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EDUCATION

Columbia University. Ph.D. Religious Studies, 1995

Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium. B.A. Philosophy (magna cum laude), 1987

Harvard University Divinity School. M.T.S. Biblical Studies, 1986

Colorado State University. B.F.A. Art and Art History, 1982

EMPLOYMENT

Professor of Biblical Studies and Christian Origins, Iliff School of Theology, 2014-present

Academic Director, DU/Iliff Joint PhD Program in the Study of Religion, 2011-2017

Associate Professor of Biblical Studies and Christian Origins, Iliff School of Theology, 2000-2014

Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies and Christian Origins, Iliff School of Theology, 1995-2000

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Paul Was Not a Christian. San Francisco: HarperOne, 2009.

Invitation to Romans. Nashville: Abingdon Press, 2006.

The Jewish Heroes of Christian History: Hebrews 11 in Literary Context. SBL Dissertation Series 156. Atlanta: Scholars Press, 1997.

Articles and Essays

- "Menorah and Cross, Signs and Things," Ancient Jew Review (in press).
- "Hebrews: Introduction and Annotations," Pages 460-89 in *The Jewish Annotated New Testament. Revised Edition.* Edited by Amy-Jill Levine and Marc Z. Brettler. Oxford, 2017. (This article was thoroughly revised and expanded from the first edition of this volume published in 2012.)
- "Religion and Ritual, Sacrifice and Supersession: A Utopian Reading of Hebrews." Pages 343-56 in Hebrews in Context. Edited by Gabriella Gellardini and Harry Attridge. Brill 2016.
- "Redescribing the Religion of Hebrews." Pages 283-93 in "The One Who Sows Bountifully": Essays in Honor of Stanley K. Stowers Edited by Caroline Johnson Hodge, et al. Brown Judaic Studies, 2013.
- "Paul vis-à-vis Levinas" Pages 105-20 in *Making a Difference: Essays on the Bible and Judaism in Honor of Tamara Eskenazi.* Edited by David Clines, Kent Harold Richards, and Jacob Wright. Sheffield: Sheffield Phoenix, 2012.
- "Sirach." Pages 410-17 in *The Women's Bible Commentary*. Third Edition. Edited by C. Newsom, S. Ringe, and J. E. Lapsley. Westminster/John Knox, 2012. (Revised from the second edition of *The Women's Bible Commentary* in 1998.)

- "Jewish Perspectives: A Jewish Apostle to the Gentiles." Pages 135-54 in Studying Paul's Letters: Contemporary Perspectives and Methods. Edited by Joseph Marchal. Fortress, 2012.
- "Anti-Semitism and the New Testament," and "Anti-Judaism and the New Testament" in New Interpreter's Dictionary of the Bible. Nashville: Abingdon, 2006. (Short entries.)
- "Locating Hebrews within the Literary Landscape of Christian Origins" Pages 213-37 in *Hebrews:*Contemporary Insights, New Methods. Edited by G. Gellardini. Biblical Interpretation Series 75.

