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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF ABERDEEN, DPhil (expected 2024)

- Doctorate of Philosophy in Divinity, Moral and Political Theology

FULLER THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, MA 2019

- *Magna cum laude* honors equivalent

SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE OF CALIFORNIA, MFA 2009

- Awarded the Chester Aaron Scholarship for Literary Excellence

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY, BIS 2006

- Dual Emphasis in Philosophy and English

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

ADJUNCT ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, Saint Mary's, Moraga, CA, 2010-present

2023 Spring	English 004	Composition and Intellectual Virtue
2023 Spring	Seminar 103	Western Thought II
2023 Spring	Seminar 001	Critical Strategies and Great Questions
2022 January	Jan Term 055	JRR Tolkien and The Rings
2022 Fall	Greek 001	Introduction To Greek
2022 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2022 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2022 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2022 Spring	English 005	Argument and Research: Study of Friendship
2022 Spring	English 005	Argument and Research: Study of Friendship
2021 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2021 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2021 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2021 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2021 Fall	English 004	Composition and Intellectual Virtue
2021 Fall	English 004	Composition and Intellectual Virtue
2021 Spring	Seminar 001	Critical Strategies and Great Questions
2021 Spring	Seminar 103	Western Thought II
2021 January	Jan Term 126	Tolkien: Theology, Politics, Influences, Legacy
2020 Fall	Seminar 104	20th and 21st Century Thought
2020 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2020 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2020 Fall	English 004	Composition and Intellectual Virtue
2020 Spring	Seminar 001	Critical Strategies and Great Questions

2020 Spring	English 004	Composition and Intellectual Virtue
2020 January	Jan Term 185	The Place of the University: Oxford (travel course)
2019 Fall	Philosophy 114	Philosophy of Law
2019 Fall	Seminar 104	20th and 21st Century Thought
2019 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2019 Spring	Seminar 104	20th and 21st Century Thought
2019 Spring	Seminar 001	Critical Strategies and Great Questions
2018 Fall	Seminar 104	20th and 21st Century Thought
2018 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2018 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2018 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2018 Fall	Seminar 190	Seminar Co-Leader Training
2018 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2018 Spring	English 005	Argument and Research: Study of Friendship
2018 Spring	English 005	Argument and Research: Study of Friendship
2018 January	Jan Term 050	Tolkien: Theology, Politics, Influences, Legacy
2017 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2017 Fall	English 004	Composition and Intellectual Virtue
2017 Fall	Seminar 104	20th and 21st Century Thought
2017 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2017 Spring	English 005	Argument and Research: Study of Friendship
2017 Spring	Seminar 001	Critical Strategies and Great Questions
2016 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2016 Fall	Seminar 104	20th and 21st Century Thought
2016 Fall	English 004	Composition & Intellectual Virtue
2016 Spring	English 005	Argument and Research: Study of Friendship
2016 January	Jan Term 142	The Inklings: Survey of the Oxford Group
2015 Fall	English 004	Composition & Intellectual Virtue
2015 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2015 Spring	Seminar 001	Critical Strategies and Great Questions
2015 January	Jan Term 142	The Inklings: Survey of the Oxford Group
2014 Fall	Seminar 103	Western Thought II
2014 Fall	English 004	Composition & Intellectual Virtue
2014 Spring	Seminar 001	Critical Strategies and Great Questions
2014 January	Jan Term 142	The Inklings: Survey of the Oxford Group
2013 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I (co-taught)
2013 Fall	Seminar 002	Western Thought I
2013 Fall	English 004	Composition
2013 Spring	English 005	Argument and Research: American Poverty
2013 Spring	Seminar 001	Critical Strategies and Great Questions
2013 January	Jan Term 051	The Inspired Inklings
2012 Fall	English 004	Composition
2012 Fall	Seminar 123	19 th and 20 th Century Thought (co-taught)
2012 Spring	Seminar 021	Roman, Christian, and Medieval Thought
2012 January	Jan Term 134	Cultural History of Fungus

2011 Fall	English 005	Argument and Research
2011 Fall	English 005	Argument and Research
2011 Spring	Seminar 122	Renaissance Thought
2011 Spring	English 005	Argument and Research
2010 Fall	English 004	Composition
2010 Fall	Seminar 020	Greek Thought

