

Garrett Evangelical-Theological Seminary
E34-602 Practicum/Supervision in Spiritual Direction/Companionship

Spiritual Direction Case Study and Integrative Reflection

Guidance for focus and content

This assignment offers an invitation to choose a spiritual direction conversation, and along with writing up the conversation in verbatim form, to engage in a broad-ranging and integrative reflection as part of the process.

In your case study include:

1) *the verbatim components*

Personal background and spirituality of the directee

Include reflection on stages of spiritual formation you become aware of as you listen to and discern this person's life and soul narrative.

Background and context of meeting

Verbatim of the conversation

Include the actual conversation, also your own, inner feelings, etc. (Left hand column)

2) *integrative reflection*

a. Discussion of the relationship and work of the director – see “Writing A Verbatim” and “Reflecting on a verbatim” handouts.

b. In your discussion/reflection include focused references to:

readings, course lectures (cite at least 5 sources – from readings and course lectures), your experience of giving spiritual direction, personal progress reports, reflection papers, earlier verbatim.

These references would include work done in all training retreats and home-based work.

Format

Prepare your case study and integrative reflection in the regular verbatim format. The sections for reflection will necessarily be longer and more complete as you decide which readings, lectures, etc. to refer to and include. Include a bibliography of references to readings you quote and/or refer to. Use one form of citations in consistent way. If you have questions, use G-ETS Style Sheet.

Your completed case study and integrative reflection should be 14 - 16 pages long, double spaced.

Submission

Send your completed work to via e-mail attachment to:

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Very important: Please include your name and email address on the title page.
And please number your pages. Thank you ! ☺