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EDUCATION

- 2009-2012 Ph.D., Historical Theology, The University of Stellenbosch, South Africa.
2004-2006 M.A.R., Theological Studies, Reformed Theological Seminary, Charlotte, NC
2001-2003 M.A., Biblical & Theological Studies, Wheaton College Graduate School, Wheaton, IL
1996-2000 B.S. (*cum laude*), Christian Ministry, Shorter College, Rome, GA

ECCLESIAL IDENTITY

- 2012-Present Priest in the Anglican Church in North America (ACNA)

TEACHING/PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Fall, 2017 Adjunct Professor of Religion, University of Tennessee Chattanooga, Chattanooga, TN
REL 2140 - The History of Christianity
- 2010-Present Chaplain, Pastor, and Adjunct Professor, Berry College, Mount Berry, GA.
Taught courses, led campus chapel program- College Church, and oversaw all campus ministry activities.
- REL 103 - Introduction to Christian Theology
REL 202 - Interpreting the New Testament
REL 101 - Interpreting the Old Testament
REL 250 - Theology of Vocation
REL 305 - History of Christianity
REL 425I – Senior Thesis
BCC 100 - First-Year Seminar
BCC 150 – Ministry Professions: Church & Parachurch
- Created and developed the Lumen Lecture Series.
See <http://berry.edu/religiouslife/guestspeakers/> for more information.

- 2012-Present Research Associate, Systematic Theology and Ecclesiology. The University of Stellenbosch, South Africa

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2007-2010 Adjunct Instructor II, Covenant College, Lookout Mountain, GA

BIB 251 - Biblical Literature
BIB 252 - Christian Doctrine
BIB/MGT 253 - Spirituality in the Workplace.

2006, 2010 Adjunct Instructor of Religion, Shorter College, School of Professional Programs,
Lawrenceville, GA

RELN 2110 - Biblical Literature
RELN 3312 - Epistles and Revelation
RELN 3550 - American Church History.

2010 Adjunct Instructor, Point University, East Point, GA

REL - Introduction to the New Testament

2008-2010 Assistant Pastor for Worship, Discipleship, & Leadership Training, GracePointe Community
Church (PCA), Cumming, GA

2006-2008 Assistant Pastor for Youth and Families, Hixson Presbyterian Church (PCA), Hixson, TN

2003-2006 Bible Teacher, Campus Pastor, Asst. Baseball Coach, Heritage Academy, Flowery Branch, GA

I designed and taught the following courses:

Old Testament
New Testament
Bible Survey
Christian Doctrine
Church History
Biblical Worldview

I also planned weekly chapel services and directed a Student Leadership Team.

PUBLICATIONS

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Books

Living Justification: A Historical-Theological Study of the Reformed Doctrine of Justification in the Writings of John Calvin, Jonathan Edwards, and N.T. Wright (Eugene, OR: Wipf & Stock, 2013).

Study Guide to John Frame's "Salvation belongs to the Lord" (Phillipsburg, NJ: P&R, 2014).

Articles and Book Contributions

“N.T. Wright on Justification: Faithfully Embodying the Reformed Tradition of *Semper Reformanda*?” in NGTT DEEL 53 NO 3 & 4 SEPTEMBER & DECEMBER 2012 (Dutch Reformed Theological Journal), 145-159.

“Jonathan Edwards and Justification: Embodying a Living Tradition,” *The Journal of Reformed Theology*, 8.1 (2014) 169-202.

“The Providence of God in the Acts of the Apostles,” In *Scriptura*, [S.l.], v. 113, p. 1-10, Jan. 2015.

“N.T. Wright and the Historical Adam,” *The Bulletin of Ecclesial Theology*, forthcoming, 2018.

“Jonathan Edwards, Jr” in Kenneth P. Minkema and Adriaan Neele, Eds, *A Jonathan Edwards Encyclopedia*, Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2017, 179-180.

