

# Carmel Theological Seminary

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## 2023-24 ACADEMIC YEAR M.TH. CURRICULUM

### (PSYCHOLOGY AND COUNSELLING)

#### Master of Theology (Psychology and Counselling)

Credit Hours: 30

Duration: 2 Years

Career Opportunities With a M. Th. Degree

- Pastor
- Teacher
- Counsellor
- Psychologist
- Ph.D. Program

#### What Will You Learn in Our Master of Theology (M. Th.) - Psychology and Counselling

The Master of Theology (Christian Psychology and Counselling) is a **two year** research program with regular classes and final examinations for prescribed subjects. The objective of this degree is to prepare and equip candidates for pastoral counselling.

The studies concerning Psychology and Counselling is to provide the candidate with and advanced competencies and psychology and counselling insights through the preparation and case studies for those actively involved in professional and vocational of Biblical/Christian Counselling and Psychology. The institution's focuses on the practical knowledge and understanding rather the actual degree itself.

The Master of Christian Psychology and Counselling Program is designed for candidates who have either a Bachelor or a Master in any biblical studies. Those candidates who don't have a prior degree or lack of biblical foundation will be required to take some additional biblical foundational courses to substantiate the lacking. If the lacking is minimal, we'll do our best to incorporate some require courses to fill any deficiency.

The Master of Christian Psychology and Counselling Program explores how globalization, Biblical and Biblical Counselling and Psychology, and technology are changing the Christian world and practice, as well as building critical learning skills in counselling practice, teamwork, integrative analysis, and oral and written communication. Recognizing that today's intellectual and biblical students need flexibility, students have various options for accelerating 30 credit hours program.

Individuals graduated from the Master of Christian Psychology and Counselling program will be prepared to:

- Demonstrate an advanced understanding and integration of Biblical and Counselling Psychology with a biblical perspective, academic, moral, and ethical discipline.
- Articulate and apply a comprehensive and critical philosophy of Biblical and Counselling Psychology ministry.
- Demonstrate advanced competencies in the areas of critical thinking, Research and Writing, Counselling Ethics, Counselling Psychology Communication; Lesson planning/Educational Counselling, and Strategic planning.
- Plan, implement, and critically evaluate major undertakings in Counselling Psychology development toward the fulfilment of the Great Commission through Biblical and Clinical Counselling professionalism.

### Featured Courses

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS
CPSY604	Introduction to Psychology and Counselling	3
CPSY614	Empirical Research Methods	3
CCON624	Crisis and Trauma Counselling	3
CPSY634	Psychology and Christianity	3
CPSY644	Psychology and Religion	3
CCON654	Biblical Counselling	3
CCON674	Skills in Counselling	2
CPSY724	Psychopathology	2
CPSY700	Thesis	8

## **Graduation Requirements**

1. Complete 30 hours
2. A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level
3. 3.0 GPA
4. No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)
5. No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)
6. Degree must be completed within 5 years
7. Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date