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CURRENT POSITION

Bexley Seabury Seminary Federation	2009-present
Associate Professor of Anglican Theology	2014-present
Assistant Professor of Anglican Theology	2009-2014

EDUCATION

PhD in Theology, University of Cambridge	2010
● Title of dissertation: Divine glory with reference to human agency: a theological study in Barth, von Balthasar and the New Testament Supervised by Prof. David F. Ford. Examined by Prof. Janet Martin Soskice and Prof. RWL Moberly	
Master of Theological Studies, Systematic Theology Seabury-Western Theological Seminary, Evanston, IL	2001
● Title of thesis: Imitation of Christ: An Exploration of John Milbank's Christology	
Master of Divinity, Seabury-Western Theological Seminary, Evanston, IL	2001
Bachelor of Arts, Philosophy (history minor) <i>cum laude</i> University of Illinois-Chicago, Chicago, IL	1992

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Fully Alive: The human creature in light of God's glory in Karl Barth, Hans Urs von Balthasar, and theological exegesis of Scripture. Forthcoming from T&T Clark/Continuum, 2015

Learning from London: Mission and Evangelism in the 21st Century volume commissioned by Forward Movement Publications, manuscript to be complete in 2014

The Thoughtful Practice of Faith: To Continue in the Apostles' Teaching and Fellowship volume commissioned by Church Publishing, manuscript to be complete in 2016

The Cambridge Companion to Anglican Theology edited volume in early stages of being compiled, proposed completion in 2015.

Essays, articles, chapters in books

Published or forthcoming:

"What Do I Fear When I Fear My God? A Theological Re-examination of a Biblical Theme" *Journal of Theological Interpretation*, forthcoming.

"Difficult Texts: Ex. 20.18-21 - on Fearing God" *Theology Journal*, forthcoming.

"The Moods of Revelation" in *The Vocation of Theology Today*, festschrift for Prof. David F. Ford ed. by Tom Greggs and Simeon Zahl. Eugene, OR: Cascade Books. 2013

“Contemporary Anglican Systematic Theology: Three Examples in David Brown, Sarah Coakley and David

Ford, (co-authored with Ben King and Rob MacSwain) *Anglican Theological Review*, Spring 2012, Vol. 94, #2. pp. 319-334.

“The Sorcerer’s Lordless Apprentice: The Powers and Political Power in Barth, Yoder and Wolterstorff” *Ashland Theological Journal* XLIII (2011), pp. 35-46.

“Mapping the Church: Space, Imagination and Ministry” *Trinity Seminary Review* 31 #2, pp. 93-103 (Summer/Fall 2010)

“From Glory to Glory: the Transfiguration of Honour and Giving in the Light of the Glory of Christ” in Opening Evangelicalism: Towards a Post-critical and Formative Theology, ed. by Tom Greggs. London: Routledge. 2010. pp. 138-152.

“The Ironies of Immanence in Architecture: God is in the Details” in *Reviews in Religion and Theology* Vol. 16 #1, Dec. 2008, pp. 65-73.

“Liberalism, Postliberalism, and What (maybe) Comes After” in *Reviews in Religion and Theology* Vol. 14 #4, Sept. 2007, pp. 556-564.

“Everyone’s Bible,” in *The Living Church Magazine*, Oct. 3, 2004, pp. 21-22.

“A Brief History of Racine College,” in To Hear Celestial Harmonies: Essays on the Witness of James DeKoven and The DeKoven Center. Ed. By Robert Boak Slocum and Travis Talmadge DuPriest. Pp. 47-61. Cincinnati, Ohio: Forward Movement Publications. 2002.

“Beginnings and Ends: Eucharist and Eschatology,” in *Quodlibet.net* Vol 2 No 4, Fall 2000 (ISSN: 1526-6575)

Invited Lectures, Papers at Scholarly Conferences

“Honour, Medieval and Contemporary: on Both Grasping and Repairing Anselm’s *Cur Deus Homo*”
09 April 2014

“The Honour of God: On Both Grasping and Repairing Anselm”
Theologians of Ohio (TheOh), Trinity Lutheran Seminary 22 February 2014

“The Fear of God in a Fearful Age”
University of Aberdeen Joint Seminar for Practical Theology, Systematic Theology
and Theological Ethics 06 November 2013

“The Fear of God in Canonical Perspective”
University of Durham Old Testament Senior Seminar 05 November 2013

“Fearing God in a Fearful Age”
University of Cambridge Senior Christian Theology Seminar 30 October 2013

