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Advanced Certificate in  
Spiritual Direction Supervision  
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## Overview

The West Virginia Institute For Spirituality is committed to the formation of competent supervisors in the specialized ministry of spiritual direction. Supervision is an essential component of any spiritual direction training program.

Participants receive 45 hours of course work. In addition to course work, 300 hours of supervision is required. One third of these hours must be in individual sessions with WVIS supervisors.

## Pre-Requisites for Program

- ◆ Be in spiritual direction
- ◆ Hold a certificate in spiritual direction training
- ◆ Have directed a minimum of three years post certification
- ◆ Submit two letters of reference
- ◆ Submit two letters documenting your experience in facilitating directed retreats
- ◆ Complete on-line application for advanced certificate in supervision
- ◆ Interview with Executive Director
- ◆ Exceptions discussed with Executive Director
- ◆ Modest scholarships available

## Purpose of Certification Program

The Certificate in Advanced Training and Supervision is designed for experienced spiritual directors. This program facilitates education, enrichment and hands-on experiences by providing:

- ◆ Personal growth and formation in the art of supervision
- ◆ Knowledge and reflection exercises on models of supervision
- ◆ Improved communication skills within the context of the helping relationship
- ◆ Discernment of one's call to the ministry of supervision in spiritual direction
- ◆ Practica and supervision in directing the Spiritual Exercises in a retreat setting

This program is available to laity, religious, and clergy of all faith traditions. It will consist of lectures, required reading, group process, theological reflection, integration, professional identity, ethics and individual supervision.

### **Classes held in person and by Zoom**

## Accommodations

Candidates in the Certificate Program for Supervision and Advanced Study can reserve rooms in advance at The West Virginia Institute For Spirituality.

Offering for accommodation and meals in main residence is \$150.00 per night. The donation for the Ardath S. Francke Hermitage is \$180.00 per night.

## Course Offerings

### **MODULE I and II**

**Seven Models of Supervision and Learning Objectives**  
**November 4-5, 2022**

**Friday:** 1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**Saturday:** 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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### **MODULE III**

**Seminar: Review of Core Competencies**

**March 3-4, 2023**

**Friday:** 1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**Saturday:** 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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### **MODULE IV**

**Ministry of Supervision and Practicum**

Almost Heaven Directed Retreat, The WV Institute for Spirituality, Charleston, WV 25311

**By Appointment**

## Tuition

\$1,500.00

