

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

Degree	Field	Year	University
Ph.D.	Philosophy	2004	Purdue University
M.A.	Philosophy	2003	Purdue University
B.A.	Religion and Philosophy	2000	Hope College

TEACHING FIELDS:

- Primary: Philosophy of Religion (all approaches), History of Philosophy (esp. Kierkegaard), Applied Ethics (esp. Sexual and Reproductive Ethics)
- Secondary: Eastern Philosophy, Ethics, Logic, Philosophy of Race, Catholicism, World Religions, Political Philosophy

COURSES TAUGHT AT HOPE COLLEGE (PHILOSOPHY COURSES UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED)

Ancient Philosophy (PHIL 230; flagged for Cultural Heritage 1);
Logic (PHIL 201; flagged for MA2 – Mathematics General Education requirement);
Informal Logic (PHIL 200);
Modern Philosophy (PHIL 232; flagged for Cultural Heritage 2);
Philosophy of Religion (PHIL 331; cross-listed with Religion);
Revolutions: Inside and Out (IDS 172; Cultural Heritage 2: Literature, History, and Philosophy);
Heaven, Hell and Purgatory (IDS 100; First-Year Seminar);
Contemporary Catholicism (Religion 100),
Philosophies of China and Japan (PHIL 242; flagged for CD4 [old Cultural Diversity flag]);
Existentialism (PHIL 380);
Introduction to World Religions (Religion 280);

COURSES TAUGHT AT HOPE COLLEGE, CONTINUED

Human and Divine Freedom (Philosophy 450 capstone course);
Moral Choices at the Movies (IDS 100; First-Year Seminar);
Ethics of Sex and Reproduction (PHIL 245);
Philosophy of Race (PHIL 195; flagged for Global Learning-Domestic);
Contemporary Political Thought (Political Science 343/Philosophy 343);
Ancient and Medieval Political Thought (Political Science 341; Philosophy 341)
Sexual Ethics (PHIL 195 cross-listed with Women's and Gender Studies and
flagged for CD2 and GLD);
God, Freedom, and Evil (IDS 176; Cultural Heritage 2: Philosophy and
Literature);
Global Ethical Challenges (PHIL 245; flagged for GL-International and Cultural
Heritage 2);
Does Morality Need God? (Philosophy 450 capstone course);
Catholics, Protestants, and the World (IDS 495; Senior Seminar; flagged for GLI)
You Believe *What?* Christianity and the Big Questions (IDS 100; First-Year
Seminar)
Fate, Freedom, and Destiny (IDS 175; Cultural Heritage 1; Philosophy and
Literature)
Fate, Freedom, and Destiny (IDS 171; Cultural Heritage 1; Philosophy, History,
and Literature)

INDEPENDENT STUDIES AT HOPE COLLEGE

Ancient Philosophy (secondary literature); Kierkegaard; Kyoto School; Divine
Freedom; The Problem of Onto-theology; Applied Ethics in Mental Health Care;
Immigrants, Refugees, and Wanderers

COURSES TAUGHT AT PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Religions of the West, Philosophy of Religion, Introduction to Ethics,
Introduction to Philosophy, Religions of the East

EMPLOYMENT AND PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

Dates	Position
2018-present	Professor, Hope College
2013-present	Chair, Philosophy Department, Hope College
2011-2018	Associate Professor of Philosophy, Hope College
2006-2011	Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Hope College
2004-2006	Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Hope College
2000-2004	Teaching Assistant, Purdue University

GRANTS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Date	Name of Grant, Honor, or Fellowship
2022	Hope College Nyenhuis Individual Summer Grant
2020	Hope College Nyenhuis Student-Faculty Collaborative Summer Grant (with Hannah Meade)
2016	Third place, 2016 Catholic Press Association Book Awards, for popular presentation of the Catholic faith.
2016	Janet L. Andersen Award for Excellence in Teaching (annual Hope College award; one of two awardees)
2013	Hope College Nyenhuis Student-Faculty Collaborative Summer Grant (with Chikara Saito)
2010	Hope CrossRoads Faculty-Student Summer Research Grant (with Andrew Peterson)
2009	Hope College Nyenhuis Student-Faculty Collaborative Summer Grant (with Mike Bertrand)
2008	Hope College Nyenhuis Student-Faculty Collaborative Summer Grant (with Robin Litscher)
2007	Hope CrossRoads Faculty-Student Summer Research Grant (with Nick Engel)
2005	Nominee, Purdue University Department of Philosophy, for Council of Graduate Schools/University Microfilms International Distinguished Dissertation Award (award given on a two-year cycle).
2004	Nominee, Purdue University Graduate School Excellence in Teaching Award (one of two endorsed by the School of Liberal Arts).
2004	Outstanding Graduate Student Teacher, Philosophy Department, Purdue University, 2003-2004.
2003	Summer Research Fellowship, Hong Kierkegaard Library (St. Olaf College).
2003	Purdue Research Foundation Summer Fellowship.