“Fearing God in a Merciless Age”
Society for the Study of Theology (UK), Nottingham University 10 April 2013

“Fear and Loving in Las Vegas: Rethinking the Fear of God”
Theologians of Ohio annual meeting, Cedarville University 16 March 2013

- “Traversing the Kingdom of God on Foot: Pedestrian Shed and Parish”
Rossiter Lecture, Bexley Hall Theological Seminary 03 October 2012
- “Finding exclusion in the search for inclusion: Theological irony in the structure and location
of Churches in Post-war Metropolitan North America”
Urban Affairs Association Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, 19 April 2012
- “The Silence at the Heart of the Curriculum: thinking with Kenneth Kirk and Sarah Coakley on the
promise of contemplative prayer for theological education”
Theologians of Ohio annual meeting, Malone University 31 March 2012
- “Baptized into Fire (and Knife): Leithart on Empire and Church”
Midwest American Academy of Religion, Augustana College 02 April 2011
- “Karl Barth on the Powers and Principalities”
Theologians of Ohio annual meeting, Ashland University 12 February 2011
- “Mapping the Church: Space, Imagination and Ministry”
Rossiter Lecture, Bexley Hall Theological Seminary 07 October 2009
- “Glory, honour and the gift: the transfiguration of the human in light of Christ”
University of Cambridge Senior Systematic Theology Seminar 12 November 2008
- “Payback is...heaven? Marcel Mauss, St. Paul, and the transfiguration of gift-exchange in the light of
Christ” Society for the Study of Theology (UK), Durham University 2 April 2008
- “Following the Offence: Beauty, The Spirit, and Discipleship”
Institute for Theology, Imagination, and the Arts, University of St. Andrews 3 September 2007
- “Glorifying in glory: a proposal for the church and the world, and their relationship in liberal
democracies” Society for the Study of Theology, Cambridge, UK 27 March 2007
- “The Glory of God in Poetry, Life and Worship: an introduction to the life and work of Gerard Manley
Hopkins” St. Mark’s Church, Newnham, Cambridge, UK 29 March 2006
- Popular Writing, Presentations, Teaching (recent);**
- “Jesus and Redemption”, School for Diaconal Formation, Procter Center, Ohio May 9, 2014
- “Improvising the Christian Life”, invited 4-part Lenten series, St. Alban’s Episcopal Church March, 2014
- “What is Liberation Theology?”, presentation for Kenyon College Student Chaplaincy January 22,
2014
- “History and Theology of the Prayer Book”, School for Diaconal Formation,
Procter Center, Ohio January 10, 2014
- “Who is Jesus?”, ChurchNext course (available online) October, 2013
- “A Muslim, a Jew and a Christian walk into a café: Building Relationships through Scriptural Study”
(organizer and moderator), *Restoring the Biblical Imagination*,
Christian Theological Seminary, Indianapolis, IN 26 April, 2013
- “What is Theological Reflection?” and “God, Creation, Sin and Grace”, School for Diaconal Formation,
Procter Center, Ohio April 2013
- “The New Urbanism and the Church”, invited Op-Ed column for Episcopal News Service, April 20, 2012
- “The New Urbanism: A Brief Primer for Church Leaders”, invited presentation at the Annual
Meeting of the Consortium of Endowed Episcopal Parishes, Charlotte, NC, March 11, 2012
- “Singing the Song of the Saints of God: Following the Example of Holy Women and Holy Men in
Challenging Times”, invited presentation, St. Alban’s Episcopal Church, Bexley, OH,
October 30, 2011

Writings featuring my work

“Practicing What He Preaches: Professor Embraces New Urbanism Lifestyle”, *Interchange*, Diocese of Southern Ohio Newsletter, January 2012, Vol. XXXV #1, p. 10

Book Reviews

Anglican Theological Review

- Review of Jacobsen, The Space Between: A Christian Engagement with the Built Environment, Vol. 95, #1, Winter, 2013, 193-197
- Review of McDonnell, The Other Hand of God: The Holy Spirit as the Universal Touch and Goal, Vol. 87 #3, Summer 2005, pp.509-511.
- Review of McFarland, Fergusson, Kilby and Torrance (ed.s), The Cambridge Dictionary of Christian Theology, Vol. 94 #2, Spring, 2012, pp. 362-367.
- Review of Oakes and Moss (ed.s) The Cambridge Companion to Hans urs Von Balthasar Vol. 88 #3, Summer 2006, pp. 467-468.

