

# BETHEL UNIVERSITY

## EXTENSION STUDIES

### *Bachelor of Arts in Ministry Leadership* Ministry Studies Track

#### PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Ministry Leadership degree program incorporates in-depth Bible and theological study, while focusing on the practical skills needed to minister in today's contemporary, diverse culture. As students engage in coursework, the goal is for them to experience deeper personal spiritual growth that will enable them to provide Christ-centered leadership to meet a variety of needs. The degree offers students the flexibility to tailor their studies to emphasize biblical studies, youth ministry, or pastoral studies.

#### PROGRAM FEATURES

- Accelerated courses lasting seven weeks
- Earn a Bethel University accredited degree at a local extension site in your community
- A structured learning environment with flexible schedules allowing students to maintain employment
- A hybrid model of online and in person
- Affordable flat rate tuition
- On-site mentoring of students
- Practical field-related experience (practicums)
- Personalized support for financial aid, enrollment, and academic planning

#### APPLICATION PROCESS

- Complete a brief application at your BU<sup>x</sup> location.
- Complete an application at [BethelUniversity.edu/Admission-Aid/Apply-Now/BU-X](https://BethelUniversity.edu/Admission-Aid/Apply-Now/BU-X).
- Meet with Student Services regarding admission.
- Bethel University requires an official, final transcript from your high school and SAT/ACT test scores. They can be mailed in a sealed envelope or sent electronically to [Admission@BethelUniversity.edu](mailto:Admission@BethelUniversity.edu).
- Complete FAFSA and contact Financial Aid at 574.807.7326 if you are seeking federal student loans.

#### TUITION/FEES

- \$10,000 per year (\$5,000 per semester)
- Students must remain full time to receive this tuition price
- Full time = 15 credit hours

#### FINANCIAL AID

- Financial aid is available. For more information, contact the Financial Aid Office at 574.807.7415 or [FinAid@BethelUniversity.edu](mailto:FinAid@BethelUniversity.edu).
- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). Bethel's federal school code is 001787.



#### ABOUT BETHEL

Bethel is a Christian liberal arts university accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, a member of the North Central Association, and affiliated with the Missionary Church.

#### CONTACT US

*Please contact your local extension site for more information.*

*To see a complete list of BU-X sites, visit:  
[BUX.BethelUniversity.edu](http://BUX.BethelUniversity.edu)*

*If you have questions, please email  
[BU-X@BethelUniversity.edu](mailto:BU-X@BethelUniversity.edu).*



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# BA in Ministry Leadership

*Below is a GUIDE only. Advisors will assist each student with actual schedules.*

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### FRESHMAN

FALL			SPRING		
COLL100	College Studies	1	FA170	Perspectives in Fine Arts	3
BIBL216	New Testament Literature	3	MATH109	Excursions in Math (or MATH107)	3
THEO110	Exploring Christian Faith	3	ENGL102	Written Comm III	3
ENGL101	Written Comm II	3	SOC151	Principles of Sociology	3
PSYC182	General Psychology	3	MINP	Practicum Experience	3
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Credit hours = <b>16</b>			Credit hours = <b>15</b>		

### SOPHOMORE

FALL			SPRING		
LIT____	LIT251 Global Literature (or COMM352)	3	NS110	Environmental Science	4
HIST____	HIST 243 or HIST 246	3	LANG 101	Intro to the Study of Language	3
PHIL250	Intro to Philosophy	3	COMM171	Speech Communication	3
BIBL215	Old Testament Literature	3	MIN215	Foundations of Christian Ministry	3
MINP	Practicum Experience	3	MINP	Practicum Experience	3
Credit hours = <b>15</b>			Credit hours = <b>16</b>		

### JUNIOR

FALL			SPRING		
MIN310	Evangelism and Discipleship	3	BIBL220	Introduction to Biblical Literature	3
BIBL218	Invitation to Scripture Studies	3	THEO313	Systematic Theology II	3
THEO310	Systematic Theology I	3	MIN210	Christian World Mission	3
BIBL331	Pentateuch & Historical Books	3	-----	Elective	3
MINP	Practicum Experience	3	MINP	Practicum Experience	3
Credit hours = <b>15</b>			Credit hours = <b>15</b>		

### SENIOR

FALL			SPRING		
BIBL332	Poetic Books and Wisdom	3	BIBL333	Old Testament Prophetic Books	3
MIN327	Teaching and Learning in Ministry	3	MIN441	Homiletics	3
MIN351	Multicultural Ministry	3	BIBL423	Biblical Theology	3
-----	Elective	3	-----	Elective	3
MINP	Practicum Experience	3	MINP	Practicum Experience	3
Credit hours = <b>15</b>			Credit hours = <b>15</b>		

**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS = 122**

Required	Pick THREE	Pick FOUR
MIN215, MIN310 BIBL218, BIBL220, BIBL423 THEO310, THEO313	BIBL331, BIBL 332, BIBL333, BIBL341, BIBL342, BIBL343	IS350, MI210, MIN327, MIN351, MIN427, MIN440, MIN441, THEO340



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