

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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Born May 8, 1964, Waco, Texas

Married to Andrea Lynne Harrell, December 27, 1986, Houston, Texas

Daughter: Emily Anne, born September 26, 1989, Waco, Texas

Son: Benjamin Hunter, born July 13, 1991, Waco, Texas

Daughter: Hannah Elizabeth, born December 9, 1993, Waco, Texas

Son: Samuel Harrell, born May 10, 1997, South Bend, Indiana

Son: Andrew Scott, born November 13, 1999, Waco, Texas

### Education

Postdoctoral Research (Visiting Fellow), 1996-1997

University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana

Department of Philosophy and the Center for Philosophy of Religion

Doctor of Philosophy, August 1994

Baylor University, Waco, Texas

Major concentration: Philosophical Theology; Minor Concentration: Philosophy

Dissertation: *Rationality and Fideism in the Theology of G. C. Berkouwer: A  
Phenomenological Analysis of Berkouwer's Appeal to Faith*

Master of Divinity, May 1989

The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky

Major concentrations: Theology and New Testament Interpretation

Bachelor of Arts, December 1985

Baylor University, Waco, Texas

Major concentrations: History and English Language and Literature

### Honors, Awards, and Fellowships

Baylor Research Sabbatical 2009, 2021

Baylor Fellow 2017-2018, Academy for Teaching and Learning

Baylor Faculty Member of the Year 2009 (elected by Baylor Student Government)

Baylor Faculty Circle of Achievement, 1995, 1995, 2006, & 2008

Outstanding Faculty Partner Award, Baylor Division of Student Life, 2003

Rhodes Consultations Institutional Renewal Grant, 2000-2001

Summer Research Sabbatical, Baylor University, 2009, 2012, 2015

Rhodes Regional Consultations on the Future of Church-Related Colleges, 1998-1999

Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, Center for Philosophy of Religion and Department of  
Philosophy, University of Notre Dame, 1996-97

Lilly Summer Seminar Fellowship, 1996, 2000, 2004

Most Outstanding Student, The Graduate School, Baylor University, Fall 1994

Areas of Specialization

Philosophy and literature, philosophical hermeneutics, Iris Murdoch, Wendell Berry, philosophical theology, religion and higher education

Areas of Competence

Contemporary continental philosophy, political philosophy, ethics, medieval and renaissance philosophy, religious and intellectual history, agrarianism

Current Position

Associate Professor of Philosophy and Great Texts, with tenure (May 2004 to present)

Great Texts courses taught:

- Intellectual Tradition of the Ancient World (GTX 2301)
- Medieval Intellectual Tradition (GTX 2302)
- Great Texts of the Middle Ages (GTX 3320)
- Great Texts of Christian Spirituality (GTX 3331)
- Great Texts in Leadership (GTX 3350)
- Great Texts in Business (GTX 3351)
- Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Great Texts (GTX 4320)
- Dante and the Italian Renaissance (GTX 4330)
- Twentieth Century Greats (GTX 4331)
- Great Texts Capstone Course (GTX 4343)
- Great Texts of the Near East (GTX 4V99)
- Great Texts for Life under Plague (GTX 4V99)
- Modern Great Texts: University Scholars Capstone (UNSC 3301)

Undergraduate Philosophy courses taught:

- Living Issues in Philosophy (PHI 1305)
- Introduction to Philosophy (PHI 1321)
- Introduction to Logic (PHI 1306)
- Philosophy and Religion (PHI 2305)
- British Philosophy and Culture (PHI 3305)
- Classical Philosophy (PHI 3310)
- Patristic and Medieval Philosophy (PHI 4314)
- Philosophical Writing, Research, and Oral Presentation (PHI 4319)
- Philosophy in Literature: Rise and Fall of the Existentialist Novel (PHI 4324)
- Philosophy in Literature: Philosophy and the Fiction of Iris Murdoch (PHI 4324)
- Philosophy in Literature: J.R.R. Tolkien (PHI 4324)
- Philosophy in Literature: Wendell Berry (PHI 4324)
- Contemporary Continental Philosophy (PHI 4341)

Graduate Seminars in Philosophy taught:

- Hans-Georg Gadamer's *Philosophical Hermeneutics* (PHI 5316)
- Ludwig Wittgenstein's *Philosophical Investigations* (PHI 5311)
- Critique of Impure Reason: Foucault/Habermas Debate (PHI 5316)
- The Early Heidegger and *Being and Time* (PHI 5V20)
- Graduate Readings in Philosophy (PHI 5311, Independent Graduate Research Projects)

Interdisciplinary Core (BIC) Courses taught:

- Baylor Interdisciplinary Core Orientation (BIC 1011)
- Social World I: The City and the Soul (BIC 2320)
- Biblical Heritage and Contemporary Ethical Issues (BIC 3358)
- BIC Capstone Course: Morality and Modernity (BIC 4389)
- BIC Capstone Course: Where do we live? How do we live? (BIC 4389)

Member, Graduate Faculty (Spring 2000 to present)

Fellow, Institute for Faith and Learning (2001 to present)

Senior Fellow, Brooks Residential College (2007 to 2015)  
Faculty, Baylor in Oxford study abroad program (Summer 2002, 2004, Director 2007, 2008)  
Faculty, Baylor in Turkey and Greece study abroad program (Summer 2006, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2016; Director or Co-director 2011, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020,\* 2021,\* 2022, 2023)  
[\*canceled for COVID]  
Faculty, Great Texts in Italy, Director 2022, 2023

### Teaching Experience

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Baylor University. Fall 1997 to Spring 2004.  
Courses taught: see above

Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Center for Philosophy of Religion and Department of Philosophy, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, 1996-1997 academic year  
Course taught at Notre Dame: Philosophy of Religion (PHI 261)

Lecturer in Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, Baylor University, Spring 1993 through Summer 1996  
Courses taught: see above

Instructor of Philosophy, McLennan Community College, Waco, Texas, Fall 1991 through Summer 1992, and Spring 1994  
Course taught: Introduction to Philosophy (PHI 1301)

### Other Academic Experience

Assistant and Associate Director, University Scholars Program, Baylor University, Fall 2020-present

Assistant Director, Honors Program, Baylor University, Fall 2017, 2018-2019

Director, Great Texts Program, Baylor University, Spring 2002 to August 2011

- Creator and inaugural director of the Program;
- Supervision and evaluation of an academic department of ten full-time and nine part-time faculty and staff with an annual operating budget of \$1.2 million+ (as of 2011);
- Supervision of planning and design for the academic programming needs of Brooks Village, a \$45 million comprehensive residential college and instructional facility;
- Coordination of academic programming needs within the interdisciplinary Honors College

Assistant Director, Baylor Interdisciplinary Core, Baylor University, May 1995 to August 1996

Assistant Director of Student Retention, Division of Student Life, Office of Student Retention and Athletic Academic Support Programs, Baylor University, June 1994 to May 1995

Department of Student Retention and Athletic Academic Support Programs, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, Assistant to the Director of Student Retention, August 1992 to May 1994

### *Scholarly Activities*

## Publications

### Books (authored):

1. *How to Burn a Goat: Farming with the Philosophers*. Waco, Texas: Baylor University Press, 2019.
2. *The Limits of Liberal Democracy: Religion and Politics at the End of Modernity*. Downers Grove, Illinois: IVP Academic, 2009.