 Brill, 2005.
- "Paul, Polemics, and the Problem of Essentialism." Biblical Interpretation 13/3 (2005): 224-38.
- "A Remedy for Having Been Born of Woman: Jesus, Gentiles and Genealogy in Romans." *Journal of Biblical Literature* 123/4 (2004): 671-702.
- "Father and Son: The Christology of Hebrews in Patrilineal Perspective." Pages 127-46 in *A Feminist Companion to the Catholic Epistles and Hebrews*. Edited by Amy-Jill Levine with Maria Mayo Robbins. T & T Clark International, 2004.
- "Following in the Footnotes of the Apostle Paul." Pages 77-97 in *Identity and the Politics of Scholarshipin the Study of Religion* Edited by Sheila Greeve Davaney and Jose Cabezon. Routledge, 2004.
- "The Christian Canon and the Problem of Anti-Semitism." Pages 3-17 in A Shadow of Glory: Reading the New Testament After the Holocaust. Edited by T. Linafelt. Routledge, 2002.
- "Is Paul the Father of Misogyny and Antisemitism?" *Cross Currents* 50 (Winter 2000-2001; Special Issue on Jewish-Christian Relations): 506-524. Also online at www.crosscurrents.org/eisenbaum.htm.
- "Paul as the New Abraham." Pages 130-45 in *Paul and Politics: Ekklesia, Israel, Imperium, Interpretation*. Edited by Richard Horsley. Trinity Press International, 2000.
- "Sirach." Pages 80-156 of the Apocrypha in *The Oxford Access Bible*. Edited by D. L. Petersen and G. O'Day. Oxford University Press, 1999.
- "The Wisdom of Solomon." Pages 52-79 of the Apocrypha in *The Oxford Access Bible*. Edited by D. L. Petersen and G. O'Day. Oxford University Press, 1999.
- "The Virtue of Suffering, the Necessity of Discipline, and the Pursuit of Perfection in Hebrews." Pages 331-53 in *Asceticism and the New Testament*. Edited by L. E. Vaage and V. L. Wimbush. Routledge, 1999.
- "Heroes and History in Hebrews 11." Pages 380-96 in Early Christian Interpretation of the Scripturesof Israel Edited by C. A. Evans and J. A. Sanders. Sheffield Press, 1997.
- "The Role of the 'Old Testament' in Ancient Christianity and the Problem of Anti-Semitism." Pages 210-223 in the *Proceedings of the Annual Conference of the American Theological Library Association* Edited by M.S. Chartier. ATLA, 1997.
- "A Speech Act of Faith: The Earliest Proclamation of the Resurrection of Jesus." Pages 24-45 in Putting Body and Soul Together: Essays in Honor of Robin Scroggs. Edited by V. Wiles, A. Brown, G.F. Snyder. Trinity Press International, 1997.

Book Reviews

Paul the Pagan's Apostle by Paula Fredriksen, Review of Biblical Literature, forthcoming

The Apostle Paul in the Jewish Imagination: A Study in Modern Jewish-Christian Relations by Daniel Langton. Cambridge, 2012 in JAAR, forthcoming.

Whom God Has Called: The Relationship of the Church and Israel in Pauline Interpretation, 1920 to the Presentby Christopher Zoccali (Eugene: Pickwick Publications, 2010) in CBQ forthcoming.

"They Don't Make Jews Like Jesus Anymore: Review of *The Jewish Gospels: The Story of the Jewish Christ* by Daniel Boyarin" *Moment* March/April 2012 (print and online at http://www.momentmag.com/Exclusive/2012/04/Books_Eisenbaum.html

Meet the Rabbis: Rabbinic Thought and the Teachings of Jesusby Brad H. Young (Peabody, MA: Hendrickson, 2007) in Interpretation 63 (2009): 424-25.

Polemic in the Book of Hebrews: Anti-Judaism, Anti-Semitism, Supersessionism? By Lloyd Kim (Princeton Theological Monographs; Eugene, OR: Pickwick, 2006) in CBQ 70 (2008): 152-54.

Neither Jew nor Greek? Constructing Early Christianity by Judith Lieu (New York: T & T Clark International, 2003), in Interpretation 59 (2005): 322-24.

Wholly Woman, Holy Blood: A Feminist Critique of Purity and Impurityed. by Kristin De Troyer, et al (Philadelphia: Trinity Press International, 2003), in JAAR 72 (2004): 525-28.

Imperialism and Jewish Society, 200 B.C.E. to 640 C.E. by Seth Schwartz (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2001), in *The Journal of Religion & Society*[http://www.creighton.edu/JRS] 6 (2004).

Justification and Variegated Nomism: A Fresh Appraisal of Paul and Second Temple Judaism, Volume I: The Complexities of Second Temple Judaism, ed. by D. A. Carson, Peter T. O'Brien, Mark A. Seifrid (Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Academic, 2001), in the Review of Biblical Literature (December 2002) [http://www.bookreviews.org/BookDetail.asp?TitleId=1887].

Perseverance in Gratitude: A Socio-Rhetorical Commentary on the Epistle "to the Hebrews," by David A. deSilva. (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2000), in the Review of Anglican Studies

The Bible As It Was by James Kugel (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 1998), in JAAR 67 (1999): 681-83.

