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EDUCATION

Ph.D., PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, 2002; area: Biblical Studies (New Testament). Dissertation: "Messiah, the Healer of the Sick: A Study of the Origins of Matthew's Portrayal of Jesus as the Son of David." Dissertation Committee: Donald H. Juel [chair], James H. Charlesworth, Brian K. Blount

Th.M., BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY RÜSCHLIKON, Switzerland, 1995 [*summa cum laude*]; major: New Testament, minor: Systematic Theology.

B.D., BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY RÜSCHLIKON, Switzerland, 1993 [*summa cum laude*]; major: New Testament.

B.S., UNIVERSITY OF BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, 1978 [*summa cum laude*]; major: Economic Statistics and Cybernetics.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Studiorum Novi Testamenti Societas [SNTS]
Eastern European Liaison Committee [EELC] – a Regional Liaison Committee of SNTS
Society of Biblical Literature [SBL]
National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion [NABPR]

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

PROFESSOR OF NEW TESTAMENT, Baylor University, Waco, TX (fall 2020–present)

Undergraduate courses: Interpreting the New Testament, Jesus' Resurrection, Jesus and the Gospels, The Christian Scriptures

Graduate courses: Greek Seminar, Seminar on the Johannine Literature, Seminar on the Gospel of Matthew, Seminar on the Old Testament in the New, Seminar on Apocalyptic Literature, New Testament Colloquium

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF NEW TESTAMENT, Baylor University, Waco, TX (fall 2007–spring 2020)

Undergraduate courses: Interpreting the New Testament, The Johannine Literature, Jesus and the Gospels, Jesus' Resurrection, The Christian Scriptures

Graduate courses: Seminar on the Dead Sea Scrolls, Seminar on the Johannine Literature, Greek Seminar, Seminar on the Old Testament in the New, New Testament Colloquium

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF BIBLICAL AND THEOLOGICAL STUDIES, Bethel University, St. Paul, MN (fall 2005–spring 2007)

Courses: Introduction to the Bible, Elementary Greek I + II, Readings in New Testament Greek, Issues in Biblical Studies, Understanding the Gospel of John, The Life and Teachings of Jesus, First Corinthians, Female and Male in Biblical Perspective, Senior Seminar: The Resurrection of Jesus Christ

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF BIBLICAL AND THEOLOGICAL STUDIES, Bethel University, St. Paul, MN (spring 2002–spring 2005)

Courses: Introduction to the Bible, Elementary Greek I + II, Readings in New Testament Greek, Advanced Greek Translation, Issues in Biblical Studies, Understanding the Gospel of John, The Life and Teachings of Jesus, The Gospels, First Corinthians, Female and Male in Biblical Perspective

INSTRUCTOR IN THE DEPARTMENT OF BIBLICAL AND THEOLOGICAL STUDIES, Bethel College, St. Paul, MN (fall 2001)

Courses: Introduction to the Bible, Elementary Greek I, The Life and Teachings of Jesus

VISITING LECTURER IN NEW TESTAMENT, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ (fall 2000)

Course: Introduction to New Testament Exegesis

LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RELIGION, Baylor University, Waco, TX (fall 1999–spring 2000)

Course: New Testament Survey

TEACHING FELLOW, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ (spring 1997–spring 2001)

Courses: Biblical Interpretation in Theological Perspective, Exegesis of Acts, Introduction to New Testament Exegesis, New Testament Greek, Orientation to New Testament Studies, Exegesis of Galatians

TEACHING FELLOW, Baptist Theological Seminary Rüslikon, Switzerland (fall 1994–spring 1995)

Courses: Exposition of the Gospel of Matthew, New Testament Greek I

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Interim Graduate Program Director, Department of Religion, Baylor University, Waco, TX (spring 2023–fall 2023)

Member of the Editorial Board of the *Journal of Biblical Literature*, published by the Society of Biblical literature (2022–2024)

Member of the Editorial Board of the *Journal of Theological Studies*, published by Oxford University Press (2021–2024)

Co-Chair (with Jeehei Park) of the SWCRS New Testament Program (2020–present)

General Editor of the Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT) Series, published by Baylor University Press (2015–present)

Member of the Steering Committee for the Matthew Section of the *Society of Biblical Literature* (2007–2013)