### Books (edited):

1. Francesco Petrararch, *The Life of Solitude*, trans. Jacob Zeitlin, Waco, Texas: Baylor University Press, 2023.
2. (co-edited with Robert C. Roberts and Donald Schmeltekopf) *Finding a Common Thread: Reading Great Texts from Homer to O'Connor*. South Bend, Indiana: St. Augustine Press, 2013.

### Journal (guest editor):

1. "Theological and Philosophical Perspectives on the Work of Wendell Berry," *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 48:1 (Spring 2021).

### Peer reviewed Articles:

1. "Forgiveness and the 'Beautiful, Unexpected Strangeness of the World' in Iris Murdoch." *Iris Murdoch and Theology*, eds. Miles Leeson and Frances White. London: Palgrave, *forthcoming 2024*
2. "Was Iris Murdoch a Phenomenologist?" *The Iris Murdoch Review* 14 (2023): 34-48.
3. "Affection and Emotivism in Wendell Berry and Alasdair MacIntyre." *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 48:1 (Spring 2021).
4. "Rethinking Food, Fortune, and Misfortune: Reading Wendell Berry in a Time of Pandemic." *Review and Expositor* 117:4 (November 2020).
5. "The Mad Farmer's Gay Liberation Front? Wendell Berry and Same Sex Marriage." *Local Culture: A Front Porch Republic Journal* 1:1 (Summer 2019), pp. 43-49.
6. "The Consolations of Fiction: J.R.R. Tolkien and Iris Murdoch." In *Tolkien Among the Moderns*, ed. Ralph Wood. South Bend: University of Notre Dame Press, 2015, pp. 195-218.
7. "Homer: The Odyssey." *Finding a Common Thread: Reading Great Texts from Homer to O'Connor*, eds. Robert C. Roberts, Scott H. Moore, and Donald Schmeltekopf. South Bend, Indiana: St. Augustine Press, 2013, pp. 17-31.
8. "Murdoch's Fictional Philosophers: What They Say and What They Show." In *Iris Murdoch and Morality*, eds. Anne Rowe and Avril Horner. London: Palgrave, 2010, pp. 101-112.

9. (co-authored with Frank Shushok) "Reading, Study, and Discussion of the 'Great Texts' of Literature, Philosophy, and Politics as a Complement to Contemporary Leadership Education Literature." *Journal of Leadership Studies* 3:4 (2010): 71-80.
10. "The Predicament and the Promise for Young Baptist Scholars." In *The Scholarly Vocation and the Baptist Academy: Essays on the Future of Baptist Higher Education*, eds. Roger Ward and David P. Gushee. Macon: Mercer University Press, 2008, pp. 129-47.
11. (co-authored with Michael Beaty and Douglas Henry) "Protestant Free Church Christians and *Gaudium et Spes*. An Historical and Philosophical Perspective," *Logos* 10:1 (Winter 2007): 136-64.
12. "Humanities in an Ecclesially-based University: Return to Reading Greats." In *Conflicting Allegiances: The Church-Based University in a Liberal Democratic Society*, edited by Michael Budde and John Wright. Grand Rapids: Brazos Press, 2004, pp. 140-155.
13. "Hospitality and *Misericordia* in MacIntyre." *Proceedings of Il Congresso Metafisica verso il Terzo Millennio*. Rome, Italy: University of Loja Press, 2001.
14. "Hospitality as an Alternative to Tolerance," *Communio* XXVII:3 (Fall 2000): 600-608.
15. "The Inauguration of Extraordinary Politics." *The End of Democracy II: A Crisis of Legitimacy*. Edited by Mitchell Muncey. Dallas: Spence Publishing, 1999.
16. (co-authored with Anne-Marie Bowery) "Neither Cave nor Cage: Using Multi-media Computer Projection Equipment in the Philosophy Classroom" *Inquiry: Critical Thinking Across the Disciplines* XVIII/4 (Summer 1999): 36-54.
17. "The End of Convenient Stereotypes: How the *First Things* and Baxter Controversies Inaugurate Extraordinary Politics." *Pro Ecclesia* VII: 1 (Winter 1998): 17-47.
18. "Christian History, Providence, and Michel Foucault." *Fides et Historia* XXIX:1 (Winter/Spring 1997): 5-14.
19. "Era and Epoch, Epoch and Era: Christian Intellectuals in the Postmodern Turn." *Christian Scholar's Review* XXVI:2 (Winter 1996).

Other Articles (Invited, not Peer-reviewed):

20. "Religious Freedom." *The Worldview Study Bible*. David Dockery and Trevin Wax, Gen Eds. (Nashville: Holman Publishers, 2018), 1521-22.
21. "Why Higher Education is Failing to Prepare Students for the Future: And What Schools Can Learn from our Agrarian Roots." *Plough Magazine* (Fall 2017). <https://www.plough.com/en/topics/community/education/why-higher-education-is-failing>
22. "A Tradition of Hospitality." *Christian Reflection* 25 (Fall 2007): 90-93.

23. "Harry Potter and the Christian Imagination." *Common Grounds*. July 2005. Reprinted in *Waco Tribune Herald*, July 23, 2005. Reprinted in *The Baptist Standard*, July 15, 2005.
24. "Dialogue on the 2004 Presidential Election" (with Eugene McCarragher, Bruce Burgland, and Eric Miller). *The New Pantagruel* 1:4 (Fall 2004).
25. "Rediscovering Bernanos." *The Cresset* LXIV:6 (May 2001).
26. "A Baptist at Notre Dame." *New Oxford Review* LXIV:9 (November 1997): 24-27. Revised version re-printed and used with permission in *Baylor News* 8:2 (February 1998).
27. "With Jealousy and Dismay: Protestant Reflections on the Catholic Intellectual Tradition." *Fellowship of Catholic Scholars Quarterly* 20:1 (Winter 1997).

Encyclopedia entries:

1. "Quentin Lauer, S.J." in *Dictionary of Modern American Philosophy* (Thommes Press, 2005).
- 2., 3. "Existentialism" and "Existential Theology," in *The Encyclopedia of Christianity*, Vol. II, edited by Erwin Fahlbusch, et al. (Leiden and Grand Rapids: Brill and Eerdmans Publishing, 2000).
- 4., 5., 6. "Bermuda," "*The Californian*," and "*The Galaxy*." in *The Mark Twain Encyclopedia*. Eds. J. M. LeMaster and James Wilson, Garland Press, 1993.