PROFESSOR, Davenant Hall Graduate College, 2017-present

2023 Spring	Aristotle Seminar iii (co-taught)
2023 Winter	Nietzsche Graduate Seminar
2022 Fall	Plato Graduate Seminar iii
2022 Spring	Aristotle Graduate Seminar ii
2022 Winter	Philosophy As a Way of Life
2021 Fall	Plato's Later Dialogues
2021 Summer	Philosophy of Law
2021 Winter	Aristotle Graduate Seminar
2020 Fall	Plato Graduate Seminar
2019 Fall	SciFi and Philosophy Seminar
2019 Summer	<i>A Secular Age</i> Seminar
2019 Spring	<i>Divine Comedy</i> Seminar
2019 Winter	Oliver O'Donovan Seminar
2018 Fall	Plato and C.S. Lewis Seminar
2018 Winter	Bible and Its Interpretations
2018 Summer	Protestant Wisdom Seminar
2018 Spring	Christianity and Natural Law
2017 Summer	Ephesians Intensive

EXECUTIVE EXPERIENCE

VICE PRESIDENT & FELLOW 2017-present

- Led 16X revenue expansion from \$50,000 in 2017 to over \$800,000 in 2021
- Recruited & managed a 8 member team to expand our network & raise funds
- Point person for major donor interactions
- Co-founded Davenant Hall graduate school in 2019
- Increased annual reach from ~150 to 1000+ participants in our programs
- Worked closely with the President on funding, staffing, & messaging strategy
- Co-host and Co-founder of Ad Fontes Podcast
- Inaugural Poetry Editor for Ad Fontes magazine

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE & RECOGNITION

ADJUNCT ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, Saint Mary's, Moraga, CA

- Student Essay Contest Winner from my class, 2022
- Designed "Community Engagement with Philosophy" course, 2020

- Co-organized Bay Area St. Thomas Aquinas Annual Lecture, 2019-22
- Planned and led the “Inklings Symposium” Writers Conference, 2018
- Reader for “The Undergraduate” & “Spectrum,” 2010-2017
- Served as a Seminar Substitute, 2012-present
- Nominated for “Leadership, Involvement, and Diversity” Award, 2016
- Awarded “Positive Impact” Certificate for exceptional service to students, 2016
- Communication Program Assessment Reviewer, Spring 2014
- Led training on Gandhi and Hannah Arendt at Seminar Summer Training, 2014
- Attended week-long Seminar Department Summer Training, 2013, ‘14, ‘16, ‘19
- Attended Weekend Seminar Training, 2010-2015, ‘17
- Attended Annual Composition Symposium, 2010-2019
- Writing Placement Exam Grader, Summer, 2012
- Nominated for Advisor of the Year, Diversity Organizations Council, 2012, ‘14
- Completed the Year-long Faculty Formation Program, 2012-2013 cohort

SEIU 1021 SMC CHAPTER, Founder & Chief Steward, 2014-present

- Co-Founder of the chapter: organized & won a vote to unionize in 2014
- Increased dues paying membership from less than 10% in 2015 to 57% in 2020
- Negotiated contracts worth over \$10 million for union members
- Filed over 15 legal grievances on behalf of union membership

JOHN F. HENNING INSTITUTE, Moraga, CA

- Promoted to Fellow of the Institute, Fall, 2021
- Organized “The Future of Work,” Zoom conference, Fall, 2020
- Appointed to the Board of the Institute, Fall, 2019
- Oversee funding for research into Catholic Social Teaching

CAMPUS CHAPLAIN, Saint Mary’s, InterVarsity, Moraga, CA, 2010-2016

- Developed & maintained a network of over 200 individual donors
- Fundraised \$85,000 per year for the college chaplaincy program
- Worked with major donors to raise money for nearby chaplaincies
- Led conferences & events for college students to investigate faith

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

AMERICAN REFORMER, May 2023

- Essay, “Classical Education and its Discontents”

DAVENANT PRESS, Feb 2023

- Book titled, *Shining Human Creature, Traherne’s Ethics Modernized, Vol I*

AD FONTES, March 2023

- Essay, “Revisiting Platonic Education”

AD FONTES, Feb 2023

- Poem, “A Man Near Magnificence”

FIRST THINGS, December 2022

- Review, “Conservatives for Labor”

AD FONTES, November 2022

- Essay, “Eliot in Evangelical Americana”

DAVENANT PRESS, Fall, 2022

- Chapter “Work and Labor” in book titled, *Protestant Social Teaching*

AD FONTES, June 2022

- Essay, “Creeds and Credentials”

DAVENANT PRESS, Summer, 2022

- Chapter in book titled, *Reforming Classical Education*

DAVENANT PRESS, Summer, 2022

- Forward to book titled, *Serious Comedy 2nd Edition*

AMERICAN REFORMER, Spring, 2022

- Essay, “Just War in Ukraine?”

