

Candidacy Committee Schedule and Deadlines

Following is a schedule of meetings and deadlines of the Central/Southern Illinois Synod Candidacy Committee. Candidates will want to plan accordingly to ensure paperwork is filed well in advance of committee meetings. All paperwork should be sent to the synod office: laura.lee@csis-elca.org

** If you anticipate an endorsement decision at a time other than the fall, please be in communication with your seminary and the Candidacy Committee to allow sufficient time to schedule your interview.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting – March 13-14, 2020

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by February 17, 2020, for consideration for the March 13-14, 2020, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting - August 7-8, 2020

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by July 13, 2020, for consideration for the August 7-8, 2020, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

Fall 2020 Endorsements

Candidacy paperwork for Endorsement must be received and in good order by September 1, 2020, for consideration for Fall/Winter 2020 Endorsement. Endorsement Interview dates will be set with the seminaries.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting - November 13-14, 2020

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by October 19, 2020, for consideration for the November 13-14, 2020, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

** If you are seeking an approval decision to be made at the November 14 meeting, the October 19 deadline may be flexible, but you must let the candidacy committee chair know when to expect Form D from the seminary. You also need to let your seminary know that you need Form D to be completed and submitted as soon as possible so that your approval interview can take place.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting - March 12-13, 2021

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by February 15, 2021, for consideration for the March 12-13, 2021, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting - August 6-7, 2021

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by July 12, 2021, for consideration for the August 6-7, 2021, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

Fall 2021 Endorsements

Candidacy paperwork for Endorsement must be received and in good order by September 1, 2021, for consideration for Fall/Winter 2021 Endorsement. Endorsement Interview dates will be set with the seminaries.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting - November 12-13, 2021

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by October 18, 2021, for consideration for the November 12-13, 2021, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

** If you are seeking an approval decision to be made at the November 13 meeting, the October 18 deadline may be flexible, but you must let the candidacy committee chair know when to expect Form D from the seminary. You also need to let your seminary know that you need Form D to be completed and submitted as soon as possible so that your approval interview can take place.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting - March 11-12, 2022

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by February 14, 2022, for consideration for the March 11-12, 2022, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting - August 5-6, 2022

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by July 11, 2022, for consideration for the August 5-6, 2022, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

Fall 2022 Endorsements

Candidacy paperwork for Endorsement must be received and in good order by September 1, 2022, for consideration for Fall/Winter 2022 Endorsement. Endorsement Interview dates will be set with the seminaries.

Candidacy Interviews and Meeting - November 11-12, 2022

Candidacy paperwork must be received and in good order by October 17, 2022, for consideration for the November 11-12, 2022, interviews and meeting.

If you are seeking entrance into candidacy, please note that scheduling of the psychological evaluation requires completion of the application with essay, other documents, and an initial interview. The psychological evaluation process takes approximately four months. Please plan ahead so that the psychological report meets the paperwork deadline prior to your entrance interview.

** If you are seeking an approval decision to be made at the November 12 meeting, the October 17 deadline may be flexible, but you must let the candidacy committee chair know when to expect Form D from the seminary. You also need to let your seminary know that you need Form D to be completed and submitted as soon as possible so that your approval interview can take place.