Curriculum Vitae

David Dault

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Academic Appointments:

Loyola University Chicago, Institute of Pastoral Studies (Chicago, IL), Assistant Professor of Christian Spirituality, 2020-present.

Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago (Chicago, IL), Zygon Center for Religion and Science, Visiting Scholar for Theology and Media, 2017-Present.

Loyola University Chicago, Institute of Pastoral Studies (Chicago, IL), Instructor (Full Time), 2019-2020; Adjunct Assistant Professor, 2016-2019.

Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary (Evanston, IL), Adjunct Professor, Summer Course of Study, 2015-2020.

Christian Brothers University (Memphis, TN), Assistant Professor of Catholic Studies, 2010-2013; Visiting Assistant Professor of Religion, 2009-2010.

Aquinas College (Nashville, TN), Adjunct Professor, Department of Theology, 2009.

American Baptist College (Nashville, TN), Assistant Professor of Theology, Chair of the Division of Bible and Theology, 2007–2009; Adjunct Instructor in Bible and Theology, 2004–2007.

Mandatum, conferred by Bishop David Choby, Diocese of Nashville, January 2009.

Administrative Appointments:

AJCU-PTME - Association of Jesuit Colleges and Universities Conference on Pastoral, Theological, and Ministerial Education, Vice President, 2023.

SCRIPT - Society for Comparative Research in Iconic and Performative Texts (international scholarly association), President, July 2020 - present.

Commonweal Magazine (New York, NY), Podcast Editor, 2017 - present.

Sandburg Media, LLC (Chicago, IL), Co-Owner and Principal, 2011 - present.

Early Moon Foundation (Chicago, IL), Executive Director, 2018 - present.

Chicago Sunday Evening Club (Chicago, IL), President and CEO, 2013 – 2018.

West Hill Concept Union Gallery and Studios (Atlanta, GA), Executive Director, 1996 - 2002.

Education:

Ph.D. Theological Studies / Judaic Studies Vanderbilt University

2009

Dissertation: The Covert Magisterium: Theology, Textuality, and the Question of Scripture. Committee: Paul J. DeHart (chair), M. Douglas Meeks, J. Patout Burns, William Franke, Leonard Greenspoon (Creighton University).

M.A. Religion

Vanderbilt University

2006

M.A. Theological Studies

Columbia Theological Seminary

2002

Thesis: An Alien Masterpiece: Language, Translation, and the 'Other' in the Work of Franz Rosenzweig. Thesis advisor: Walter Brueggemann.

B.A. Philosophy University of the South

1993

Books in Progress:

The Accessorized Bible, (New Haven, CT: Yale University Press, forthcoming 2023), under contract, in final revisions.

The Covert Magisterium: Theology, Textuality, and the Question of Scripture, (Minneapolis: Lexington Books - Fortress Academic, forthcoming 2024), under contract, peer-reviewed, and in revision.

Becoming Walter Brueggemann: An Authorized Biography, (letter of agreement – awaiting contract with Westminster John Knox Press).

Book Chapters:

"Theology and Media," Theologians and Philosophers Using Social Media: Advice, Tips, and Testimonials (ed. Thomas Jay Oord; Nampa, Idaho: SacraSage Press, 2017), 103-109.

"The Domestication of Theological Imagination: The Role of Bible Production in the Ideological Control of Reading," Imagination, Ideology, and Inspiration: Echoes of Brueggemann in a New Generation (eds. Robert Williamson and Jonathan Kaplan; Sheffield: Sheffield Phoenix Press, 2015), 255-271.

"Catholic Reasoning and Reading Across Traditions," Interreligious Reading After Vatican II: Scriptural Reasoning, Comparative Theology, and Receptive Ecumenism (eds. David Ford and Frances Clemson; Malden, MA: Wiley Blackwell, 2013), 46-61.

"To the Void: Karl Barth, Yves Klein, and Lou Reed's Metal Machine Music," Secular Music and Sacred Theology (ed. Tom Bedouin; Collegeville: Liturgical Press, 2013), 3-15.

"Rosenzweig and Derrida at Yom Kippur," in Other Testaments: Derrida and Religion (ed. Yvonne Sherwood and Kevin Hart; New York: Routledge, 2005), 97–110.

Articles, Journal (Peer-Reviewed)

"Forum of Tactics for Teaching the Materiality of Scripture: Forensic Material Scripture," co-authors Dorina Miller Parmenter, et al., *Teaching Theology and Religion* v.19:2 (April 2016).

