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Wesley M.Div. Learning Objectives

These objectives are included on the learning partners' final evaluation.

As part of the Master of Divinity program at Wesley Seminary, PM&M interns are working towards the following twelve objectives. In the box below, please comment on any strengths or weakness you have observed regarding the intern's progress towards these objectives.

Please be specific in your response by referencing the objective's number.

The objectives include the following:

- 1. Knowledge of biblical and historical foundations of Christian theology and practice
- Critical understanding of methodological issues in interpreting these traditions for contemporary faith and practice
- 3. Engagement with the diversity of the Christian heritage and imaginative expression in liturgy, writing and the arts
- 4. Ability to enter into diverse cultural communities with an openness to encountering, contributing to, and learning from different cultural perspectives
- 5. Critical use of methods for identifying and analyzing cultural patterns, social structures, and economic forces impacting human communities and their lived faith
- 6. Constructive engagement in collaborative ministry with others in ways that are culturally informed
- 7. Skill in practicing the arts of ministry and church leadership
- 8. Ability to work effectively with others to facilitate their gifts for service and leadership in the church, in community organization, and in the public square
- 9. Fruitful approaches toward innovation to help others face new challenges and opportunities for creative and faithful ministry and mission
- 10. Committed discipleship as faithful individuals and as persons of moral character within community
- 11. Responsibility for directing their learning for more effective engagement
- 12. Self-awareness, especially of their own emotional processes in interaction with others