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Education

Ph.D. (Princeton Theological Seminary, 2001) | M.Div. (Princeton Theological Seminary, 1995)
| B.A. (Point Loma Nazarene University, 1992, magna cum laude)

Publications (Selected)

The Old Testament Is Dying: A Diagnosis and Recommended Treatment (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2017).

The Oxford Encyclopedia of the Bible and Law (eds. Brent A. Strawn et al.; 2 vols.; New York: Oxford University Press, 2015).

Iconographic Exegesis of the Hebrew Bible/Old Testament: An Introduction to Its Method and Practice (eds. Izaak J. de Hulster, Brent A. Strawn, and Ryan P. Bonfiglio; Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2015).

The Bible and the Pursuit of Happiness: What the Old and New Testaments Teach Us about the Good Life (ed. Brent A. Strawn; Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012).

What Is Stronger than a Lion? Leonine Image and Metaphor in the Hebrew Bible and the Ancient Near East (Orbis Biblicus et Orientalis 212; Fribourg: Academic Press and Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2005).

Articles in the following peer-reviewed journals: *Maarav* (2013), *Journal for the Study of the Old Testament* (2015), *Ugarit-Forschungen* (2002, 2005, 2009), *Journal for Preachers* (2008, 2011, 2014, 2015, 2018), *Revue de Qumran* (1996, 2010), *Biblica* (2010), *Journal for the Study of the Pseudepigrapha* (2007), *Vetus Testamentum* (2005, 2009, 2013), *Perspectives in Religious Studies* (2004), *Journal of Biblical Literature* (2000, 2010), *The Asbury Theological Journal* (1999), *Koinonia* (1995), *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* (2012), *Revue Biblique* (2014), *Journal of Theological Interpretation* (2008), *Teaching Theology and Religion* (2007), *Homiletic* (2006), and *Zeitschrift für die alttestamentliche Wissenschaft* (2003, 2012).

Grants (selected)

Catholic Biblical Association Fellowship (Spring 2007), \$20,000.00 | Lilly Theological Research Grant: The Association of Theological Schools (2004-2005), \$25,000.00 | Wabash Center Summer Research Fellowship (2005), \$7,000.00

Honors and Activities

American Library Association's Dartmouth Medal for Excellence in Reference (2016), most outstanding reference work (*The Oxford Encyclopedia of the Bible and Law*) | On Eagle's Wings Excellence in Teaching Award/Faculty Person of the Year, 2011-2012 and 2017-2018, Candler School of Theology, Emory University | Distinguished Teaching Scholar, Emory University Center for Faculty Development and Excellence, 2009-2010.