Member of the Editorial Board of the journal, *Perspectives in Religious Studies*, published by NABPR (2006–2010)

Assistant for proofreading and editing transcriptions and translations of Qumran sectarian documents for publication in the series *The Dead Sea Scrolls: Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek Texts with English Translations* (ed. J. H. Charlesworth; Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck), Princeton Theological Seminary Dead Sea Scrolls Project (1997–2005)

Assistant to the archivist for the materials supporting the study of the New Testament in the Archives and Special Collections, Princeton Theological Seminary Libraries (1996–1997)

Chief Financial Officer of *Pivovara Daruvar*, Croatia (1984–1987)

Administrative Assistant to the Director for Planning and Computerization, *TOZ* Zagreb, Croatia (1979–1984)

AUTHORED BOOKS

Philippians: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Waco: Baylor University Press, 2020. Pp. xxiv + 151.

John 1-10: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Waco: Baylor University Press, 2020. Pp. xxvi + 414.

John 11-21: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Waco: Baylor University Press, 2020. Pp. xxvi + 378.

Resurrection: A Guide for the Perplexed. London/New York: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2016. Pp. 208.

Raised from the Dead According to Scripture: The Role of Israel's Scripture in the Early Christian Interpretations of Jesus' Resurrection. Jewish and Christian Texts in Contexts and Related Studies Series 12. London/New York: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2012. Pp. xxii + 269.

Messiah, the Healer of the Sick: A Study of Jesus as the Son of David in the Gospel of Matthew. Wissenschaftliche Untersuchungen zum Neuen Testament II/170. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2003. Pp. xii + 231.

EDITED BOOKS

Interpretation & the Claims of the Text: Resourcing New Testament Theology. Edited with Jason A. Whitlark, Bruce W. Longenecker, and Mikeal C. Parsons. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2014.

The Dead Sea Scrolls: Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek Texts with English Translations. Vol. 3: Damascus Document II, Some Works of the Torah, and Related Documents. Edited with James H. Charlesworth, Henry W. M. Rietz, J. M. Baumgarten, C. Claussen, D. A. Hume, J. B. F. Miller, S. Pfann, E. Qimron, and L. L. Johns. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2006.

The Dead Sea Scrolls: Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek Texts with English Translations. Vol. 6B: Pesharim, Other Commentaries, and Related Documents. Edited with James H. Charlesworth, Henry W. Rietz, and Casey D. Elledge. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2002.

EDITED JOURNAL

Thematic issue of the *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 37.4 (2010). Topic: The Relationship between the Dead Sea Scrolls and the New Testament.

EDITED BHGNT VOLUMES

Romans: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Written by Stanley E. Porter and David I. Yoon. Edited by Lidija Novakovic. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2023. Pp. 416.

Acts 1-14: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Second Edition, Revised and Expanded. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Written by Martin M. Culy, Mikeal C. Parsons, and Josiah D. Hall. Edited by Lidija Novakovic. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2022. Pp. 438.

Acts 15-28: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Second Edition, Revised and Expanded. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Written by Martin M. Culy, Mikeal C. Parsons, and Josiah D. Hall. Edited by Lidija Novakovic. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2022. Pp. 410.

Matthew 1-14: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Written by Wesley G. Olmstead. Edited by Lidija Novakovic. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2019. Pp. 427.

Matthew 15-28: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Written by Wesley G. Olmstead. Edited by Lidija Novakovic. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2019. Pp. 463.

1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, and Titus: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Written by Larry Perkins. Edited by Lidija Novakovic. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2017. Pp. 311.

1 Corinthians 1-9: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Written by Timothy A. Brookins and Bruce W. Longenecker. Edited by Lidija Novakovic. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2016. Pp. 265.

1 Corinthians 10-16: A Handbook on the Greek Text. Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (BHGNT). Written by Timothy A. Brookins and Bruce W. Longenecker. Edited by Lidija Novakovic. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2016. Pp. 247.

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES AND ESSAYS

“Messianic Interpretation of Israel’s Scripture and the Recognition of Jesus’ Identity in Luke 24.” *Essays in Honor of David P. Moessner*. Edited by Margaret M. Mitchell, Janet Spittler, and Tobias Nicklas. *Novum Testamentum Supplements*. Leiden: Brill [forthcoming in 2023].