Reviews:

1. *Moral Injury and the Promise of Virtue* by Joseph Wiinikka-Lydon (London: Palgrave, 2019), *Iris Murdoch Review* 12 (2021): 99-102.
2. *Iris Murdoch: Texts and Contexts*, edited by Anne Rowe and Avril Horner (London: Palgrave, 2012), *Iris Murdoch Review* 4 (2013): 51-54.
3. *Faith and Politics: Collected Essays, Volume 2* by Alasdair MacIntyre (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2006), *Journal of Church and State* 49:3 (Summer 2007): 557-58.
4. *Lost Icons: Reflections on Cultural Bereavement* by Rowan Williams (Edinburgh: T & T Clark, 2000), *Baylor Magazine*, April 2003
5. *Order in Multiplicity: Homonymy in the Philosophy of Aristotle* by Christopher Shields. Oxford Aristotle Studies, (Clarendon Press, 1999), *Religious Studies Review* 26:3 (July 2000): 273.
6. *The Art of Living: Socratic Reflections from Plato to Foucault* by Alexander Nehamas (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1998), *Religious Studies Review* 26:1 (January 2000): 79.
7. *Christian Uniqueness Reconsidered: The Myth of a Pluralistic Theology of Religions*, Ed. Gavin D'Costa (Maryknoll: Orbis, 1990), *Journal of Church and State* 34 (Summer 1992): 629-30

8. *Freedom, Justice, and Christian Counter-Culture* by Michael C. Elliott, (London: SCM Press/Philadelphia: Trinity Press International, 1990), *Interpretation* 46 (April 1992).
9. *Theology of the Reformers* by Timothy George, (Nashville: Broadman Press, 1988) *Paradigms* 5:1 (Summer 1989): 63-65.

Papers and Presentations:

1. "Iris Murdoch and the Quarrel between Philosophy and Poetry." Symposium on Faith and Culture, Institute for Faith and Learning, Baylor University, October 2022.
2. "Better Sometimes to Remain Confused? Iris Murdoch and the Quarrel between Philosophy and Poetry." Keynote Address at the International Iris Murdoch Symposium, University of Chichester, Chichester, UK, June 25, 2022.
3. "Telling the Story of the World: The Blessed Quarrel between Philosophy and Poetry." 2020 Annual Great Texts Lecture. Baylor University, Waco, Texas, February 13, 2020.
4. "The Secret Names of Virtue: Iris Murdoch's Virtue Ethics Revisited." Iris Murdoch Centenary Conference, St. Anne's College, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK, July 14, 2019.
5. "Forgiveness and the 'Beautiful, Unexpected Strangeness of the World' in Iris Murdoch." Invited Address to "Finished with Religion? Iris Murdoch Symposium," Regent's Park College, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK, May 9, 2019.
6. "Work, Leisure, Wonder, and Gratitude: Farming with the Philosophers." Plenary Address to the Scholars Colloquium, Lubbock Christian University, Lubbock, Texas, March 28, 2019.
7. "Success, Wealth, and the Imagination: Reading the Great Texts of Business." Keynote Address to the Scholars Colloquium, Lubbock Christian University, Lubbock, Texas, March 27, 2019.
8. "Wendell, Gene, and Joel: On the Difficulties of Theology and Agriculture." Baylor Symposium on Faith and Culture, Baylor University, October 2018.
9. "Kilts, Scones, and Red Bush Tea: Alexander McCall Smith's Celebration of the Small, Local, and Particular." Southwest Conference on Christianity and Literature, Abilene Christian University, Dallas, Texas, October 6, 2017.
10. "Iris Murdoch's Vexed Relationship with Christian Faith." The Eighth International Symposium on Iris Murdoch, Chichester University, Chichester, United Kingdom, September 1-2, 2017.
11. "Homecoming and the Future of Higher Education." Baylor Symposium on Faith and Culture, Baylor University, Waco, TX, October 27, 2016.



12. "The Impact and Importance of Residential Colleges to Undergraduate Education." Keynote Address to The Residential College Symposium, Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, Virginia, October 17, 2014.
13. "Murdoch on Hope and Consolation." Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, October 4, 2014
14. "Austere Consolation, Fantasy, and Hope in Iris Murdoch." The Seventh International Conference on Iris Murdoch, Kingston University, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey, United Kingdom, September 12-13, 2014.
15. "The Virtue of Love in Iris Murdoch's Immanent Eudaimonism." Iris Murdoch and Virtue Ethics: Philosophy and the Novel, Università Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, February 21, 2014.
16. "*That Hideous Strength* Revisited." C. S. Lewis Anniversary Conference, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, November 23, 2013.
17. "The Mad Farmer's Gay Liberation Front? Wendell Berry and Same Sex Marriage." Invited presentation and dialogue with Wendell Berry at "Following the Call of the Church in Times Like These," Georgetown College, Georgetown, Kentucky, January 11, 2013.
18. "Whose Metaphysics, Which Morals? Can the Church Appropriate Iris Murdoch's Metaphysics?" The Fifth World Conference on Metaphysics, Rome, Italy, November 8-10, 2012.
19. "Humility, Austerity, and a Strong, Agile Realism." The Sixth International Conference on Iris Murdoch, Kingston University, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey, United Kingdom, September 14-15, 2012.
20. "Hope, Consolation, and Fantasy." Invited Keynote address given at the "Conference on Theological Virtues: Hope," sponsored by the Reinhart Institute for Ethics in Leadership, Viterbo University, LaCrosse, Wisconsin, March 30, 2012.
21. "The Recovery of Christian Humanism." *Radical Emancipation: Confronting the Challenge of Secularism*. Twelfth Annual National Conference of the Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, November 10-12, 2011.
22. "Christian Humanism and the Crisis of the Humanities." *Educating for Wisdom in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*: Baylor Symposium on Faith and Culture, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, October 27-29, 2011.
23. "Attention and Acknowledgement in Cavell and McClendon: Response to Howell." Young Scholars in the Baptist Academy, International Baptist Seminary, Prague, Czech Republic, July 27, 2011.
24. "Education for Virtue and the Corrupting Deceit of Classroom Management." *Younger than Sin: Retrieving Simplicity through the Virtues of Humility, Wonder, and Joy*: Eleventh Annual National Conference of the Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, November 20, 2010. [presented with Andrea H. Moore]