The Rise of Christianity: A Sociologist Reconsiders History by Rodney Stark (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1996), in JAAR 66 (1998): 496-71.

The Mystery of Romansby Mark Nanos (Minneapolis: Fortress, 1996), in Jewish Book World 15/2 (1997):31-32.

The Way of the Lord: Christological Exegesis of the Old Testament in the Gospel of Marky Joel Marcus in USQR 47 (1993): 121-24.

ACADEMIC PAPERS

"Redeeming Redemption in Paul" Joint Session between Early Jewish/Christian Relations and Paul within Judaism, AAR/SBL Annual Meeting in Denver, November, 2018

"Menorah and Cross, Signs and Things" Panel celebrating 10-year anniversary of Krister Stendahl's Death, sponsored by the SBL Early Jewish/Christian Relations Section and the AAR Religious Art in Antiquity Section, Denver, November, 2018

Panelist, Paul within Judaism Section, Session Theme: Inclusion of Those from the Nations in Paul in Conversation with Later Christ-following Groups, AAR/SBL Annual Meeting in Boston, November, 2017

"Reading Paul as a Jew" Plenary Lecture and Seminar for faculty and graduate students, Frie Universität of Amsterdam, November 2016

Panelist, Nida-sponsored session on Bible and Translation at AAR/SBL Annual Meeting in Atlanta, November 2015.

"Religion, Ethnicity, and Category Confusion: Jews and Gentiles in Paul" Kripke Symposium at Creighton University, February, 2015

"The Question of Identity: Jew and Gentile in Paul" Enoch Seminar, Nangerooni Meeting, Rome, June, 2014

Respondent, Pauline Epistles Section – Special Session: Papers by New Scholars, AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, San Francisco, November 2014

"Competitive Torah Practice Among Paul's Friends and Enemies" AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, Baltimore, November 2013

Panelist, Review of *Christ Circumcised* by Andrew Jacobs, AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, Chicago, November 2012.

"The Letter and the Spirit: Comparing the Material Uses of Scripture by Jews and Christians," AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, Chicago, November, 2012.

Inaugural Lecture of the Bible Seminar (a break-away of the Jesus Seminar, sponsored by the Westar Institute), San Francisco, November, 2011.

Panelist, "A Retrospective Look at the Contributions of the SBL Seminar and Book Series: Romans through History and Cultures," San Francisco, November, 2011.

"Paul vis-à-vis Levinas," Conference: Stereotyping the Other, University of Lund, Sweden, April, 2011 (invited lecture).

"Paul and Judaism," AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, November 2010.

"Response to Fritz Graf, You Have Become Dull of Hearing: Hebrews 5 and the Rhetoric of Conversion" AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, November, 2010.

Panelist, Review of *The Authentic Letters of Path* by A. Dewey, R. Hoover, L. McGaughy, D. Schmidt," Westar Institute Fall Meeting, Santa Rosa, CA, October, 2010.

"Redescribing the Religion of Hebrews" AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, November, 2007.

"Response to Jacques Berlinerblau's 'What's Wrong with the Society of Biblical Literature?" AAR/SBL Regional Meeting, Omaha, Nebraska, March, 2007.

"Paul the (Ex?)-Pharisee," AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., November, 2006.

"Hebrews, Supersessionism, and Jewish-Christian Relations," AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, November, 2005.

"Jews and the Study of the New Testament," AAR/SBL Annual Meeting, San Antonio, November, 2004.

"Current Trends in New Testament Scholarship," Panelist, AAR/SBL Regional Meeting, Provo, UT, March, 2004.

"Paul as a Site for Jewish/Christian Relations, Ancient and Modern" SBL Annual Meeting, Atlanta, November, 2003.

"Father and Son: The Christology of Hebrews in Patrilineal Perspective" SBL International Meeting, Cambridge, July 2003. This paper was also delivered at the Rocky Mtns./Great Plains Regional Meeting, CU-Boulder, April 2003.

"Locating Hebrews within the Literary Landscape of Christian Origins" SBL International Meeting, Berlin, July 2002.

