# Dominican School of Philosophy \& Theology <br> Concurrent MA (Philosophy) and MA (Theology) [or GTU MA] <br> Program Requirements Checklist 

Student: $\qquad$ Advisor: $\qquad$

Date of review of checklist: $\qquad$ $\square$ with DSPT MATh \| $\square$ with GTU MA

Both the student and the advisor should review this form each semester in conjunction with the Porffolio Checklist. Prior to the first day of the last semester of the student's program, the student must confer with his/her academic advisor and complete the "Intent to Graduate" form, submitting it along with this checklist (updated) plus any petitions, waivers, etc. See the DSPT Student Handbook for details on all program requirements.

Program Requirements: The concurrent option in DSPT MAPh/MATh [or GTU MA] requires a total of 63 semester units, comprising 54 units of coursework +9 units of Research \& Writing Credit, with an overall GPA of at least 3.0. Each core course must have a grade of "B" (3.0) or better. The student must choose a primary area of concentration (Primary Concentration or PC) from those listed at the DSPT website, taking at least four courses in the PC; these may come from core courses \&/or electives. No more than 27 units of the coursework may be taken at the introductory (1000) level. At least 2 courses must be taken at the advanced ( $4000+$ ) level; preferably at least one of them is in the PC. At least one-third of the courses must be taken at DSPT. Of the 54 units of coursework, there are 18 units of core philosophy requirements ( 12 units of systematic philosophy; 6 units in history of philosophy), 18 units of distribution theology requirements, and 18 units of electives. Any variances require a student petition and the approval of both the academic advisor and the Academic Dean.

Systematic Philosophy Courses. 12 units (4 of these 6 courses)

| Semester | Course No. | Course Title | Units | School | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | PH 1115 | Aristotelian Logic | 3 |  |  |
|  | PH 1056 | Philosophy of Nature | 3 |  |  |
|  | PH 2040 | Philosophical Anthropology | 3 |  |  |
|  | PH 1065 | Theory of Knowledge | 3 |  |  |
|  | PH 1008 | General (Philosophical) Ethics | 3 |  |  |

History of Philosophy Courses: 6 units (2 of these 4 courses)

| Semester | Course No. | Course Title | Units | School | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | PHHS 1050 | History of Philosophy: Ancient | 3 |  |  |
|  | PHHS 1051 | History of Philosophy: Medieval | 3 |  |  |
|  | PHHS 2000 | History of Philosophy: Modern | 3 |  |  |
|  | PHHS 2001 | History of Philosophy: Contemporary | 3 |  |  |

Biblical Studies Course. 3 units (Intro to Sacred Scripture or a course coded BS, OT, or NT). N.B.: Courses in Biblical languages or Latin, even those containing the BS area designation, do not fulfill this core requirement.

| Semester | Course No. | Course Title | Units | Alternate <br> Course No. | Alternate Title | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | BS 1560 | Intro to Sacred Scripture | 3.0 |  |  |  |

Historical Theology Courses. 6 units. (Church History I \& II or two theology courses coded HS)

| Semester | Course No. | Course Title | Units | Alternate <br> Course No. | Alternate Title | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | HS 1196 | Church History I: $1^{\text {st }}$ c. to $15^{\text {th }} c$. | 3.0 |  |  |  |
|  | HS 2196 | Church History II: $15^{\text {th }}$ c. to $21^{\text {st }} c$. | 3.0 |  |  |  |

Systematic Theology Course. 3 units (Theology: Nature \& Method or a course coded ST)

| Semester | Course No. | Course Title | Units | Alternate <br> Course No. | Alternate Title | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | ST 1091 | Theology: Nature \& Method | 3.0 |  |  |  |

Moral Theology/Christian Ethics Course. 3 units (Fundamental Moral Theology or a course coded CE)

| Semester | Course No. | Course Title | Units | Alternate <br> Course No. | Alternate Title | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | CE 2045 | Fundamental Moral Theology | 3.0 |  |  |  |

Interreligious or non-Christian Religion elective Course. 3 units

| Semester | Course No. | Course Title | Units | School | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  | 3.0 |  |  |

Elective Courses. 18 units. All these are subject to the approval of the academic advisor. Exceptions need the approval of the Academic Dean. Courses taken to fulfill the language requirement, including courses taken to prepare a student for the GTU language exam, cannot be counted as electives toward completing course requirements of degree programs. Certain advanced-level language courses designed to equip MA students for future research, however, may be counted as electives in some circumstances. Students must petition the Academic Dean for approval of such coursework as graduate electives.


Two Courses at the Advanced (4000+) Level: From the coursework entered above (pp. 1-2), list (on the lines below) two courses that fulfill this requirement.

## Primary Concentration (PC):

From the coursework entered above (pp. 1-2), list (on the lines below) four courses that fulfill this primary area of concentration requirement. Note that certain areas have special requirements; see the Student Handbook for details.

## Research Readiness Paper

| Date (mm/yyyy) | Topic or Abbreviated Title | Professor who reviewed | Course No. | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
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## Foreign Language Proficiency Certification

Language: $\qquad$ Date Fulfilled (mm/dd/yyyy): $\qquad$
Method (GTU exam, coursework, etc.): $\qquad$
Research \& Writing Credit: 9 units total

| Semester | Course No. | Title | Units | School | Grade |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | MA 1901 | Academic Forum Intro 1 | 1.5 | DSPT |  |
|  | MA 1902 | Academic Forum Intro 2 | 1.5 | DSPT |  |
|  | MA 4901 | Academic Forum Capstone 1 | 1.5 | DSPT |  |
|  | MA 4902 | Academic Forum Capstone 2 | 1.5 | DSPT |  |
|  | MA 5000 | In Thesis | 3.0 | DSPT |  |

Date of Thesis Proposal approval (mm/yyyy): $\qquad$
Date of Presentation at Academic Forum Capstone (mm/yyyy): $\qquad$
Projected ( $\square$ ) or actual ( $\square$ ) Thesis Defense date (mm/yyyy): $\qquad$