AD FONTES, May 2022

- Poem, “My Brother’s Friends”

AMERICAN REFORMER, Winter, 2022

- Essay, “The American Founding, Protestantism, and the Law of Nations”

AMERICAN REFORMER, Fall, 2021

- Essays, “Courage and Cancelation” and “Live Not by Dreher Alone”

JOURNAL OF INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES, Fall 2021

- Review, “Thomistic Existentialism and Cosmological Reasoning” by John Knasas

THE LAMP, Summer 2020

- Essay, “On Homes”

THE AMERICAN MIND, Fall 2019

- Essay, “Minerva Has Left the Building”

JOURNAL OF INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES, Fall 2019

- Review, “Artificial Unintelligence” by Meredith Broussard

PROCEEDINGS OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE, Lviv National Medical University, Summer 2019

- Peer Reviewed Article, “Ethical Limitations of Freedom”

THE FEDERALIST, Winter 2018

- Essay titled, “Why Even Non-Christians Lose From Growing Biblical Ignorance”

SEMINAR 75th ANNIVERSARY, Fall 2018

- Essay titled, “A Defense of Seminar as Death Cult”

JOURNAL OF INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES, Fall 2018

- Reviewed, “Cultural Renewal” by Arthur Pontynen

THE FEDERALIST, Fall 2018

- Essay titled, “Why It’s Better for Everyone if the NFL Keeps Football Violent”

ENGLEWOOD REVIEW, Summer 2018

- Review titled, “Mariner”

THE FEDERALIST, Fall 2017

- Essay titled, “Professor’s Tips to Hack Your College Campus Tour”

ENGLEWOOD REVIEW, Fall 2017

- Review titled, “Giving Us Words”

DAVENANT INSTITUTE, Fall 2017

- Essay titled, “Christian Education and Big Data”

MERE ORTHODOXY, Fall 2017

- Satire titled, “Doing Justice Without Leaving The Couch”

THE FEDERALIST, Fall 2017

- Essay titled, “Why Everyone Should Watch the NFL This Season”

THE FEDERALIST, Winter 2017

- Review titled, “Silence: A Brilliant Way To Pressure Someone Out Of Faith”

SOJOURNERS, September 2016

- Essay titled, “Peter Claver and the Work of Justice”

ENGLEWOOD REVIEW, Summer 2016

- Review titled, “Welcome to the Fallout”

SOJOURNERS, April 2016

- Essay titled, “On Being Hunted”

ENGLEWOOD REVIEW, Spring 2016

- Review titled, "Paul's Office"

ORIENTED TO FAITH, February 2016

- Essay titled, "My Church Never Talks About This"

SOJOURNERS, February 2016

- Essay titled, "A Slave Named Felicity"

EVANSVILLE REVIEW, Vol XXII, Summer 2012

- Short story titled "The Liar"

TAMPA REVIEW, Issue 42, Summer 2012

- Short story titled "Buried"

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

CAMPUS LECTURE, Wheaton College, April 2023

- Lecture titled "Spiritual Technology of Christian Poetics"

GUEST CLASS LECTURE, Wheaton College, April 2023

- Lecture titled "Occasional Poetry, its Meaning and its Importance"

ASSOCIATION OF CORE TEXTS, Dallas TX, March 2023

- Lecture titled "Thomas Traherne and the Tradition of Ethical Reflection"

NATIONAL CONSERVATIVE CONFERENCE, Edmund Burke Fund, Fall 2021

- Lecture titled "The American Founding, Christianity, and the Law of Nations"

THE FUTURE OF WORK, Hennings Institute via Zoom, Fall 2020

- Lecture titled "Can the Dignity of Work be Restored?"