Panelist, Review of *Christ: A Crisis in the Life of God*, by Jack Miles, National Meeting of the AAR/SBL, Denver, November, 2001.

"A Remedy for Having Been Born of Woman: Jesus, Gender, and Genealogy in Romans," National Meeting of the AAR/SBL, Nashville, November 2000.

"Myth with Footnotes," Conference on Identity, Scholarship and the Study of Religion (by invitation only) held at Iliff School of Theology, June 2000.

"Paul as the New Abraham in Romans," National Meeting of the AAR/SBL, November 1998.

"Gender and Judaism in Paul: The Reign of the Circumcised Phallus," National Meeting of the AAR/SBL, November 1997.

"Asceticism and Hebrews," Conference on Asceticism and the New Testament (by invitation only) held at Emmanuel College, Toronto, Canada, October 1996.

Panel Respondent to "The Death of John the Baptizer and the Death of Agamemnon" by Dennis MacDonald, and "The Death of John the Baptizer: A Jewish (?) Novella" by Richard Pervo; Rocky Mountain Regional Meeting of the AAR/SBL, April 1996.

"The Role of the 'Old Testament' in Ancient Christianity and the Problem of Anti-Semitism," Annual Scholar's Conference on the Holocaust and the Churches, March 1996. (Paper also given at the Annual Conference of the American Theological Library Association.)

"Heroes and History in Hebrews 11," National meeting of the AAR/SBL, November 1995.

Panel Respondent to "Secrecy and Recognitions in Mark and Homer" by Dennis MacDonald, Rocky Mountain Regional Meeting of the AAR/SBL, April 1995.

"The Use of Scripture in Hebrews: Quotation versus Retelling," National Meeting of the AAR/SBL, November 1992.

"A Speech-Act of Faith: The Earliest Proclamation of the Resurrection of Jesus," Mid-Atlantic Meeting of the AAR/SBL, March 1991.

COURSES TAUGHT AT ILIFF SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

Introduction to the New Testament

Formation of the Canon (covers development of Jewish and Christian Bible)

The Interpretation of Scripture in Early Judaism and Christianity

Empire and the Rise of Christianity in Antiquity

Religious Identity in Antiquity

Courses on Individual Pauline Letters: Romans, 1 Corinthians, Galatians

Epistle to the Hebrews

Gospel of Matthew

Feminist Interpretation of the Bible

Women in Early Christianity

New Testament Language and Text (dedicated doctoral seminar)

New Testament Environments (dedicated doctoral seminar)

Colloquium in Biblical Interpretation (dedicated doctoral seminar; topics vary)

Anti-Semitism, the Holocaust, and the History of Christian Theology

Dissertation Proposal Seminar (required course for all students in the DU/Iliff Joint PhD Program)

Advanced Greek Reading

How to Read the Bible (online)

INVITED LECTURES, SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS, AND SHORT COURSES (selections)

"Were Jesus and Paul Christians?" Co-presenter (with Arthur Dewey of Xavier University) at three-day lecture series/public interreligious dialogue (partly inspired by the enormous spike in anti-Semitic incidents); Bethania Danish Lutheran Church in Solvang, CA; February, 2019.

"The Bible and Digital Technology" Two-part series, Trinity United Methodist Church, Denver, CO, December, 2018

"Because the Bible Tells Me So: The Question of Biblical Authority" Two-part series at Trinity United Methodist Church, Denver, CO, January, 2018

Podcast Series: "Was Paul a Christian?" (in two parts) Denver Brew Theology, January, 2018

"Was Paul a Christian?" Denver Brew Theology, January, 2018

Podcast Series: "Is the Bible True," (in three parts) Denver Brew Theology, November, 2017

"Is the Bible True" Lecture at Denver Brew Theology, Denver, CO, November, 2017

"Technologies of Writing the Bible," Two-part series Christ Church United Methodist, Denver, CO, May 2017

"Paul Was Not a Christian" keynote in Luntern, Netherlands, November, 2016. The occasion was a conference sponsored by the Protestantse Kerk in Nederland reflecting on Jewish-Christian Relations, in anticipation the 500th year anniversary of the Reformation

"The End of the Word as We Know It: The Future of Scripture Past," keynote in Brisbane, Australia, September, 2016. The occasion was the Common Dreams 4 Conference; the theme was "Meeting Globally: Spiritual Connections in the 21st Century."