“It is advantageous for you that one man should die for the people and not that the whole nation should perish” (John 11:50): A Reassessment of Caiaphas’s Argument from Expediency.” *Review and Expositor* (2023): 1-11; DOI: 10.1177/00346373231195634.

“Touching the Risen Jesus: Did Jesus Allow Thomas to Do What He Refused to Mary?” Pages 143-153 in *Fountains of Wisdom: In Conversation with James H. Charlesworth*. Edited by Gerbern S. Oegema, Henry W. Morisada Rietz, and Loren T. Stuckenbruck. London: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2022.

“Matthew and Paul on Torah Observance: Is Matthew’s Gospel anti-Pauline, pro-Pauline, or un-Pauline?” Pages 104-121 in *“To Recover What Has Been Lost”: Essays on Eschatology, Intertextuality, and Reception History in Honor of Dale C. Allison, Jr.* Edited by Tucker Ferda, Daniel Frayer-Griggs, and Nathan C. Johnson. Leiden: Brill, 2020.

“The Resurrection of the Saints as a Prolepsis of the Resurrection of Jesus: A Reassessment of Matthew’s Portrayal of the Risen Jesus.” Pages 347-368 in *Matthew within Judaism: Israel and the Nations in the First Gospel*. Edited by Anders Runesson and Daniel M. Gurtner. *Early Christianity and Its Literature* 27. Atlanta: SBL Press, 2020.

“The Gospel of Matthew: I. New Testament.” Pages 123-129 in *Encyclopedia of the Bible and Its Reception (EBR)*, Volume 18. Berlin: Walter de Gruyter, 2020.

“Catena A-B (4Q177, 4Q182).” Pages 135-137 in vol. 1 of *T&T Clark Encyclopedia of Second Temple Judaism*. 2 vols. Edited by Daniel M. Gurtner and Loren T. Stuckenbruck. London: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2019.

- “Turning the Other Cheek to a Perpetrator: Renunciation or Upholding of Justice?” Pages 39-55 in *Anatomies of the Gospels and Beyond: Essays in Honor of R. Alan Culpepper*. Edited by Mikeal C. Parsons, Paul N. Anderson, and Elizabeth Struthers Malbon. Biblical Interpretation Series. Leiden: Brill, 2018.
- “Matthew’s Messianization of Mark.” Pages 15-27 in *A Temple Not Made with Hands: Essays in Honor of Naymond H. Keathley*. Edited by Mikeal C. Parsons and Richard Walsh. Eugene, OR: Wipf and Stock, 2018.
- “The Pesharim.” Pages 466-472 in vol. 1 of *Early Jewish Literature: An Anthology*. 2 vols. Edited by Brad Embry, Ronald Herms, and Archie T. Wright. Grand Rapids: William B. Eerdmans, 2018.
- “Introduction to the Habakkuk Peshet.” Pages 473-480 in vol. 1 of *Early Jewish Literature: An Anthology*. 2 vols. Edited by Brad Embry, Ronald Herms, and Archie T. Wright. Grand Rapids: William B. Eerdmans, 2018.
- “Healing Miracles in Second Temple and Hellenistic Judaism.” Pages 481–483 in *Encyclopedia of the Bible and Its Reception (EBR)*, Volume 11. Berlin: Walter de Gruyter, 2015.
- “The God Who Raised Jesus from the Dead: Toward a Theology of Resurrection.” Pages 17–28 and 218–221 in *Interpretation & the Claims of the Text: Resourcing New Testament Theology*. Edited by Jason A. Whitlark, Bruce W. Longenecker, Lidija Novakovic, and Mikeal C. Parsons. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2014.
- “Jesus’ Resurrection and Historiography.” Pages 910–933 in *Jesus Research: New Methodologies and Perceptions: The Second Princeton-Prague Symposium on Jesus Research, Princeton 2007*. Edited by James H. Charlesworth with Brian Rhea and Petr Pokorný. Grand Rapids: William B. Eerdmans, 2014.
- “Typology” (with Craig A. Evans). Pages 986–990 in *Dictionary of Jesus & Gospels*. Second Edition. Edited by Joel B. Green, Jeannine K. Brown, and Nicholas Perrin. Downers Grove: InterVarsity Press, 2013.
- “Midrash” (with Craig A. Evans). Pages 588–594 in *Dictionary of Jesus & Gospels*. Second Edition. Edited by Joel B. Green, Jeannine K. Brown, and Nicholas Perrin. Downers Grove: InterVarsity Press, 2013.
- “Israel.” Pages 403–407 in *Dictionary of Jesus & Gospels*. Second Edition. Edited by Joel B. Green, Jeannine K. Brown, and Nicholas Perrin. Downers Grove: InterVarsity Press, 2013.
- “The Scriptures and Scriptural Interpretation.” Pages 85–101 in *The World of the New Testament: Cultural, Social, and Historical Contexts*. Edited by Joel B. Green and Lee Martin McDonald. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2013.

