

Doctor of Ministry



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Tuition for these courses is paid directly to the seminary where the course is registered.

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Information on the DMin Program:

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Students only pay tuition per course, the two colloquia, project fee, and related institutional fees.

Students may complete the degree in as little as three years or as long as six years.



The **Doctor of Ministry Program** consists of two colloquia, eight courses, and a project in ministry.

Colloquia I introduces students to the DMin program and engages them in a peer-learning environment.

Colloquia II prepares students to submit and prepare their DMin Project.

Of the eight courses, two should be in your area of focus. At least four courses must be registered through LTSP. Four other courses may be taken at LTSG and/or LTSS based on course offerings or proximity.

The DMin **Project in Ministry** is a specialized and practical study under the guidance of a qualified faculty member of one of the Eastern Cluster seminaries.