Currents in Theology and Mission

- Review of Jeanes, Signs of God's Promise: Thomas Cranmer's Sacramental Theology and the Book of Common Prayer, Vol. 38 #1, February 2011. pp. 55-56.

International Journal of Systematic Theology

- Review of Jenson, The Gravity of Sin: Homo Incurvatus in Se in Augustine, Luther and Barth, Vol. 10 #2, 2008, pp. 218-219
- Review of Migliore, Commanding Grace: Studies in Karl Barth's Ethics, and Rose, Ethics with Barth: God, Metaphysics and Morals, Vol. 16, #1, January 2014, pp. 106-109
- Review of Murphy, God is not a Story: Realism Revisited Vol. 13, #4, October 2011, pp. 475-478
- Review of Vanhoozer, Remythologizing Theology: Divine Action, Passion and Authorship, *forthcoming*
- Review of Wigley, Karl Barth and Hans Urs von Balthasar: A Critical Engagement Vol. 12 #1, 2010, pp. 103-105

Journal of Urban Affairs

- Review of Gomez and Van Herck (ed.s) The Sacred in the City, *forthcoming*

Modern Theology

- Review of McKenny, The Analogy of Grace, Vol. 28, #2, pp. 358-361

Political Theology

- Review of Leithart, Defending Constantine: The Twilight of an Empire and the Dawn of Christendom, Vol. 13, #1, pp. 116-118

Reviews in Religion and Theology

- Review of Abraham, Crossing the Threshold of Divine Revelation, Vol. 15 #3, 2008 pp. 392-5
- Review of Alison, Undergoing God: Dispatches from the Scene of a Break-in, Vol. 15 #4, 2008 pp 549-552
- Review of Bartlett, A Passionate Balance: The Anglican Tradition, Vol. 15 #3, 2008 pp. 366-369
- Review of Beilby and Eddy, ed.s, The Nature of the Atonement, Vol. 14 #4, 2007, pp. 567-570
- Review of Bruyneel & Padgett, Introducing Christianity, Vol. 11 #2, 2004 pp. 281-2
- Review of Bychkov & Fodor, Theological Aesthetics After von Balthasar, Vol. 16 #4, 2009. pp. 578-581
- Review of Cragg, God's Wrong is Most of All Vol. 14 #3, 2007, pp. 395-399
- Review of Gathercole, The Preexistent Son: Recovering the Christologies of Matthew, Mark and Luke Vol. 15 #1, 2008
- Review of Harink, Paul Among the Postliberals, Vol. 11 #2, 2004, pp. 200-3

- Review of Hart and Guthrie (ed.s) Faithful Performances: Enacting Christian Tradition. Vol. 16, #3, 2009, pp. 424-426
- Review of Hauerwas, Cross-Shattered Christ: Meditations on the Seven Last Words. Vol. 13 #3, 2006, pp. 281-282
- Review of Humphrey, Ecstasy and Intimacy: When the Holy Spirit Meets the Human Spirit. Vol. 14 #1, 2007, pp. 86-88
- Review of Jacobsen, Sidewalks in the Kingdom: New Urbanism and Christian Faith, (co-authored with M. Moreno), Vol. 11 #4, 2004, pp. 554-557
- Review of Johnston, Useless Beauty: Ecclesiastes Through The Lens Of Contemporary Film, Vol. 13 #2, 2006, pp. 49-51
- Review of Jones, (ed.) The Blackwell Companion to Modern Theology, Vol. 12 #2, 2005, pp. 254-256
- Review of Jones, et al. (ed.s) God, Truth, and Witness: Engaging Stanley Hauerwas, Vol. 13 #2, 2006, pp. 189-191
- Review of McCutcheon, Religion and the Domestication of Dissent, Vol. 13 #4, 2006, pp. 540-543
- Review of McGrath, Theology: The Basics, Vol. 12 #1, 2005, pp.157-158
- Review of McKim, (ed.) The Cambridge Companion to John Calvin, Vol. 12 #4, 2005, pp. 539-542
- Review of Moberly, Prophecy and Discernment, Vol. 14 #2, 2007, pp. 186-189
- Review of Parratt, (ed.) An Introduction to Third World Theologies Vol. 12 #3, 2005, 399-402
- Review of Placher, (ed.) Essentials of Christian Theology, Vol. 11, #3, 2004 pp. 354-356
- Review of Placher, The Triune God, Vol. 15 #1, 2008 pp 109-112
- Review of Porter, Nature as Reason: A Thomistic Theory of the Natural Law Vol. 13 #4, 2006, pp. 590-593
- Review of Rayment-Pickard, The Myths of Time: From Saint Augustine to American Beauty, Vol. 12 #1, 2005, pp.173-174
- Review of Rogers, After the Spirit: A Constructive Pneumatology from Resources outside the Modern West, Vol. 13, #3, 2006, pp. 420-423
- Review of Schuster, The Fall and Sin: What We Have Become as Sinners Vol. 12 #1, 2005, pp. 158-159
- Review of Seasoltz, God's Gift Giving: In Christ and Through the Spirit, Vol. 16, #3, 2009, pp. 463-466
- Review of Stackhouse (ed.), Evangelical Ecclesiology: Reality or Illusion? Vol. 11 #4, 2004, pp. 502-504
- Review of Stevenson (ed.), A Fallible Church: Lambeth Essays, Vol. 17 #3, 2010, pp. 336-338.
- Review of Treier, Virtue and the Voice of God: Towards Theology as Wisdom Vol. 15 #4, pp 586-590
- Review of Webster, Tanner, & Torrance (ed.s) The Oxford Handbook of Systematic Theology Vol 15 #4, 2008, pp 590-593
- Review of Wells, God's Companions: Reimagining Christian Ethics Vol. 14 #4, 2007, pp. 608-610
- Review of Wolters, Creation Regained: Biblical Basics for a Reformational Worldview Vol. 14 #1, 2007, pp. 142-144