25. "Friendship, Misericordia, and Human Dignity: A Response to O'Callaghan." 2010 Baylor Symposium on Faith and Culture: *Human Dignity and the Future of Health Care*. Baylor University, Waco, Texas, October 28, 2010.
26. "Murdoch's Say-Show Distinction and the Remythologization of Philosophy." Fifth International Iris Murdoch Symposium, Kingston University, Kingston-upon-Thames, London, United Kingdom, September 11-12, 2010.
27. "Integrating Faith and Learning in the Modern University." Invited presentation to the Faculty, East Texas Baptist University, Marshall, Texas, August 17, 2010.
28. "Thick Ecumenism and Loyal Dissent: A Response to Henry." Young Scholars in the Baptist Academy, Chaminade University, Honolulu, Hawaii, July 28, 2010.
29. "The Rough Ground and the Consolations of *Techne*." Young Scholars in the Baptist Academy, Chaminade University, Honolulu, Hawaii, July 27, 2010.
30. "Understanding Leadership through the Great Texts." Keynote presentation to the University Scholars Programme, National University of Singapore, Singapore, August 26, 2009.
31. "What Language Shall We Borrow? Language, Hermeneutics, and Community in the Future of Baptist Scholarship." Young Scholars in the Baptist Academy Colloquium, Regents Park College, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom, August 8, 2009.
32. "Symbol, Allegory, and Conversion Spirituality: A Response to Glover." Young Scholars in the Baptist Academy Colloquium, Regents Park College, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom, August 5, 2009.
33. "Contemporary Challenges Facing the Christian College." Keynote presentation to the 2009 Faculty Seminar on Vocation, Georgetown College, Georgetown, Kentucky, May 26, 2009.
34. "Liberal Democracy and Human Maturity: Hobbes, Kant, and Weber." Wilson-Morris Endowed Lectures, Lubbock Christian University, Lubbock, Texas, March 27, 2009.
35. "Do Smart People Outgrow God? In Defense of the Christian College." Wilson-Morris Endowed Lectures, Lubbock Christian University, Lubbock, Texas, March 26, 2009.
36. "Forging Student Affairs-Faculty Partnerships to Promote a Culture of Learning." Invited presentation, National Association of Student Personnel Administrators, Seattle, Washington, March 10, 2009.
37. "All Shall Be Well? Iris Murdoch's Use of Julian of Norwich." Fourth International Iris Murdoch Symposium, Kingston University, Kingston-upon-Thames, London, United Kingdom, September 12-13, 2008.
38. "A *sed contra* in Defense of the Christian College." Invited presentation to the Faculty Seminar on Scholarship and Vocation, Georgetown College, Georgetown, Kentucky, May 27, 2008.

39. "Friendship and Forgiveness in the Thought of Iris Murdoch." Inaugural Baylor Symposium on Faith and Culture: Friendship—Quests for Character, Community, and Truth, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, October 25-27, 2007.
40. "Iris Murdoch's Fictional Philosophers: What They *Say* and What They *Show*." Third International Iris Murdoch Symposium, Kingston University, Kingston-upon-Thames, London, United Kingdom, September 13-15, 2006.
41. "Baptist Hermeneutics and Tradition: A Response to David Moffatt." Young Baptist Scholars in the Academy, Regent's Park College, Oxford, United Kingdom, July 28, 2006.
42. "Hannah Arendt Among the Philosophers: Her Status as a Twentieth Century Philosopher." Keynote Address, Critical Assessment of the Writings of Hannah Arendt, Hannah Arendt Institut für Totalitarismusforschung e.V. an der Technischen Universität Dresden, Dresden, Germany, July 24, 2006.
43. "Virtue, Habit, and Harry Potter: *Eudaimonia* at Hogwarts." Invited presentation. Secondary Worlds: Exploring the Fantastic in Literature. Baylor University, March 31, 2006.
44. "Reading Greats as Education for Leadership." Presented with Frank Shushok. International Leadership Association, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, November 2, 2005.
45. "Baptist Scholars and the Challenges of the Postmodern World." Young Baptist Scholars in the Academy, Regent's Park College, Oxford, United Kingdom, August 5, 2005.
46. "After the Controversy: The Place of Young Baptist Scholars," Conference on the Future of Baptist Higher Education, Truett Theological Seminary, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, April 19, 2005.
47. "Not the *Free Church* in Modern World? A Response to Objections." A Call to Justice: Fortieth Anniversary of *Gaudium et Spes*, Vatican City, March 17, 2005.
48. "The Consolations of Fiction and Philosophy: Iris Murdoch's Reluctant Concession." Conference on Epiphanies of Beauty: Arts in a Post-Christian Culture, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, November 20, 2004.
49. "'Devilish Metaphysics' and the Say-Show Distinction: Iris Murdoch on Suffering and the Good." Second International Iris Murdoch Symposium, Kingston University, Kingston-upon-Thames, London, United Kingdom, September 17, 2004.
50. "Once More unto the Classroom: Cultivating the Beautiful Soul." Invited address to the Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Mississippi College, Clinton, Mississippi, August 19, 2004.
51. "The Predicament and the Promise for Young Baptist Scholars." Keynote address to the Young Baptist Scholars in the Academy, Georgetown College, Georgetown, Kentucky, June 9, 2004.

52. "Great Texts and Professional Education." The Association of Core Texts and Courses, University of Dallas, Irving, Texas, April 16, 2004.
53. "Iris Murdoch and 'Devilish' Metaphysics: A Guide to Morals?" Midwestern Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Viterbo University, La Crosse, Wisconsin, April 2, 2004.
54. "Freedom and Forgiveness in Iris Murdoch's *The Nice and the Good*." Pruitt Memorial Symposium, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, October 31, 2003.
55. "Virtue and Freedom in Iris Murdoch's *The Nice and the Good*." 27<sup>th</sup> Annual International Meeting of the American Maritain Association, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, October 16-19, 2003.
56. "Beyond Worldviews: Praxis, Formation, and Renewal." Invited presentation to the National Conference on Cultural Formation and Renewal, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, October 2-4, 2003.
57. "Hogwarts School for *Techne* and *Phronesis*: Harry Potter and *Eudaimonia*." Art and Soul Conference, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, March 23, 2003.
58. "Egyptian Gold among the Baptists: Recovering Great Texts in the Christian University." National Conference on From Death to Life: Agendas for Reform, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, September 26-28, 2002.
59. "Humanities within an Ecclesially-based University: Reading Great Texts under a Hermeneutic of Hospitality." Conference on the Ecclesially-based University, Point Loma Nazarene University, San Diego, California, March 8, 2002.
60. "Hospitality: Redefining the City and the Soul." Culture of Life Conference. Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture. University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana. November 30, 2001.
61. "What Does Faith Have to do with the Academy?" Invited presentation to Faculty, Students, and Administration, Belmont University, Nashville, Tennessee, November 9, 2001.
62. "Human Nature and the Virtues of Acknowledged Dependence." Summer Seminar on Human Nature and the Human Person, Weyerhaeuser Center, Whitworth College, Spokane Washington, July 24, 2001
63. "The Cultural and Political Implications of Hospitality." Conference on Ethics Across the Disciplines: Hospitality, Viterbo University, La Crosse, Wisconsin, April 20, 2001.
64. "The Return of Climacus: Rose's Experiment in Indirect Communication." Faculty Research Day, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, February 14, 2001.
65. "Rose, Climacus, and the Postmodern Ascent." Invited presentation to the Symposium on the Life and Work of Gillian Rose, sponsored by the Social Theory Centre at the University of Warwick, Coventry, United Kingdom, December 8, 2000.