- “Jews and Samaritans.” Pages 207–216 in *The World of the New Testament: Cultural, Social, and Historical Contexts*. Edited by Joel B. Green and Lee Martin McDonald. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2013.
- “Rereading the Past: Memory and Identity in Post-Communist Croatia and the Genealogy of Jesus in the Gospel of Mathew.” Pages 9–23 in *Matthew: Texts @ Contexts*. Edited by Nicole Wilkinson Duran and James P. Grimshaw. Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2013.
- “זָכָר *zākar*” [in German]. Pages 840–849 in *Theologisches Wörterbuch zu den Qumrantexten [Theological Dictionary of the Qumran Texts]*, vol. 1. Edited by Heinz-Josef Fabry and Ulrich Dahmen. Stuttgart: Verlag W. Kohlhammer, 2011.
- “Miracles in Second Temple and Early Rabbinic Judaism.” Pages 95–112 in *The Cambridge Companion to Miracles*. Edited by Graham H. Twelftree. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2011.
- “Editorial Introduction: The Relationship between the New Testament and the Dead Sea Scrolls.” *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 37.4 (2010): 365–370.
- “‘Yet Even the Dogs Eat the Crumbs that Fall from Their Masters’ Table’: Matthew’s Gospel and Economic Globalization.” *HTS Theologiese Studies/Theological Studies* 65.1 (2009), Art. #321, 7 pages, DOI: 10.4102/hts.v65i1.321.
- “The Decalogue in the New Testament.” *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 35.4 (2008): 373–386.
- “Matthew’s Atomistic Use of Scripture: Messianic Interpretation of Isaiah 53.4 in Matthew 8.17.” Pages 147–162 in *Biblical Interpretation in Early Christian Gospels. Vol. 2: The Gospel of Matthew*. Edited by Thomas R. Hatina. Library of New Testament Studies 310. London: T&T Clark International, 2008.
- “4Q521: The Works of the Messiah or the Signs of the Messianic Time?” Pages 208–231 in *Qumran Studies: New Approaches, New Questions*. Edited by Michael T. Davis and Brent A. Strawn. Grand Rapids: William B. Eerdmans, 2007.
- “Miscellaneous Rules (4Q265)” (with Joseph M. Baumgarten). Pages 253–269 in *The Dead Sea Scrolls: Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek Texts with English Translations. Vol. 3: Damascus Document II, Some Works of the Torah, and Related Documents*. Edited by J. H. Charlesworth and H. W. M. Rietz with J. M. Baumgarten, C. Claussen, D. A. Hume, J. B. F. Miller, L. Novakovic, S. Pfann, E. Qimron, and L. L. Johns. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2006.
- “Index of Biblical Quotations in the Pesharim, Other Commentaries, and Related Documents,” and “Text-critical Variants in the Pesharim, Other Commentaries, and Related Documents.” Pages 119–160 in *The Pesharim and Qumran History: Chaos or Consensus?* by J. H. Charlesworth, with appendixes by Lidija Novakovic. Grand Rapids: William B. Eerdmans, 2002.

“Catena A (4Q177 = 4QCat^a): Introduction” and “Catena B (4Q182 = 4QCat^b): Introduction.” Pages 286–287, 305 in *The Dead Sea Scrolls: Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek Texts with English Translations*. Vol. 6B: *Pesharim, Other Commentaries, and Related Documents*. Edited by J. H. Charlesworth, H. W. Rietz, C. D. Elledge, and L. Novakovic. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2002.

