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**Education**

Ph.D. 1992 **The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary**, Louisville, Kentucky

History of Religions

Dissertation: *Contemporary Judaic Perceptions of Jesus: Implications for Jewish-Christian Dialogue*

Additional Graduate Courses:

**Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion**, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1990

Course: "The Use of Jewish Scriptures in Christian Apologetics and Missionizing" directed by Michael J. Cook.

M.Div. 1987 **The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary**, Louisville, Kentucky

B.A. 1984 **Southwest Baptist University**, Bolivar, Missouri

Major:Religious Studies

Major: Psychology

**Academic Appointments**

University of Louisville

*Assistant Professor, Term,* Division of Humanities (2009-2012)

*Adjunct Professor*, Division of Humanities (2001, 2004-2009, 2012- Present)

Indiana University Southeast

*Adjunct Professor*, Department of Religious Studies (1992-2014, 2016)

Bellarmine College

*Adjunct Professor*, Department of Theology (1993-Present)

Baptist Seminary of Kentucky

*Adjunct Professor* (2006-2011, 2013-2016)

McKendree College

*Adjunct Professor,* Kentucky Campuses (2004-2009)

Campbellsville College

*Adjunct Professor*, Department of Christian Studies (1994-1998, 2003-2005)

Spalding University

*Adjunct Professor*, Religious Studies Department (1997, 1999-2005)

Boyce Bible School

*Professor*, The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary (1994-1996)

St. Catherine College

*Adjunct Professor*, Religious Studies Department (1996)

Kentucky State University

*Adjunct Professor*, Community College Program (1990-1994)

Governor's Scholar Program **-** Selected as Faculty Member (Philosophy), 1995 and 1996, Northern Kentucky University

**Honors**

*Distinguished Teaching Award, Part-Time Faculty*. Indiana University Southeast (2007)

*Faculty Favorite Award*. University of Louisville (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2014)

**Master’s Thesis Directed**

Wine, K.M. (1998). *Mirrors of the Medieval Mind: A Contemporary Study of the Second Crusade and the Albigensian Crusade in Light of the Preaching of St. Bernard of Clairvaux and St. Dominic*. (Unpublished thesis). Bellarmine College, Louisville, KY.

**Professional Experience**

**Delphi Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Louisville.** *Part-Time Faculty Fellow.* Louisville, KY (2012 to 2016)

Developed and implemented faculty development programs specifically in support of part-time faculty, including the Part Time Faculty Institute, Faculty Reading Circle Program, and customized development presentations.

**Kentuckiana Interfaith Community**. *Executive Director.* Louisville, KY (2001-2003)

Responsibilities included assisting the organization in fulfilling its mission “to bring together people of faith for dialogue, cooperation, and advocacy around issues we hold in common.” Specific responsibilities included: overseeing the day-to-day administration; developing relationships with, and representing the Kentuckiana Interfaith Community to other religious, civic, business, and community groups; supervising staff and volunteers; serving as spokesperson; generating annual/ongoing operating funds; planning and executing public programs.

**The Speed Art Museum***. Project Coordinator* "Interfaith Education Through The Arts." Louisville, KY (1998-2001)

Responsibilities included development and implementation of public programs under the auspices of the museum’s Education Department. Known as the “Art and Soul Project” this program received national recognition for its innovative approach to exploring the relationships between religion and art.

**Publications**

**Essays**

"The Virtuous Teacher: Thomas Merton's Contribution to a Spirituality of Higher Education, *The Merton Annual*, Vol. 8, 1996.

"The Origins of Anti-Judaism in the New Testament: Two Jewish Perspectives," in *Proceedings*, Vol. 13, 1993. Delivered at the Midwest Region of the Society of Biblical Literature, University of Toronto, 1993; and the Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, 1993.

"Witness to Life in the Thought of Elie Wiesel," in *Witness to Life in Judaism*, edited by John N. Jonsson. Louisville: Nilses Press, 1990.