Retreat Leader at Spring Fling in Sacramento CA – Retired Methodist Clergy Conference in Sacramento, CA spring, 2015.

"The Letter and the Spirit: Judaism, Christianity, and the Origins of the Bible," a short course (one week) at Universidad Camilo Jose Cela, Madrid, Spain, February, 2013

"Saving the Gentiles: The Mission and Message of the Apostle Paul," Vernon Robertson Lecture, Bellarmine University, Louisville, KY, October, 2013

"From the Word to the Web: The Bible and the History of Technology" First United Methodist Church of Madison, Madison, WI, April 2013. Presentation also given at Iliff-at-Home, held at the home of Wills and Pat Long, February, 2013.

"Scribes, Scrolls and Scripture," four-week course at Trinity United Methodist, Denver, CO, January 2013.

"God-Talk IV" panel presentation at St. Andrew United Methodist Church, Highlands Ranch, CO, January, 2013.

"Paul Was Not A Christian" The Converse-Yates-Cate Lecture in the Humanities, Religion, and Society, University of Oklahoma, September, 2012

"Jesus Seminar on the Road: Paul in Two Worlds: A Jew and a Christian Talk about Paul," co-taught with Stephen Patterson, Oklahoma City, May 2012. (Also presented in Suharita, AZ in February 2011, Solvang, CA, November, 2010 and Beaverton, OR, October, 2009.)

"Scribes, Scrolls, and Scripture," two lectures at First Plymouth, Denver, CO, February, 2012.

"The New Paul: Changing Views in Recent Scholarship," four-week course at Trinity United Methodist, Denver, CO, January, 2012.

"Myth, Metaphor, and Parable: New Ways of Reading the Bible" sponsored by the Progressive Christian Alliance, University Park United Methodist Church, Denver, CO, May 2010

"Paul Was Not A Christian," Kripke Lecture at Creighton University, Omaha, NE, March 2010.

- "A Jewish Perspective on Paul," University of Colorado Boulder, March 2010
- "Through Each Other's Eyes: Reading Each Other's Scripture," a weekend retreat at Snow Mountain Ranch, Colorado" co-taught with Mark George for B'nai Havurah synagogue, May, 2009.
- "God-Talk II" panel discussion at St. Andrew United Methodist Church, Highlands Ranch, CO, January, 2009.
- "Paul and Pluralism" sponsored by the Iliff Women's Alliance, Denver, CO; October, 2008.
- "Scribes, Scrolls and Scripture" four-part workshop at the Seminar on Christian Origins (formerly the Jesus Seminar), sponsored by the Westar Institute in Santa Rosa, CA, October, 2008.
- "Has the Holy One been Lost in Transmission?" four-part course at Ring Lake Ranch, WY, July 2008.
- "Paul on Judaism...And Other Religious Traditions" sponsored by the Kripke Center at Creighton University, Omaha, NE, January 14, 2008.
- "God Talk" panel discussion at St. Andrew United Methodist Church, Highlands Ranch, CO, January, 2008
- "Invitation to Romans" St. Andrew United Methodist Church, Highlands Ranch, CO. A four-week course, jointly taught with one of St. Andrew's pastors, Jerry Herships, January, 2008.
- "Paul, Prophet of Religious Pluralism" the Matthew Simpson Lecture at Simpson College, IA, September 27, 2007.
- "Martyrdom in Jewish Tradition," plenary presentation for Jewish-Christian Dialogue Program entitled "Shared Roots" at Iona College, New Rochelle, NY, April 2007.
- "New Ways of Reading Romans: Reflections on *Invitation to Romans*" Arvada United Methodist Church, Arvada, CO, April, 2007.
- "The Jewishness of Jesus," Saint Andrew United Methodist Church, Highlands Ranch, CO, January, 2006.
- "The Challenges of Diversity and Religious Leadership," Panelist with Miguel de la Torre, Don Messer, and Jeffrey Mahan at the Iliff Religious Leadership Conference, January, 2006.
- "How Sacred Texts Can Energize the Emerging Interfaith Dialogue," Panelist with Bruce Feiler, Liakat Takim, and J. Philip Wogaman at the Iliff Religious Leadership Conference, January 2005.
- "The Role of Paul's Letters in the Early Church," Hope United Methodist Church, Englewood, CO, September, 2005.
- "The Portrayal of Jews in the Gospels," Temple Sinai, Denver, CO, December 2004.
- Panelist, "The Importance of Jerusalem to the three Abrahamic Faiths," The Abrahamic Initiative, St. John's Cathedral, October, 2004.
- "The Controversy over the Passion: A Panel Discussion," sponsored by the ADL, Temple Emmanuel, Denver, CO, March 2004.
- "What do the Texts Really Say? A Roundtable Discussion on The Passion," DU, March 2004.
- "Reading Paul as a Jew," Plenary Address to the Center for Christian-Jewish Dialogue, St. Mary's Cathedral, Colorado Springs, CO, October 2003.
- "Reading Romans Again for the First Time," five-part adult education series held at St. Andrew United Methodist Church, fall 2003.
- "Jesus and the Gospels, Video Segment 9: Judaism in the time of Jesus." Educational video produced by Abingdon Disciple Bible Study Curriculum, United Methodist Publishing House (filmed December, 2002; published fall 2003).

