

Higher Education and Student Development M.A.

Academic Roadmap to Completion (ARC) for Catalog Year 2025-2026

The catalog is the final authority on program requirements; this is intended as a registration and planning tool. This course sequence is the recommended template. If a student has transfer credits or an alternate timeline, that individual must work with the Program and the Academic Advising Office to plan their schedule accordingly.

Fall Semester 1 HESD 595: Higher Education: Past, Present and Future (4 cr.) HESD 521: Personal Spiritual Formation (2 cr.) HESD 549 (B-Quad) : Theology and Philosophy of Ministry (2 cr.)	Spring Semester 1 HESD 546: Holistic Growth in College: An Integrated Approach (2 cr.) HESD 602: Research and Reflective Practice (4 cr.) HESD 608 (B-Quad): Well-Being in Young Adults (2 cr.)	Summer 1 HESD 614: Diversity & Student Development: Building Communities of Shalom (2 cr.)
Semester Total: 8	Semester Total: 8	Semester Total: 2
Fall Semester 2 HESD 639 (A-Quad): Legal Issues in Higher Education (2 cr.) HESD 636 (B-Quad): Leadership in Higher Education (2 cr.) BITH 565: Christian Theology (4 cr.)	Spring Semester 2 HESD 575: Conflict and Mediation (4 cr.) HESD 641: Emerging Adult Development (4 cr.) HESD 696: Capstone (2 cr.) OR HESD 698: Thesis (2 cr.)	Summer 2
Semester Total: 8	Semester Total: 10	Semester Total: 0