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Curriculum vitae  
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Associate Professor of New Testament  
Trinity Evangelical Divinity School  
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## **EDUCATION**

- 2008 Ph.D., with distinction (New Testament), Emory University, GA.  
2002 Th.M. (New Testament), Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, IL.  
2000 M.Div., Summa cum laude, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, IL.  
1992 M.S. (Electrical Engineering), Stanford University, CA.  
1989 B.S. (Electrical Engineering), Stanford University, CA.

## **PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS**

- 2013–Present Associate Professor of New Testament, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School.  
2008–2012 Assistant Professor of New Testament, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books**

*Defending Shame: Its Formative Power in Paul's Letters.* Grand Rapids: Baker, 2020.

*The Politics of Peace: Ephesians, Dio Chrysostom, and the Confucian Four Book.* Supplements to Novum Testamentum 133. Leiden: Brill, 2010.

### **Book chapters**

“Knowing the Bible is the Word of God Despite Competing Claims.” Pages 989–1012 in *The Enduring Authority of the Christian Scriptures*. Edited by D. A. Carson. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2016.

“Comparing Ephesians and the Confucian Vision of Peace.” Pages 327–29 in *Global Perspectives on the Bible*. Edited by Mark Roncace and Joseph Weaver. New York: Pearson, 2013.

### **Peer-reviewed Articles**

“I Write These Things Not to Shame You.” *JETS* 60 (2017): 105–24.

### **Study Bible Projects**

*NIV Study Bible*. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2015. Introduction and notes for Ephesians.

### **Videos**

“Ephesians as a Manifesto for the Church.” In *Pastorum Live 2012 Conference Videos*. Bellingham, WA: Lexham, 2012.

### **Book Reviews**

Hockey, Katherine M. *The Role of Emotion in 1 Peter*. *Bulletin for Biblical Research* xx.xx (20xx): xx–xx.

Porter, Stanley E. and Christopher D. Land, eds. *Paul and Scripture*. *Bulletin for Biblical Research* xx.xx (20xx): xx–xx.

Immendorfer, Michael. *Ephesians and Artemis: The Cult of the Great Goddess of Ephesus as the Epistle’s Context*. *Journal of the Evangelical Theological Society* 62.3 (2019): 656–59.

Rogers, Trent A. *God and the Idols: Representations of God in 1 Corinthians 8–10*. *Journal of the Evangelical Theological Society* 61.1 (2018): 195–97.

Konradt, Matthias and Esther Schläpfer, eds. *Anthropologie und Ethik im Frühjudentum und im Neuen Testament*. *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 25.3 (2015): 419–21.

Porter, Stanley E. and Gregory P. Fewster, eds. *Paul and Pseudepigraphy*. *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 24.4 (2015): 595–96.

Hengel, Martin. *Saint Peter: The Underestimated Apostle*. *Trinity Journal* 35.1 (2014): 155–56.

Gray, Timothy C. *The Temple in the Gospel of Mark: A Study in its Narrative Role*. *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 22.4 (2012): 601–02.

Hardin, Justin K. *Galatians and the Imperial Cult: A Critical Analysis of the First-century Social Context of Paul’s Letter*. *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 20.1 (2010): 130–31.

Donnelly, Doris, Adelbert Denaux, and Joseph Famerée, eds. *The Holy Spirit, the Church, and Christian Unity*. *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 19.1 (2009): 152–53.

Philip, Finny. *The Origins of Pauline Pneumatology: The Eschatological Bestowal of the Spirit Upon Gentiles in Judaism and in the Early Development of Paul's Theology*. *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 19.1 (2009): 139–40.

## **ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS**

“Joy in the Moral Life: Philippians and *The Analects*.” SBL Annual Meeting. Nov 18, 2017.

“Ephesians as a Manifesto for the Church.” *Logos Pastorum*. June 6, 2012.

“The Politics of Peace in Ephesians.” SBL Annual Meeting. Nov 23, 2008.

“The Political in Ephesians.” Emory University NT Colloquium. Apr 2, 2007.

“Paul’s Use of the Wilderness Tradition in 1 Corinthians 10:1–13.” ETS, Midwest Region, Mar 22, 2002.

## **AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND PATENTS**

2006            Woodruff Library Fellowship: Emory Center of Interactive Teaching, Emory University

2002–2005    Graduate School Fellowship: Emory University.

2002            Ludvig Pedersen Award for best NT thesis: Trinity Evangelical Divinity School

1996–2011    Co-inventor on 9 patents in the field of computer engineering issued by the United States Patent & Trademark Office.

1988            Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honors Society: Stanford University.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

2008–Present    Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, Associate Professor of New Testament.

2009–Present    North Chicago Theological Institute, Guest Lecturer.

2002–2008    Emory University, Adjunct Faculty.

2001–2002    Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, New Testament Teaching Fellow.

2000            Singapore Bible College, Visiting Faculty.

## **MINISTRY EXPERIENCES**

- 2011–Present Pastoral preaching team, North Suburban EFC, Deerfield, IL.
- 2012–2016 Guest adult education teacher, Village Church of Barrington, Barrington, IL.
- 2018 Conference speaker, Grace Conference, Lombard, IL.
- 2017 Conference speaker, Chinese Gospel Camp, Aurora, IL.
- 2003–2007 Adult education teacher, Intown Community Church, Atlanta, GA.
- 2000 Pastoral intern, Woodlands EFC, Singapore.
- 1998–2002 Worship ministry, Chinese Christian Union Church North, Highland Park, IL.
- 1997–1998 Adult education teacher, Peninsula Bible Church, Palo Alto, CA.
- 1992–1996 Campus ministry, Chinese Christian Fellowship at Stanford, Stanford University.

## **OTHER VOCATIONAL EXPERIENCES**

### **Computer Engineering Experience**

- 1989–1999 Various companies in Silicon Valley. Computer Architectural and Logic Designer

### **Military Experience**

- 1985–1986 Singapore Armed Forces. Lieutenant, Elite Infantry Platoon Commander, 3<sup>rd</sup> Guards Battalion.

## **MEDIA COVERAGE**

Christian Post: <http://www.christianpost.com/news/theologian-christians-should-ground-themselves-in-scripture-not-fads-76324/>

## **PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

Society of Biblical Literature

Evangelical Theological Society