"Neither Jew nor Greek: Paul's Relevance to Interfaith Issues Past and Present," lecture at First United Methodist Church of Boulder, CO, October 2002.

"The Earliest Manuscripts of Paul's Letters," lectured sponsored by the John Wesley Iliff Study Group and Lunch with a Professor, both delivered at Iliff School of Theology, October, 2002.

Organizer and Panelist, "Women Promoting Peace," lecture sponsored by the Iliff Women's Alliance at the Iliff School of Theology, September, 2002.

"Paul's Attitude Toward Women," Lutheran Lay School of Theology, Denver, CO, April 2002.

"The Bible, Theology and Contemporary Social Issues," one week course taught at Ghost Ranch in Santa Fe (co-taught with Richard Valantasis and Mark George), August 2002.

Panelist, "Religious Responses to the Current Crisis (the attacks on 9/11/01)," Iliff School of Theology, September, 2001.

"Judaism and Christianity from Antiquity to the World Wide Web," one-week course taught at Ring Lake Ranch, WY, August, 2001.

"Is Paul the Father of Misogyny and Anti-Semitism?" lecture given at Creighton University, April 2001. (This lecture was originally sponsored by the Women's Interfaith Planning Committee of Auburn Seminary and given at Temple Emanu-El, New York City in November 1999.)

"Jewish/Christian Relations as Reflected in the New Testament," lecture at the Denver Institute for Jewish Study, December 2000.

"The Christian Bible and Anti-Semitism," Catholic-Jewish Dialogue Serious, sponsored by the American Jewish Committee and the Archdiocese of Denver, October 2000.

"The Bible, Christianity, and Hate on the Internet," Public Forum at the Iliff Week of Lectures, January 2000.

"The Dead Sea Scrolls," eight-week course at the Denver Institute for Jewish Study, Fall 1999.

"Anti-Semitism and the New Testament: Implications for Jewish-Christian Relations," Address to the Inter-Religious Concerns Committee of the United Methodist Board of Global Ministry, Denver, May 1999.

"Neither Jew nor Greek: A New Consideration of the Apostle Paul," Plenary address to the Center for Christian-Jewish Dialogue, First United Methodist, Colorado Springs, May 1999.

"The New Testament from a Jewish Perspective," a year long course offered by the Denver Institute for Jewish Study, 1997-1998.

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Teacher of the Year, 2011. Awarded by the DU/Iliff Joint PhD Students Association.

Coolidge Fellow and Co-Facilitator, Association for Religion and Intellectual Life, New York City, 2004. Approximately 40 fellows with diverse scholarly interests participated in a five-week seminar. In addition to my role as facilitator, I pursued research and writing for chapter two of my book, *Paul Was Not a Christian*.