66. Invited Response to "Christianity: The Next Fifty Years," by Edwin Aponte, Conference on The Next Fifty Years, sponsored by the Center for Jewish and American Studies, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, November 2, 2000.
67. "Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness: The Culture of Convenience as a Culture of Death." The Culture of Death Conference, Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, October 14, 2000.
68. "Hospitality and *Misericordia* in MacIntyre." Il Congresso Metafisica verso il Terzo Millennio, Rome, Italy, September 5, 2000.
69. "Casting for the Ones that Got Away: A Response to Shea," Invited Response to "Casting into the Crowded Pond for the Big Ones" by William M. Shea, The College Theology Society, Forty-sixth Annual Meeting, Villanova University, Villanova, Pennsylvania, June 2, 2000
70. "Gillian Rose's *Paradiso*." The College Theology Society, Forty-sixth Annual Meeting, Villanova University, Villanova, Pennsylvania, June 2, 2000
71. "Gillian Rose in the Postmodern Context." Society of Christian Philosophers, Midwest Regional Meeting, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, March 17, 2000
72. "Virtuous Dissent in the Postliberal Community." College Theology Society, Forty-fifth Annual Meeting, Saint Norbert College, DePere, Wisconsin, June 4, 1999
73. "Cultivating Hospitality: An Alternative to Tolerance in Political Discourse." The 1999 Communitarian Summit, Washington, D.C., February 27-29, 1999
74. "After Tolerance: A Case for Political Hospitality." Faculty Research Day, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, February 10, 1999
75. "Challenges of the Future." Baptist and Catholic Higher Education, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, October 30, 1998.
76. "Sartre, Schutz, and Self-Deception." Invited Response to "Schutz and Self-Deception," Eighth Biennial Meeting of the Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, New Orleans, Louisiana, September 25-27, 1998
77. "What can the SCP learn from Contemporary Continental Philosophy?" Invited Presentation, Society of Christian Philosophers, American Philosophical Association, Central Division, Chicago, Illinois, May 7, 1998
78. "Rationality and Religious Belief: Newman, James, and Habermas?" Invited Response to three presentations, American Academy of Religion, Southwest Region, Dallas, Texas, March 14, 1998
79. "Liberal Statecraft and Extraordinary Politics after the Enlightenment," Faculty Research Day, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, February 18, 1998

80. "Common Grace, Uncommon Faith: A Climacian Response to Dewey." Seventh Biennial Meeting of the Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, Samford University, Birmingham, Alabama, September 19-21, 1997
81. "Flirting with the Iron Cage: Teaching Philosophy with New Technologies." Seventh Biennial Meeting of the Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, Samford University, Birmingham, Alabama, September 19-21, 1997
82. "A Postmodern Apologia for Metaphysical Realism." Center for Philosophy of Religion, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, December 2, 1996
83. "Christian History, Providence, and Michel Foucault." The Conference on Faith and History, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, October 10-12, 1996.
84. "Postmodernism and the Philosophy of Religion." Invited Lecture to the History and Systems of Thought Seminar, Department of Psychology, Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill., September 19, 1997.
85. "The Critique of the Prejudice Against Prejudice: Hans-Georg Gadamer and Alasdair MacIntyre." Presentation to the Lilly Fellows Seminar, Baylor University, July 18, 1996.
86. "*Sapere aude!* The Ironic Enlightenment in Kant and Foucault." Faculty Research Day Presentation, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, February 14, 1996.
87. "Splitting the Question: Postmodern Reflections on Realism and Anti-realism." Sixth Biennial Meeting of the Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, Furman University, Greenville, South Carolina, September 29-October 1, 1995
88. "Postmodern Confessionalism and the Realism--Anti-realism Debate." 1995 Wheaton Theology Conference: "Evangelicals and Postliberals: Pitfalls and Possibilities." Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois, April 20-22, 1995
89. "Postmodern Confessionalism and the Realism--Anti-realism Debate." Faculty Research Day, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, February 16, 1995
90. "Alstonian Reliabilism and Reformed Fideism: The Case of G. C. Berkouwer." Philosophy of Religion Section of the American Academy of Religion, Chicago, Illinois, November 19-22, 1994
91. "Dutch Neo-Calvinism and Postmodern Thought." Fifth Biennial Meeting of the Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, University of Nevada at Las Vegas, Las Vegas, Nevada, November 12-14, 1993
92. "Reconceiving Fideism: Habermas and Wittgenstein on Life-worlds and Forms of Life." Theology and Philosophy Section of the American Academy of Religion, Southwest Region, Dallas, Texas, March 12, 1993
93. "John Dewey and Christianity: Friends or Foes?" Forum of the Baylor Philosophy Club, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, April 23, 1992

94. "Browning's Fra Lippo Lippi: A Portrait of the Postmodern Christian?" Conference on Christianity and Nineteenth and Twentieth Century Art and Culture, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, April 25-27, 1991
95. "Nietzsche, Narrative, and the 'Death of God.'" Arts, Literature, and Religion Section of the American Academy of Religion, Southwest Region, Dallas, Texas, March 15-16, 1991

### Supervision of Student Research

#### *Ph.D. Dissertation—director*

- Jessy Jordan, "Iris Murdoch's Genealogy of the Modern Self: Retrieving Consciousness Beyond the Linguistic Turn." Department of Philosophy, Baylor University, August 2008.

#### *Ph.D. Dissertations—supervisory committee*

- Aaron Hatrick, "Pope and Dunne: Adaptation and Influence." Department of English, Baylor University, May 2022.
- Jennifer Howell, "*Imago Dei* and the Earthly Life: The Theological Anthropology of Dietrich Bonhoeffer." Department of Religion, Baylor University, October 2016.
- Jordan Rowan Fannin, "Following Flannery, Locating Ourselves: The Theological Significance of Place in Flannery O'Connor." Department of Religion, Baylor University, June 2016.
- Heidi Seward, "'Copies of Life, and Models of Conduct': Realism and Female Virtue in the Novels of Charlotte Lennox, Frances Burney, and Jane Austen." Department of English, Baylor University, June 2015.
- Myles Wertz, "Ontology, Ecclesiology, Nonviolence: The Witness Against War in the Theologies of John Howard Yoder, Dorothy Day, and William Stringfellow." Department of Religion, Baylor University, July 2011.
- Paul I. Kim, "*Apatheia* and Atonement: Grammar of Salvation for Contemporary Christian Theology." Department of Religion, Baylor University, July 2011.
- Clifford A. Barbarick, "The Pattern and the Power: The Example of Christ in 1 Peter." Department of Religion, Baylor University, May 2011.
- Jeff Cary, "Authority, Unity, and Truthfulness: The Body of Christ in the Theologies of Robert Jenson and Rowan Williams with a View Toward Implications for Free Church Ecclesiology." Department of Religion, Baylor University, June 2010.
- Bethany Getz, "'Accountable to Nobody but Her Father': The Daughter and her Father in the Eighteenth-Century Novel." Department of English, Baylor University, March 2010.
- Amy Antoninka, "Without Measure: Marion's Apophatic-Virtue Phenomenology of Iconic Love." Department of Philosophy, Baylor University, August 2009.
- Scott Bullard, "A Re-membering Sign: The Eucharist and Ecclesial Unity in Baptist Ecclesiologies." Department of Religion, Baylor University, August 2009.
- Steven Bezner, "Understanding the World Better than it Understands Itself: The Theological Hermeneutics of Dietrich Bonhoeffer." Department of Religion, Baylor University, August 2008.
- Jonathan Wolfe, "Entering into the Natural: The Metaphor's Role in the Structural Unity of Augustine's *Confessions*." Department of Philosophy, Baylor University, August 2008.