"Catholic Reasoning and Reading Across Traditions," *Modern Theology*, 29:4, October 2013.

Articles, Encyclopedia:

"Print Bibles," in *Oxford Encyclopedia of the Bible and the Arts* (ed. Timothy K. Beal; Oxford: Oxford UP, 2015).

"Book IX. Film," in *Encyclopedia of the Bible and its Reception* (eds. H.-J. Klauck, B. McGinn, P. Mendes-Flohr, C.-L. Seow, H. Spieckermann, B. D. Walfish, E. Ziolkowski; Berlin and New York: Walter de Gruyter, 2012) vol. 4.

Articles, Magazine (Non-Peer-Reviewed):

"Social Media and Online Scripture." *Circuit Rider*, United Methodist Publishing House, May-July 2011.

"Nashville Art: Past, Present and Future." NashvilleArts (January 2007).

Articles, Op-Ed

"Something is missing from all this talk of fixing Chicago: Religion." *Crain's Chicago Business*, June 24, 2016.

Monthly columns, St. Anthony Messenger Magazine:

"Throw Open the Doors to Christ." December 2020.

"Respecting Each Other's Boundaries." November 2020.

"A Different Kind of Harvest." October 2020.

"Embracing Our Imperfections." September 2020.

"Experiencing Christianity At Its Best—and Worst." August 2020.

"Our Call to Evangelization." June/July 2020.

"Works in Progress." May 2020.

"We're All Right." April 2020.

"What Jesus Taught Me About Families." March 2020.

"The Blessing of Sister Thea." February 2020.

"Actions Speak Louder than Words." January 2020.

"The Wisdom of St. Clare." December 2019.

"A Leap of Faith." November 2019.

"Confronting Life's Monsters." October 2019.

"An Ongoing Injustice." September 2019.

"Finding Your Saint." August 2019.

"Scars from the Past." July 2019.

"Undoing Life's Knots." June 2019.

"It's Complicated." May 2019.

"A Child Shall Lead." April 2019.

"Hidden Costs." March 2019.

"God Our Rock of Refugee." February 2019.

"Keep the Children Safe." January 2019.

Articles, Newspaper:

- "Vatican II's Imperfect, Undeniable Impact," *The Commercial Appeal*, "Faith in Memphis," Section M, October 19, 2012.
- "Bishops' call for 'Fortnight of Freedom' under way," *The Commercial Appeal*, "Faith in Memphis," section M, June 30, 2012.
- "Anointing of the Sick Speaks to Unity of Body and Soul." *Tennessee Register* (May 14, 2010): 17.
- "Christ's eternal fidelity ensures Church's sacramental nature." *Tennessee Register* (October 30, 2009): 15.
- "We are loved and in relationship with God who created us." *Tennessee Register* (December 26, 2008): 13.
- "Faith is not a possession but placing trust in the Lord." *Tennessee Register* (November 28, 2008): 15.

Reviews:

- Barry Harvey, Can These Bones Live?: A Catholic Baptist Engagement with Ecclesiology, Hermeneutics, and Social Theory, The Journal of Scriptural Reasoning 11.1 (2012), http://etext.lib.virginia.edu/journals/ssr/issues/volume11/number1/ssr11_01_e08.html
- Roland Boer, *Political Grace: The Revolutionary Theology of John Calvin*, <u>Religious Studies Review</u> 37.3 (2011): 189-90.
- William Stacy Johnson, *John Calvin: Reformer for the 21st Century*, Religious Studies Review 37.2 (2011): 115.
- F. R. Kline with M. Grundy (eds.), *Companions Along the Way: Religious Education in the Religious Society of Friends*, Religious Education 96.4 (2001): 583–4.

Endowed Lectures:

"Podcasting and Theology." The Smith-Wilson Annual Lectures. Southwestern College, Winfield, KS. October 2019.

Keynote Lectures:

"Public Scholarship as Translation." (Co-presented with Dr. Kelly J. Baker), Implicit Religion US Conference. May 2023.

