

## Master of Divinity (MDiv) Degree Planner

*Buddhism and Interreligious Engagement—Ministry and Social Work with Silberman School at Hunter College*

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### BIBLE/SACRED TEXTS

10 credits

- ☐ BX 101 – 4 cr.  
☐ STX \_\_\_\_\_ Buddhism (e.g. STX 210, STX 329, STX 342, IE 261) – 3 cr.

**and either**

- ☐ HB/NT/STX \_\_\_\_\_ with IE focus (e.g. HB 222) **or**  
☐ STX \_\_\_\_\_ on another religious tradition (e.g. STX 242) **or**  
☐ Buddhism-focused STX \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 cr.

### PRACTICAL THEOLOGY

6-7 credits

- ☐ CA 102 – 3 cr. **or**  
☐ CW \_\_\_\_\_ – 3 cr.  
*(selected with advisor)*

**and**

- ☐ PS 110 – 1 cr.  
☐ CA/CW/PS/PT/RE/RS \_\_\_\_\_  
 (upper level)  
 2-3 cr.

### HISTORICAL STUDIES

6 credits

- ☐ Buddhist history (e.g. IE 112, IE 229) \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 cr.  
*(selected with advisor – sometimes taken at Columbia)*

**and either**

- ☐ HS 116 **or**  
☐ HS 117 **or**  
☐ HS \_\_\_\_\_ – 3 cr.  
 (upper level)

### INTERRELIGIOUS ENGAGEMENT

6 credits

- ☐ IE 102 – 3 cr.  
☐ IE \_\_\_\_\_ – 3 cr. (upper level)  
*other than Buddhism or Christianity*

### THEOLOGY AND ETHICS

6 credits

- ☐ TS 101 **or** TS 103 **or** TS 104 – 3 cr.  
☐ IE 234 – 3 cr.  
*should be taken as early as possible*

### DUAL DEGREE/CONCENTRATION

72 credits

- ☐ RS 331\*\* – 3 cr. \*\* recognized by Silberman toward MSW degree  
☐ One unit of CPE strongly recommended – 6 cr.

*All of the following 3-cr. Silberman courses:*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 701...* | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 702...*        | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 711...                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 712...  | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 713...         | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 717...*                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 718...* | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 751...         | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 752...                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 761...* | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 762...*        | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 763...*                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 764...* | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW elective _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 75803*<br>(final semester) |

Required:

- ☐ IE 221  
☐ IE 240

Recommended:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> IE 231 | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IE 241 | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IE 248 | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IE 261 | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IE 265 |                                |

*One of the following 9-cr. series of Silberman courses:*

- ☐ SSW 721..., SSW 722..., SSW 723...  
☐ SSW 741..., SSW 742..., SSW 743...  
☐ SSW 781..., SSW 782..., SSW 783...

\*27 credits recognized by Union in satisfaction of MDiv degree

### CREDITS BY SEMESTER/YEAR

106 credits: 52 cr. at Union, 54 cr. at Silberman

YEAR ONE	YEAR TWO	YEAR THREE	YEAR FOUR
Fall: <input type="checkbox"/> _____	Summer/Fall: <input type="checkbox"/> _____	Summer/Fall: <input type="checkbox"/> _____	Summer/Fall: <input type="checkbox"/> _____
January/Spring: <input type="checkbox"/> _____	January/Spring: <input type="checkbox"/> _____	January/Spring: <input type="checkbox"/> _____	January/Spring: <input type="checkbox"/> _____

**TOTAL:** \_\_\_\_\_

## COURSE PLANNING

*a sample four-year plan, actual offerings may vary by academic year*

### YEAR 1

FALL	
BX 101	4 credits
PS 101 & PS 110 (for CPE) or PT course	3 credits
TS 104 (or TS 101 or TS 103 in spring)	3 credits
IE 102	3 credits
SSW 701...	3 credits

SPRING	
Sacred Texts course #1	3 credits
HS 117	3 credits
TS 101 or TS 103 (or TS 104 in fall)	3 credits
CW 103 or CA 102	3 credits
SSW 702...	3 credits

### YEAR 2

FALL	
Sacred Texts course #1	3 credits
HS course	3 credits
PS 101 & PS 110 (for CPE) or PT course	3 credits
IE 234	3 credits
SSW 711...	3 credits

SPRING	
CW 104 or CA 102	3 credits
IE course	3 credits
Union electives (denomination requirements)	3 credits
RS 331 or Silberman elective	3 credits
SSW 712...	3 credits

### SUMMER

CPE – 6 credits as recommended elective (or following summer)

### YEAR 3

FALL	
SSW 717...	3 credits
SSW 721.../741.../781...	3 credits
SSW 761...	3 credits
Union elective	3 credits
Union elective	3 credits

SPRING	
SSW 718...	3 credits
SSW 722.../742.../782...	3 credits
SSW 762...	3 credits
Union elective	3 credits
RS 331 or Silberman elective	3 credits

### SUMMER

CPE – 6 credits as recommended elective (or previous summer)

### YEAR 4

FALL	
SSW 763...	3 credits
SSW 723.../743.../783...	3 credits
SSW 751...	3 credits
SSW 713...	3 credits
Union elective	3 credits

SPRING	
SSW 764...	3 credits
SSW 752...	3 credits
SSW 75803	3 credits
Union or Silberman elective	3 credits
Union elective	3 credits