

**MAJOR IN STUDENT AFFAIRS COUNSELING
 LEADING TO THE DEGREE
 MASTER OF COUNSELING (M.COUN.)**

The master's degree major in Student Affairs Counseling is designed to provide a comprehensive view of college student services and prepare the student to work in at least two student affairs positions. In addition to the higher education/development emphasis, the graduate student receives a strong component in effective communication skills which are essential for the student affairs administrator in any setting. The didactic and experiential aspects of the program are joined in at least one counseling practicum and in student affairs internships appropriate to the student's post-degree professional goals.

- A. **General Residency Requirement.** For the Master of Counseling (M.Coun.) degree, the student is required to complete the equivalent of at least four full semesters of resident graduate study beyond the bachelor's degree. The minimum Student Affairs Counseling program must total 60 semester hours.
- B. **Specific Major Requirements**
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| COUN 680 | Foundations of Student Affairs Practice | 3 cr. |
| COUN 683 | Administration of Student Affairs | 3 cr. |
| COUN 697 | Practicum in Counseling (student affairs setting) | 3 cr. |
| COUN 699 | Internship in Counseling (student affairs setting) | 17 cr. |
- C. **General Degree Requirements**
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| COUN 611 | Applied Statistics and Research | 3 cr. |
| COUN 612 | Psychological Testing for Counselors | 2 cr. |
| COUN 621 | Professional Orientation and Ethics | 3 cr. |
| COUN 623 | Lifestyle and Career Development | 2 cr. |
| COUN 624 | Cultural Counseling | 2 cr. |
| COUN 627 | Conceptualizing Counseling Theory | 2 cr. |
| COUN 628 | Applications of Counseling Theory | 2 cr. |
| COUN 630 | Substance Abuse Counseling | 2 cr. |
| COUN 660 | Theories of Family Counseling | 3 cr. |
| COUN 676 | Small Group Activity | 1 cr. |
| COUN 677 | Group Counseling Techniques | 3 cr. |
| COUN 694 | Psychodiagnosis and Psychotropic Drugs | 3 cr. |
| COUN 696 | Prepracticum Counseling Techniques | 3 cr. |
| COUNSELING ELECTIVES | | 3 cr. |
| Total Credits | | 60 cr. |

DEPARTMENT OF COUNSELING

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Program Planning Sheet
Sample Distribution of M.Coun. Required Courses

FIRST YEAR

Fall Semester

COUN 621	Professional Orientation & Ethics	3 cr.
COUN 627	Conceptualizing Counseling Theory	2 cr.
COUN 660	Theories of Family Counseling	3 cr.
COUN 676	Small Group Activity	1 cr.
COUN 680	Foundations of Student Affairs	3 cr.
COUN 696	Prepracticum Counseling Techniques	3 cr.

Spring Semester

COUN 623	Lifestyle and Career Development	2 cr.
COUN 624	Cultural Counseling	2 cr.
COUN 628	Applications of Counseling Theory	2 cr.
COUN 683	Administration of Student Affairs Practice	3 cr.
COUN 697	Practicum in Counseling (Student Affairs Setting)	3 cr.
COUN 697L	Practicum in Counseling Lab	0 cr.
*COUNSELING ELECTIVE		1-3 cr.

Summer Session

COUN 699	Internship in Counseling	3 cr.
COUN 699L	Internship in Counseling Lab	0 cr.
*COUNSELING ELECTIVE		1-3 cr.

SECOND YEAR

Fall Semester

COUN 612	Psychological Testing for Counselors	2 cr.
COUN 677	Group Counseling Techniques	3 cr.
COUN 694	Psychodiagnosis and Psychotropic Drugs	3 cr.
COUN 699	Internship in Counseling (Student Affairs Setting)	7 cr.
COUN 699L	Internship in Counseling Lab	0 cr.
*COUNSELING ELECTIVE		1-3 cr.

Spring Semester

COUN 611	Applied Statistics and Research	3 cr.
COUN 630	Substance Abuse Counseling	2 cr.
COUN 699	Internship in Counseling (Student Affairs Setting)	8 cr.
COUN 699L	Internship in Counseling Lab	0 cr.
*COUNSELING ELECTIVE		1-3 cr.

Total Credits 60 cr.

*Three credits of electives required for program; may be taken any semester

**COUN 699, Internship in Counseling, must total 17 credits