

Section 1: Application Procedure**Master of Arts Concentrations: Christian Ministry and Theological Studies****Graduate Certificate in Christian Studies****Master of Divinity**

Important deadlines for Canadian and US students:

All new applications should be completed and received by

May 31 for the Fall Semester

August 31 for the Winter Semester

March 31 for the Spring/Summer Semester.

If you have missed a deadline, contact the Director of the Graduate School for Theology and Ministry or Graduate Studies Admissions.

Deadline for International students: Completed applications must be received by

March 31 for the Fall Semester

June 30 for the Winter Semester.

If you have missed a deadline, contact the Director of the Graduate School for Theology and Ministry or Graduate Studies Admissions.

Checklist of Items needed:

- Complete all pages of the Application for Admission Form and sign at the bottom of page 3. Mark N/A if the information is not applicable to your situation.
- Write and submit a Statement of Interest and Intent. Identify in a paragraph or two the reasons for your interest in Graduate Studies and what your learning objectives are. Mention any vocational goals that you think are relevant to your proposed studies.
- Pass on the confidential reference forms to three referees. One academic and one non-academic (professional or character) reference is preferred. If you have not studied formally for the past five years, contact the Director for the type of alternative reference form that you need to submit. For students applying for the MA in Christian Ministry, at least one letter of reference should come from a local or denominational church leader. For students applying for the MDiv, two references should come from local or denominational church leaders.
- Provide official copies of post-secondary transcripts. Transcript must show completion of a bachelor's degree. Transcripts must be sent directly to Graduate Studies Admissions by the school from which you graduated. (Faxed or scanned transcripts are not acceptable.)
- Application Fee: A non-refundable application fee of \$80 from Canadian/US students (\$150 from International Students) must be included with this application. Cheques or money orders should be made payable to Canadian Mennonite University.

International students only

- Official notice of English Language Proficiency Scores (i.e. T.O.E.F.L. CanTEST, IELTS, PT-Academic) if English is not your first language.
- If not born in Canada, copy of passport or permanent resident card. (Original must be seen upon arrival at CMU.)

Payment Method:

- Cash (in person only) Interac Money Order (payable to CMU) Cheque (payable to CMU)

VISA Master Card Card Number: _____

Expiry Date: ____ / ____ Signature: _____

Section 2: Applicant Information

Name and Address

Mr. Ms. Miss Mrs.

Surname: _____ Given Name: _____

Middle Name(s): _____ Preferred Name: _____

Previous or Other Names (Surnames): _____

Current Address: _____ City/Town: _____ Province/State: _____

Postal/Zip Code: _____ Country: _____ Email: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____ Business Phone: () _____

Personal Information

Date of Birth: (DD/MM/YYYY) ____ / ____ / _____ Gender: Male Female

Marital Status: Single Married Separated/Divorced

Are you a Canadian Citizen: Yes No

If not Canadian, please check one: Permanent Resident* Refugee Planning to apply for a Study Permit

Currently in Canada with a Study Permit for another Institution*

*(Photocopy must be sent with application. Original document must be seen upon arrival at CMU).

Place of Birth: (City/Province or State/Country): _____

Citizen of: _____

Primary Language (*primary language refers to 'mother tongue'*)

English French Other (specify): _____

If you have completed or plan to write any of the following English tests: T.O.E.F.L., CanTEST, M.E.L.A.B., I.E.L.T.S., PTE (Academic) or C.A.E.L., enter the name and date of the last writing or date it is to be written

Test Name: _____ Date (to be) written: _____ Score Received: _____

If you are of Aboriginal ancestry, please specify: First Nations (status) First Nations (non-status) Inuit Metis Other

(By declaring your status, you will help in the development of new services and events for Aboriginal students. The declaration is voluntary.)

Name of Home Church (if applicable): _____

Denomination: _____

Not affiliated with any church or denomination

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: () _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

How did you hear about CMU's Graduate School of Theology and Ministry? _____

Section 3: Program Information

Do you plan to study

- Full-time (18 or more credit hours per year)
- Part-time (less than 18 credit hours per year)

You are applying for:

- Regular Status (having met all entrance requirements)
- Special Status (not having met all entrance requirements)

Which program of study are you applying for?

- Master of Arts
 - Christian Ministry
 - Theological Studies
 - Undecided
- Master of Divinity
- Graduate Certificate in Christian Studies

CMU - MBBS Students

Students who are members of the Mennonite Brethren church and who intend to affiliate with Mennonite Brethren Biblical Seminary Canada (as well as CMU) must indicate their intention here. Before doing so, a conversation about this should take place with the Associate Dean of MBBS.

Statement of Interest and Intent

Write and submit a Statement of Interest and Intent. Please identify in a paragraph or two the reasons for your interest in graduate studies and what your learning objectives are. You are welcome to mention any vocational goals that you think are relevant to your proposed studies.

Enrollment Information

I wish to enter the program: Date: 20 _____ Fall (Sept-Dec) Winter (Jan-April) Spring (May-August)

Housing Information

I am interested in on-campus housing: Yes No
(The housing application form is available online at the "Become a Student" link at cmu.ca)

Section 4: Educational Background

College, Universities, and Graduate Schools	Years Attended	Major Area of Study	Grad Date
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

If you have graduated, please request that all post-secondary institutions send official transcripts to Graduate Studies Admissions. If you are currently studying, ask your institution to send an official interim transcript that shows courses completed as well as courses currently in progress. After graduation, please ask the institution to send an official final transcript. Photocopies and faxes are not acceptable.

Section 5: Work Experience

Worked from/to	Activity or Nature of Work	Location	Employer
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Section 6: References

Please ask three referees to send letters of reference on your behalf (see forms attached and instructions on page 1).

1. Reference Name & Position: _____

Phone: () _____ Email: _____

2. Reference Name & Position: _____

Phone: () _____ Email: _____

3. Reference Name & Position: _____

Phone: () _____ Email: _____

Section 7: Statement of Understanding

I certify that the information provided on this application is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Note: Your personal information provided on this form will be used by CMU for purposes of admission, registration, and communication with you. Your information will be provided, as required, to Statistics Canada, to the Government of Manitoba, and to other authorized government departments. Your name, address, year-level, church affiliation, declared program, and the name of your high school will be shared with CMU's offices working with External connections including student recruitment, development, and alumni. Alumni records will be maintained indefinitely for purposes of maintaining contact with former students.

Signature of applicant: _____

Date (DD/MM/YYYY): ____ / ____ / ____

Return all forms to:

Graduate Studies Admissions
Canadian Mennonite University

500 Shaftesbury Blvd.
Winnipeg, MB R3P 2N2
Fax: 204.487.3858