Location
Baptist Mission Resource Center
(Conference Area)
10255 Old Columbia Road
Columbia, MD 21046

Class Dates
All classes meet on Fridays and Saturdays.
Fridays 7:00 pm – 9:30 pm and Saturdays 8:30 am – 2:30 pm
Class sessions are listed in order unless otherwise noted.

FALL 2009
August 14 to September 19 (1st session)
Skip: September 4 & 5 (Labor Day)
September 25 to October 24 (2nd session)
October 30 to December 5 (3rd session)
Skip: November 27 & 28 (Thanksgiving)

SPRING 2010
January 22 to February 20 (1st session)
February 26 to March 27 (2nd session)
Skip: April 2 & 3 (Easter)
April 9 to May 8 (3rd session)

New Student Application Deadlines:
Fall Semester: 7/15/09
January Term: 12/1/09
Spring Semester: 12/1/09
Summer J-Term: 5/1/09

Registration Dates
Students will register online using e-Campus at www.sbts.edu

Continuing Students:
Fall Semester: 3/30/09 to 8/24/09
Spring Semester: 10/26/09 to 8/24/09

New Students:
Fall Semester: 4/6/09 to 2/1/10
Spring Semester: 11/2/09 to 2/1/10

Fees
$410 per credit hour for non-Southern Baptist students
$205 per credit hour for Southern Baptist students.
(Members of a Southern Baptist church receive a tuition subsidy from the Southern Baptist Convention.)

Library
Columbia Center students have full library privileges at St. Mary’s Seminary and University. On the first day of class, you will need to write a check to “St. Mary’s Seminary” for $30. This fee covers parking and library use per semester.

Withdrawal
Seminary policy allows a student to withdraw from a class by the midpoint of each respective class and receive a grade of WP (withdrawn passing) or WF (withdrawn failing). Withdrawal after this date is recorded as an automatic F. You may direct questions concerning the exact midpoints of a particular class to Mr. Norm Chung at the number to the right. For prorated refund percentages, see the seminary catalog. Students will receive a failing grade if they simply stop attending class without dropping properly. Exceptions are granted by the Office of Academic Records. Requests for withdrawal must be in writing and submitted on or before the deadline to the Academic Records Office, The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, 2825 Lexington Road, Louisville, KY 40280.

Contacts at Louisville Campus

Extension Education
(plans the curriculum and recruits faculty to teach)
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(coordinates academic counseling)
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Contacts at Local Campus

Local Center Director
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COURSE INFORMATION – COLUMBIA

Fall 2009
Class sessions are listed in order unless otherwise noted.

29250 Survey of Christian Ethics
3 hours
An introduction to Christian ethics, with attention given to methodology, biblical foundations, types of Christian ethical thought, and Christian responsibility in relation to current social problems. Dr. Ken Magnuson, kmagnuson@juno.com

25100 Introduction to Church History I
3 hours
The course will cover the history of Christianity from its inception to the Protestant Reformation (1600). Dr. David Puckett, dpuckett@sbts.edu

25120 Introduction to Church History II
3 hours
This course will focus on four major areas of study in the modern period: the history of Protestantism, the origin and history of Baptists, the history of Roman Catholicism, and American church history. Dr. David Puckett, dpuckett@sbts.edu

Spring 2010
Class sessions are listed in order unless otherwise noted.

40080 The Ministry of Leadership
3 hours
A study of the nature of Christian leadership in the context of the local church ministry. The church as an organism and an organization is examined. The nature and purpose of the church is analyzed. Essential character qualities and leadership competencies are developed. Special attention is given to the skills necessary to guiding the local church through various elements of change and obstacles toward biblical effectiveness. Dr. Michael Wilder, mwilder@sbts.edu

32960 Introduction to Missiology
3 hours
An evaluation of missiological thought with a view to developing a contemporary theology of mission: the what, why, and how of missions. Dr. George Martin, gmartin@sbts.edu

22100 Biblical Hermeneutics
3 hours
A study of the history of the English Bible, the goal of biblical interpretation, the presuppositions involved in the interpretation, the means of arriving at the meaning of ancient texts along with its present-day implications, and the formation of the New Testament canon. Dr. Robert Vogel, rvogel@sbts.edu

Applied Ministry (AM)
Courses are offered through the Center as needed.
AM will meet from 6:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. at the Baptist Resource Center in Columbia, Maryland, on Tuesdays.
If you drop the course at any time after registering, please notify Dr. Gauger. The seminary will not do that for you. He appreciates the courtesy and occasionally it saves him a few hours of driving.

44905 Applied Ministry
2 hours
Approved placement of at least nine hours weekly in a ministry position with weekly individual and small group supervision. Goals and objectives as well as procedures and strategies for ministry in churches, agencies, and communities are the focus for reflective learning. Applied Ministry Orientation by DVD. Dr. John Gauger, pastor@perryville.org

Required Textbooks
(See e-Campus for Syllabi)
Textbooks required for each course are listed on this information sheet. It is the responsibility of each student to acquire his/her own textbooks.
If you need any assistance contact the on-campus LifeWay Christian Bookstore at (502) 897-4506.

Fall:
• Additional reading from other works may be assigned from time to time.
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Spring:
TBA
An update of this document is available at www.sbts.edu/extension From here you can select which center’s schedule you would like to view.
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