

SCHOOL COUNSELING CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

The graduate certification in School Counseling is designed for individuals who have a Master's degree in Counseling from a CACREP-accredited institution (or equivalent) in an emphasis other than school counseling. This certification program provides post-graduate training in the emphasis area of school counseling to students who have completed a Master's in Counseling in a different emphasis. If this requirement has not been met, additional course work, or the MS Counseling program, may be required. <https://www.uww.edu/coeps/counselor-education/post-master-certificate> (<https://www.uww.edu/coeps/counselor-education/post-master-certificate/>) for application materials.

Program Requirements

Courses would be taken sequentially to address the development of counseling services K-12. The internship will be one or two semesters (600 hours), depending on the needs of the student, as determined by Counselor Education faculty. Experience in all three areas (Elementary and Secondary levels) will be required.

The certificate program requires completion of the following courses in sequence:

Code	Title	Units
Certificate Requirements ¹		
COUNSED 716	CRISIS INTERVENTION AND TRAUMA COUNSELING ACROSS SETTINGS	3
or COUNSED 705	BUILDING RESILIENCE: TRAUMA INFORMED PRACTICE AND CRISIS RESPONSE	
COUNSED 720	CAREER DEVELOPMENT AND INFORMATION SERVICES	2-3
or COUNSED 704	SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAMS II	
COUNSED 738	SCHOOLS AND THE ROLE OF THE SCHOOL COUNSELOR	3
COUNSED 743	SCHOOL COUNSELING: CONSULTATION, COLLABORATION, AND INTERVENTION	3
Internship Requirement		3
COUNSED 797	ADVANCED INTERNSHIP	
Total Units		14-15

¹ Transcripts will be checked for DPI statutory requirements. Additional coursework or trainings may be required. Candidates must also pass the state-approved standardized test of content knowledge in order to be endorsed by UW-Whitewater for DPI licensure.