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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy, December 2007
The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY.

Master of Divinity, December 2002.
The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY.

Bachelor of Science, June 1994.
Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA.
Concentration: Biology & Chemistry

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor of Christian Studies: Shorter University, Rome, GA, 2008-2013.

- *Courses Taught:* Christian Apologetics, Christian Theology, Introduction to Christianity, Introduction to Philosophy, Introduction to the Bible, Faith and Suffering, Philosophy of Religion, Faith and Reason, Faith and Science, Christian Ethics, World Religions, and Contending with Christianity's Critics.
- www.shorter.edu

Online Seminary Professor: Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA, 2007-2010.

- *Courses Taught:* Masters Level: Introduction to Christian Apologetics.
- www.liberty.edu

Adjunct Seminary Professor: Summit Bible College, Bakersfield, CA, 2008.

- *Courses Taught:* Christology.
- www.summitbiblecollege.com

Garrett Fellow: Southern Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY, 2003-2004.

- *Courses:* Introduction to Missiology, Cross Cultural Communication, Cultural Anthropology, History of Missions, The Persecuted Church, and Personal Evangelism.
- www.sbts.edu

SME Field Supervisor: Southern Theological Seminary, 2003.

- Supervised seminary students during ten-week ministry placements in local churches.
- www.sbts.edu

MINISTRY EXPERIENCE

Pastor: Cross Church, Portland, Maine, 2013-Present.

- www.crosschurchme.com

Minister to the University & Dean of the Chapel: Shorter University, Rome, GA, 2008-2013.

- Shorter University is a private institution with over 3,500 students.
- I served as the campus minister as well as a professor of Philosophy and Religion.
- My responsibilities included preaching in chapel, church relations, and spiritual formation for the faculty, staff, and student body.
- www.shorter.edu

College & Career Minister: Valley Baptist Church, Bakersfield, CA, 2005-2008.

- College & Career Pastor for a church of 6,000 members.
- Served under Dr. Roger Spradlin.
- www.valleybaptist.org

Senior Pastor: Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Leavenworth, IN, 2004-2005.

Singles Ministry Intern: Highview Baptist Church, Louisville, KY, 2003-2004.

- Served under Dr. Kevin Ezell.
- www.highviewbaptist.org

College & Career Minister: Cross Church (FBC), Springdale, AR, 1999-2002.

- College & Career Pastor at a 18,000-member church.
- Served under Dr. Ronnie Floyd.
- www.crosschurch.com

Youth Minister: Calvary Chapel, Jupiter Florida, 1998-1999.

- www.calvaryjupiter.org

Ordained to the Ministry: Cross Church, Springdale, AR, July 7, 2002.

- www.crosschurch.com

PUBLICATIONS

Dissertation:

Defender of Divine Revelation: Timothy Dwight's Arguments for the Authenticity and Divine Inspiration of the Bible.

Articles:

“Jesus the One and Only.” *The Christian Index*, 7 October 2010: 21.

“What Is So Different about Jesus?” *The Christian Index*, 7 October 2010: 20.

“Making Sense of Faith.” *The Christian Index*, 21 October 2010: 16.

“Why ‘Good’ Is Not Good Enough.” *The Christian Index*, 23 September 2010: 17.

“Is Jesus the *Only* Way to Heaven.” *The Christian Index*, 8 March 2012: 17.

“Does Science Require Faith?” *The Christian Index*, 9 August 2012: 17.

Booklets:

What Must I Do To Get To Heaven? Rome, GA: Shorter University, 2008.

How Can I Know God’s Will for My Life? Rome, GA: Shorter University, 2010.

If God Exists, Why Is There Evil And Suffering In The World? Rome, GA: Shorter University, 2009.

Why Should I Live for Christ? Rome, GA: Shorter University, 2010.

Does God Exist? A Cosmological Argument. Rome, GA: Shorter University, 2009.

Does God Exist? A Moral Argument. Rome, GA: Shorter University, 2011.

Published Devotionals:

“What Am I Doing Right?” *Sports Spectrum*, 30 May 2009: 21.

“Be A Doer.” *Sports Spectrum*, 3 June 2009: 22.

“Focus On The Goal.” *Sports Spectrum*, 15 June 2009: 21.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Evangelical Theological Society

Evangelical Philosophical Society

Society of Biblical Literature

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Christian School Math and Science Teacher

- The King’s Academy, West Palm Beach, FL, 1997-1998.
- www.tka.net

University Track & Field Coach:

- Campbell University, Buies Creek, NC, 1995-1996.
- Recruited and Coached NCAA Division-1 athletes.
- www.campbell.edu

Emergency Medical Technician

- Scarborough Fire & Rescue Department, 1987-1992.
- Worked on an ambulance as an EMT.
- Certified to teach CPR.

Commercial Lobsterman

- Portland, Maine, 1981-1997, 2012 to present.
- Owner / operator.