



United Theological Seminary of the Twin Cities Doctor of Ministry Program

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

NAME _____ DATE _____
 First M.I. Last
 HOME ADDRESS _____ HOME PHONE _____
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 COLLEGE ATTENDED _____ DEGREE _____ YEAR _____
 SEMINARY ATTENDED _____ DEGREE _____ YEAR _____
 OTHER GRADUATE PROGRAMS _____ DEGREE _____ YEAR _____
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Experience in the Ministry: (List most recent experience first): At least three years of ministry experience since the applicant's Masters degree are required for admission

| Position | Congregation or Agency | Dates |
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Note: The D.Min. degree presupposes that a student is engaged in a full-time church-recognized ministry such as a parish, a church administrative position, or an educational, social or humanitarian position. If you are on sabbatical, leave of absence, or a part-time work arrangement, please attach a description of your current circumstances.

Recommendations

Four recommendations are required for each candidate: one from your ministry supervisor (e.g., judicatory executive, bishop, senior pastor), one from a clergy peer, one from a lay person in your congregation or agency (preferably the governing board chair or similar role), and one from a professor who knows your work in your seminary program. Please provide the above persons with a copy of the enclosed recommendation form and request that they complete and mail it to the address on the form. Please list below the names and contact information of your recommenders.

Supervisor

Colleague

Lay Person

Professor

Additional Documents

The following statements and documents should be submitted with this form:

1. A typewritten statement of 4-6 pages which includes the following:
 - A biographical statement with attention to persons and events that have had a particularly formative significance in your life;
 - Details of your ministerial experience;
 - An assessment of your strengths and weaknesses; and
 - Reflections on the future direction of your ministry.
2. A non-refundable fee of **\$50**. (Make checks payable to "United Theological Seminary of the Twin Cities.")
3. Arrange for **official transcripts** from your undergraduate institution, seminary and any other graduate schools you have attended to be sent to the UTS D.Min. Office at the address at the top of this form.

It is the policy of the Doctor of Ministry Program to respect the confidentiality of communications from persons who provide references. It is also program policy to make and communicate decisions regarding admitting or denying an applicant without statement of reasons for the decision.

I hereby attest that I have provided accurate and true information in the application form and all attached documents.

Signed

Date