- Donald Shipley, "Chesterton and His Interlocutors: Dialogical Style and Ethical Debate on Eugenics." Department of English, Baylor University, May 2007.
- Glenn D. Gentry, "Beyond Augustine: The Ethical Structure of Community." Department of Philosophy, Baylor University, 2005.
- Philip I. Mitchell, "Ourselves to Know: The Problem of Evil in the Poetry of Alexander Pope." Department of English, Baylor University, 2005.
- Mark A. Wells, "Servant Leadership: A Theological Analysis of Robert K. Greenleaf's Concept of Human Transformation." Department of Religion, Baylor University, 2004.
- Matthew Kerlin, "The Possibility of Theodicy: C.S. Lewis and the Role of Imaginative Texts in the Justification of Human Suffering." Department of Religion, Baylor University, 2004.
- Tracey Stout, "A Fellowship of Baptism: The Relevance of Karl Barth's Doctrine of Baptism for his Ecclesiology." Department of Religion, Baylor University, 2003.

*M.A. Thesis—supervisory committee*

- Sydney Nicholson, "Love Grows Out of the Ground: Affection and Place in Howards End and Hannah Coulter," Department of English, Baylor University, 2022.
- Christina Lambert, "A Holy Stream and a Strange Marriage: Environmental and Sacramental Healing in Wendell Berry's *Jayber Crow*." Department of English, Baylor University, 2019.
- Matthew Reynolds, "Alien Citizens: Discerning the Now and the Not Yet in the Thought of Richard John Neuhaus." Institute for Church-State Studies, Baylor University, 2010.
- Coleman Fannin, "Solidarity, Compassion, and Truth: The Pacifist Witness of Dorothy Day." Department of Religion, Baylor University, 2006.
- Justin D. Raab, "The Influence of Christianity in Pope's Moral Essays." Department of English, Baylor University, 2005.
- Karen Werner, "Walker Percy's Quest for an Understanding of the Human Being." Department of English, Baylor University, 2003.

*Undergraduate Honors Theses--Director*

- Michelle Tan, "Hope as a Healer: The Role of Hope and Suffering in Physician-Patient Relationships," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2023.
- Annie Huntington, "An Analysis of Wendell Berry's Vision for Creation Care," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2022.
- Ashlyn Freemyer, "The Consolation of Sorrow," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2022
- Rylee Ewert, "Rhetorical Manipulation in the Works of C. S. Lewis and J. R. R. Tolkien," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2022
- Beth Butler, "Manning the walls, covered with dust, and sunburnt: Stoicism in Western Movies," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2022
- William Fielding Brown, "The Mad Farmer's Medicine: Wendell Berry's Understanding of Health as Wholeness," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2021
- Sarah Lunsford, "Re-membling Home: Wendell Berry's Response to the Gnostic Abstraction of Place," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2018.
- Elijah Tanner, "Phronesis: The Forgotten Virtue." University Scholars Program, Baylor University, 2016.
- Andrew Alan Michel, "The Physician and the Virtues: Cultivating *Phronesis* Toward the Dying Patient." Honors Program, Baylor University, 1999.
- Jason Berman, "Enduring Evil: The Holocaust, William Rowe's Atheism, and the Jewish-Christian God." Honors Program, Baylor University, 1998.



*Undergraduate Honors Theses* (selected supervisory committee)

- Benjamin Buras, "Fine Tuning in light of Multiverse Confirmation," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2023
- Grace Gilmour, "The Incandescent Mind: A Study of Light in the Works of Charles Dickens and Virginia Woolf," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2022
- Megan Palen, "Dietrich Bonhoeffer: Discipleship and Culturally Accommodated Christianity," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2022
- Brandt Bergeron, "Financing Sustainable Agriculture in the United States: Observations and Innovations," Honors Program, Baylor University, 2020.
- Katie Chilton, "His Hidden Face: An Examination of the Value of Artistic Lament in Exploring the Problem of Divine Hiddenness," Honors Program, 2020.
- Reynolds Walker, "Literary Models of Manhood: Forming a Foundational Understanding of Healthy Masculinity," Honors Program, 2020.
- Christa Olbrey, "An Aristotelian Perspective on Canine Friendship." Honors Program, Baylor University, 2016.
- Oliver Ha, "Constructing a Catholic Political Economy: The Christian Anthropology and Market Capitalism." University Scholars Program, Baylor University, 2016.
- Jacob Sturges, "The Imaginative Attention of Cora Diamond." University Scholars Program, Baylor University, 2015.
- Ashley Davis, "A Natural Signs Approach to the Argument from Desire." University Scholars Program, Baylor University, 2012.
- Preston Yancey, "The Poetics of God: Exegesis and Story in Six Parables of Christ." Honors Program, Baylor University, 2012.
- Joshua Jeffrey, "The Lens Through Which Ye See: Philosophy of Time in the Works of C.S. Lewis." University Scholars Program, Baylor University, 2012.

Director, Organizer, or Chair:

Chair, Plenary Session on Knowledge, Religion, and Universities, Baylor Symposium on Faith and Culture, Baylor University, October 2016.

Chair, Plenary Session on Iris Murdoch and Contemporary Philosophy, Iris Murdoch and Virtue Ethics: Philosophy and the Novel, Università Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, February 21, 2014.

Chair, "Murdoch on the Oxford Margins," "Murdoch and Kierkegaard on the Margins," "Teaching Iris Murdoch," Fifth International Iris Murdoch Symposium, Kingston University, Kingston-upon-Thames, London, United Kingdom, September 11-12, 2010.

Chair, "Political Philosophy and Cultural Dialogue," National Conference on "Dialogue of Cultures," sponsored by the Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture, University of Notre Dame, December 1, 2007.

Chair, "Modernity's Yearning for Freedom," National Conference on "Modernity: Yearning for the Infinite," sponsored by the Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture, University of Notre Dame, December 1, 2006.

Chair, "The Analogy of Truth." Plenary Presentation by Ralph McInerny, National Conference on "Joy in the Truth," sponsored by the Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture, University of Notre Dame, October 1, 2005.

Chair, "Transitions in Church-related Colleges." National Conference on "Christianity and the Soul of the University: Faith as the Foundation for Intellectual Community," sponsored by the Council of Christian Scholarly Societies, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, March 27, 2004.

Chair, "Philosophy and Mystery: A Conversation with Ralph McInerny," Public interview of Ralph McInerny, Art and Soul Conference, Baylor University, March 24, 2003.

Chair, "Author Book Presentation"—*Modern Catholic Social Documents and Political Economy* by Albino Barera, Pruitt Memorial Symposium: Christianity and Economics, Baylor University, November 8, 2002.

Co-director with Roger Ward, Rhodes Consultation Faculty Leadership Development Seminar, Georgetown Baptist College, Georgetown, Kentucky, June 12-16, 2002.

