



## **CLSR9301 Historical Leadership Developments**

PhD Colloquium in Christian Leadership Major Fall 2020 Semester  
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### **Mission Statement**

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary and Leavell College prepare servants to walk with Christ, proclaim His truth, and fulfill His mission.

### **Core Value Focus**

NOBTS has five core values (rf., Graduate Catalog). The Core Value focus for 2020-2021 is Mission Focus.

### **Course Description, Teaching Methodology, and Curriculum Competencies**

This colloquium is designed to direct Ph.D. students majoring in Christian Leadership to explore foundational readings and literary resources related to significant developments which have shaped the field of leadership.

### **Student Learning Outcomes**

At the conclusion of this colloquium, students will:

1. Be able to identify foundational works which have shaped the field of Christian leadership.
2. Be able to list significant historical developments in field of Christian leadership.\
3. Value the contribution of key leadership developments to the advancement of Christian leadership.
4. Demonstrate acceptable knowledge of significant leadership developments in their doctoral qualifying and oral exams.

### **Required Textbook**

Ledbetter, Bernice M., Robert J. Banks, and David C. Greenhalph. *Reviewing Leadership: A Christian Evaluation of Current Approaches*. Second Edition. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2016.

### **Supplemental Textbooks**

Clinton, J. Robert. *A Short History of Leadership*. Altadena, CA: Barnabas, 1992.

Goethals, George, and Georgia L.J. Sorenson, Editors. *The Quest for a General Theory of Leadership*. Northampton, MA: Edward Elgar, 2006.

J. Thomas Wren. *The Leader's Companion: Insights on Leadership Through the Ages*. New York: The Free Press, 1995.

## Schedule of Colloquium Sessions

This colloquium will be taught in a non-traditional format. Because the colloquium will only meet four times during the semester, students should take careful note of the assignments and the corresponding due dates. Students must attend every session of the colloquium and be prepared to discuss the corresponding assignments. All Assignments are to be uploaded in BLACKBOARD, no later than 8 a.m. on the date assigned.

## Assignments and Evaluation Criteria

1. An **Executive Summary** of the *Reviewing Leadership* textbook. An Executive Summary is a short document which summarizes a book in such a way that readers can become rapidly acquainted with it without having to read it all. The Executive Summary will consist of a one-page synthesis of EACH chapter (8 chapters) in the book, including the following components:
  - a. A three-paragraph summation of the chapter contents.
  - b. A two-paragraph discussion of the Value of the chapter topic for the field of Christian Leadership.
  - c. Select three (3) key insights from the chapter and give a one-paragraph discussion (for each insight) of their application to contemporary Christian leadership.

Format for the Executive Summary: Single-spaced, no paragraph indentions, a double space between paragraph, headings/subheadings, pagination, and cover page according to Turabian, references and/or quotes indicated by endnotes instead of footnotes.

2. An **Annotated Bibliography** of significant books and dissertations (PhD and DMin) which have shaped the field of Christian leadership development. Students preparing for their doctoral qualifying exam must list thirty (30) entries in correct Turabian format. Students preparing for their doctoral oral exam must list forty (40) entries in correct Turabian format. The Annotated Bibliography must contain at least 5, but no more than 10 dissertation entries. Maximum length of annotations – two paragraphs (200 words). Format: Annotations should list the bibliographic entry, followed by single-spaced paragraphs, double-spaced between the annotations.
3. An **Annotated Bibliography** of twenty journal articles which address the field of Christian leadership development. Five (5) of the annotated articles are to be selected from the *Journal of Biblical Perspectives in Leadership*. The remaining fifteen (15) articles may be selected from the EBSCOhost and/or ATLA database search in the NOBTS Library, and must involve at least five different professional Journals. Maximum length of annotations – two paragraphs (200 words). Format: same as Assignment #2.
4. An **Annotated List** of ten (10) Fields of Research that must be studied in order to analyze the historical development of Christian leadership. Each annotation should address the significance (importance) of the field related to the historical development of Christian leadership – past, present, and future. Each of the Fields of Research annotations should be at least three-paragraphs, but no more than one page per annotation. Format: same as Assignment #1.

## Evaluation for Grading:

The assignments will be weighted according to perception of the professor in regard to the overall quality of the student's work.

The colloquium will utilize **BLACKBOARD**. Assignments are to be uploaded in the Assignment section no later than 8 am on the due date. Assignments 2, 3 & 4 should also be uploaded into a Discussion Board section for sharing with the other colloquium participants.

## Schedule of Colloquium Sessions (Times listed CST)

Thursday, September 3, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Introductions and Assignment review

Assignment #1 Discussion – Executive Summary of *Reviewing Leadership*

Thursday, October 1, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Assignment #2 Discussion – Annotated Bibliography of books and dissertations

Thursday, November 5, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Assignment #3 Discussion – Annotated Bibliography of Journal Articles

Thursday, December 3, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Assignment #4 Discussion – Annotated List of Research Fields

## Absences, Make-up Work, and Late Assignments

Students are not allowed to miss any meetings of the colloquium. In emergency situations, students should notify the professor. Students who are excused by the professor for one colloquium meeting due to an unavoidable emergency will be assigned a topic to research and on which to write a 12-15 page research paper for submission on May 10. All assignments are due as scheduled. Late assignments are not permitted.

## Selected Bibliography

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Banks, Robert, ed. *Faith Goes to Work: Reflections from the Marketplace*. Washington, DC: Alban Institute, 1993.

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Blanchard, Ken. *Leading at a Higher Level: Blanchard on Leadership and creating High Performing Organizations*. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall, 2006.

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- Malphurs, Aubrey. *Being Leaders: The Nature of Authentic Christian Leadership*. Grand Rapids: Baker Books, 2003.
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- McKenna, David L. *The Leaders Legacy: Preparing for Greater Things*. Newburg, OR: Barclay, 2006.
- McNeal, Reggie. *A Work of Heart: Understanding How God Shapes Spiritual Leaders*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 2000.
- \_\_\_\_\_. *Practicing Greatness: 7 Disciplines of Extraordinary Spiritual Leaders*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 2006.
- Northouse, Peter G. *Leadership Theory and Practice*. 7<sup>th</sup> ed. Los Angeles: Sage, 2017.
- Schein, Edgar H. *Organizational Culture and Leadership*. 5<sup>th</sup> ed. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 2017.
- Stevens, M.E. *Leadership Roles of the Old Testament: King, Prophet, Priest, Sage*. Eugene, OR: Cascade Books, 2012.
- Strom, Mark. *Lead with Wisdom: How Wisdom Transforms Good Leaders into Great Leaders*. Melborne: John Wiley, 2014.
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