Presentations (Refereed):

- "The Parasocial Dimension of Scripture," SCRIPT panel held in conjunction with the Eastern International Regional Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Kingston, Ontario, Canada, May 2023.
- "A Magical Book That Nobody Reads: Expanding Discussions of Iconic Scripture to Include the Dimension of 'Charismatic Technology'," Performing Iconic Books panel held in conjunction with SCRIPT at the AAR/SBL, online streaming, December 2020.
- "Battlezone Bibles and Bulletproof Covers: The Material Rhetoric of Armor Plating in Contemporary Bible Production," Religion, Culture, and the Arts section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Greenville, SC, March 2013.

- "Podcasting God," Constructive Theologies section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Greenville, SC, March 2013.
- "On a Controlled Bibliographic Vocabulary for SCRIPT and its Related Organizations: A Response to Deirdre Stam," Society for Comparative Research in Iconic and Performative Texts [SCRIPT] / Eastern International Region of the AAR joint meeting, Waterloo, Ontario, May 2012.
- "The Ideological Control of Scriptural Interpretations of Acts 4 in the Editorial Rhetorics of Popular Study Bibles," Constructive Theologies section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Atlanta, GA, March 2011.
- "It Fell from Heaven: The United 93 Crash-Site Bible as Icon and Totemic Object." Religion and Popular Culture Group of the American Academy of Religion annual meeting, San Francisco, CA, November 2011.
- "The Bible as 'Remembering Machine': Encoding Protestant Identity through Printed Scripture." International Association for Media and History, Copenhagen, Denmark, July 2011.
- "The Strange Case of the United 93 Bible: Tragedy, Iconicity, Materiality." Iconic Books Section of the Eastern International Regional AAR/Society for Comparative Research of Iconic and Performative Texts, Syracuse, NY, May 2011.
- "Hidden Among the Leaves: Protestant and Catholic Battles for Theological Identity Across the First Pages of Scripture." Constructive Theologies Section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Louisville, KY, March 2011.
- "From Cultural Materialism to Material Scripture: Some Methodological Suggestions." Material Scripture Wildcard Session, American Academy of Religion annual meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, October 2010.
- "Outward Signs: Towards a Semiotics of the Eucharist," Liturgy and Sacraments section of the Catholic Theological Society of America annual meeting, Halifax, Nova Scotia, June 2009.
- "Designing the Scriptures: A Brief History of the Manipulation of Printed Bibles," Society for Textual Scholarship annual meeting, New York University, March 2009.
- "A Theologian in Bombay," Constructive Theology Section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Chapel Hill, NC, March 2009.
- "The Sphinx at Chalcedon: Scientific Progress, Christology, and the Doctrine of Full Humanity," Science and Theology section of the Wesleyan Theological Society annual meeting, Anderson, IN, March 2009.
- "The Far Side of the World's Mirror: Physical Metaphors of Sin in the Work of William S. Burroughs" Philosophy and Theology section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Atlanta, GA, March 2008.
- "But if they say we are not even to believe...: Stanley Fish and the Critique of the Liberal Option." NEXUS: Religion and Nation Conference, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2006.
- "If You Speak My Name, I am Not There: Crossing (Scriptural) Lines in Talmudic Discourse." Judaic Studies section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Atlanta, GA, March 2006.
- "Martin Luther and Saadia Gaon: Two Interpretive Moments." Judaic Studies section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Winston-Salem, NC, March 2005.

- "Coconino Canticle: Reading Origen on Race and 'Ontological Blackness' in the Song of Songs." Wesleyan Theological Society Conference, Seattle, WA, 2005.
- "The Israelites (?) The Jews (or, How to Ghost-Write a History)." Judaic Studies section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Atlanta, GA, March 2004.
- "Yom Kippur: Rosenzweig, Derrida, and Alterity." Judaic Studies section of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Chattanooga, TN, March 2003.

Presentations (Invited):

- "Podcasting for Religious Communicators," Religion Communicators Council / Associated Church Publishers Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, April 2023.
- "Podcasting for Entrepreneurs," Polsky Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL. August 2019.
- "Podcasts That Are Addictive," Religion Communicators Council, Chicago, IL, March 2017.
- "Forensic Material Scripture," Society for Comparative Research in Iconic and Performative Texts joint meeting with the Society for Biblical Literature, San Francisco, CA, November 2014.
- "Coded Polemics, Covert Theologies: How Indulgences Become Endpapers and Bibles Become Magazines." University of Cincinnati Department of English, Cincinnati, OH, January 2012.
- "A Hospitality of Suspicion: Scriptural Reasoning and Material Scripture in the Tent of Meeting." Scriptural Reasoning Section of the Mid-Atlantic AAR, New Brunswick, NJ, March 2011.
- Public lectures on "The Original Text" and "Material Scripture: Origins and Methodologies," to doctoral students in the Scripture, Interpretation and Practice program at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, VA, April 2010.
- Public lectures on "Material Scripture and the Accessorized Bible" to doctoral students in the Scripture, Interpretation and Practice program at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, VA, March 2009.