Director, "Teaching the Great Texts Workshop," a summer teaching seminar for Baylor University faculty, Summer 2002

Director, "Culture and the Academic Vocation at Baylor: A Seminar for New Faculty," sponsored by the Rhodes Consultations and the Baylor Institute for Faith and Learning, 2000-2001 Academic Year

Organizer with Robert Kruschwitz, Ninth Biennial Meeting of the Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, September 22-24, 2000.

Organizer, Midwest Regional Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, March 16-18, 2000

Chair, "Soulcraft and Alternative Virtues: Hospitality." Pruitt Memorial Symposium, "Cultivating Citizens: Soulcraft and Citizenship in Contemporary America," Baylor University, October 28-30, 1999

Co-Director with Dwight Allman, 1999 Summer Scholars' Institute, "Cultivating Citizens: Civic Life and Contemporary Liberal Democracy," Baylor University, Summer 1999

Chair, "The Aesthetics of Allusion," American Philosophical Association, 1999 Central Division Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, May 6, 1999

Organizer with David Solomon and Michael Beaty, "Baptist and Catholic Higher Education: Promises of the Past, Challenges of the Future," University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, October 30, 1998.

Director, Consultations with New Faculty, sponsored by the Rhodes Regional Consultations, Baylor Institute for Faith and Learning, and the Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, Baylor University, 1998-99 Academic Year

Chair and Organizer, "Philosophical Reflections on the Baptist Manifesto," Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, New Orleans, Louisiana, September 25-27, 1998

Invited Participant to:

Lilly Fellows Program Summer Seminar, "Tolkien and the Virtues," directed by Ralph Wood, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, June 7-July 2, 2004.

Public debate on The Role of Religion in the Public Square, Viterbo University, LaCrosse, Wisconsin, September 9, 2003.

Cornell University Discovering Leadership Program, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, October 7-12, 2001

Baylor Leadership Challenge, Division of Human Resources, Baylor University, 2001-2002 academic year

Summer Seminar on Human Nature and the Human Person, Weyerhaeuser Center, Whitworth College, Spokane Washington, July 22-29, 2001

Summer Scholars' Institute, "Teaching the Great Books," Baylor University, Waco, Texas, Summer 2001.

Lilly Fellows Program Summer Seminar for College Teachers, "Christian Scholars and Academic Culture," directed by William L. Portier, Mount Saint Mary's College, Emmitsburg, Maryland, June 25-July 21, 2000.

Summer Teaching Institute, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, May 26-June 25, 1998

Thomistic Institute, "St. Thomas and the Philosophy of Science," directed by Ralph McInerney, Jacques Maritain Center, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, July 19-28, 1997

Lilly Fellows Program Summer Seminar, "Contexts for Challenges: The Academic Vocation in the Christian College and University," sponsored by the Lilly Fellows Program, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, July 1-26, 1996

Summer Seminar on "Kierkegaard's *Postscript*. Subjectivity and Knowledge," sponsored by the Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, May 19-24, 1996

Summer Seminar on "The Historicity of the Incarnational Narratives," sponsored by The Pew Charitable Trusts and directed by C. Stephen Evans, St. Olaf College, June 12-18, 1993

Panel respondent:

*with* Mary Berry, Director of the Berry Center (New Castle, Kentucky), Mandy McMichael (Baylor), and Michael Stegemoller (Baylor) to the film "Look and See: A Portrait of Wendell Berry." Waco Hippodrome Theater, November 2, 2017, Waco, Texas.

*with* Jeffrey Bilbro, Millard Kimery, and Bethany Hebbard to the film "Look and See: A Portrait of Wendell Berry." Southwest Conference on Christianity and Literature, Abilene Christian University, October 5, 2017, Addison, Texas.

*to* Rod Dreher and *with* Andrea Moore, Jonathan Tran, and Ralph C. Wood on "Whose St. Benedict, Which Option? Faithful Christian Community in the Here and Now." Honors Residential College, Baylor University, September 30, 2015.

*with* Frank Shushok and Jane Wright on "The Role of Space in the Residential College." The Residential College Symposium, Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, Virginia, October 17, 2014.

*with* Douglas Henry and William Weaver on "Lewis's Space Trilogy Revisited." C. S. Lewis Anniversary Conference, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, November 23, 2013.

*with* Lori Baker and Erich Baker on "Transcendent Man: The Future of Technology and Humanity." Honors Residential College, Baylor University, September 29, 2011.

*with* Frank Shushok, Douglas Henry, Rishi Sriram, and Jane Wright on "Designed for Student Learning: A New Oxbridge Residential College in a Traditional Housing System." National Association of Student Personnel Administrators, Boston, Massachusetts, March 10, 2008.

*with* Profs. Donald Briel (University of St. Thomas) and Michael Beaty (Baylor University) on "Strategies for Revitalizing Christian Colleges and Universities: A Panel Discussion," at the National Conference on From Death to Life: Agendas for Reform, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, September 26-28, 2002.

*with* Profs. Stephen Haynes (Rhodes College), Elizabeth Newman (St. Mary's College) and Dr. Claude Presnell (Tennessee Independent College Association) on "What does the Academy have to do with faith?" Belmont University, Nashville, Tennessee, November 9, 2001.

*with* Profs. Adrian Peperzak (Loyola Chicago), Gary Gutting (Notre Dame), and Lee Hardy (Calvin College) on "Christian Philosophers and Contemporary Continental Philosophy," American Philosophical Association, Central Division, Chicago, Illinois, May 7, 1998

*to* Profs. Bernd Magnus (California Riverside), Robert Solomon (Texas), Kathleen Higgins (Texas), and Gary Shapiro (Kansas). Symposium on Nietzsche and the Judeo-Christian Tradition, Baylor University, February 7-8, 1991

#### External Funding, Grants, and Fellowships

- \$10,000 for "Hospitality and the Christian College" from the Small Grants Program, Rhodes Consultations (Lilly Endowment, Inc.), 2000-2002 Grant is shared by Drs. Richard Kyte [Viterbo

University], Amy Oden [Wesley Theological Seminary], Elizabeth Newman [Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond] and Scott H. Moore [Baylor University].

- \$5,000 for "Culture and the Academic Vocation at Baylor: A Seminar for New Faculty," an Institutional Renewal Grant, Rhodes Consultations (Lilly Endowment, Inc.), 2000-2001
- \$2,500 for "Christian Scholars and Academic Culture," a Summer Seminar for College Teachers, Mount Saint Mary's College, 2000
- \$3,000 for "Consultations with New Faculty" from the Rhodes Consultations on the Future of Church-Related Colleges (Lilly Endowment, Inc.), 1998-1999
- \$16,000 for Postdoctoral Research Fellowship from the Center for Philosophy of Religion, University of Notre Dame, 1996-1997

#### Manuscript Referee

*The Review of Politics*  
*Christian Scholars Review*  
*Journal of Religious History*  
*Perspectives in Religious Studies*  
Oxford University Press  
Polity Press  
Baylor University Press  
Wadsworth Publishing Company  
William B. Eerdmans Publishing Company

#### Other Citations:

Podcast interview on Iris Murdoch and Religion, *Iris Murdoch Podcast*, May 7, 2021

Podcast interview on Religion, Politics, and the Pandemic, Reinhardt Institute for Ethics, Viterbo University, May 21, 2020.

