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EDUCATION

University of Notre Dame (ND)– *South Bend, IN* **Fall 2017–Spring 2019**

Master of Theological Studies– Biblical Studies (Old Testament/Hebrew Bible)

GPA: 3.80

Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary (GCTS)–*South Hamilton, MA* **Fall 2014–Spring 2017**

Master of Divinity

GPA: 3.84

North Central University (NCU)– *Minneapolis, MN* **Fall 2010–Spring 2014**

Bachelor of Arts– Biblical Studies (Biblical Languages)

GPA: 3.64

ACADEMIC PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Graduate Studies Coordinator, Department of History– *ND* **August 2019–**

Administrative support to the Director of Graduate Studies

Assistance to 55 graduate students

Managing a multi-million dollar annual budget

Associate Instructor– *Bibling* **September 2020–**

Teaching Hebrew and Greek

Weekly cohort meetings and private tutoring help

Designed as an affordable alternative to traditional biblical language instruction

Adjunct Faculty– *NCU* **Fall 2015–Spring 2016**

Old Testament History and Literature (Fall 2015)

The Acts of the Apostles (Spring 2016– 2 sections)

Graduate Assistant– *Gordon College (GC)* **Fall 2016–Spring 2017**

Running two weekly discussion groups for “BCM101: Old Testament Survey”

Providing support for students working on projects in “BCM335: Biblical Hermeneutics”

Aiding students w/their bi-weekly papers in “BCM220: Introduction to Biblical Studies”

Preparing students for a one-month long Israel trip w/geographical training

PROGRAMMING CERTIFICATIONS

MicroMasters Program: Data Science – University of California, San Diego **In Progress**

Python for Data Science, Probability and Statistics in Data Science using Python, Machine Learning Fundamentals, Big Data Analytics using Spark

IBM Data Science Professional Certificate – *Coursera* **May 2020**

Open Source Tools for Data Science, Python for Data Science and AI, Databases and SQL for Data Science, Data Analysis, Visualization, and Machine Learning with Python

Become a Python Developer – *LinkedIn Learning***March 2020**

Programming Foundations: Algorithms and Object-Oriented Design, Python 3 Standard Library, Python Generators, Advanced Python, Parallel and Concurrent Programming

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**BTI Committee on Interschool Programs and Relationship Building Fall 2016–Spring 2017**

Student representative for GCTS

Attending seminars on the future of theological education

The goals were to bolster interschool relations, increase awareness of interreligious issues, and allow faculty and students in the BTI to work toward the above goals together

Ministry Intern– *Calvary Baptist Church (CBC)***January–December 2015**

Volunteering 10 hours a week while a full-time seminarian

Teaching courses in Old Testament history and literature (see section below)

Pulpit supply

Establishing and leading a weekly Bible study with lay church members

Attending financial and business meetings

President of the Society for Bible and Theology– *NCU***Fall 2012–Spring 2013**

Residing on the Board of Directors in the NCU Student Government

Programing for students within the Institute for Biblical and Theological Studies

LANGUAGE SKILLS**English – Native****Hebrew**

Classical – Advanced

(Completed Reading of
the Hebrew Bible)

Modern – Intermediate

Greek

Koine – Advanced

(Completed Reading of
the Greek NT)

Septuagint – Advanced

Classical – Intermediate

German – Intermediate

Aramaic – Intermediate

(Dialects: Biblical,

Egyptian, Early and

Jewish Palestinian,

Jewish Babylonian)

French – Intermediate

(Graduate Reading

Requirement:

Completed– ND)

Syriac – Intermediate

Akkadian – Intermediate

Latin – Intermediate

Ge'ez – Intermediate

Ugaritic – Basic

RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIP EXPERIENCE**Byington Research Fellowship (w/ Douglas Stuart)– *GCTS*****Fall 2016–Spring 2017**

Research for *Hosea-Jonah* in *Word Biblical Commentary* (Zondervan, forthcoming)

Byington Research Fellowship (w/ Jeffrey Niehaus)– *GCTS***Fall 2014–Spring 2016**

Editing and research for *Biblical Theology: Volume 2* (Weaver Books, forthcoming)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Hebrew Bible – Chronicles, Ezra-Nehemiah, Inner-Biblical Exegesis, Structure of the Psalter
Digital Humanities – NLP and Intertextuality, Computer Vision and Digital Manuscripts