“4Q175 Compared with the Samaritan Pentateuch, MT, LXX, and 4Q379” (with James H. Charlesworth and Henry W. Rietz). Pages 320–327 in *The Dead Sea Scrolls: Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek Texts with English Translations*. Vol. 6B: *Pesharim, Other Commentaries, and Related Documents*. Edited by J. H. Charlesworth, H. W. Rietz, C. D. Elledge, and L. Novakovic. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2002.

“Jesus as the Davidic Messiah in Matthew.” *Horizons in Biblical Theology* 19 (1997): 148–191.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

“Background to the New Testament.” Pages 281–305 in *The Portable Seminary*. Edited by David E. Horton. Minneapolis: Bethany House Publishers, 2006.

“Frequently Asked Questions about Mary Magdalene.” *E-Quality* [Online publication of Christians for Biblical Equality] (Summer 2006)

“‘I Have Seen the Lord’: Mary Magdalene in the New Testament and Early Christianity.” *Mutuality: The Voice of Christians for Biblical Equality* (Spring 2006): 23–25.

“How to Teach Biblical Equality? A Story of a Female Bible Professor.” *Mutuality: The Voice of Christians for Biblical Equality* (Summer 2005): 15–17.

“Jesus und Frauen” [“Jesus and Women”]. *Gemeindebote* (Switzerland) 7/8 (1995): 7–10; 9 (1995): 5–9.

“Jesus as the Son of David Within Matthew’s Narrative.” Th.M. thesis, Baptist Theological Seminary Rüslikon, Switzerland, April 1995.

“An Exegetical and Hermeneutical Approach to the Parable of the Wedding Feast (Mt 22:1–14).” B.D. treatise, Baptist Theological Seminary Rüslikon, Switzerland, April 1993.

BOOK REVIEWS

Review of *Resurrection Logic: How Jesus’ First Followers Believed God Raised Him from the Dead*, by Bruce D. Chilton. *Modern Believing* 64.2 (2023): 166–168.

- Review of *Early Jewish Messianism in the New Testament: Reflections in the Dim Mirror*, by Serge Ruzer. *Dead Sea Discoveries* 30 (2023): 82-84.
- Review of *Echoes of Scripture in the Gospels*, by Richard B. Hays. *Theology Today* 74.3 (2017): 300-301.
- Review of *Portraits of a Mature God: Choices in Old Testament Theology*, by Mark McEntire. *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 42.4 (2015): 417-18.
- Review of *Heaven and Earth in the Gospel of Matthew*, by Jonathan T. Pennington. *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* 74 (2012): 391-392.
- Review of *Rewritten Scripture in Second Temple Times*, by Sidnie White Crawford. *Journal of the American Oriental Society* 129.4 (2009): 17-18.
- Review of 'But God Raised Him from the Dead', by Kevin Anderson. *Review of Biblical Literature*, July 2008, available at https://www.sblcentral.org/API/Reviews/6246_6699.pdf.
- Review of *Studien zur Christologie: Kleine Schriften IV*, by Martin Hengel. *Review of Biblical Literature*, December 2007, available at https://www.sblcentral.org/API/Reviews/5799_6122.pdf.
- A Booknote on *Reading 4QMMT: New Perspectives on Qumran Law and History*, edited by J. Kampen and M. J. Bernstein. *Religious Studies Review* 31 (2005): 87.
- A Booknote on *Does Christianity Teach Male Headship? The Equal-Regard Marriage and Its Critics*, edited by D. Blankenhorn, D. Browning, and M. Stewart Van Leeuwen. *Religious Studies Review* 31 (2005): 73.
- A Booknote on *The Elements of New Testament Greek*, by J. W. Wenham. *Religious Studies Review* 29 (2003): 194-195.
- Review of *Jesus and the Fundamentalism of His Day*, by William Loader. *Review of Biblical Literature*, April 2002, available at https://www.sblcentral.org/API/Reviews/1444_682.pdf.

PRESENTATIONS

"Touching the Risen Jesus: Did Jesus Allow Thomas to Do What He Refused to Mary?"
McGill-Munich-Grinnell Conference on 40 Years of Pseudepigrapha Research:
Celebrating Forty Years of Research on the Pseudepigrapha and the Dead Sea
Scrolls and Its Impact on Biblical Studies through the Contribution of Prof. James
H. Charlesworth, McGill University, Montreal, Canada, April 4-5, 2022.

