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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy (Theology)

December 2021

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

Dissertation Title: “*Christus Dominus*: Reconciling Supralapsarian Christology and Penal Substitutionary Atonement”

Guidance Committee: Rhyne Putman (Chair), Robert Stewart, Oliver Crisp (External Reader)

Minor: New Testament

Robert S. Magee Doctoral Scholar, 2019-2020

Master of Theology (Theology)

December 2018

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

Visiting Student: Fuller Theological Seminary, Fall 2018

Master of Divinity (Specialization in Christian Theology)

May 2016

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

Caskey Center for Church Excellence scholarship recipient, 2015-2016

Daniel H. Holcomb Christian History Award, 2015-2016

Bachelor of Science (Christian Ministries)

May 2013

Blue Mountain College

Minor: Mathematics

James L. Travis Church-Related Vocation Award, 2013

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor of Theology & Christian Worldview

June 2022–Present

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary & Leavell College

- Serves as Associate Dean of Leavell College
- Oversees college’s Theology and Worldview & Apologetics majors
- Courses taught: LCCF2340 Christian Doctrine, LCGE2352 Survey of Church History 1, LCGE2354 Survey of Church History 2, LCTH2346 Theological Methodologies, LCTH4342 Contemporary Theological Issues, LCTH4349 Doctrine of Suffering

Contract Faculty, Leavell College

January 2021–May 2022

- Assisted with BA assessment, student advising, course scheduling, BA major curriculum, and college life
- Courses designed: LCTH2346 Theological Methodologies

Adjunct Instructor, NOBTS and Leavell College

2018-2020

- Church Leadership Certificate classes taught: THUS1110 Baptist Doctrine, THUS1154 Apologetics, PMUS1110 Evangelism, BIUS1160 Hermeneutics
- Graduate classes taught: THEO5300 Systematic Theology 1, HIST5300 History of Christianity: Early to Medieval
- Courses assisted: THEO5300 Systematic Theology 1, THEO5301 Systematic Theology 2, THEO6306 Cult Theology, THEO6310 Historical Jesus, PHIL5301 Christian Apologetics, PHIL6304 Apologetic Method (in-class, hybrid, and internet formats)

RESEARCH & ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENT

Publications

- “Retrieving Diversity and Unity on the Work of Christ in the Apostolic Fathers,” *Journal for Baptist Theology and Ministry*, 19, no. 1 (2022): 21–72.
- “Review of *The Task of Dogmatics* edited by Oliver D. Crisp and Fred Sanders,” *Review & Expositor* 117, no. 1 (2020): 160-62.
- “Review of *Christ and the Created Order: Perspectives from Theology, Philosophy, and Science* edited by Andrew B. Torrance and Thomas H. McCall,” *Journal for Baptist Theology and Ministry* 16, no. 1 (2019): 63-66.
- “Review of *Sanctification* by Michael Allen,” *Journal for Baptist Theology and Ministry* 15, no. 2 (2018): 94-97.

Academic Presentations

- “*Christus Dominus: Human Vocation in Christ the Lord of All*,” Southwest Regional Evangelical Theological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 2022.
- “For Us and Our Salvation: Situating Atonement in a Supralapsarian Christology,” National Meeting of the Evangelical Theological Society, Fort Worth, TX, November 18, 2021.
- Systematic Theology 1, Guest Teacher, Jefferson Baptist Church, Baton Rouge, LA, September-December 2021.
- “‘To Infinity and Beyond:’ Potential Suffering in Material Creation,” Southwest Regional Evangelical Theological Society, virtual, April 24, 2021.
- “Where the New Conflict Really Lies: Analytic Theological Method,” National Meeting of the Evangelical Theological Society, virtual, November 20, 2020.
- “Is My Church Member a Heretic? and Related Questions,” Defend the Faith 2020, NOBTS, January 8, 2020.
- “Gnosticism’s Family Tree: How Heresy Works Yesterday and Today,” Defend the Faith 2020, NOBTS, January 6, 2020.
- Moderator for the 2019 ETS Session “Systematic Theology: Atonement and Soteriology.” National Meeting of the Evangelical Theological Society, San Diego, CA, November 2019.
- “Irenaeus of Lyons and His Strategies against Early Heresies,” Guest Lecturer, NOBTS course “Heresy and Orthodoxy,” New Orleans, LA, August 29, 2019.