“Teaching Theology as a College Chaplain,” *Didaktikos*, Vol 1. Issue 3, March 2018, 8-9.

Book Reviews

Review of *Jesus, Paul, and the Gospels*, by James D. G. Dunn. In *Novum Testamentum* 56 (2014) 212-214

Review of *Jonathan Edwards and Justification*, by Josh Moody, ed. In *Fides et Historia*, 45:2 Summer/Fall, 2013, 147-149.

Review of *Evangelicals and Nicene Faith*, by Timothy George, ed. In *The Journal of Reformed Theology*. 7.3 (2013), 361-362.

Review of *Jonathan Edwards and the Gospel of Love*, by Ronald Story. In *Jonathan Edwards Studies Journal*. Vol 3, No 2 (2013), 295-297.

Review of *Anglican Theology*, by Mark D. Chapman. In *Themelios* Vol 38. Issue 2, July 2013, 318-319.

Review of *Canon Revisited: Establishing the Origins and Authority of the New Testament Books*, by Michael J. Kruger. In *Themelios* Vol 38. Issue 3, November 2013, 468-470.

Review of *Abraham Kuyper: Modern Calvinist, Christian Democrat*, by James D. Bratt. In the *Christian Scholars Review* 43, no. 3 (Winter 2013).

Review of *The Message of Jesus: John Dominic Crossan and Ben Witherington III in Dialogue*, by Robert B. Stewart, Ed. In *Scriptura* 112 (2013:1), pp. 1-3.

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Review of *The Case for the Psalms: Why They Are Essential*, by N.T. Wright. In the *Dutch Reformed Theological Journal* (NGTT), 2013.

Review of *Spiritual Formation in Emerging Adulthood: A Practical Theology for College and Young Adult Ministry*, by David P. Setran and Chris A. Kiesling. For *reformation 21*.

Review of *Anglicanism: Confidence, Commitment, and Communion*, by Martyn Percy. In *Themelios* Vol 39. Issue 1, April 2014, 174-176.

Review of *Ethics of Hope*, by Jürgen Moltmann, In the *Dutch Reformed Theological Journal* (NGTT), 2013.

Review of *Portraits of a Mature God: Choices in Old Testament Theology*, by Mark McEntire. In *Scriptura* 112 (2013:1), pp. 1-3.

Review of *C.S. Lewis: A Life. Eccentric Genius. Reluctant Prophet*, by Alister McGrath. In *The Imaginative Conservative*. <http://www.theimaginativeconservative.org/c-s-lewis-a-life-biography/>

Review of *The End of Our Exploring: A Book About Questioning and the Confidence of Faith*, by Mathew Lee Anderson. In the *Anglican Theological Review* Vol 96, Number 3, Summer 2014, p. 590.

Review of *The Briarpatch Gospel: Fearlessly Following Jesus Into the Thorny Places*, by Shayne Wheeler. In *reformation 21*.

Review of *Against the Gods: The Polemical Theology of the Old Testament*, by John D. Currid. In the *Dutch Reformed Theological Journal* (NGTT), 2013.

Review of *How God Became Jesus: The Real Origins of Belief in Jesus' Divine Nature*, by Michael F. Bird, Craig A. Evans, Simon J. Gathercole, Charles E. Hill, and Chris Tilling. In *Themelios*, Vol 39. Issue 2, July 2014, 319-321.

Review of *Surprised By Scripture: Engaging Contemporary Issues*, by N.T. Wright. In the *Calvin Theological Journal*, Vol 49, Number 2 November, 2014.

Review of *Paul and the Faithfulness of God*, by N.T Wright. In the *Dutch Reformed Theological Journal*, Vol 55, No 3-4 (2014), 929-931.

Review of *Edwards on the Christian Life: Alive to the Beauty of God*, by Dane Ortlund, in *Jonathan Edwards Studies Journal*, Vol 4, No 3 (2014), 383-385.

Review of *Faith Speaking Understanding: Performing the Drama of Doctrine*, by Kevin J. Vanhoozer, in the *Christian Scholar's Review* 45, no. 1 (Fall 2015).

