

**Appendix N**  
**Master of Divinity (MDiv) Degree Planner**

*Ministerial Leadership – Ministry and Social Work with Silberman School at Hunter College*

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

Degree Audit Date: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>BIBLE/SACRED TEXTS</b> <i>10-11 credits</i>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Option A</i></p> <input type="checkbox"/> HB 101 – 4 cr. <input type="checkbox"/> NT 101 – 4 cr. <p style="text-align: center;"><b>and either</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> Exegesis (“E” course) BX/HB/NT _____ E – 3 cr. <p style="text-align: center;"><b>or</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> HB/NT/BX _____ (Upper level) – 3 cr.	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Option B</i></p> <input type="checkbox"/> BX 101 – 4 cr. <p style="text-align: center;"><b>and</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> HB _____ <b>or</b> <input type="checkbox"/> BX _____ (HB focus) – 3 cr. <p style="text-align: center;"><b>and</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> NT _____ <b>or</b> <input type="checkbox"/> BX _____ (NT focus) – 3 cr.

<b>HISTORICAL STUDIES</b> <i>6 credits</i>	
<i>Option A*</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> HS 116 – 3 cr. <input type="checkbox"/> HS 117 – 3 cr. <i>builds foundation in history of Christian traditions</i>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Option B1</i></p> <input type="checkbox"/> HS 116 – 3 cr. <b>or</b> <input type="checkbox"/> HS 117 – 3 cr. <p style="text-align: center;"><b>and</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> HS _____ – 3 cr. (upper level) <i>builds basic expertise in Christian traditions</i>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Option B2</i></p> <input type="checkbox"/> HS _____ – 3 cr (100- level survey/historical methods) <p style="text-align: center;"><b>and</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> HS _____ – 3 cr. (any level) <i>supports basic expertise in a non- Christian tradition</i>

<b>PRACTICAL THEOLOGY</b> <i>6-7 credits</i>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Option A</i></p> <input type="checkbox"/> CW 103 <b>or</b> CW 104 – 3 cr. <input type="checkbox"/> PS 110 – 1 cr. <input type="checkbox"/> PS 101 <b>or</b> CA/CW/PS/ PT/RE/RS _____ – 3 cr. (upper level)	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Option B</i></p> <input type="checkbox"/> CA 102 – 3 cr. <input type="checkbox"/> PS 110 – 1 cr. PS 101 <b>or</b> CA/CW/PS/PT/RE /RS _____ – 3 cr. (upper level)

<b>INTERRELIGIOUS ENGAGEMENT</b> <i>6 credits</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> IE 102 – 3 cr. <input type="checkbox"/> IE _____ – 3 cr. (upper level)

<b>THEOLOGY AND ETHICS:</b> <i>6 credits</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> TS 104 – 3 cr. <input type="checkbox"/> PR/SE/TS _____ – 3 cr. (upper level)

<b>GENERAL</b> <i>2 credits</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> UT 101 – 2 cr.

<b>SOCIAL WORK: 57 credits</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> RS 331** – 3 cr.    ** recognized by Silberman for MSW degree	<input type="checkbox"/> One unit of CPE strongly recommended – 6 cr.
<i>All of the following 3-cr. Silberman courses:</i>	
<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* <span style="float: right;">(final semester)</span>	<i>One of the following 9-cr. series of Silberman courses:</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 721..., SSW 722..., SSW 723... <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 741..., SSW 742..., SSW 743... <input type="checkbox"/> SSW 781..., SSW 782..., SSW 783...
*27 credits recognized by Union in satisfaction of MDiv degree	

<b>ELECTIVES</b> <i>13-15 credits</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<input type="checkbox"/> _____

<b>CREDITS BY SEMESTER/YEAR: 106 credits</b> <i>52 cr. at Union, 54 cr. at Silberman</i>			
YEAR ONE	YEAR TWO	YEAR THREE	YEAR FOUR
Fall: _____	Fall: _____	Fall: _____	Fall: _____
Jan./Spring: _____	Jan./Spring: _____	Jan./Spring: _____	Jan./Spring: _____
Summer: _____	Summer: _____	Summer: _____	
<b>TOTAL:</b> _____			

## NOTES

*Option A* is designed for students who aspire to ordained ministry or other ecclesial ministries. **Those considering ordination must be mindful of denomination ordination requirements.**

*Option B* is designed to accommodate students who plan to work in other contexts.

Students may choose either *Option A* or *Option B* for each field.

Students who begin a particular *Option within a field* must satisfy all requirements of that option in order to fulfill degree requirements in that field.

### Biblical Field:

Second half of *Bible-Option A*: Intended for second-year students who have taken HB 101 and NT 101 but for whom exegesis and preaching are not necessary for their anticipated ministerial contexts.

## COURSE PLANNING

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

### YEAR 1

FALL	
BX 101 or HB 101	4 credits
HS 116	3 credits
IE 102	3 credits
UT 101	2 credits
SSW 701...	3 credits

SPRING	
NT 101 or upper-level Bible course	3-4 credits
HS 117	3 credits
IE course	3 credits
	3 credits
SSW 702...	3 credits

### YEAR 2

FALL	
TS 104	3 credits
HS elective	2-3 credits
PS 101 & PS 110 (for CPE) or PT elective	3 credits
Theology elective (ST, SE, PR)	3 credits
SSW 711...	3 credits

SPRING	
CW 104 or CA 102	3 credits
Exegesis or upper-level Bible course	3 credits
Union electives	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
Union 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
RS 331 or Silberman elective	3 credits
Union elective	3 credits