**Book Reviews**

Jon D. Levenson, *Inheriting Abraham*, in *Horizons in Biblical Theology* 35 (2013) 188-190

Justo Gonzalez, *Luke*, in *Horizons in Biblical Theology* 34:2 (2012), 197-199.

Mark R. Schwehn, *Exiles From Eden: Religion and the Academic Vocation in America,* in *The Merton Annual,* Vol. 7, 1995.

Cyril Glasse, *The Concise Encyclopedia of Islam,* in *Paradigms,* Winter 1989.

**Professional Activities**

**Lectures/Presentations**

*Creating Spaces for Part-time Faculty: A Panel Discussion,* Symposium for Part-Time, Adjunct and Contingent Faculty (SPACE), Atlanta, GA, June 2016.

*The Lecture is Dead! Long Live the Lecture! Promoting Learner Centered Lecturing,* Kentucky Pedagogicon, Richmond, KY, May 2016.

*Cultivating Critical Thinking Capacity in Faculty Through Targeted Faculty Development,* Kentucky Pedagogicon Conference, Richmond, KY, May 2015.

*Feeding the Teaching Soul: Faculty Reading Circles to Stimulate Conversation about Teaching*, delivered at FALCON Conference, Indianapolis, IN, November 2015 and at Kentucky Pedagogicon Conference, Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, KY, May 16, 2014.

*Utilizing FLC’s for Professional Development of Part-Time Faculty*, delivered at 2013 POD, Pittsburgh, PA, November 7, 2013.

*The Care and Feeding of Faculty Learning Communities*, delivered at Kentucky Innovations Conference, University of Kentucky, Lexington, May 16, 2013.

*Major Concepts of Eastern Religions*, McConnell Scholar Seminar, University of Louisville, February 13, 2013.

*Ground Zero: Politics and Religion*, Social Sciences Forum, Indiana University Southeast, October 4, 2010.

*Between Jerusalem and A Holy Land: Early Religious Settlers in Kentucky*, delivered at the Kentucky Council on Archives, May 8, 2009.

*Cracking the Da Vinci Code: Fact and Fantasy*, delivered at The Speed Art Museum, May 2006.

*Islam: An Overview*, delivered to Jefferson Community College, faculty workshop, December, 2006.

*Reflections on Interfaith Relations since 9/11*, delivered before the Religious Communicators Council – Louisville Chapter, October 2002.

*East Meets West: Role of Religion in Contemporary Asia*, delivered at the Crane House, October, 2000.

*Righteous Gentiles of the Holocaust,* delivered at Catholic-Jewish Dialogues of Louisville, 1995; The Temple - Congregation Adath Israel Brith Shalom, 1995.

**Consulting**

Faith 19, Louisville KY, Board Member, 2001-2004; Secretary, 2003.

Ecumenical Advisory Board, Archdiocese of Louisville, 2000 - 2004

Interfaith Paths to Peace, Louisville, KY; Vice-President, 1997-1998; Secretary, 1996-1997

Cathedral Heritage Foundation, Louisville, KY; Spirituality Committee; Scholar's Committee

Council on Peacemaking, Louisville, KY, 1993-1996

**Development and Continuing Education**

*Part-Time Faculty Institute*, University of Louisville (2006-7)

*Faculty Learning Community on Critical Thinking*, Ideas to Action, University of Louisville; (2008)

**Courses Taught**

Introduction to World Religions; Introduction to the Study of Religion; Survey of Islamic Thought and Culture; Christian Theology; Christianity, 50-450; Christianity, 1500-2000; Religion in Early America; Religion in Modern America; Introduction to Islam; Speaking of God; New Testament; New Testament Gospels; Protestant Thought; Introduction to Hebrew Bible; Philosophy of Religion; Religion in the United States; Introduction to Philosophy; Post-Reformation History of the Church; Religious Pluralism in Louisville; Introduction to Judaism; Religion, Ethics and Public Life; Religion and American Culture; Ultimate Questions; Ethical Teachings of Jesus; Religions of the East; Elementary Ethics; Muslim Christian Dialogue; Religion and American Cinema; Religion and Visual Culture; Introduction to Western Religions

**References available upon request.**