SUMMER LECTURE SERIES, Zoom, Summer 2020

- Lectured on the seven virtues on behalf of Davenant Institute

INTERVARSITY, Cal State University Stanislaus, Fall 2019

- Lecture titled "Money in the Christian and Western Philosophical Tradition"

FALL TRAINING, Three Crosses, Fall 2019

- Lecture titled "Reflections on Christian Ethics"

DEEPER IN (adult ed), Community Presbyterian Church of Danville, Fall 2019

- Lecture titled "Philosophy of Genesis 1-2"

SUMMER SESSION, Christ Church Berekeley, Summer 2019

- Seminar titled "Tolkien and the Virtue Ethic Tradition"

VISITING LECTURER, University of Lviv, Ukraine, Spring 2019

- Week long lecture series of lectures on Plato, Aristotle, and Tolkien

WINTER SESSION, Christ Church of Berkeley, Winter 2019

- Seminar titled "Marriage in Historical Context"

DEEPER IN (adult ed), Community Presbyterian Church of Danville, Fall 2018

- Lecture titled "Natural Knowledge of God, or Why Love Natural Law"

SUMMER SESSION, Christ Church Berkeley, Summer 2018

- Seminar titled "Narnia and Medieval Cosmology"

ASSOCIATION OF CORE TEXTS, Academic Conference, Spring 2018

- Paper titled "The Gospel in Homer"

DEEPER IN (adult ed), Community Presbyterian Church of Danville, Spring 2018

- Lecture titled "C.S. Lewis and Natural Law"

FAITH AND FILM, University of the Pacific, Spring 2018

- Academic panelist discussing "Silence" by Martin Scorsese

ENCOMPASS, University of California Merced, Spring 2018

- Lecture titled "Friendship in the Christian Tradition"

DEEPER IN, Community Presbyterian Church of Danville, Spring 2018

- Lecture titled "Aristotle, Lewis and Friendship"

ENCOUNTER, University of California Berkeley, Spring 2018

- Lecture titled "Demonic Origins of Ressentiment"

INTERVARSITY, Sonoma State University, Spring 2018

- Lecture titled "Church History and the Gospel"

ENCOMPASS, University of California Merced, Fall 2017

- Lecture titled "The Story of Justice"

C.S. LEWIS TODAY, First Presbyterian Church Berkeley, Fall 2017

- Lecture titled "Beyond Sublime Waterfalls: Nietzsche and Lewis on Objectivity"

INTERVARSITY, University of the Pacific, Fall 2017

- Lecture titled "The Story of Justice"

SMC SEMINAR 75th ANNIVERSARY, Fall 2017

- Essay titled, "A Defense of Seminar as Death Cult"

DEEPER IN, Community Presbyterian Church, Fall 2017

- Lecture titled "Luther's Reformation at 500"

OXBRIDGE SUMMER INSTITUTE, Academic Conference, Summer 2017

- Lecture titled "The University, C.S. Lewis, and the Modern Adjunct Crisis"

DEEPER IN, Community Presbyterian Church of Danville, Summer 2016

- Lecture series titled "Global Mission and the Inculturation of the Gospel"

INTERSECT, Stanford University, Spring 2016

- Lecture titled "Sardis and the Burghers of Calais"

DEEPER IN, Community Presbyterian Church of Danville, Summer 2015

- Lecture series titled "The Life and Thought of C.S. Lewis"

INTERSECTIONS, Moraga Valley Presbyterian Church, Fall 2013

- Lecture titled "The Truth About Emerging Adulthood"

KNOTTED, Undergraduate Northern CA Regional IVCF, Summer 2013

- Lecture titled "Why We Need to Read the Ancient Greeks to Understand Paul"

EKKLESIA PROJECT, Academic Conference, Summer 2012

- Lecture titled "Why the Primary Obstacle to Community is Your Job"

SEARCH HARD, Undergraduate Northern CA Regional IVCF, Summer 2012

- Lecture titled "Icons, Application, and the Art of Meaningful Teaching"
- Seminar titled "Tough Questions: Reconciling Dissonance & Faith"

OAKLAND URBAN PROJECT, SMC Spring Break Trip, Spring 2012

- Seminar, no title, on mutual conversion and majority postures to the poor

VERITAS, UC Berkeley Graduate Student IVCF, 2011

- Lecture titled "What Story Are We In? A Critical Approach to the Gospels"

CREATIVE WRITING READING SERIES, Saint Mary's, 2009

- Read short story titled "Sleepover"