



Master of Arts in Kingdom Leadership and Ethics + Doctor of Ministry in Apostolic Leadership

Catalog Year 2026–2027 · 100% Online · *We don't teach what to think. We awaken truth and walk in love.*

63 TOTAL CREDITS	2 DEGREES EARNED	9 SHARED CREDITS	VARK FOUR WAYS TO LEARN
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Program Overview

The Hybrid Dual Degree pairs the Master of Arts in Kingdom Leadership and Ethics with the Doctor of Ministry in Apostolic Leadership in one continuous program of 63 credits instead of 72. The Master of Arts in Kingdom Leadership and Ethics prepares leaders to shape organizational culture, govern ethically, lead change, and develop other leaders. The Doctor of Ministry in Apostolic Leadership is a professional doctorate for leaders who oversee movements and shape culture.

How EACU Is Different

Leadership is examined from every side: what Scripture shows through leaders who stood and fell, what research shows about organizations, and what ethics require when power is at stake. Titles do not create character, so students develop leadership grounded in stewardship, integrity, and service.

At the doctoral level, EACU students become the ones who walk others through the evidence. Every course requires students to examine a question from every side, then build and defend their own position, and the doctoral project turns that work into something that can be taught, published, or put into practice.

How the dual degree works. Nine doctoral credits count toward both degrees. The master's degree is conferred after the Master's Portion and the Shared Courses are complete (36 credits). The Doctor of Ministry is conferred after the Doctoral Portion is complete (36 doctoral credits, including the shared courses). Students need a completed bachelor's degree to enter.

Program Outcomes

1. Articulate a theology of leadership.
2. Shape healthy organizational culture.
3. Govern with ethics and accountability.
4. Compare apostolic leadership across traditions.
5. Lead apostolic influence in society and culture.
6. Develop five-fold leaders.

Where This Degree Can Lead

- Overseer of apostolic networks
- Founder of ministries and training centers
- Author and conference speaker
- Consultant to churches and organizations

Master's Portion

27 credits

CODE	COURSE	CR	TERM COMPLETED
☐ FINC 501	Biblical Finance and Stewardship II	3	
☐ MHLT 501	Biblical Mindset and Mental Health II	3	
☐ BIBL 510	The Old Testament in Its Ancient Near Eastern and Second Temple Context	3	
☐ BIBL 520	The New Testament in Its Second Temple and Greco-Roman Context	3	
☐ LEAD 610	Theology of Leadership	3	
☐ LEAD 620	Organizational Leadership and Culture	3	
☐ LEAD 630	Ethics and Governance	3	
☐ LEAD 640	Leading Change	3	
☐ LEAD 650	Leadership Development and Mentoring	3	

Shared Courses (count toward both degrees)

9 credits

CODE	COURSE	CR	TERM COMPLETED
☐ EACU 800	Doctoral Orientation and Research Methods	3	
☐ BIBL 801	Advanced Interpretation: Rightly Dividing the Word at the Doctoral Level	3	
☐ EACU 880	Literature Review and Research Proposal	3	

Doctoral Portion

27 credits

CODE	COURSE	CR	TERM COMPLETED
☐ FINC 801	Organizational Stewardship and Ministry Finance	3	
☐ MHLT 801	Trauma, Forgiveness, and Healing	3	
☐ APOS 810	Apostolic Leadership Across Traditions	3	
☐ APOS 820	Reforming Culture: Apostolic Influence in Society	3	
☐ APOS 830	Developing Five-Fold Leaders	3	
☐ APOS 840	Strategic Planning for Movements	3	
☐ EACU 885	Research Design and Ethics	3	
☐ EACU 890	Doctoral Project I	3	
☐ EACU 891	Doctoral Project II	3	

Suggested Sequence

Year 1 Master's Portion	Year 2 Shared Courses; master's degree conferred	Year 3 Doctoral core and major	Year 3 to 4 Research Design, Doctoral Project, defense
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Credit Summary

Master's Portion	27
Shared Courses	9
Doctoral Portion	27
Total Required	63