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EDUCATION

- 2014 – 2021 **Ph.D.**, Graduate Division of Religion, Laney Graduate School, Emory University, Atlanta, GA
Dissertation Title: “Finding God in the Basement: Addiction and Metaphors for Salvation”
Co-Advisors: Ellen Ott Marshall, Ph.D., and Wendy Farley, Ph.D.
Readers: Pamela Hall, Ph.D., Don Saliers, Ph.D., and Martha Moore-Keish, Ph.D.
- 2010 – 2014 **M.Div.** (with Honors) Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, GA
Honors Project: “Metaphor and Theology”
Advisors: Martha Moore-Keish, Ph.D., and George Stroup, Ph.D.
- 2003 - 2007 **M.A. in Theological Studies (MATS)**, Utrecht University, The Netherlands
Thesis: “C.S. Lewis and the Problem of Pain”
- 1994 - 1999 **M.A. in English Language and Literature**, Leiden University, The Netherlands.
Thesis: “Denominations in C.S. Lewis’ *The Chronicles of Narnia*”

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 06/2022 – present **Louisville Institute Post-Doctoral Fellow**, Candler School of Theology, Atlanta, GA
I am teaching “Theology, Ethics, and Addictions” in fall 2022, and “Introduction to Christian Ethics” in spring 2023.
- 08/2021 – present **Director of Faith and Finance**, Candler School of Theology, Atlanta, GA
FF offers programming and resources to help students develop personal financial literacy skills, money management skills for running non-profits, and resource development skills.
- 08/2017 – 05/2022 **Adjunct**, Candler School of Theology (CST), Atlanta, GA
Courses Taught:
“Introduction to Christian Ethics” M.Div. (online), spring 2022 (CST)
“Ecclesiologies in Action” D.Min. (online), fall 2021 (CST)
- 08/2019 – 05/2020 **Dean’s Teaching Fellow**, Laney Graduate School, Emory University
I taught an M.Div. course at Candler School of Theology entitled, “Ethics, Theology and Addictions.”

01/2017 – 12/2018 **Instructor**, Columbia Theological Seminary (CTS), Decatur, GA
Courses (co-)taught
“Christian Theology I” M.Div., fall 2018 (CTS)
“Feminist and Womanist Theologies” M.Div., spring, 2017 (CTS)

CHURCH EMPLOYMENT

08/2018 – 03/2019 **Stempler Fellow**, First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta
“The John H. Stempler Fellowship in Teaching and Theological Research promotes scholarship, teaching, and critical theological inquiry at the intersection of the church and the academy.”

I contributed to strategic initiatives in developing innovative approaches to church-based theological education, including:

- teaching short seminary-style courses,
- writing curricula,
- leading workshops that engage issues in public theology and social action,
- and creating digital scholarship for lay audiences.

09/2004 – 08/2010 **Director of Youth Ministries & Christian Education Associate**, American Protestant Church of The Hague, The Netherlands

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

06/2022 – present **Louisville Institute Post-Doctoral Fellowship**

09/2020 – 08/2021 **Louisville Dissertation Fellowship Award**

08/2019 – 05/2020 **Dean’s Teaching Fellowship**, Emory University, Atlanta, GA

08/2018 – 03/2019 **Stempler Fellowship**, First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta, GA

05/2014 **Harvard A. Anderson Fellowship**, Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, GA, USA

05/2014 **Wilds Book Prize**, Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, GA
Awarded for the highest distinction in academic work over the course of the M.Div. Program.

05/2014 **Florrie Wilkes Sanders Prize in Theology**, Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, GA

09/2013 **Presbyterian Women of the Presbytery of St. Andrew Preaching Award**, Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, GA

09/2011 **Samuel A. Cartledge New Testament Studies Award**, Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, GA

PUBLICATIONS/CONTRIBUTIONS TO EDITED VOLUMES AND CONFERENCE PAPERS

Forthcoming: "Sallie McFague" in *T&T Clark Encyclopedia of Christian Theology*, eds. Jana Bennett, Stephen Cone, and Jason Fout.

Feasting on the Word Worship Companion: Liturgies for Year A, Vol. 2, ed. Kimberly Bracken Long (Louisville, Westminster John Knox Press, 2014). Contributed: Proper 22 Complementary Track (191-195), Proper 23 Complementary Track (201-205), Proper 24 Complementary Track (211-214), and Proper 25 Complementary Track (219-223)

Feasting on the Word Worship Companion: Liturgies for Year C, Vol. 2, ed. Kimberly Bracken Long (Louisville: Westminster John Knox Press, 2013). Contributed: Proper 3, Proper 4 Complementary Track (23-27), and Proper 5 Complementary Track (33-36).

Conference Papers by application and invitation at the Academy of American Religion (Annual Conference 2022) and the Academy of American Religion South-East (Annual Conference 2021 and 2022).