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**EDUCATION**

- Ph.D.** (2009) Boston College *Theology* (History of Christian Thought and Witness)  
Dissertation: *Ecclesiology in Motion: Ecumenical Vocation and the Developing Ecclesial Identity and Self-Understanding of the Church in the United Church of Christ (USA)*
- M.A.** (2003) Boston College *Theology* (Subject Area: Hermeneutics of Tradition)
- M.Div.** (2002) Andover Newton Theological School (Jonathan Edwards Honors Society)
- B.A.** (1997) University of New Hampshire *Humanities*  
Senior Thesis: *Beyond Objectivity and Relativism in Historical Epistemology*

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**Boston College**

*Course Instruction:*

Perspectives on Western Culture I (two sections)	<i>AY 2010-11 - present</i>
Courage To Know (UNCS 2201)	<i>Fall 2023, Spring 2023</i>
Senior Thesis Advisor (PHIL 4961)	<i>Spring 2023</i>
Environmental Ethics (PHIL 5534)	<i>Spring 2022</i>
Introduction to Christian Theology and History	<i>AY 2007-08</i>

*Advising:*

Pre-Major/Cornerstone Advising	<i>AY 2019 - present</i>
Advisor to 49 students in AY 2022-23	
Advisor to 38 students in AY 2021-22	
Summer Advisor	<i>AY 2019 - present</i>
Diversity Discussion Facilitator	<i>Welcome Week 2019</i>

*Faculty Cohorts:*

CTE—Learning Sciences Cohort	<i>AY 2022-23</i>
CTE—Teaching for Inclusion and Social Justice Cohort	<i>AY 2021-22</i>

*Perspectives May Workshops:*

Presentation: “Diversifying the Content of P1”	<i>2011- present</i>
	<i>May 17, 2019</i>

<b>Emmanuel College</b>	
World Religions (online)	<i>Summers 2011, 2012</i>
Introduction to Religious Studies (two sections)	<i>Spring 2010</i>
<b>Pacific School of Religion</b>	
UCC: History, Theology, Polity and Ethos	<i>Summer 2011</i>
<b>Chicago Theological Seminary</b>	
UCC: History, Theology, Polity and Ethos	<i>Summer 2009</i>
<i>Teaching Assistant (2000-2007):</i>	
<b>Hartford Theological Seminary</b>	
UCC: History and Polity with Barbara Brown Zikmund	<i>Summer 2007</i>
<b>Boston College</b>	
Religious Quest with John McDargh	<i>AY 2006-07</i>
Exploring Catholicism with Bruce Morrill, SJ	<i>AY 2005-06</i>
<b>Andover Newton Theological School</b>	
Pastoral Ecumenics with UCC President John Thomas	<i>January 2005</i>
Systematic Theology with S. Mark Heim	<i>AY 2000-01</i>

## **RELATED EXPERIENCE AND SERVICE**

<b>Pastor</b> , Roslindale Congregational Church, UCC (Boston, MA)	<i>2013-2019</i>
<b>Executive Council</b> , Metro. Boston Assoc., Mass. Conference, UCC	<i>2019 - 2021</i>
<b>Ecumenical and Interfaith Relations Committee</b> , Mass. Conf., UCC	<i>2005 - 2021</i>
<b>Elected Town Meeting Member</b> , Arlington, Mass.	<i>2013 - 2021</i>
<b>Ordained to Christian Ministry</b> , United Church of Christ	<i>Nov. 13, 2013</i>
<b>Council for Interfaith Relations</b> , United Church of Christ (Cleveland)	<i>2007-2016</i>
<b>Faith and Order Commission</b> , World Council of Churches (Geneva)	<i>2007-2013</i>
<b>Executive Council</b> , United Church of Christ (Cleveland)	<i>2007-2011</i>
<b>Historical Council</b> , United Church of Christ (Cleveland)	<i>2007-2013</i>
<b>9th Assembly of the World Council of Churches</b> , Porto Alegre, Brazil	<i>Feb. 2006</i>

<b>Chaplain Intern (CPE),</b> Brigham and Women's Hospital (Boston)	<i>Summer 2001</i>
<b>Student/Campus Minister,</b> Old Cambridge Baptist Church/Harvard College	<i>1999-2000</i>
<b>Seafarer's Friend,</b> Assistant to the Port Chaplain (Boston)	<i>1997-98</i>
<b>Pine Street Inn,</b> Part-time Day Counselor (Boston)	<i>1997-98</i>

## PUBLICATIONS

### *Article:*

“Doctrinal Development Through Ecumenical Accountability: Foundations and Processes in the Construction of a United Church Ecclesiology.” *Ecumenical Trends* 37.5 (May 2008): 11-16.

### *Book Reviews:*

“De Maria Numquam Satis: *The Significance of the Catholic Doctrines of the Blessed Virgin Mary for All People*,” by Judith Marie Gentle and Robert Fastiggi, eds.” *Journal of Ecumenical Studies* 45.4 (Fall 2010): 663.

“*The Church in Anglican Theology: A Historical, Theological and Ecumenical Exploration*, by Kenneth A. Locke.” *Journal of Ecumenical Studies* 45.2 (Spring 2010): 330-31.

“*Canterbury Cousins: The Eucharist in Contemporary Anglican Theology*, by Owen F. Cummings.” *Journal of Ecumenical Studies* 45.2 (Spring 2010): 329-30.

“*Building Bridges, Doing Justice: Constructing a Latino/a Ecumenical Theology*, by Orlando O. Espin, ed.” *Journal of Ecumenical Studies* 45.1 (Winter 2010): 157-58.

“*Global Christianity: Contested Claims*, by Frans Wiljzen and Robert Schreiter, eds.” *Journal of Ecumenical Studies* 43.3 (Summer 2008): 410.

“*Women Deacons in the Early Church: Historical Texts and Contemporary Debates*, by John Wijngaards.” *Religious Studies Review* 43.3 (September 2008): 216.

“*Introduction to the History of Christianity*, by George Herring.” *Religious Studies Review* 43.3 (September 2008): 210.

“*Early Celtic Christianity*, by Brendan Lehane.” *Religious Studies Review* 43.3 (September 2008): 214.