Review of *Jürgen Moltmann: Collected Readings*, by Margaret Kohl, ed. In the *Dutch Reformed Theological Journal*, Vol 55, No 3-4 (2014), 932-934.

Review of *Evangelical Versus Liturgical?: Defying a Dichotomy*, by Melanie C. Ross, for the *Bulletin of Ecclesial Theology*, Vol 3.1 (2016), 162-164.

Review of *The Living God and the Fullness of Life*, by Jürgen Moltmann, in the *Stellenbosch Theological Journal*, Vol 1, No 2 (2015), 787-789.

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Review of *Being Christian: Baptism, Bible, Eucharist, Prayer*, by Rowan Williams, in the *Anglican Theological Review*, Vol 99, No 2 (2017), 425-427.

Review of *The Triune God*, by Fred Sanders, for *Reading Religion*, 2017.

Review of *Christianity: The Biography, 2000 Years of Global History*, by Ian J. Shaw, for *Reading Religion*, 2017.

Review of *The Sign and the Sacrifice*, by Rowan Williams, for the *Anglican Theological Review*, Vol 100, No 1 (2018), 233-235.

Review of *Justified in Christ: The Doctrines of Peter Martyr Vermigli and John Henry Newman and their Ecumenical Implications*, by Chris Castaldo, for the *Bulletin of Ecclesial Theology*, Vol 4.2 (2018), 99-102.

Review of *The End is Not Yet: Standing Firm in Apocalyptic Times*, John W. de Gruchy, for the *Stellenbosch Theological Journal*,

Review of *How Then Shall We Live*, by Samuel Wells, for the *Anglican Theological Review*,

Review of *Honoring the Son: Jesus in Earliest Christian Devotional Practice*, Larry W. Hurtado, for *First Things*, Briefly Noted,

Presentations

Paper Presenter at 2010 Annual meeting of the Evangelical Theological Society. "N.T. Wright and Justification."

Paper Presenter at 2011 Jonathan Edwards Society Annual Conference. "Jonathan Edwards and Justification."

Paper Presenter at the Joint Conference of Academic Societies in the Field of Religion and Theology, South Africa, June, 2012. "Jonathan Edwards and Justification: Living Traditions, Ecumenical Dialogue, and Global Theology."

Panelist at NetVUE Chaplaincy Conference, for session titled, "Practices for Effective Campus Chaplaincy." September 26-27, 2014.

Panelist at Center for Pastor Theologians Conference on "Creation and Doxology: The Beginning and End of God's Good World," for a session titled, "Creation Care and the Church." October 24, 2017.

Presenter at NetVUE Regional Conference. "The Call to Rest: An Often Neglected Aspect of Human Vocation." February 23-24, 2018.

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Grants

Fall 2018, received \$5000 grant from the Center for Pastor Theologians (Templeton Foundation funded) to develop programming at Berry College on “the Art and Science of Spiritual Formation.”

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Historical, Biblical, and Systematic Theology
New Testament Theology
Theological Interpretation of the Bible/ Missional Hermeneutics
New Testament backgrounds (Greco-Roman history, philosophy, and religion)
Early Church and Reformation history
Christianity & Science
Theology of Vocation.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Center for Pastor Theologians
Society of Biblical Literature
Evangelical Theological Society
Jonathan Edwards Society
Conference on Faith and History
American Society of Church History
National Association of College and University Chaplains

HONORS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

American Bible Society’s Scholarly Achievement Award (Greek)
Theta Alpha Kappa
Berry College Outstanding Staff Member Award, 2011-2012.
Berry College Team of the Year: Chaplain’s Office, 2015-2016.
NetVUE Campus Representative
President’s Advisory Council
Student Life Council
Interfaith Council
Blind Reviewer for various journals
Service Cottage Mentor
“Senior Scholars” Professor (for local retirees)

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ACADEMIC REFERENCES

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