

## Church Planting and Revitalization

### GENERAL EDUCATION STUDIES 57 Hours

**General Education:** 14 hours

COM 1143 Fundamentals of Speech Communication

ENG 1113 Composition and Rhetoric I

ENG 1123 Composition and Rhetoric II

*3 hours from the following:*

ENG 2233 American Literature I

ENG 2243 American Literature II

ENG 2273 Introduction to Literature

GES 1122 Strategies for Student Success

**Social/Behavioral Sciences:** 9 hours

GOV 2213 National and State Government

HIS 1113 American History I

PSY 1153 Introduction to Psychology

**Natural Science/Mathematics:** 6 hours

*3 hours from the following:*

BIO 1113 Biological Science

PHY 1113 Physical Science

*3 hours from the following:*

MTH 1113 College Mathematics

MTH 1123 College Algebra

**Physical Education:** 4 hours

PED 2232 Wellness and Lifestyle

*2 hours from activity courses without duplication: PED 1101-2291*

**General Biblical Studies :** 24 hours

BIB 2213 Bible Study

CMN 1223 The Church in Mission

CMN 2213 Foundations of Church Ministries

REL 1133 Authentic Christianity

REL 1153 New Testament Literature

REL 1163 Old Testament Literature

THE 2113 Introduction to Theology and Apologetics

THE 2333 Pentecostal Doctrine and History

The Church Planting and Revitalization program is designed to train students to plant, revitalize, and contextualize Pentecostal churches in partnership with Assemblies of God districts, sections, and churches. During this program of studies students will engage significant field ministry experiences.

### Upon completion of this program, students will:

1. Assess a community socially, economically, politically, and spiritually in order to determine the needs of a community including its existing churches and the potential need for new ones, and relevantly address those needs.
2. Develop outcome-oriented strategic planning skills to manage change from conception to completion in the church planting and revitalization processes, utilizing management principles that respect biblical stewardship.
3. Follow the appropriate steps within the parameters of denomination and incorporation processes to create and plant a church entity.
4. Mentor and mobilize leaders with Ephesians 4:11-12 gifts to develop Pentecostal ministries that bring spiritual growth and maturity to believers.

## Church Planting and Revitalization *continued*

### MAJOR STUDIES 57 Hours

BIB 3483 Hermeneutics  
 CMN 2313 Pastoral Counseling  
 CMN 3113 Ministry of Teaching  
 CMN 3123 Small Groups Ministry  
 CMN 3163 Leadership in Ministry  
 CMN 3173 The Church and Media  
 CMN 3183 Church Resource Management  
 CMN 3333 Biblical Preaching  
 CMN 4143 Leadership for Spiritual Formation  
 CPR 3123 Church Health and Revitalization  
 CPR 3313 Understanding and Reaching the Community  
 CPR 4613 Church Planting\*  
 ICS 2153 Spiritual Development  
 PMN 3363 Biblical Preaching Laboratory

### Internship: 15 hours

CPR 3113 Church Health and Revitalization Internship\* - or -  
 CPR 3213 Church Planting Internship\*  
 CPR 3383 Church Planting/Revitalization BootCamp\*  
 CPR 4113 Mentoring and Mobilizing Ministry Leaders\*  
 ICS 4153 Strategies for Multiethnic Service  
 PMN 4413 Principles and Practices of Pastoral Ministry

*\*These courses are offered in non-traditional format only.*

### GENERAL ELECTIVES 12 Hours

### TOTAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS 126 Hours

- Plant, revitalize, and contextualize Assemblies of God indigenous churches that will evangelize people of a focus group in private and public settings.

### Additional Program Stipulations

- All full-time students are to include one Bible, theology, or religion course each semester until degree requirements have been satisfied.
- First-year students enrolled full-time are to include GES 1122 in their first semester schedule.
- First-year students are to enroll in activity physical education courses each of their first two semesters at SAGU. Exceptions will be granted only with approval of the College Dean.
- Veterans with at least 6 months of service may apply for and receive 4 hours of credit for physical education. Contact the Registrar's Office.