

TERRY C. ILES
CURRICULUM VITAE

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2024– Assistant Professor of Old Testament and Hebrew, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary
- 2024– Director of the PhD Program, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary
- 2024 Adjunct Instructor, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary
- 2019–2024 Assistant Director, Harvard Extension School Writing Center
- 2021–2023 English Language and Writing Tutor, “Effective Writing for Healthcare,” Harvard Medical School
- 2018–2020 Tutor, Harvard Extension School Writing Center
- 2018–2022 Editorial and Production Assistant, *Harvard Theological Review*, Harvard Divinity School
- 2018–2021 Teaching Fellow, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Harvard University
- 2015–2016 Grader for H. H. “Chip” Hardy II, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary
- 2015 Research Assistant for Jason DeRouchie, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary
- 2012–2013 Teaching Assistant for Michael B. Shepherd, Caskey School of Divinity

EDUCATION

- Ph.D. **Harvard University**
Department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations
Hebrew Bible/Ancient Near East, 2024
Dissertation:
The Compositional Poetics of the Book of Isaiah’s Nations Cycle: Recursive Symmetry and Analogy in Isaiah 13–27
Advisor: D. Andrew Teeter

- M.A. **Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary**
 Old Testament, 2016
 Thesis:
Textual Transmission and Scribal Interpretation of the Song of Moses: An Analysis of the Text of Deuteronomy 32:1–43 according to the Masoretic Text, Samaritan Pentateuch, Septuagint, and Dead Sea Scrolls
 Advisor: H. H. “Chip” Hardy II
- Graduate study **Caskey School of Divinity**
 Biblical and Theological Studies (33 hours), 2011–2013
- B.A. **Louisiana College**
 Christian Studies (Minor: Biblical Languages), 2011

PUBLICATIONS

- 2023 “Pivotal Allusions in Isaiah’s Nations Collection: Compositional Structure and Innerbiblical Allusion in Isaiah 13–14 and 19–20,” in *Studi dell’ottavo convegno RBS* (ed. Francesco Graziano, Roland Meynet, and Bernard Witek; *Rhetorica Biblica et Semitica* 42; Leuven: Peeters)

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

- 2023 “From Oracles against the Nations to the Nations Collection: Textual Cohesion and Compositional Strategy in Isaiah 14:28–20:6,” *SBL Annual Meeting*, Linguistics and Biblical Hebrew, San Antonio, TX.
- 2023 “Cohesive Devices and Prophetic Oracle Collections: Soundings from the Book of Isaiah’s Nations Collection,” *Hebrew Discourse Conference*, Macro Analysis of Hebrew Poetic and Prophetic Discourse, Dallas International University.
- 2022 “Pivotal Allusions in Isaiah’s Nations Collection (Isa 14:1–3; 19:19–22),” *Eighth Conference of the RBS*, Rome, Italy.
- 2022 “Ritual Texts in Isaiah 1–39,” *Harvard-Münster Workshop*, Text and Ritual in the Hebrew Bible and in Second Temple Judaism, Cambridge, MA.
- 2022 “The Compositional Poetics of Isaiah’s Egypt Oracles: Recursive Symmetry and Innerbiblical Allusion in Isaiah 19–20,” *ETS Southwest Regional Meeting*, New Orleans, LA.
- 2021 “Israel and Judah among the Nations: The Poetics of Literary Structure in Isaiah 13–23,” *SBL Annual Meeting*, Israelite Prophetic Literature, San Antonio, TX.

- 2021 “The Compositional Poetics of the Oracles against the Nations in Isaiah within Widening Recursive Frames” (5 sessions), *Prophetic Literature Symposium*, Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, MA.
- 2021 “Cohesion in Isaiah’s Nations Collection: A Comparison of Isaiah 17 and 22,” *Harvard Hebrew Bible Workshop*, Cambridge, MA.
- 2021 “Babylon and Beyond: The Shape of Isaiah 13–14 and Its Function as an Introduction to Isaiah’s Nations Collection,” *Harvard Hebrew Bible Workshop*, Cambridge, MA.

AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2024 Harry and Cecile Starr Prize in Jewish Studies for Doctoral Dissertation, Center for Jewish Studies, Harvard University
- 2023 Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Harvard University
- 2023 Summer Dissertation Grant, Lewis and Alice Schimberg Graduate Student Fellowship Fund, Center for Jewish Studies, Harvard University
- 2023 J-Term Graduate Fellowship, Barney and Anne B. Malloy Memorial Fund, Center for Jewish Studies, Harvard University (for research at Tyndale House [Cambridge, UK])
- 2022 Summer Dissertation Grant, Anna Marnoy Feldberg Financial Aid Fund, Center for Jewish Studies, Harvard University
- 2020 Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Office of Undergraduate Education, Harvard University
- 2018–2020 Rudnick Family Fellowship, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Harvard University
- 2018 Summer School Tuition Fellowship, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Harvard University
- 2016 Frances Jackson Durham Hebrew Prize, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary
- 2011 Biblical Hebrew Award, Louisiana College
- 2011 Christian Studies Award, Louisiana College

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

Hebrew 1	(SP 2024, FA 2024)
Hebrew 2	(SU 2024)
Interpreting the Old Testament 1	(SP 2024, SU 2024)

Harvard University

Intermediate Classical Hebrew 1	(Instructor, FA 2019, 2020)
Intermediate Classical Hebrew 2	(Instructor, SP 2019, 2020)
Classical Hebrew Rapid Reading 1	(Instructor, FA 2018)
Introduction to the Hebrew Bible/Old Testament 1	(Assistant, FA 2020)
Introduction to the Hebrew Bible/Old Testament 2	(Assistant, SP 2021)

TEACHING COMPETENCIES

Hebrew (Biblical, Qumran, and Rabbinic)
Aramaic (Biblical, Qumran, and Targumic)
Old Testament Introduction
Biblical Exegesis (of individual books or canonical sections)
Biblical Interpretation
Biblical Interpretation in Antiquity
Innerbiblical Interpretation
Biblical Poetry and Poetics
Literary Approaches to Biblical Interpretation
Old Testament Textual Criticism
Old Testament Canon
Second Temple Judaism
Septuagint
Dead Sea Scrolls
History of Biblical Studies
Ancient Near Eastern Literature and the Old Testament

RESEARCH LANGUAGES

Ancient:

Hebrew
Aramaic
Syriac
Ugaritic
Greek

Modern (reading only):

French
German

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

- 2021–2022 Student Liaison for Hebrew Bible Faculty Search, Harvard Divinity School
- 2021 Organizer and Facilitator, Prophetic Literature Symposium, Harvard Divinity School

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Evangelical Theological Society
Institute for Biblical Research
International Society for the Study of Biblical and Semitic Rhetoric
Society of Biblical Literature

MINISTRY EXPERIENCE

- 2023 Invited Presentation, “Tasting and Treasuring God’s Word in the Old Testament”
Westview Baptist Church, DeRidder, LA
- 2022 Weekend Seminar, “How We Got the Old Testament”
CrossPoint Baptist Church, Baton Rouge, LA
Alpine First Baptist Church, Tioga, LA
- 2021–2022 Adult Sunday School Teacher, “Bible Survey,” Dry Creek Baptist Church, Dry Creek, LA
- 2021 Youth Boys Sunday School Teacher, Dry Creek Baptist Church, Dry Creek, LA
- 2020 Teacher, “From Beginning to Babylon: A Survey of Genesis–2 Kings,” Cornerstone
Congregational Church, Westford, MA
- 2017–2019 Elder and Community Group Leader, Cornerstone Congregational Church, Westford,
MA
- 2014–2016 Home Fellowship Leader, First Baptist Church Durham, Durham, NC
- 2011–2013 Camp Pastor, Engage Youth Camp, Dry Creek Baptist Camp, Dry Creek, LA
- 2008–2013 Youth and College Ministry Director, First Baptist Church Pineville, Pineville, LA
- 2013 Pastoral Ordination, First Baptist Church Pineville, Pineville, LA
- 2008 Pastoral Licensing, Dry Creek Baptist Church, Dry Creek, LA

REFERENCES

Available on request.