Symposia

- Major Sponsor, The Sojourners Summit, Faith and Media track, Washington, DC, 2015-2016. Invited Participant, Religion and Foreign Policy Initiative Summer Summits, Council on Foreign Relations, New York City, 2011-2019.
- Co-Sponsor and Host, "A Public Conversation with Dr. Larycia Hawkins and Ahmed Rehab," Conversations at Chicago Temple, Chicago, IL, February 2016.
- Panelist, "The HHS Mandate and Religious Freedom," To Be Catholic and American in the 21st Century series, St. Peter's parish, Memphis, TN, June 2012.
- Chair, "Sainthood and the Negotiation of Power" session, Sewanee Medieval Colloquium, The University of the South, Sewanee, TN, March 2012.
- Participant and invited presenter: Liturgical Press Symposium on Secular Music and Sacred Theology, American Academy of Religion pre-conference meeting, San Francisco, November 2011.
- Participant: Society for Scriptural Reasoning, plenary gathering and SR study on "Music in Scripture," American Academy of Religion, San Francisco, November 2011.

Co-sponsor: Symposium and panel discussion in honor of the 400th Anniversary of the King James Bible, Rhodes College and the University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, November 2011

Moderator and organizer: "Catholics and the King James Bible: Stories from England, Ireland, and America," lecture by Dr. Ellie Bagley of Middlebury College, Catholic Roundtables Project, Christian Brothers University, October 2011.

Moderator and organizer: "Caritas in Veritate: A Discussion of the Papal Encyclical and Its Implications for Business Practices and Moral Life in America," Catholic Roundtables Project, Christian Brothers University, October 2010.

Participant: Third Interdisciplinary Symposium on Iconic Books, Syracuse University, October 2010.

Panelist: Viewing and Discussion of PBS Series "God in America," Rhodes College, October 2010.

Participant: Society for Scriptural Reasoning Facilitator Training, Huron University College, London, Ontario, June 2010.

Panelist: "Religion and the Constitution," discussion for Christian Brothers University Constitution Day, September 2009.

Participant: Society for Scriptural Reasoning Facilitator Training, University of Virginia, July 2009

Courses Taught

Loyola University Chicago, Institute of Pastoral Studies

Christian Origins: An Exploration of the New Testament

Foundations of Christian Spirituality

Foundations of Social Justice

Ignatian Spirituality

Introduction to Canon Law

Leadership in Social Justice Organizations

Literature of Ancient Israel

Media for Ministry and Mission

Special Topics: Isaiah

Special Topics: Spiritualities of the Old Testament

Special Topics: Spiritual Writings of St. Teresa of Avila and St. Thérese of Lisieux

Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago

Theology and Social Media

Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary, Summer Course of Study Program

Theology in the Contemporary Church

Ethics

Christian Brothers University

Catholic Thought and Culture Through the Ages (Masters level)

God and the Human Person (Masters level)

Madness, Conspiracy and Religious Faith (Honors)

New Religious Movements in America (Honors)

Religion in America (cross-listed with Pre-Law courses)

Introduction to Catholicism

Introduction to Judaism

Modern Christian Thought

Understanding Religion

American Baptist College

Biblical Interpretation and Exegesis

Black, Womanist, and Liberation Theologies

Introduction to Biblical Languages (Exegetical Tools and Techniques)

Introduction to Systematic Theology

Introduction to Theology

Isaiah

New Testament Survey

Philosophy of Religion

Systematic Theology I & II

Theologies of the Old Testament

Thinking Theologically

Topics in Systematic Theology: Christology and the Doctrine of Incarnation

Topics in Systematic Theology: Doctrine of Baptism

Topics in Systematic Theology: Doctrines of Justification and Sanctification

Teaching Assistantships, Vanderbilt Divinity School:

Constructive Christian Theology, Professor M. Douglas Meeks

Formation of the Christian Tradition, Professor J. Patout Burns

History of Christianity in the Reformation Era, Professor Paul Lim; Todd Green (Visiting)

