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Master of Science (MS) Course Requirements

Email Address:			
Major Professor:			
Committee Members:			
Outside Member:			
Admit Term:		Expected Completion Term:	
CORE REQUIREMENTS (18 Credits)		Credits	Semester Planned
<i>Foundations</i>			
HDFS 6060	Human Development Theories	3	
HDFS 6070	Family Theories	3	
<i>Introductory Methods and Statistics</i>			
HDFS 6031	Research Methods	3	
EDUC 6050	Applied Statistical Analysis	3	
<i>Research</i>			
HDFS 6970	Thesis Research	6	
PICK TWO (6 Credits)		Credits	Semester Planned
<i>Human Development</i>			
HDFS 6020	Human Development Research and Application	3	
HDFS 6510	Development in Infancy	3	
HDFS 6520	Development in Childhood	3	
HDFS 6530	Development in Youth & Adolescence	3	
HDFS 6540	Adulthood and Aging	3	
<i>Family Relations</i>			
HDFS 6010	Family Research and Application	3	
HDFS 6040	Economics and Financial Literacy in the Family	3	
HDFS 6220	Interpersonal Family Relationships	3	
HDFS 6910	Parenting	3	
PICK ONE (3 Credits)		Credits	Semester Planned
<i>Contemporary Issues</i>			
HDFS 6210	Cultural Diversity in Families	3	
HDFS 6230	Family and Social Policy	3	
HDFS 6240	Race, Gender, and Social Justice	3	
HDFS 6900	Topical Seminar in HDFS	3 ^a	
ELECTIVES (3 Credits)			
		3 ^b	

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ADDITIONAL DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS				
HDFS 6960	HDFS Graduate Student Orientation	1 ^c		
HDFS 6961	HDFS TA Orientation	1 ^c		
30 Total Credits Needed for Graduation			Total Credits on POS	
Notes:				

Updated 2024

^a Offerings will be determined by the HDFS department head and faculty member

^b May include any of the “pick two” or “pick one” courses, or classes from other departments as approved by the Supervisory Committee

^c Required for teaching and/or research assistantship: Course credit does not count toward degree requirements

