

Doctor of Ministry (DMin) Program

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The Doctor of Ministry (DMin) is the highest earned degree for the profession of ministry. It is intended to: 1) advance understanding of the nature, purposes and practice of ministry, 2) enhance ministry and leadership competencies and 3) encourage continued growth in spiritual maturity. It is the appropriate degree for those with a Master of Divinity or equivalent, at least three years of ministry experience and a desire to deepen and broaden their ability in their area of ministry calling. This is a three-year plus, in-ministry program.

Due to the nature of the DMin program, many of its policies and procedures differ from those of other Tyndale programs. For details about DMin policies and procedures, please see the DMin Program Handbook.

The Doctor of Ministry has four tracks: Clinical Counselling and Psychotherapy, Leadership, Pastoral Thanatology, and Spiritual Formation.

Clinical Counselling and Psychotherapy Track

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The Doctor of Ministry (DMin) in Clinical Counselling and Psychotherapy addresses the growing need for skilled and competent mental health care, both in the church and in the marketplace. This program is designed for registered psychotherapists (or those in related professions) seeking to deepen their clinical expertise and further their professional training. The Clinical Counselling and Psychotherapy Track is a cohort model, with some sequenced courses. This track includes residencies for two weeks in June and a one-week residency in January.

Program Requirements:

Clinical Counselling and Psychotherapy Track		Courses
Year A		4
DMCC 0941	Integration Overview & Person of the Therapist	
DMCC 0901	Integration of Faith and Psychology	
DMCC 0904	Grief, Bereavement, and Coping with Loss	
DMCC 0903	Dialectical Behavioral Therapy	
Year B		4
DMCC 0902	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy	
DMCC 0905	Advanced Couples Counselling	
DMCC 0906	Experiential Therapies	
DMCC 0942	Integration Model and Proposal	

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Year C		4
DMCC 0943	Clinical Field Project	
DMCC 0907	Methods and Treatment in Trauma and Resilience	
DMCC 0908	Deepening Cultural Competency	
DMCC 0947	Integration: Research Portfolio and Hearing	
Total Course Requirements		12