



CORRECTIONAL MINISTRIES INSTITUTE



CM410 Capstone Project

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Course Description

The Capstone Project requires the integration of both theory and practice, and corrections and faith-based research. The project is planned and conducted under the supervision of the instructor.

Course Objectives

Students will be able to:

- Integrate new learning while building on existing base of knowledge and skills.
- Complete their proposed project which furthers the Kingdom of God in correctional ministry.

Possible Capstone Projects

The Capstone Project is determined in consultation with the instructor. The project should be something that will move your ministry forward. Examples: program initiative, grant, policy and procedure manual, research, training manual development, other.

Course Grading

All coursework must be completed and turned in to your online professor within five days of the end of Week 8. Please note that it is at your online professor's discretion to penalize late work. Grades will be issued within two weeks of the end of the course.

Your grade for the course will be determined as follows:

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| Progress Report (weekly) | 20% of Course |
| Capstone Project | 80% of Course |

Grading scale will be as follows:

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| A | 92-100 | A- | 90-91 | B+ | 88-89 |
| B | 82-87 | B- | 80-81 | C+ | 78-79 |
| C | 72-77 | C- | 70-71 | D+ | 68-69 |
| D | 62-67 | D- | 60-61 | F | 0-59 |

WEEKLY TOPICS AND ASSIGNMENTS

MODULE 1: Capstone Project

DUE: July 14

Optional: Email instructor any questions you may have and submit portions of your project for feedback.

ASSIGNMENT: Review/update your project plan and submit.

Progress Report. Report on your task completion for week 1. (1-2 sentences)

MODULE 2: Capstone Project

DUE: July 21

Optional: Email instructor any questions you may have and submit portions of your project for feedback.

ASSIGNMENT: Progress Report. Report on your task completion for week 1. (1-2 sentences)

MODULE 3: Capstone Project

DUE: July 28

Optional: Email instructor any questions you may have and submit portions of your project for feedback.

ASSIGNMENT: Progress Report. Report on your task completion for week 1. (1-2 sentences)

MODULE 4: Capstone Project

DUE: Aug 4

Optional: Email instructor any questions you may have and submit portions of your project for feedback.

ASSIGNMENT: Progress Report. Report on your task completion for week 1. (1-2 sentences)

MODULE 5: Capstone Project

DUE: Aug 11

Optional: Email instructor any questions you may have and submit portions of your project for feedback.

ASSIGNMENT: Progress Report. Report on your task completion for week 1. (1-2 sentences)

MODULE 6: Capstone Project

DUE: Aug 18

Optional: Email instructor any questions you may have and submit portions of your project for feedback.

ASSIGNMENT: Progress Report. Report on your task completion for week 1. (1-2 sentences)

MODULE 7: Capstone Project

DUE: Aug 25

Optional: Email instructor any questions you may have and submit portions of your project for feedback.

ASSIGNMENT: Progress Report. Report on your task completion for week 1. (1-2 sentences)

MODULE 8: Capstone Project

DUE: Sept 1

Optional: Email instructor any questions you may have and submit portions of your project for feedback.

ASSIGNMENT: Submit final Capstone Project