IS-LM ASSESSMENT RUBRIC

	Excellent		Competent		Unacceptable		NA
Student thinks critically and creatively about Leadership into Mission and Scripture	6	5	4	3	2	1	
Student demonstrates a sound understanding of the relationship of Scripture to pastoral leadership							
Student consistently follows her or his own statement concerning the relationship of Scripture to pastoral leadership							
Student draws creatively on both disciplines in developing a coherent proposal							
Student demonstrates skills and knowledge in interpreting Scripture							
Student demonstrates knowledge of the content of Scripture							
Student expresses an adequate understanding of Scripture as a theological authority for the church							
Student articulates a reasoned hermeneutic							
Student gives evidence of an understanding of reflecting on Scripture as a spiritual exercise							
Critical Study							
Student demonstrates ability to use tools of historical critical criticism and exegesis							
Student demonstrates ability to use tools of literary critical criticism and exegesis							
Student demonstrates ability to use the tools of theological criticism and exegesis							
Student demonstrates ability to appropriate the theological message of the text							
Appropriation							
Student demonstrates critical appropriation of Scripture in thinking about congregational life and mission today							
Student uses Scripture in an appropriate way in leading the congregation in its life and mission							
Student demonatrates skills and knowledge in leading a congregation (Leadership into Mission)							
Congregational Analysis							
Student offers a congregational analysis that is grounded in critical questions							
Student offers a coherent and compelling interpretation of the congregational context							
Proposal							
Student offers a proposal grounded in a coherent and compelling understanding of the challenges facing congregations today							
Student offers a proposal grounded in a coherent and compelling understanding of how to lead congregations through adaptive change							
Bible Study and Presentation							
Student demonstrates effective leadership skills in the bible study and presentation							