



McMaster Divinity  
College

DPT

Application for a  
Directed Study

## Doctor of Practical Theology (DPT)

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Please review the proposed Directed Study with your Primary Supervisor *before submitting* to the Student Records Office for approval by the VP Academic. Application for Directed Study must be made at least one month prior to the start of the semester.

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student ID #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Information (email):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Program:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Primary Supervisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Proposed Title:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Term/Year:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Area of Emphasis:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Please provide reasons for the study in the box below:**

**Proposed Faculty / Course Instructor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature/Approval of Faculty / Course Instructor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Proposed Syllabus (follow guidelines below):**

1. **COURSE TITLE**
2. **OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE** (4-5 specific objectives)
3. **COURSE OUTLINE** (Specific stages / timelines for readings, specific dates for 3 or 4 meetings with instructor, due dates for course requirements)
4. **DESCRIPTION OF COURSE REQUIREMENTS and BASIS OF GRADING** (Normative course requirements include approx. 4,000 pages of reading and written work of approx. 12,000 words)
5. **READING LIST**
  - a. Required Readings (determined by discussion with proposed faculty/instructor)
  - b. Supporting Bibliography

### FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

**VP Academic  
or  
Designate**

**Approval:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Assigned Course Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**External Faculty Assigned:** Yes/No \_\_\_\_\_

**If Yes, External Faculty Name:** \_\_\_\_\_