Podcast interview on *How to Burn a Goat*, on *The Intellectual Agrarian*, April 6, 2020.

Numerous radio interviews on *The Limits of Liberal Democracy: Politics and Religion at the End of Modernity*, including Mars Hill Audio Radio Journal, Prime Time America, The Path—CDR Radio Network (Indiana, Ohio, and Kentucky), KFIA Sacramento, California, April 2009-September 2010

Newspaper quotation on *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows*, *Times* (London) August 1, 2007.

Numerous newspaper and television interviews on *Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince* and the response of the Christian community, including, *Los Angeles Times*, *Fort Worth Star Telegram*, *Waco Tribune Herald*, *Christian Post*, *Baptist Standard*, KWTX-TV, Summer 2005

Magazine interview, Michael Streck, "Mit Gott ins Weisse Haus," *Stern* 37 (September 2, 2004): 52-66.

Newspaper interview, "Debate on Hot Issue Stays Cool," by Gayda Hollnagel, *La Crosse Tribune* (La Crosse, Wisconsin) September 10, 2003

Numerous newspaper and television interviews on Baylor University and the future of church-related higher education, including *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, *Philadelphia Inquirer*, *Houston Chronicle*, *Dallas Morning News*, *San Antonio Express News*, *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*, *Waco Tribune-Herald*, *Austin American Statesman*, *Baptist Standard*, *Texas Monthly*, KWTX, KXTX, KERA, June-September, 2003, May-November 2004.

Newspaper interview, "Religious symbolism in Harry Potter? Pagans, Christians sound off," by Terri Jo Ryan, *Waco Tribune Herald*, June 23, 2003.

Television interview, "Harry Potter and Christian Allusion," *Texas Now*, Texas Cable News Network, June 19, 2003.

Magazine interview, "Why Harry Potter Rules" by Nancy Gibbs, *Time Magazine* (cover story), June 23, 2003. Interview excerpted in "Why Kids Can't get enough of Harry," by Dan O'Briant, *Atlanta Journal Constitution*, June 17, 2003 and "Spellbound children of world queue for that Potter magic," by Margarette Driscoll, *Sunday Times* (London), June 22, 2003.

Newspaper interview, "Looking for the One" by Terri Jo Ryan, *Waco Tribune-Herald*, May 15, 2003.

Numerous newspaper, web, and radio interviews on "Christian Allusion in Harry Potter," including United Press International, WebMD, KGO San Francisco, KCSN Northridge, California (NPR at Cal State Northridge), KFLR San Antonio, WOAI San Antonio, WVHU Huntington, West Virginia, KIDO Boise, Idaho, Idaho News Network, *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*, *El Paso Times*, *Longview News Journal*, Texas News Radio, Religion News Service, Associated Baptist Press, *The Baptist Standard*, Newswise.com, and Newsmax.com, October-November 2001

Newspaper interview, "Scholar to Wrap Up Black Heritage Week" by Jason Embry, *Waco-Tribune Herald*, February 6, 2001.

Newspaper interview, "Thou Shalt Not Want Too Much?" by Stephen J. O'Brien, *Waco Tribune-Herald*, December 3, 2000.

Newspaper recommendation, "Philosophie: Liens," by Christian Delacampagne, et al., *Le Monde*, Paris, France, May 19, 2000.

Newspaper interview, "Two-way Classes Change Face of Learning" by Jason Embry, *Waco Tribune-Herald*, May 1, 2000

Newspaper interview, "Many components lend to tragedy's mythic level," by Deborah Kovach Caldwell, *Dallas Morning News*, July 22, 1999

Radio citation, "That Intoxicating Thing: A Carmen View of Liberty," by Chuck Colson, *Breakpoint*, July 15, 1997

### Professional Academic Service

Member-at-large, Executive Committee, Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, 2002-04  
Member, Steering Committee, Society of Christian Philosophers, Midwest Region, 1999-2001  
Member, Visiting Committee for Accreditation, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools,  
Commission on Colleges, Concordia University at Austin, Austin, Texas, May 12-14, 1998

### University Service

Search Committees (outside of Great Texts or Philosophy) for:  
University Provost (2002, 2016)  
Dean, Honors College (2002-2003)  
Chair, Department of Philosophy (2003-2004)  
Director of the Armstrong Browning Library (2001-2002)  
Director of Student Missions, Office of the Dean of Chapel (2001)  
Assistant Professor, Honors Program (2002)  
Director of Student Life Studies (2004)  
University Chaplain and Dean for University Ministries (2006-2007)  
Bachelor of Philosophy (B. Phil) Task Force (Chair), Honors College, Baylor (2019-2023)  
Quality Enhancement Program Working Group for SACS Accreditation (2015)  
Baylor University Press Committee (2007-2010, 2013-22), (Chair, 2008-2010, 2016-2021)  
Advisory Committee, Institute for Faith and Learning (2007- )  
Faculty Partner (2007- 2012)  
New Faculty Mentor (2013-16)  
University Scholars Mentor (2015- )  
College of Arts and Sciences *ad hoc* Committee for Faculty Evaluation Review (2007)  
Trustee, Brooks Residential College (2006-2010)  
Building Committee, Brooks Village Residential Complex (2005-2007)  
Steering Committee, Honors College Living-Learning Center (2004-2007)  
Outstanding Professor Selection Committee (2004-2008)  
Faculty Dismissal Committee (2004- 2007, 2014-16)  
University Fraternity Task Force (2004)  
University Disciplinary Committee, Vice Chair (2002- )  
Teaching, Learning, and Technology Committee (2001-2003)  
Graduate School *ad hoc* Committee on the Center for Interdisciplinary Research in Religion  
(2000-2001)  
Technology Planning Council (2000-2001)  
Advisory Committee, Baylor Interdisciplinary Core (1999-2007)  
University Planning Council (1999-2001)  
William Carey Crane Scholars, Co-director 1998-2002, Co-leader of the Junior Cohort (2013- )  
Spiritual Formation Task Force (2000-2001)  
University Marshall, Commencement Exercises (1997- )  
Internet and World Wide Web Maintenance for:  
Department of Philosophy, Baylor University (1995-2002)  
Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers (1995-2001)

### Community Service

Member, DaySpring Baptist Church

Board of Directors, Live Oak Classical School (2007-2011)  
Development Committee, Academic Affairs Committee (Chair), Building Committee  
Boy Scouts of America, Troop 497, 1999-2008  
Publicity Chairman, 2005 Baylor Merit Badge College, Boy Scouts of America  
Habitat for Humanity, Sponsor family  
Cameron Park Zoological Society, 1998-2006  
Calvary Baptist Church, Waco, Texas, Sunday School teacher, 1991-1996, 1997-1998  
Baptist General Convention of Texas 1993-94, Messenger

Professional Associations

American Philosophical Association  
Society of Christian Philosophers  
Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers  
Iris Murdoch Society  
Society for Continental Philosophy and Theology