Scottish Journal of Theology

- Review of Higton et al (ed), Theology and Human Flourishing: Essays in Honor of Timothy J. Gorringer. *forthcoming*

Sewanee Theological Review

- Review of MacKinnon, Donald, ed. by McDowell, Philosophy and the Burden of Theological Honesty *forthcoming*.

Theology

- Review of Shults and Waters (ed.), Christology and Ethics, Sept/Oct 2011 pp. 372-373

Review of Swartley, Covenant of Peace: The Missing Peace in New Testament Theology and Ethics Nov/Dec 2007 pp.449-50

Review of Tice, Schleiermacher (Abingdon Pillars of Theology) Jan/Feb 2008 pp. 41-2

Review of White, Talking about God, May 2011, p. 212-213

Trinity Journal Review of McGrath, A Passion for Truth, Spring 1997, pp. 115-119

Trinity Seminary Review

Review of Placher, Mark, and Gonzalez, Luke, in Belief: Theological Commentary on the Bible, Winter/ Spring 2011, Vol. 32 #1, pp.49-51

Review of Stroup, Calvin (Abingdon Pillars of Theology), Winter/Spring 2011, Vol. 32 #1, pp. 57-58

Review of Weaver, The Nonviolent Atonement, *forthcoming in vol. 34*

Review of Whitford, Luther: A Guide for the Perplexed, Summer 2012, pp. 62-3

MEMBERSHIPS

American Academy of Religion

Christian Theological Research Fellowship

Congress for the New Urbanism

Ekklesia Project

Society for the Study of Theology (UK)

Society for Scriptural Reasoning - North America

Society of Anglican and Lutheran Theologians

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES/ SERVICE TO THE ACADEMY

Referee of book manuscripts for T&T Clark Publishing 2014-

Referee of manuscripts for *Modern Theology* 2014-

Book reviews editor, theology and ethics, *Anglican Theological Review* 2012-

Editorial Advisory Board, *Imaginatio et Ratio: A Journal of Theology and the Arts* 2012-

Referee of manuscripts for *Anglican Theological Review* 2010-

Referee of manuscripts for *International Journal of Systematic Theology* 2010-

Secretary/Treasurer, Society of Anglican and Lutheran Theologians (SALT) 2010-

Member of Anti-Racism Committee, Trinity Lutheran Seminary 2012-

Member of Library Materials Committee, Trinity Lutheran Seminary 2011-

'Regular Contributor' to Reviews in Religion and Theology, 2008-2011

Liaison to American Academy of Religion for the University of Cambridge 2007-2009

Member of Anti-Racism Task Force, Seabury-Western Theological Seminary 1998-2001

SERVICE TO THE CHURCH

Instructor, Diocese of Southern Ohio School for Diaconal Formation 2012-present

Examining Chaplain, Diocese of Western Michigan 2003 to 2005; 2014-

Member of the Commission on Ministry, Diocese of Western Michigan 2002 to 2005

- Chaired Commission on Ministry, 2003 to 2005

Reader of General Ordination Exams for the Episcopal Church Board of Examining Chaplains 2003, 2004, 2005