Introduction to Homiletics, Professor Brad R. Braxton

Introduction to Judaism, Professor M. Shai Cherry (College of Arts and Science)

Membership in Professional Societies:

American Academy of Religion

American Printing History Association

Association for Independents in Radio

Association for Jewish Studies

Catholic Theological Society of America

Christian Legal Society

Information Architecture Institute

International Association for Media and History

Religion Communicators Council

Religion News Association

Rock and Theology Project (coordinated by Liturgical Press)

Society of Biblical Literature

Society for Comparative Research of Iconic and Performative Texts (President, Trustee)

Society for Scriptural Reasoning (Board Member - 1000 Cities Project) Society for Textual Scholarship Spiritual Directors International

Academic Service

Loyola University, Institute of Pastoral Studies

Marketing and Web Development Ad Hoc Committee, 2020-2021

Student Engagement Committee, 2019-2020

Integration Project Advisor, 2018-present.

Christian Brothers University:

Parliamentarian of Faculty Assembly, 2012-2013

President's Liaison to the Diocesan Committee on Adult Formation and Formation of Lay Ecclesial Ministry within the Vicariate for Worship, Spiritual Life, and Catechesis, Memphis, TN, 2011-2013.

Vice President of the Faculty Assembly, 2011-2012.

Coordinator, Catholic Roundtables discussion project, 2009-2013.

Ad Hoc Committee for the Plough Scholarship, 2010.

American Baptist College:

Academic and Curriculum committee, 2004-2009

Recruitment and Retention committee, 2004-2009

Sustaining Pastoral Excellence committee, 2004-2009

Theological Roundtable committee (chair), 2004-2009

Division of Bible and Theology (chair, 2007-2009)

Vanderbilt Divinity School:

Personnel and Policy committee, 2005–2006

Fellowships, Grants, and Honors:

Lilly Foundation Pathways to Tomorrow Grant, "Trauma-Informed Anti-Racist Pedagogy," \$50,000, grant writer and co-principal investigator, 2021.

Wabash Center Small Project Grant, "The Pedagogy of Podcasting: New Horizons for Theological and Religious Studies Teachers in the Digital Age." \$5,000, in conjunction with colleagues from North Park University and Portland Seminary, 2020.

Wilbur Award for Best Radio or Podcast Series (*On Freedom Road: The Roots and Fruits of U.S. Exploitation of Immigrant Labor*), Religion Communicators Council, 2020.

Nominee, Prime Time Emmy Award for Best Documentary (*Selma at 50:Still Marching*), Academy of Television Arts and Sciences, 2016.

Second Place, Excellence in Radio/Podcast Religion Reporting, Religion News Association, March 2016.

Christian Brothers University Development Grant, \$4,000, 2011-2012.

Member, traveling faculty and Society of Advisors, Society for Scriptural Reasoning, 2009-11. Scriptural Reasoning, Level 3 Certification, 2009.

Vanderbilt Center for Ethics, Dissertation Writers Fellowships, 2007, 2008.

- DAAD Summer Language Study Grant, Goethe-Institut, Berlin, £6,000, 2003.
- R.C. Dougherty Graduate Fellowship, Vanderbilt University, Graduate Department of Religion, Fall 2002–Spring 2006, full tuition and \$14,000 yearly stipend.
- The James T. and Celeste M. Boyd Book Fund Award, Columbia Theological Seminary, 2002.

Media [Select notices]

Television and Video

- Deep In These Streets / Sects in the City (Television Pilot), Development Producer and Screenwriter, Gill Productions, Los Angeles, CA, 2019.
- *The Age Wave*, Parts 1, 2, and 3, Executive Producer. Broadcast Documentary, WTTW / PBS, Chicago, IL, 2017
- *Violence in Chicago: Responding with Faith, Executive Producer. Broadcast Documentary, Chicago Sunday Evening Club (CSEC), WTTW / PBS, Chicago, IL, 2015.*
- Selma at 50: Still Marching, Executive Producer. Broadcast Documentary, Greater Chicago Broadcast Ministries (GCBM), ABC Channel 7, Chicago, IL, 2015.
- Divided Families: Responding with Faith, Executive Producer. Broadcast Documentary, CSEC, WTTW / PBS, Chicago, IL, 2014
- After Prison: Responding with Faith, Executive Producer. Broadcast Documentary, CSEC, WTTW / PBS, Chicago, IL, 2013
- "Live News at 9," WREG-TV, Channel 3, Memphis, TN, August 2009, "Religious perspectives on the Health Care Debate"
- *The Orange Hat Hour,* Consulting Producer, Story, and Screenwriter. Variety program, Snorkel Productions, Atlanta, GA, 2001-2004.

