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ACADEMIC OVERVIEW

Princeton Theological Seminary

GPA: 4.0
Degree: Doctorate of Philosophy
Department: Biblical Studies: New Testament
Graduation: 2011 (anticipated)
Dissertation: "Unmanly Men: Subversions of Masculinity in Luke-Acts"

Duke University Divinity School

GPA: 3.96
Degree: Master of Theological Studies
Graduation: 2005

The University of Texas at Austin

GPA: 4.0
Degree: Bachelor of Arts
Majors: History and Religious Studies
Graduation: 2003

PUBLICATIONS AND ACADEMIC PAPERS

Publications

- "Pugnacious Precursors and the Bearer of Peace: Jael, Judith and Mary in Luke 1:42" in *The Catholic Biblical Quarterly* 68.3 (2006): 435-56
- Review of *Contemporary Studies in Acts* by Thomas E. Phillips (ed.) in *Religious Studies Review* (forthcoming)
- Review of *The Acts of the Apostles* by David G. Peterson in *Religious Studies Review* (forthcoming)
- Review of *Behold the Man: Jesus and Greco-Roman Masculinity* by Colleen M. Conway in *Koinonia: The Princeton Theological Seminary Graduate Forum* 21 (2009): 154-57

Presentations

- "An Emasculating Muteness: The Silencing of Zechariah in Luke 1" at Society of Biblical Literature, Atlanta, GA, November 2010
- "Zechariah 'Unmanned': Subversions of Masculinity in Luke 1" at New Testament Research Colloquium, Princeton, NJ, February 2010
- "The Advent of 'Unmanliness': A Look at Luke 1 Through the Lens of Gender" at AFTE Christmas Conference, Woodlands, TX, December 2009
- Response to "Friendship with God: A Trinitarian Account of *Caritas* in Aquinas" at AFTE Christmas Conference, Washington D.C., December 2008
- "A Peaceful Army and A Soul-Piercing Sword: Ironical Uses of Violence Imagery in Luke 2:1-35" at Mid-Atlantic Region Society of Biblical Literature, New Brunswick, NJ, March 2008
- "Pugnacious Precursors and the Bearer of Peace: Jael, Judith and Mary in Luke 1:42" at Southeastern Region Society of Biblical Literature, Atlanta, GA, March 2006
- "Women in Ministry: Martha and Mary in Luke 10:38-42" at Southeastern Region Society of Biblical Literature, Winston Salem, NC, March 2005

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AWARDS, HONORS, AND ORGANIZATIONS

Organizations

- Society of Biblical Literature
- A Foundation for Theological Education (AFTE)
- Phi Beta Kappa

Awards and Honors

- Society of Biblical Literature-Southeast Kenneth Willis Clark Award for “Pugnacious Precursors and the Bearer of Peace: Jael, Judith, and Mary in Luke 1:42” (2006)
- Excellence in Bible Award at Duke (2005)
- *summa cum laude* at Duke (2005)
- Highest Honors at the University of Texas at Austin (2003)

Scholarships and Fellowships

- John Wesley Fellowship from AFTE (2006-2010)
- Princeton Doctoral Fellowship in Biblical Studies (2006-2010)
- Full Tuition Scholarship at Duke (2003-2005)
- Endowed Presidential Scholarship at the University of Texas at Austin (2002)
- Liberal Arts Scholarship at the University of Texas at Austin (2002)
- History Scholarship at the University of Texas at Austin (2002)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Princeton Theological Seminary:

Position: Teaching Fellow for “Women and the Letters of Paul” with Beverly Roberts Gaventa (Helen H. P. Manson Professor of New Testament Literature and Exegesis)

Responsibilities: Lecturing; facilitating discussion; grading assignments

Dates: September 2009-December 2009

Position: Teaching Fellow for “Introduction to New Testament Exegesis” with Beverly Roberts Gaventa

Responsibilities: Leading Greek translation groups; grading assignments

Dates: September 2009-December 2009

Position: Teaching Fellow for “Orientation to New Testament Studies” with J. Ross Wagner (Associate Professor of New Testament) and George Parsenios (Associate Professor of New Testament)

Responsibilities: Teaching weekly sessions; leading discussion; grading assignments

Dates: January 2008-May 2008; January 2009-May 2009

Position: Teaching Fellow for “Orientation to Old Testament Studies” with Katharine Doob Sakenfeld (William Albright Eisenberger Professor of Old Testament Literature and Exegesis) and Dennis T. Olson (Charles T. Haley Professor of Old Testament Theology)

Responsibilities: Teaching weekly sessions; leading discussion; grading assignments; writing exam questions

Dates: September 2008-December 2008

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TEACHING EXPERIENCE (CONT.)

