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**Masters of Arts in Counseling – Marriage, Couple & Family Track**

**Suggested Two Year Sequence – January Start\***

*(Updated 1/29/2015)*

**Odd Calendar Year (2015, 2017, etc.)**

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| **Year** | **Term** | **Course(s)** |
| 1 | January (Intensive) | COUN 501: Issues/Ethics for Counselors |
| 1 | Early Spring | COUN 509: Foundations of Counseling Children & Adolescents  COUN 510: Lifespan Development |
| 1 | Late Spring | COUN 528: Career Counseling Across the Lifespan  COUN 520: Counseling Theories |
| 1 | Early Summer | COUN 532: Group Counseling  COUN 543: Substance Abuse/Addiction and Families |
| 1 | Late Summer (Intensive) | None |
| 1 | Early Fall | COUN 539: Human Sexuality  COUN 530: Contemporary and Integrative Theories of Family Counseling |
| 1 | Late Fall | COUN 531: Premarital and Marital Counseling  COUN 545: Research Design & Statistics |

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| **Year** | **Term** | **Course(s)** |
| 2 | January (Intensive) | COUN 540: Counseling Techniques |
| 2 | Early Spring | COUN 523: Psychopathology & Diagnosis Across the Lifespan  COUN 541: Assessment Techniques for Individuals, Couples, & Families COUN 587: Marriage, Couple, and Family Counseling Practicum (semester long) |
| 2 | Late Spring | COUN 573: Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling Skills & Practice  COUN 587: Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling Practicum (semester long) |
| 2 | Early Summer | COUN 511: Multicultural Issues for Counseling Professionals  COUN 588: Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling Internship I (semester long) |
| 2 | Late Summer (Intensive) | COUN 588: Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling Internship I (semester long) |
| 2 | Early Fall | COUN 589: Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling Internship II (semester long) |
| 2 | Late Fall | COUN 589: Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling Internship II (semester long)  COUN 537: Spiritual Formation and Faith Based Counseling |

*\*This sequence is offered as one suggestion for completing the program in the given timeline. However, our flexible program allows students to complete their required courses in a variety of sequences.*