MA in Chaplaincy Studies

ST PADARN'S INSTITUTE T4: Module Overview Table ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/2024

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Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits	Compulsory	Summary of Content	Teaching and Learning Methods	Learning Hours	Assessment Methods
TMM42220	Research and Reflection: Resources and Methods	7	20	YES	This module examines a variety of study skills demanded by postgraduate study in chaplaincy studies It examines and critically evaluates a range of research methods currently being employed in the variety of disciplines in use within the field.	Face to Face and online learning / Lectures and seminars	Classroom: 20 hours. Independent study: 180 hours. Total: 200 hours.	Component 1 (60%) 4,000 words. Summative assignment: Project output (Research proposal). Component 2 (40%) 2,000 words.
TMM42520	Chaplaincy and Christian Mission	7	20	NO	The history, theology, missiology, and cultural and ecclesial context of chaplaincy.	. Face to Face and online learning /	Classroom: 20 hours. Independent study:	Summative assignment: Literature Review. Component 1 (50%) 3,000 words.
					Chaplaincy as a genre of Christian ministry and its relationship with church. Evaluation of models of chaplaincy.		180 hours. Total: 200 hours.	Summative assignment: Written theological reflection.
								Component 2 (50%) 3,000 words. Summative assignment: Essay.
TMM43020	Reflective Practice Placement	7	20	NO	This module equips students to work reflectively within their chaplaincy context. Drawing	Face to Face and online learning /	Classroom: 20 hours. Independent study:	Component 1 (70%) 4,500 words.
					on resources of Scripture and relevant Christian traditions in critical conversation with insights from secular sources, it enhances skills in understanding and analysing context, and integrating theological enquiry with pastoral and ministerial/professional practice. It helps students explore their own assumptions and biases.	Lectures and seminars	180 hours. Total: 200 hours.	Summative assignment: Placement report.
								Component 2 (30%) 1,500 words. Summative assignment: Reflective journal
TMM44120	Reflective Practice: Relationships and Emotional Management in Ministry	7	20	NO	Approaches to relationships and emotional management in Christian Scripture and tradition alongside contemporary scholarship and research in conflict resolution. Issues relating to stress in ministry, resilience, and safe practice. Self-reflection and planning of appropriate responses.	Face to Face and online learning / Lectures and seminars	Classroom: 20 hours. Independent study: 180 hours. Total: 200 hours.	Component 1 (50%) 3,000 words. Summative assignment: Written theological reflection.
								Component 2 (50%) 3,000 words. Summative assignment: Essay.
TMM46220	Moral Issues in Chaplaincy	7	20	NO	This module explores sources for ethical thinking and modes of ethical enquiry. Specific	Face to Face and online learning /	Classroom: 20 hours. Independent study:	Component 1 (60%) 4,000 words.
					issues are chosen for their relevance to professional practice as chaplains. It equips students to provide a critical account of the rationale for a particular choice of ethical method to explore an issue within its wider context of organisation, faith, and society.	Lectures and seminars	180 hours. Total: 200 hours.	Summative assignment: Essay. Component 2 (40%) 2,000 words.
					,			Summative assignment: Comparative book review.
TMM46420	Chaplaincy in Organisational Context	7	20	NO	This module exposes students to practical theology's diverse aims and methodological approaches. Through consideration of organisational theory, it invites engagement with the multiple layers of accountability to stakeholders that chaplains face. It explores globalisation, diversity, inequality, and their consequences for epistemology.	Face to Face and online learning / Lectures and seminars	Classroom: 20 hours. Independent study: 180 hours. Total: 200 hours.	Component 1 (50%) 3,000 words. Summative assignment: Written theological reflection.
								Component 2 (50%) 3,000 words. Summative assignment: Project output.
TMM46560	Dissertation in Chaplaincy Studies	7	60	YES	Participants will in consultation and negotiation with the tutor identify a topic, issue, or ministerial area relevant to the context within which they exercise their chaplaincy. The proposed title of the dissertation, together with a brief description and initial bibliography, is negotiated with an appropriate supervisor and agreed by the Board of Studies and External Examiner. The student arranges supervisions and organises a timetable and plan for his/her work. An introductory meeting with the year group will introduce the dissertation, and one towards the end of the process will provide additional input and encouragement.	Lecture / Face to Face Tutorials (or phone and online platform) / Guided Research	Classroom 6 hours. Independent supervision: 10 hours Independent study time: 584 hours Total: 600	Component 1 (100%) 15,000 words. Summative assignment: Dissertation.