

United Theological Seminary
Doctor of Ministry Intensive | August 18-22, 2025

Location: The Marriott at the University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio

Theme: 21st Century Prophetic Proclamation: Preaching from a Different Voice



Monday, August 18	Time	Tuesday, August 19	Wednesday, August 20	Thursday, August 21	Friday, August 22
FACULTY MENTOR & CONSULTANT ORIENTATION 10:30AM-1PM SALONS FGH	7:45-8:05am	Greetings Rev. Kimberly Hamby, Worship Coordinator, Morning Worship, Welcome Dr. Elvin Sadler, Associate Dean for Doctoral Studies	Greetings Rev. Kimberly Hamby, Worship Coordinator, Morning Worship, Welcome Dr. Elvin Sadler, Associate Dean for Doctoral Studies	Greetings Rev. Kimberly Hamby, Worship Coordinator, Morning Worship, Welcome Dr. Elvin Sadler, Associate Dean for Doctoral Studies	MORNING SESSIONS FOR STUDENTS
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SEMESTER ONE 7:40-7:55am - Registration 8:00-8:30am - New Student Welcome & Orientation 8:30-9:30am - Spiritual Autobiography Dr. Elvin Sadler 9:30-10:45am - Problem / Hypothesis Dr. Al Kennon 10:45-11am - Break 11am-12pm Biblical Foundations Seminar Dr. Anthony Le Donne	8:40-8:55am	Mr. Chauncey Allmond, Logos Bible Software	Greetings Dr. Bridget Weatherspoon, VP for Enrollment, and Mrs. Callie Picardo, VP for Development	TBD	SEMESTER ONE Historical Foundations Seminar Dr. Justus Hunter Salon E
	8:55-9am	Introduction of Plenary Speaker Dr. Elvin Sadler, Associate Dean for Doctoral Studies	Introduction of Plenary Speaker Dr. Elvin Sadler, Associate Dean for Doctoral Studies	Introduction of Plenary Speaker Dr. Elvin Sadler, Associate Dean for Doctoral Studies	SEMESTER TWO Interdisciplinary Foundations Seminar Dr. Pete Bellini Salon D
	9-10:15am	Dr. Xavier Johnson, Plenary Presenter	Dr. Terry Wardle, Plenary Presenter	Dr. Janiece Williams, Plenary Presenter	SEMESTER THREE Candidacy Review Preparation Dr. Frank Billman Salons ABC
	10:30am-12pm	Focus Group Meetings	Focus Group Meetings	Cross Cultural Focus Group Meetings	SEMESTER FOUR IRB Seminar: Review and Troubleshooting Dr. Madeline Henners Salons FGH
	12-1:15pm	<< Lunch at the Marriott >> Seating in the Tradewinds Tent	<< Lunch at the Marriott >> Seating in the Tradewinds Tent	<< Lunch at the Marriott >> Seating in the Tradewinds Tent	SEMESTER FIVE Final Document Preparation & Final Exam Preparation Dr. Leroy Cothran Kiefaber
	12:30-1:15pm	"Lunch and Learn" with The Innovation Center - Salons ABC		"Lunch and Learn" with The Innovation Center - Salons ABC	SEMESTER SIX DOES NOT HAVE A SESSION ON FRIDAY.
SEMESTER THREE 10-10:20am - Registration 10:30am-12pm Research Ethics Seminar Dr. Vivian Johnson (11:15-11:30am break)	1:30-3:30pm	Modules Semester 1 - Intro to the DMin Discipline, Dr. Herbert Miller Semester 2 - Biblical Foundations Seminar, Dr. Anthony LeDonne Semester 3 - Theological Foundations Seminar, Dr. Andrew Park Semester 4 - Data Analysis Planning, Dr. Al Kennon Semester 5 - Final Document Integration, Dr. Madeline Henners Semester 6 - Review Final Document with Mentor and Consultant	Modules Semester 1 - Intro to the DMin Discipline, Dr. Herbert Miller Semester 2 - Research Ethics Certification, Dr. Vivian Johnson Semester 3 - Qualitative & Quantitative Research, Dr. Al Kennon Semester 4 - Religious Leadership in a Pluralistic World, Dr. Lisa Hess Semester 5 - Writing the Project Analysis, Dr. Frank Billman Semester 6 - Review Final Document with Mentor and Consultant	Modules Semester 1 - Intro to Action Research, Dr. Al Kennon Semester 2 - Historical Foundations Seminar, Dr. Justus Hunter Semester 3 - Interdisciplinary Foundations Seminar, Dr. Herbert Miller Semester 4 - Institutional Review Board Content, Dr. Madeline Henners Semester 5 - Getting Published, Bishop Sir Walter Mack, Jr. Semester 6 - Review Final Document with Mentor and Consultant	
LUNCH 12-1:15pm					
AFTERNOON SESSIONS					
SEMESTER ONE 1:30-3:30pm Biblical Foundations Seminar Continued					
SEMESTER TWO 1:30-3:30pm Theological Foundations Seminar Continued					
SEMESTER THREE 1:30-3:30pm Research Ethics Seminar Continued					
SEMESTER FOUR 1-1:20pm - Registration 1:30-3:30pm (IRB) Process Dr. Madeline Henners	3:45-4:45pm	Modules Semester 1 - Online Resources, Dr. Heather Shellabarger and Mr. Marc Bostwick Semester 2 - Introduction to Reserch Ethics, Dr. Vivian Johnson Semester 3 - Titles and Citations, Dr. Jimmy Mallory	Modules Semester 1 - Library Online Resources, Mr. Ken Cochrane Semester 2 - Research Techniques, Dr. Andy Wood Semester 3 - Abstracts, Dr. Al Kennon	Modules Semester 1 - Library Online Resources, Mr. Ken Cochrane Semester 2 - Citations, Dr. Jimmy Mallory Semester 3 - Cayuse and Institutional Review Board Overview, Dr. Madeline Henners	
ALL SEMESTERS 3:45-6:30pm Focus Group Meetings (Ballroom Salons must be cleared by 5pm)	5-6:30pm	Focus Group Meetings	Focus Group Meetings (Ballroom Salons must be cleared by 5pm)	Focus Group Meetings	
UNITED COMMUNITY 7:00-8:30pm Opening Worship; Welcome - President, Dr. Kent Millard; Dr. Michael Beck, Evening Speaker	7-8:30pm	Gathering for Graduating Semester Six Students by Invitation Only	Worship, Love Offering, Evening Preacher TBD	Worship, Prayer and Healing Service - Optional (Salon E)	