Dove of Peace Award, Center for Christian-Jewish Dialogue (Colorado Springs), October 2003. Annual award given for work advancing Jewish-Christian Relations.

Lilly Endowment Theological Research Fellowship, 2001-02. Fellowship awarded to pursue research and writing for a book project on Paul during a sabbatical year.

Wabash Summer Research Grant, 2001. Award enabled the completion of two articles and the drafting of the introduction to a commentary on Hebrews.

Wabash Teaching and Learning Grant, 2000-01. Award allowed for the redevelopment of the introductory course in New Testament in light of technological resources.

Mrs. Giles Whiting Fellowship, 1993-1994. Merit-based award that provided funding for the final year of work on the dissertation.

Distinction, Columbia University Field Exams, 1990.

American Schools of Oriental Research Travel Grant, Jerusalem, 1990. Studied the translation, reconstruction, and analysis of Dead Sea Scroll fragments.

Irwin E. Vinnik Fellowship for Israel Study, University of Denver, 1990. Supplement to the ASOR Travel Grant named above.

President's Fellowship, Columbia University, 1987-92.

SERVICE TO THE ACADEMY

Co-Organizer (with Alison Schofield [DU] and Sam [CU Boulder]) Conference on the Bible and the Dead Sea Scrolls, co-sponsored between DU (Center for Judaic Studies), CU Boulder (Department of Religious Studies and Jewish Studies).

Co-Director (with Annette Stott) for \$50,000 Wabash Grant "Opportunities for a Lifetime of Teaching Outside the Classroom," 2017-20. (Exploratory grant to pursue options for careers outside for DU/Iliff Joint PhD Program students)

Peer-reviewer for books on early Judaism and Christianity, Oxford University Press, 2017-present

Member, Steering Committee of the Paul and Judaism Section, SBL program unit, 2011-present

Co-Founder and Organizer with Stephen Patterson and John Dominic Crossan of the Bible Seminar, sponsored by the Westar Institute (Jesus Seminar), 2011-2013

Member, Brill Encyclopedia of Early Christianity Editorial Board, 2011-2015

Member, Cross Currents Editorial Advisory Board, 2009-present

Chair, Steering Committee of the Paul and Politics Group, SBL program unit, 2008-2012

Member, Paul and Scripture Seminar, 2005-2010

Member, Steering Committee Epistle to the Hebrews Group, SBL program unit, 2005-2013

Member, Society of Biblical Literature Council (Governing Board), 2003-2008

Member, SBL Programs and Initiatives Committee, 2003-2005

Member, Journal of Biblical Literature Editorial Board, 2000-2006

Chair, Steering Committee of the Early Jewish/Christian Relations Section, SBL program unit, 1998-2004

Member, Steering Committee of the Paul and Politics Group, SBL program unit, 1998-2007

Regional Coordinator, Rocky Mountains-Great Plains Region of the SBL, 1999-2003

Member, Steering Committee of the Early Jewish/Christian Relations Section, SBL program unit, 1996-2011

Editor, Union Seminary Quarterly Review, 1992-93.

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Society of Biblical Literature

Association for Jewish Studies

American Academy of Religion

Westar Institute (Jesus Seminar/Bible Seminar)

SCRIPT (Society for Comparative Research on Performative Texts)

SERVICE TO ILIFF SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

Co-chair, New Testament and Early Christianity Search Committee, 2018-19

Member, Faculty Personal Committee, 2018-present

Organizer, Wabash Symposium on opportunities in academic technology for PhD's in Religious Studies, September, 2018

Presentation (with panel of four other faculty) and guided tour with Iliff Major Donors and Trustees, May, 2018

AI and Ethics Steering Committee, 2017-present

Director, DU/Iliff Joint PhD Program, 2014-17

Assistant Director, DU/Iliff Joint PhD Program, 2011-14

Member, Curriculum Committee, 1995-96; 1999-2000; 2009-2010, 2014-17

Chair, History of Christianity Search Committee, 2012-13

Iliff Liaison to the University of Denver Consortium on Judaic Studies, 2004-present

Member, Faculty Personnel Committee, 1997-99; 2000-2001; 2003-2004; 2008-2009

Faculty Representative to the Board of Trustees, 2008-2009

Chair, Procedures Manual Sub-Committee (Faculty Personnel Committee), 2007-08

Member, Iliff Online Education Task Force, 2007-2008

Chair, New Testament and Christian Origins Search Committee, 2006-07.

