

Master of Liberal Studies (MLS)

Program Path:

IDS Type: Unrestricted IDS

Program Type: Foundational IDS Program

Description: The Master of Liberal Studies (MLS) is directed toward the non-traditional student seeking career enhancement or life enrichment through graduate liberal study. The MLS offers many students an opportunity to complete a graduate degree they would not be able to otherwise receive. Students can quickly achieve results with an individualized graduate program of study. The plan may include on- and off-campus day and night courses, classes taken through the university's Virtual College, or a limited number of courses incorporated from other accredited graduate schools. Students should find the challenge of the MLS as rigorous as any other graduate program, and many of our classes are taught by core graduate faculty. Our MLS program offers one of the best programs for the cost, and with the many concentrations available, most students can find an area that fits their needs. (From website.)

Program Structure:

Admission Requirements: Application, Official Undergraduate Transcripts, Statement of Purpose, (2) Letters of Recommendation

Credit Hours: 31 credits

Required Coursework: 10 credits, Core courses

Individually Selected Coursework: 18 credits

Exit Courses & Work: 3 credits, Culminating Experience (thesis, practicum, internship, portfolio) & comprehensive examination (recommended to be taken in the final semester)

Established Department(s) of Focus: Open

Program Statistics:

Faculty: No IDS specific faculty information available

Students: Resident students only; many courses offered online

Program History: The MLS program has been offered since the late 1990s.

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