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS AND GUEST LECTURESHIPS

- Master of Theological Studies Colloquium** – ND 12 November 2018
 Paper: “Second Temple Interpretations of King Josiah’s Death”
- European Association of Biblical Studies (EABS)** 23–24 March 2018
 The Finnish Institute in Rome, Italy
 Paper: “Receiving and Redrafting Josiah in Paraleipomena”
- Casket-Empty Seminar**– CBC Spring 2016
 Two-part Old Testament Survey seminar
 Designed and taught to lay church members
- Undergraduate Bible and Theology Conference**– NCU Spring 2014
 Paper: “David’s Loving Song of Deliverance: Textual Transmission and Variant Readings of Psalm 18 and 2 Samuel 22 at Qumran”
- Old Testament History and Literature**– NCU Fall 2012–Spring 2013
 History and Literature of I Kings 16:29–22:53 and II Kings 1:1–9:37
 History and Literature of II Kings 16:1–19:37
- Biblical Hebrew IA & IB**– NCU Fall 2012–Spring 2013
 Lectures on chapters entitled: “Plural Word Pairs”, “Prepositions with Pronoun Endings”,
 and “The Infinitive and Review of *Pa’al* Pattern”

TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP EXPERIENCE

- Introduction to the Old Testament**– ND Fall 2018
- The Catholic Faith**– ND Springs 2018 and 2019
- Hellenistic Greek IA&B**– NCU Fall 2013–Spring 2014
- Old Testament History and Literature**– NCU Fall 2012–Spring 2013
- Hebrew IA&B**– NCU Fall 2012–Spring 2013

BOOK REVIEWS

- Journal of Biblical and Theological Studies* 2/1 (2017): 121–23 – James Nogalski, *Interpreting Prophetic Literature* (Louisville: Westminster John Knox Press, 2015).
- Expository Times* 128/9 (2017): 458–59 – Takamitsu Muraoka, *A Biblical Aramaic Reader: With an Outline Grammar* (Leuven: Peeters Publishers, 2015).
- Expository Times*, 128/9 (2017): 463–64 – Karen H. Jobes, ed., *Discovering the Septuagint: A Guided Reader* (Grand Rapids, MI: Kregel, 2016).
- Reviews in Religion and Theology*, 24/3 (2017): 567–69 – Steven J. Schweitzer and Frauke Uhlenbruch, eds., *Worlds That Could Not Be: Utopia in Chronicles, Ezra and Nehemiah* (London: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2016).

Bulletin for Biblical Research, 28/1 (2018): 102–104 – Saul Olyan, *Friendship in the Hebrew Bible* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 2017).

Journal of Biblical and Theological Studies, forthcoming – Donald R. Vance, George Athas, and Yael Avrahami, eds., *Biblia Hebraica Stuttgartensia: A Reader's Edition* (Peabody, MA: Hendrickson Publishers, 2014).

AWARDS

Professional Development Grant – <i>Nanovic Institute at ND</i>	Spring 2018
~\$1200 for travel to EABS 10 th Annual Graduate Symposium	
Master of Theological Studies Scholarship – <i>ND</i>	Fall 2017–Spring 2019
Full Tuition Scholarship: \$53,264/year	
Stipend: ~\$8000/year	
Outstanding Graduate in Biblical and Theological Studies – <i>NCU</i>	Spring 2014
Faculty appointed award	
Hebrew Student of the Year – <i>NCU</i>	Fall 2011–Spring 2012
Excellency in Biblical Hebrew	
First non-graduate awarded	

SOCIETY AND GROUP MEMBERSHIPS

Society of Biblical Literature	January 2016–
Student Member	
Institute for Biblical Research	March 2017–
Student Member	
Catholic Bible Association of America	November 2017–
Associate Member	
European Society of Biblical Studies	January 2018–
Student Member	
Society of Phi Alpha Chi – <i>GCTS</i>	Spring 2017–
Distinguished MDiv alumni	
Award is given for both academic achievements and excellence in ministry	
Der Bund der Septuaginta-Gelehrsamkeit – <i>GCTS</i>	Fall 2016–Spring 2017
Co-founder and president	
Weekly readings in the Septuagint with fellow GCTS students	
Complete reading of Muraoka, <i>A Syntax of Septuagint Greek</i>	
Deutsche Lesegesellschaft – <i>GCTS</i>	Summer 2016
Student member	
Weekly readings in <i>Die Lutherbibel</i> with fellow GCTS students	
Hebräische Bibel Lesegesellschaft – <i>GCTS</i>	Spring 2014–Spring 2017
Student member	
Weekly readings in the Hebrew Bible with fellow GCTS students	
Reformed Theological Society – <i>GCTS</i>	Fall 2016–Spring 2017
Student Member	
Monthly readings in the <i>Heidelberg Catechism</i> and John Calvin with fellow GCTS students	