

MA Summative Interview Program Requirement

Each MA program with Horizon Seminary requires the completion of the Summative Interview. In this program component students will be invited to reflect upon their achievements of the specified learning outcomes for their degree:

In keeping with Horizon Seminary's mission, and purpose for our MA degrees, students are required to be part of a pre-graduation interview. The interview serves two purposes, one for the student and one for Horizon Seminary. For the student, the interview is meant to be an encouragement and a summative exercise related to the program learning outcomes. Although no grade is assigned, the interview must be completed as a graduation requirement. The interview will be led by two faculty members. For the seminary, the interview provides an opportunity for self-assessment on how well it achieves learning outcomes for the student body as whole and for individual students. The interview would be scheduled for one hour and would focus on the questionnaire and the supporting artifacts in the learning portfolio on Populi.

In preparation for the interview, students must submit the following:

- A completed questionnaire that invites students to evaluate the extent to which their degree has equipped them through engagement in the learning outcomes of their degree:
 - A standard, program specific syllabus and questionnaire will be provided to the student. Overall length of the completed questionnaire will be about 5 pages.
- 2. A compiled portfolio of the various artifacts that would be identified and communicated to the student.