Princeton Theological Seminary (cont.):

Position: Teaching Assistant for “Introduction to New Testament Greek” with George Parsenios

Responsibilities: Teaching daily sessions; creating practice exercises and exams; grading assignments

Dates: July 10, 2007-August 31 2007

Duke University Divinity School:

Position: Teaching Assistant for “Introduction to New Testament Interpretation” with Richard B. Hays (George Washington Ivey Professor of New Testament)

Responsibilities: Teaching weekly sessions; leading discussion; grading assignments

Dates: January 2006-May 2006

Position: Teaching Assistant for “Modern European Christianity” with David Steinmetz (Amos Ragan Kearns Distinguished Professor of the History of Christianity, emeritus)

Responsibilities: Teaching weekly sessions; leading discussion; grading assignments

Dates: January 2006-May 2006

Position: Teaching Assistant for “Introduction to Old Testament Interpretation” with Ellen F. Davis (Amos Ragan Kearns Distinguished Professor of Bible and Practical Theology)

Responsibilities: Guest lecturing; teaching weekly sessions; leading discussion; grading assignments

Dates: August 2005-December 2005; January 2006-May 2006

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Princeton Theological Seminary:

Position: Research Assistant for Beverly Roberts Gaventa

Responsibilities: Providing feedback on articles; indexing *Our Mother St. Paul* (2007) by Beverly Roberts Gaventa; proofreading; compiling bibliographies; TLG searches; various research tasks

Dates: January 2007-Present

Position: Ph.D. Student Representative for the Department of Biblical Studies

Responsibilities: Attending department meetings; reporting to the *Koinonia* Graduate Fellowship meetings; assisting during Ph.D. orientation

Dates: September 2007-Present

Duke University Divinity School:

Position: Research Associate for Richard B. Hays

Responsibilities: Proofreading articles; various administrative tasks

Dates: October 2005-December 2005

Position: Writing Tutor for the Center for Theological Writing

Responsibilities: Providing individual writing instruction; critiquing and assessing papers

Dates: August 2005-December 2005

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OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (CONT.)

Duke University:

Position: Archival Assistant for Perkins Library

Responsibilities: Organizing collections; sorting archival materials; data entry

Dates: Summer 2004

The University of Texas at Austin:

Position: Research Assistant for Harold Liebowitz (Professor of Hebrew Bible and Middle Eastern Languages and Culture)

Responsibilities: Proofreading articles; organizing archeological materials; cleaning and labeling artifacts

Dates: September 2001-May 2002

ANCIENT LANGUAGE EXPERIENCE

Greek

- Completed Koine Greek exam (administered at PTS by George Parsenios; August 2007)
- Classical Greek at PTS (Advanced Greek Reading and Grammar II; Fall 2006)
- Translation and exegetical work at PTS (seven courses; September 2006-May 2008)
- Translation and exegetical work at Duke (nine courses)
- Classical Greek at UT (three semesters)
- Koine Greek at UT (one semester)

Biblical Hebrew

- Completed biblical Hebrew exam (administered at PTS by Jacqueline Lapsley; January 2007)
- Translation and exegetical work at PTS (four courses; September 2006-May 2008)
- Biblical Hebrew at Duke (two semesters)
- Biblical Hebrew Advanced Reading at Duke (two semesters [one full summer term])
- Translation and exegetical work at Duke (two courses)

Latin

- Completed Latin exam (administered at PTS by George Parsenios; August 2008)

MODERN LANGUAGE EXPERIENCE

German

- Completed German exam (administered at Princeton University; August 2006)
- German at Princeton University (one semester)
- German for Academic Research at Duke (one semester)

French

- Completed French exam (administered at PTS; August 2007)
- French at London Central (two semesters)

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MODERN LANGUAGE EXPERIENCE (CONT.)

Spanish

- Spanish at Universidad de Granada (two semesters [one full summer term])
- Spanish at The University of Texas at Austin (two semesters)
- Spanish at Lake Braddock Secondary School (four semesters)

CHURCH AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Kingston United Methodist Church

- Annual Conference Representative (2009-)
- Guest preacher (2010-)
- Sunday School Teacher (2008-2009)
- Greeter (2006-)
- Liturgist (2006-)

Duke University Divinity School

- Faculty Search Student Committee member (2005)
- Divinity School Sojourner and Divinity School Guide (2004-2005)
- MTS Representative on Spiritual Formation Panel for MTS incoming class (2004)

Duke Chapel

- Liturgist (2003-2006)
- Confirmation Mentor (Spring 2004)
- At-Large Council Member (Fall 2004)

The Wesley Foundation

- Planning Committee member (2002-2003)