

**Palmer Theological Seminary**  
The Seminary of Eastern University  
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**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION**  
Masters Programs

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(last name) (maiden name) (first name) (middle name)

Present mailing address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Effective until \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent home address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Country of citizenship? \_\_\_\_\_ Visa Status? \_\_\_\_\_ Passport expiration date \_\_\_\_\_  
(Non-immigrant visa-holders must submit copies of current immigration documents: visa, passport, I-94 or I-20)

Gender  Male  Female

**How do you describe yourself?** Your response to the two questions below is voluntary and will not influence decisions about admissions. This information will be used by the University and the government for statistical purposes.

**ETHNICITY is based on the following categorization:**

Hispanic or Latino: A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race. The term "Spanish origin" can be used in addition to "Hispanic or Latino."

Are you Hispanic or Latino? (Please choose one answer)  Yes  No

**RACE is based on the following five categorizations:**

American Indian or Alaskan Native: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.

Asian: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

Black or African American: A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa. Terms such as "Haitian" or "Negro" can be used in addition to "Black or African American."

Native American or Other Pacific Islander: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

White: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

What is your race? (Please choose one or more options below)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaskan Native | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian                             | <input type="checkbox"/> White                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American         |  |

For what **degree** are you applying?

- Master of Divinity (MDIV)
- MDIV/MSW (Master of Social Work)
- MDIV/MA in International Development
- MDIV/MBA in Economic Development
- MTS Openseminary™

Master of Theological Studies (MTS)

If MTS, which concentration?

- General Studies
- Biblical Studies & Theology
- Christian Counseling
- Christian Faith & Public Policy
- Uncertain

When do you expect to begin? \_\_\_\_\_ (month) \_\_\_\_\_ (year)

Do you plan to participate in Mission Year **prior** to attending Palmer?  Yes  No  Uncertain

Do you plan to be full-time or part-time?  Full-time student (8 units or more per semester)

Part-time student (7 units or less per semester)

What person or event influenced you to apply to Palmer? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list the names of other seminaries to which you are applying. \_\_\_\_\_

### Marriage and Family

If married, name of spouse \_\_\_\_\_

### Education

List below all previous academic and professional training (post secondary education).

Name of School and Location	Dates of Attendance	Degree Received	Date Received or Expected
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

### Church Background

State chronologically the history of your church involvement. Begin with the church with which you first united and continue with a list of local congregations in which you have been active. Accompany this list with the dates of each involvement. Include any long period of non-membership or inactivity.

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*Church Background continued*

In what church are you presently a member? \_\_\_\_\_

Length of membership \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address of church \_\_\_\_\_

Name of pastor \_\_\_\_\_

Specific denominational affiliation(s) of church (such as National Baptist, United Methodist, American Baptist, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail or website of church \_\_\_\_\_

**Christian Ministry**

Are you licensed to preach?  Yes  No By what church group? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you ordained?  Yes  No By what church group? \_\_\_\_\_

Date of ordination \_\_\_\_\_

**Employment**

If presently employed, please state your occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Work phone number \_\_\_\_\_

**Legal Disclosures**

Have you been convicted of a crime within the last 7 years (other than a minor traffic violation)?  Yes  No  
If yes, give details on a separate sheet.

**Application Checklist**

Please refer to the application checklist for information relevant to completing the application process.

**Application Fee**

Please enclose your non-refundable application processing fee of \$30.00. (This fee is waived when applying online.)

**Declaration**

I have answered the above questions truthfully and to the best of my knowledge.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