“A Reassessment of Matthew’s Reuse of Mark in Light of *Genres of Rewriting in Second Temple Judaism* by Molly M. Zahn.” Southwest Commission on Religious Studies (SWCRS) Regional Meeting, Dallas Marriott Las Colinas, Irving, TX, March 4-6, 2022.

Review of B. J. Oropeza’s Book Chapter, “Sorting out Quotations, Allusions and Echoes” (on Defining and Detecting an Ancient Author’s Intertextual Techniques). National Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, Intertextuality in the New Testament Section, San Antonio, TX, November 20-23, 2021.

Response to Cecilia Wassén’s Paper, “Healing at the End of Days: The Significance of Jesus’ Encounter with the Sick, Impure, and Demon Possessed.” 11th Enoch Seminar/LMU Munich Congress on Apocalypticism in Antiquity, Online – May 23-27, 2021 (<http://enochseminar.org/apocalypticism-2021>).

“1 Peter 3:1-6 and Women in Abusive Marriages.” Workshop at Nevertheless She Preached Conference, Waco, September 24-25, 2018.

Response to Daniel Smith’s Paper, “The Resurrection of Jesus: Questions, Comparators, Approaches.” 73rd General Meeting of Studiorum Novi Testamenti Societas, the SNTS Seminar “Resurrection: New Methods and Approaches,” Athens, Greece, August 7-10, 2018.

“The Story of a Missing Body: The New Testament Accounts of the Discovery of the Empty Tomb.” Departmental lecture sponsored by the Department of Religion, Baylor University, delivered in Miller Chapel on March 31, 2015.

“What Light Does Matthew’s Use of Mark in Relation to Christology Throw on Matthew’s Theological Location?” 69th General Meeting of Studiorum Novi Testamenti Societas, the SNTS Seminar “Matthew in Context: an Exploration of Matthew in Relation to the Judaism and Christianity of its Time,” Szeged, Hungary, August 5-8, 2014.

“A Critical Review of *Portraits of a Mature God: Choices in Old Testament Theology* by Mark McEntire.” National Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion, Baltimore, MD, November 23-26, 2013.

“A Critical Review of *The New Testament: A Historical and Theological Introduction* by Donald A. Hagner and *An Introduction to the New Testament: History, Literature, Theology* by M. Eugene Boring.” Southwest Regional Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, DFW-Airport, Irving, TX, March 8-10, 2013.

“A Critical Review of *Banished Messiah: Violence and Nonviolence in Matthew’s Story of Jesus* by Robert R. Beck.” National Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, Matthew Section, Chicago, IL, November 17-20, 2012.

- “Rereading the Past: Memory and Identity in Post-communist Croatia and the Genealogy of Jesus in the Gospel of Mathew.” National Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, Contextual Biblical Interpretation Group, Atlanta, GA, November 19–23, 2010.
- “‘Yet Even the Dogs Eat the Crumbs that Fall from Their Masters’ Table’: Matthew’s Gospel and Economic Globalization.” National Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, Matthew Section, Boston, MA, November 21–25, 2008.
- “Equality and Justice in Marriage: An Oxymoron or a Biblical Ideal?” and “There Is No Longer Male and Female: Gender Equality as a Question of Justice.” Christians for Biblical Equality (CBE) Conference, Denver, CO, August 10–12, 2007.
- “Jesus’ Resurrection and Historiography.” The Second Princeton-Prague Symposium on Jesus: Methodological Approaches to the Historical Jesus, Princeton, NJ, April 18–21, 2007.
- “Turning the Other Cheek to a Perpetrator: Denunciation or Upholding of Justice?” National Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, Matthew Section, Washington, DC, November 18–21, 2006.
- “Behold, I Will Tell You about New Things’: Women and Religion in Croatia.” The annual George Hall dinner of the Department of Religion at Gustavus Adolphus College, Saint Peter, MN, May 16, 2005.
- “4Q521: The Works of the Messiah or the Signs of the Messianic Time?” Mid-Atlantic Regional Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, Qumran Studies Section, New Brunswick, NJ, March 15–16, 2001.