

# RICHARD MANLY ADAMS, JR., PH.D.

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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**Pitts Theology Library, Candler School of Theology, Emory University**

**Margaret A. Pitts Assistant Professor in the Practice of Theological Bibliography**

**Director of Pitts Theology Library**

Fall, 2017—Present

**Head of Public Services**

Summer, 2015—Fall, 2017

**Systems and Reference Librarian**

Summer, 2013—Fall, 2017

**The Interdenominational Theological Center, Atlanta University Center**

**Adjunct Professor of New Testament**

Fall, 2012—Spring, 2013

## EDUCATION

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**The University of Alabama, School of Library and Information Studies, Tuscaloosa, AL**

*Master of Library and Information Studies, 2017*

**Emory University, Laney Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Atlanta, GA**

*Doctor of Philosophy, Graduate Division of Religion, 2012*

**Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, GA**

*Master of Theology, 2006*

**Emory University, Candler School of Theology, Atlanta, GA**

*Master of Theological Studies, 2005*

**Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH**

*Bachelor of Arts, Computer Science/Economics, 2001*

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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“Overcoming Disintermediation: A Call for Librarians to Learn to Use Web Service APIs.” *Library Hi Tech* 36, no. 1 (January 2018): 180-190.

“When the Time Comes To Make Use of Them, They Don’t Know How to Handle Them’: Lucian’s Ignorant Book Collector and the Theological Librarian.” Pages 251-267 in *Reading for Faith and Learning: Essays on Scripture, Community, & Libraries in Honor of M. Patrick Graham*. Edited by John B. Weaver and Douglas L. Gragg. Abilene, TX: Abilene Christian University Press, 2017.

Cooper, D, R. Schonfeld, R. Adams, et al. *Supporting the Changing Research Practices of Religious Studies Scholars*. New York, NY: Ithaca S+R, 2017. <https://doi.org/10.18665/sr.294119>

Adams, Richard Manly Jr. “Which Should We Buy? Reconsidering Best Practices in the Purchase of Print versus Electronic Books in Theological Libraries.” pp. 238-255 in *Summary of Proceedings: Seventieth Annual Conference of the American Theological Library Association* (Chicago: American Theological Library Association, 2016)

“I Use Wikipedia and You Should Too: An Argument for Wikipedia as a Tool of Pedagogy and Research in Theological Librarianship,” pp. 238-255 in *Summary of Proceedings: Sixty-Ninth Annual Conference of the American Theological Library Association* (Chicago: American Theological Library Association, 2015)