Radio and Podcast

- Host and Executive Producer, *Things Not Seen: Conversations about Culture and Faith*, weekly, (began KWAM 990 AM, Memphis, TN; now distributed nationally by Public Radio Exchange and broadcast on WCPT 820 AM in Chicago, IL), 46 new episodes per year, 2012-Present.
- Co-Host and Executive Producer, *The Francis Effect*, bi-weekly, distributed by Public Radio Exchange, 18 new episodes per year, 2017 present.
- Co-Host and Producer, *Divides Aside: Science and Faith in Conversation*, April 2017 August 2017.
- Executive Producer, *Religion Moments*, daily podcast, 1,028 episodes produced, 2013-2016.
- Producer and editor, Freedom Road Podcast, monthly podcast, January 2018 present.
- Producer and editor, *The Commonweal Magazine Podcast*, bi-monthly podcast, September 2018 present
- Guest, Weird Religion Podcast, "The X-Files," July 27, 2021
- Guest, "The Listening Chair Podcast." Southwestern College, Winfield, Kansas. October 26, 2019.
- Guest, Weird Religion Podcast, "The Hero," October 1, 2019
- Guest, "Lawyers for Jesus," WYLL AM 1160, Chicago, Illinois, November 14, 2017.
- Featured performer, "Rethinking Ink: Lasers, Tattoo Removal, and Second Chances," *Distillations* podcast, Chemical Heritage Society, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 2017.

- Guest, "Let's Talk with Mark Elfstrand," WYLL AM 1160, Chicago, Illinois, November 18, 2016.
- Guest, "Catholic Channel," Sirius XM Radio, June 27, 2016.
- Guest, "Faith Marketplace Radio," WYLL AM 1160, Chicago, Illinois, October 31, 2015.
- Guest, "Up All Night with Rhod Sharp," BBC-5, London, England, July 2009, "Codex Sinaiticus Project"

Print and Online

- Featured, "Bible and a brew: Groups get together to talk faith over a pint," Kathy Flanigan, *Journal-Sentinel*: Milwaukee, Wisconsin, April 27, 2016
- Featured, "An interview with David Dault, President and CEO of the Chicago Sunday Evening Club," Pam Spano, "Being Catholic... Really," *Chicago Now* online: Chicago, Illinois, August 20, 2015.
- Reviewed, "David Dault: 'Karl Barth, Yves Klein, and Lou Reed's Metal Machine Music," Geoffrey Kruse-Safford, *No One Special* online, January 3, 2015.

Service to the Wider Church:

- Advisory Board, Zeitgeist Center for Spiritual Direction, Atlanta, GA, 2019-Present.
- Chair, School Advisory Board, St. Thomas the Apostle Parish School, Chicago, IL, 2019-2022.
- Co-chair, School Advisory Board, St. Thomas the Apostle Parish School, Chicago, IL, 2014-2018.
- Board of Directors, Chicago Bible Society, Chicago, IL, 2016-Present. Elected Secretary is January 2023.
- Board of Directors, First Friday Club of Chicago, Chicago, IL, 2015-Present.
- Board of Advisors, OMNIA Leadership (formerly Seminary Consortium for Urban Pastoral Education), Chicago, IL, 2015-2018.
- Diocesan Committee on Adult Formation and Formation of Lay Ecclesial Ministry within the Vicariate for Worship, Spiritual Life, and Catechesis, Memphis, TN, 2011-2013.
- Catechist and sponsor, Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, Christ the King Parish, 2008–2009.
- "The Fourth Confession: The Church in the Creed," Why Catholic education program, Cathedral of the Incarnation, Nashville, TN, 2008.
- "The Experience of the Sacraments in Catholic and Protestant Traditions," Christ the King Catholic Church, Nashville, TN, 2008.
- "Credo and Conflict: Making Sense of the Old Testament," First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, TN, 2006.
- "The Politics of Holocaust Denial," First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, TN, 2006.

Stated Supply Pastor, Central Presbyterian Church, PC (U.S.A.), Culleoka, TN, 2002–2008.