational Communication	3
SPIR-550	Spiritual Life and Leadership	3
LEAD-560	Power, Change, and Conflict Management	3
CONG-520	Building a Multi-Generational Ministry	3
<b>Core Courses</b>		
MISS-520	Cross-Cultural Ministry	3
BIBL-500	The Bible as Christian Scripture	3
THEO-500	Introduction to Christian Theology	3
CHST-500	Global Christian History	3
MIN-561	Research Methodology	1
MIN-591	Project	2
	Electives	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

**Concentration in Youth Ministry (online)**

<b>Concentration Courses</b>		
MIN-594	Incarnational Ministry in Youth Culture and Context	3
MIN-592	Personal Development and Growth	3

	Strategies for Youth Ministries	
MIN-589	Advanced Communication for Youth Ministry	3
MIN-593	Adolescent Development and Family Systems in Youth Ministry	3
MIN-590	Programming and Management Strategies in Youth Ministry	3
	<b>Core Courses</b>	
MISS-520	Cross-Cultural Ministry	3
BIBL-500	The Bible as Christian Scripture	3
THEO-500	Introduction to Christian Theology	3
CHST-500	Global Christian History	3
MIN-561	Research Methodology	1
MIN-591	Project	2
	Electives	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### Ministry (MA) - Program Requirements

**Progression Policy** - Students must have completed all core courses before enrolling in MIN-591. Registration in MIN-591 will be cancelled for any students who fail to satisfactorily complete all core courses.

**Transfer Credit** - A maximum of nine hours may be transferred from another accredited master's program, provided it falls within seven years prior to admission.

**Substitution of Courses** - Students who have taken equivalent courses in their undergraduate program to BIBL-510 The Bible as Christian Scripture, THEO-540 Introduction to Christian Theology, and CHST-580 Global Christian History will be allowed/encouraged to substitute and advanced Bible, theology, or church history elective.

**Continuing Enrollment** - Students who are unable to complete MIN-591 within the allotted eight weeks will automatically be enrolled in MIN-595 Thesis/Project Continuation for a ten week continuation. A student may be enrolled in a maximum of two continuations. Failure to complete the course at the end of the second continuation will result in the student receiving a "No Credit" for MIN-591, and the student will be required to repeat MIN-591. A continuation fee applies.

## Master of Divinity

The MDIV is a 75 hour program that provides high quality, accessible, and economical ministerial training for pastors involved in local church ministry. Courses take place in online, blended, and onsite formats. To enroll in the degree, a person must have earned a bachelor's degree and be officially engaged in ministry at least 20 hours a week and connected with a worshipping body of Christian believers with whom they can successfully complete course assignments relating to the local church. Students take required courses (60 hours) in a carefully sequenced cohort format, but also have 15 hours of elective work. Professors include not only a core seminary faculty, but also draw on the strength of undergraduate faculty from IWU's School of Ministry and Theology, as well as on a cadre of prominent affiliate and visiting faculty who teach various courses each year.

**Objectives** - The seminary strives to promote the following key learning outcomes in the MDIV program. A student who has completed the MDIV should be able to:

- Do the work of the ministry, including full participation in the missio Dei, effective leadership of a local congregation, proclamation of God's word, facilitation of worship, the care of souls, the formation, education, and transformation of a holy people, and facilitation of healthy interpersonal relationships;
- Detail and implement a process of positive change and transformation into a holy person in one's personal, spiritual, congregational, and community life; and
- Soundly integrate the Bible, Christian theology, and church history into the practice of ministry.

Admission and Graduation Requirements for Wesley Seminary

Advanced Standing with Credit

MDIV Program Requirements

MDIV Program of Study

### Advanced Standing with Credit - MDIV

Graduates of Indiana Wesleyan University's undergraduate programs who enroll in the Master of Divinity degree program may receive up to twelve hours of advanced standing with credit on the basis of competence achieved in certain undergraduate courses. Advanced standing with credit up to twelve semester hours may be granted toward the MDIV degree for the courses listed below under the following conditions:

1. A student has received at least a "B" in the specific courses as indicated, and
2. The student successfully demonstrates competency of the required graduate course outcomes through either an oral or written assessment performed by a designated academic representative of the seminary.
  - MDIV-510 The Bible as Christian Scripture - credit may be granted for this course if the student has successfully completed BIL-201 Methods in Bible Study or BIL-202 Inductive Bible Study AND one additional BIL course at the 300 or 400 level.
  - MDIV-540 Introduction to Christian Theology - credit may be granted for this course if the student has successfully completed THE-233 Christian Theology I AND THE-424 Christian Theology II.
  - MDIV-580 Global Christian History - credit may be granted for this course if the student has successfully completed REL-331 History of Christianity I AND REL-332 History of Christianity II.
  - MDIV-530 Cultural Contexts of Ministry - credit may be granted for this course if the student has successfully completed two of the following: INT-315 Cross Cultural Communication of Faith, INT-260 Urban Ministry, SOC-225 Cultural Anthropology, REL-431 Wesleyan Church History and Discipline, or INT-240 Urban Anthropology.

### MDIV - Program of Study

The required courses (60 hours) of the Master of Divinity degree are offered in cohort groups that meet weekly online or onsite, in addition to intensive and blended classes, which are often electives (15 hours). Cohort programs take students through a sequence of courses as a group. The core of the MDIV curriculum consists of six, six-hour praxis courses of 16 weeks each, offered in the Fall and Spring. Each praxis course is further accompanied by a one-hour spiritual formation course. In addition, students take three-hour foundational courses in Bible, theology, church history, and ministry context in an intensive, one week format, along with a three-hour orientation and then capstone intensive courses. An additional 15 hours of elective credits are then needed to complete the 75 hour degree requirement.

Students who have taken equivalent courses in their undergraduate program to BIBL-500 The Bible as Christian Scripture, THEO-500 Introduction to Christian Theology, and CHST-500 Global Christian History will be allowed/encouraged to substitute and advanced Bible, theology, or church history elective.



MDIV students who wish to take the online versions of BIBL-500, THEO-500, or CHST-500 must have permission from the Dean of Wesley Seminary.

The requirements are as follows:

<b>Foundational Courses</b>		
MDIV-500	Pastor, Church, and World	3
MISS-500	Cultural Contexts of Ministry	3
BIBL-500	The Bible as Christian Scripture	3
THEO-500	Introduction to Christian Theology	3
CHST-500	Global Christian History	3
MDIV-695	Integration Capstone	3
<b>Praxis Courses</b>		
MISS-600	The Missional Church	6
LEAD-600	Congregational Leadership	6
WSHP-600	Christian Worship	6
PROC-600	Christian Proclamation	6
CONG-600	Congregational Spiritual Formation	6
PCRE-600	Congregational Relationships	6
<b>Spiritual Formation</b>		
SPIR-500	Change and Transformation	1
SPIR-520	Self Awareness and Appraisal	1
SPIR-540	Goal Setting and Accountability	1
SPIR-560	Mentoring and Spiritual Direction	1
SPIR-570	Personal and Corporate Disciplines	1
SPIR-590	Recovery and Deliverance	1
<b>Electives</b>		15
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>75</b>

Course descriptions are available through the Course Description Lookup.

### **MDIV - Program Requirements**

**Residency Requirement** - The default expectation of the MDIV program is to take at least 18 credit hours of the degree in intensive onsite courses. The student can then take the remainder of the program (57 credit hours) either online or onsite. Intensive courses are offered around a weekend of yearly convocation, during which all students and faculty in the program come to campus.

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