- “Beelzebul and Jesus: Joining Judaism’s Cosmic Conflict,” NOBTS Student Theological Fellowship, New Orleans, LA, April 25, 2019.
- “Interpreting the Image and Implications for the In-Between,” Guest Lecturer, Leavell College course “Theological Implications of Mental Illness,” New Orleans, LA, March 26, 2019.
- “Addicted to Love: A Trinitarian Evaluation of Moltmann’s Supralapsarian Christology,” Southwest Regional Evangelical Theological Society, New Orleans, LA, March 8, 2019.
- “Salvation Now! Inclusivism’s Difficulty with This-Worldly Salvation,” DEFEND 19, NOBTS, January 9, 2019.
- “Holy Pagans and the Destiny of the Unevangelized,” DEFEND 19, NOBTS, January 8, 2019.
- “Divine Wisdom and Paul’s Preexistent Christ,” Southwest Regional Evangelical Theological Society, Houston, TX, March 3, 2018.
- “Divine Wisdom between the Testaments,” NOBTS Student Theological Fellowship, New Orleans, LA, February 1, 2018.
- “Calvin on ‘Incarnation Anyway:’ Christ the Mediator,” National Meeting of the Evangelical Theological Society, Providence, RI, November 15, 2017.
- “The New Testament Canon as Tradition and Implications for Theological Method,” How the Bible Came into Being Conference, Houston Baptist University, March 3, 2017.
- “Incarnation Anyway and the Problem of Evil,” DEFEND 17, NOBTS, January 3, 2017.

Professional and Institutional Societies

- Thomas F. Torrance Theological Fellowship
Member, 2018-Present
- Evangelical Philosophical Society
Member, 2018-Present
- Evangelical Theological Society
Student Member, 2015-Present
- Student Theological Fellowship, NOBTS
President, 2017-2018
Member, 2015-Present
- Ministerial Association, Blue Mountain College
Member, 2011-2012

Research Interests

- Supralapsarian Christology
- Work of Christ
- Salvific Inclusivism
- Theology and Science
- Patristic Theology

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ministry Experience

- Worship Team Vocalist and Guitarist
First Baptist New Orleans (New Orleans, LA) November 2017-Present
- Interim Minister of Music
Edgewater Baptist Church (New Orleans, LA) January 2020-June 2020
- Interim Preacher
First Baptist Church (LaPlace, LA) December 2018-February 2019
- Minister of Music & Students
First Baptist Church (LaPlace, LA) July 2014-December 2016
- Minister of Music & Students
Center Hill Baptist Church (Hamilton, MS) February 2010-May 2014
- Ordained to the Gospel Ministry
Canaan Baptist Church (Columbus, MS) August 21, 2011
- Licensed to Preach
Center Hill Baptist Church (Hamilton, MS) August 17, 2011
- Supply Preaching and Worship Leadership 2011-Present

Administrative Experience in Theological Higher Education

- Director of the Business Office, NOBTS January 2021-Present
 - Oversaw daily operations of the Business Office including accounts receivable, accounts payable, and general ledger
 - Oversaw daily posting of tuition, fees, and cash receipts
 - Managed team of full-time and part-time student-related staff
 - Coordinated with third-party support and internal departments on business requirements
 - Maintained student information software configuration and trained interdepartmental staff on software use
- Student Accounts Manager, NOBTS May 2017-December 2020
 - Managed interdepartmental position housed in Early Learning Center
 - Oversaw 4000+ active and 1000+ inactive financial accounts receivable (student- and non-student-related) including external collections placements
 - Managed interdepartmental Administrative Withdrawal process for unpaid students each academic term
 - Managed disbursement of Caskey Center for Church Excellence student funds and interdepartmental tuition stipends
 - Assisted current and inactive students and staff in planning for payment, scheduling classes, maintaining enrollment and campus housing, and fulfilling past due balances
 - Collaborated with administration and staff in Registrar, Dean of Students, and Academic Divisions on various issues across the student life cycle including critical student account issues
 - Wrote new policy and procedures and advised administration on various office processes

- Advised project management and assisted in configuration of two major software replacements (student information system and Early Learning Center management software)
- Accounts Receivable Bookkeeper, NOBTS May 2016-April 2017
 - Provided cashiering and bookkeeping for accounts related to students, Early Learning Center clients, business accounts, staff, and faculty

REFERENCES

Rhyme Putman

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