Coordinator, Women and Religion Program and the Iliff Women's Alliance, 2002-2006.

Member, University of Denver/Iliff School of Theology Joint Doctoral Committee, 1995-1997; 2002-2003, 2004-2006.

Member, Faculty Handbook and Procedures Manual Sub-Committee, Winter 2005-2007

Chair, Faculty Personnel Committee, 2004-2005.

Member, Interfaith Taskforce, 2002-2003.

Member, Pastoral Theology and Care Search Committee, 2002-03.

Member, History of Christianity Search Committee, 2000-2001.

Director, Iliff Summer School, 1997-2001.

Coordinator, Women and Religion Program, 1999-2006.

Iliff Marketing Team, 1999-2000.

Web Task Force, 1998-2000.

Member, Commission on Diversity, Winter-Spring, 1999.

Member, New Testament Search Committee, 1998-99.

Member, Women and Religion Advisory Committee, 1997-98.

Member, Communications Task Force, 1997-98.

Community Senate faculty representative, 1997-98.

Member, History of Christianity Search Committee, 1996-97.

Chair, Area of Biblical Interpretation for the Iliff/DU Joint Doctoral Program, 1995-97.

Lectures, presentations, and continuing education courses given at various Iliff functions (see above: Special Presentations and Short Courses).

SERVICE TO COMMUNITY

Organizer and Presenter, Public Event at the Denver Museum of Nature and Science on the Dead Sea Scrolls and the Origins of the Bible, May, 2018. (Event held in conjunction with the Dead Sea Scrolls conference listed under Service to the Academy.)

Consultant and Member of the Community Relations Planning Committee at the Denver Museum of Nature and Science in preparation for the Dead Sea Scrolls Exhibit December, 2017-March, 2018.

Periodic Blogger, Religion Dispatches (online magazine), 2008-2010.

Editorial Advisory Board, CrossCurrents, 2010-present.

Member, Auburn Media Speaker's Bureau, 2006-2010.

Consulted with the ADL and other local organizations regarding responses to Mel Gibson's "The Passion," 2003-2004.

Assisted in establishing the Consortium on Judaic Studies with David Shneer (Director, Center for Judaic Studies at DU), fall 2003.

Expert Witness for the ACLU. I gave testimony as a biblical scholar on behalf of the plaintiff in a legal case concerning a Ten Commandments monument at the entrance to the City and County Building of Grand Junction, Colorado, June 2001.

Curricular Consultant, Denver Institute for Jewish Study, 1999-2001.

Resource person, First Congregational United Church of Christ, Longmont, CO, September 1998. (I functioned as a consultant in their process of becoming an "Open and Affirming Congregation".)

Resource person, St. John's Cathedral, Denver, CO, October 1997.

Resource person, St. Andrew United Methodist Church, Littleton, CO, 1995-present.

Lectures and presentations given in various community settings (see above: Special Presentations and Short Courses).

MEDIA PUBLICATIONS AND APPEARANCES

Radio Interview "Interfaith Voices Radio" NPR, October 16, 2009: http://interfaithradio.org/tunein

Author, "Paul the Pluralist," essay for On Faith, a Washington Post/Newsweek Online Forum, October 9, 2009: http://newsweek.washingtonpost.com/onfaith/guestvoices/2009/10/paul the pluralist.html

Radio Interview with Alvin Augustus Jones WCBQ-AM, September 23, 2009

Radio Interview "The Bob Dutko Show" WMUZ, September 25, 2009

Radio Interview with Rick Barber, KOA, September 21, 2009: http://www.koaradio.com/cc-common/podcast/single_podcast.html?podcast=overnight.xml Radio Interview on CBS News Radio "Weekend Round Up" September 9, 2009

Web Interview with David Crumm at Read the Spirit, September 1, 2009: http://www.readthespirit.com/explore/2009/09/508-interview-on-paul-was-not-a-christian.html

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