GRANTS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS, CONTINUED

- 2003 Purdue Graduate Student Government Travel Grant.
- 2001-2003 Purdue Philosophy Department Graduate Student Representative.
- 2000 Phi Beta Kappa, Hope College
- 2000 American Bible Society Award, Hope College
- 1997-2000 Van Ess Scholarships, Religion Department, Hope College
- 1996-2000 Charles E. Lake Prizes in Ancient Philosophy, Modern Philosophy, Philosophical Promise as a Junior Student, and Philosophical Promise as a Senior Student, Hope College.

PUBLICATIONS (*denotes unsolicited; + denotes blind-reviewed)

Books:

- Civil Dialogue on Abortion* (coauthored with Bertha Alvarez Manninen) (London: Routledge, 2018). *+
Reviewed by Stephen Shaffer at:
<https://inallthings.org/listening-through-disagreement-a-review-of-civil-dialogue-on-abortion/>
- What Does It Mean to Be Catholic?* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2015). *
Reviewed by Dr. Rick Janet for *Homiletic and Pastoral Review* at:
<http://www.hprweb.com/2016/11/late-fall-reading/>
Reviewed by Glenn Stanton for *National Catholic Register* at:
<http://www.ncregister.com/blog/gstanton/you-cant-share-the-faith-if-you-dont-know-the-faith>.
Reviewed by Casey Chalk for *Called to Communion* at:
<http://www.calledtocommunion.com/2016/01/jack-mulder-jr-answers-what-does-it-mean-to-be-catholic/>
Reviewed by Abigail Woods-Ferreira in *Commonweal*:
<https://www.commonwealmagazine.org/what-does-it-mean-be-catholic>
Reviewed by Leonardo de Chirico for *Evangelical Focus* at:
http://evangelicalfocus.com/blogs/1750/What_does_it_mean_to_be_Catholic_A_book_review
Reviewed by Abraham M. Antony, SDB in: *Mission Today* XVIII/2 (2016) 177-181
- Kierkegaard and the Catholic Tradition* (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2010).*+
Reviewed by John Lippitt for Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews at:
<http://ndpr.nd.edu/news/27748-kierkegaard-and-the-catholic-tradition-conflict-and-dialogue-2/>

Books (and reviews thereof), continued:

Reviewed in Gregory R. Beabout in “Kierkegaard Amidst the Catholic Tradition,” *American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly*, 87 (2013): 521-540.
Reviewed by Joseph Fitzpatrick, *New Blackfriars*, 94 (2013): 374-376.
Mystical and Buddhist Elements in Kierkegaard’s Religious Thought (Lewiston: Edwin Mellen Press, 2005). +

Journal articles:

“Original Sin, Racism, and Epistemologies of Ignorance,” *Zygon: A Journal of Religion and Science* (special issue on Evolution and Original Sin), 56 (2021): 517-532. +
“[Whiteness and Religious Experience](#),” *International Journal for Philosophy of Religion*, forthcoming. *+
“A Response to Van Kuiken on the Immaculate Conception,” *Christian Scholar’s Review*, 47 (2018): 281-286. *
“The Philosophy of Conversation: We Owe it to Our Students to Teach Them to Disagree” (with Bertha Alvarez Manninen), *Liberal Education*, 105 (2019): 32-37.
“Why Christians Should Not Be Kaneans about Freedom” (coauthored with Michael Bertrand), *Philosophia Christi*, 19 (2017): 315-329. *+
“[Knowledge, Virtue, and Onto-theology: A Kierkegaardian \(Self-\)Critique.](#)” *The Journal of Cultural and Religious Theory*, 14 (2015): 377-385. +
“A Response to Chiang and White on the Immaculate Conception,” *Christian Scholar’s Review* 43 (2014): 261-265.
“A Response to Law and McBrayer on Homosexual Activity,” *Think: Philosophy for Everyone*, 38 (2014): 39-46. *
“A Short Argument against Abortion Rights,” *Think: Philosophy for Everyone*, 34 (2013): 57-68. *
“Why More Christians Should Believe in Mary’s Immaculate Conception,” *Christian Scholar’s Review*, 41 (2012): 117-134. *+
Responses:
1) R. Gary Chiang and Evelyn M. White, “A theologically based biological challenge to the Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary,” *Christian Scholar’s Review*, 43 (2014): 241-260.
2) E. Jerome Van Kuiken, “Why Protestant Christians Should Not Believe in Mary’s Immaculate Conception: A Response to Mulder,” *Christian Scholar’s Review*, 46 (2017): 233-247.
“Let’s rethink *Roe v. Wade* – and overturn it,” (one of several responses to Bertha Manninen, “Rethinking *Roe v. Wade*: Defending the Abortion Right in the Face of Contemporary Opposition”) *American Journal of Bioethics*, 10 (2010): pp. 65-66.
+
“Kierkegaard and Natural Reason: A Catholic Encounter,” *Faith and Philosophy* 26 (2009): 42-63. *+

Journal articles, continued:

- “On Being Afraid of Hell: Kierkegaard and Catholicism on Imperfect Contrition,” in *Kierkegaard Studies: Yearbook 2007*, ed. Niels Jørgen Cappelørn and Hermann Deuser, Berlin: de Gruyter, 2007, pp. 96-122. *
- “The Catholic Moment?: The Apostle in Kierkegaard’s ‘The Difference Between a Genius and an Apostle,’” in *Without Authority*, ed. Robert L. Perkins, Macon, Georgia: Mercer University Press, 2006 (*International Kierkegaard Commentary*, vol. 18), pp. 203-234. *+
- “Must All Be Saved? A Kierkegaardian Response to Theological Universalism,” *International Journal for Philosophy of Religion* 59 (2006): 1-24. *+
- “Alone with Myself (and Everyone Else): Kierkegaard and Nishida on Loneliness and Love,” *Listening: A Journal of Religion and Culture* 40 (2005): 170-181.
- “*Satori* in Climacus? Christian Existence and the Zen Charge of Dualism,” *Kierkegaard Studies: Yearbook 2005*, ed. Niels Jørgen Cappelørn and Hermann Deuser, Berlin: de Gruyter, 2005, pp. 294-313. +
- “Re-radicalizing Kierkegaard: An Alternative to Religiousness C in light of an Investigation into the Teleological Suspension of the Ethical,” *Continental Philosophy Review* 35 (2002): 303-324. *+
- A substantial response is included in Merold Westphal, “Religiousness C: A Defense,” *International Philosophical Quarterly*, 44 (2004), 535-48.

Book chapters:

- “The Kierkegaardian Self: Convergences and Divergences,” in Patrick Stokes, Adam Buben, and Eleonore Helm, eds., *The Kierkegaardian Mind* (London: Routledge, forthcoming).
- “Augustine and Kierkegaard on Martyrdom and ‘Polite Persecution,’” in *Augustine and Kierkegaard*, ed. Kim Paffenroth and John Doody (Lanham: Rowman and Littlefield, 2017).
- “Grace and Rigor in Kierkegaard’s Reception of the Church Fathers,” in *A Companion to Kierkegaard*, ed. Jon Stewart (Oxford: Blackwell, 2015), pp. 155-166. +
- “Governance/Providence,” in *Kierkegaard’s Concepts, Volume 15, Tome III: Envy to Incognito*, ed. by Steven M. Emmanuel, William McDonald and Jon Stewart (Surrey, UK: Ashgate, 2014), pp. 113-118.
- “Martyrdom/Persecution,” in *Kierkegaard’s Concepts, Volume 15, Tome IV*, ed. Jon Stewart, William McDonald and Steven Emmanuel (Farnham: Ashgate, 2014), pp. 123-129.
- “Abraham Joshua Heschel: Heschel’s Use of Kierkegaard as Cohort in Depth Theology,” in *Kierkegaard’s Influence on Theology; Tome II: Catholic and Jewish Theology*, ed. Jon Stewart (Farnham: Ashgate, 2012), pp. 155-170.
- “Bernard of Clairvaux: Kierkegaard’s Reception of the ‘Last of the Fathers,’” in *Kierkegaard and the Patristic and Medieval Traditions*, ed. Jon Stewart, Aldershot: Ashgate, 2008, pp. 21-45.

Book chapters, continued:

“Cyprian of Carthage: Kierkegaard, Cyprian, and the ‘urgent needs of the times,’” in *Kierkegaard and the Patristic and Medieval Traditions*, ed. Jon Stewart, Aldershot: Ashgate, 2008, pp. 67-94.

Book reviews:

- C. Stephen Evans, *Kierkegaard and Spirituality: Accountability as the Meaning of Human Existence* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2019). *American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly* 95 (2021): 748-751.
- Joshua Furnal, *Catholic Theology After Kierkegaard* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016). *Journal of Jesuit Studies*, 4 (2017): 742-744.
- Jon Stewart, *Søren Kierkegaard: Subjectivity, Irony, and the Crisis of Modernity* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2015). *American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly* 91 (2017): 110-112.

Blog posts, popular articles, or relevant interviews:

- “Grieving Thomas,” *Catholic World Report* at: <https://www.catholicworldreport.com/2020/04/18/grieving-thomas/>
- Interview with Al Kresta on Ave Maria Radio: <https://avemariaradio.net/audio-archive/kresta-afternoon-september-15-2016-hour-1/>
- Interview with Jonathan Armstrong of the Aqueduct Project on Catholicism and Ecumenism: <http://aqueductproject.org/unitas-fidei-jack-mulder/>
- Guest spot on EWTN’s *The Journey Home* with host Marcus Grodi, aired on April 11, 2016: <http://www.chnetwork.org/journey-home/jack-mulder/>
- “What Does Philosophy of Religion Offer to the Modern University,” invited blog post on <http://philosophyofreligion.org>.
- “Safe Zone Stickers and Bad Ecumenism,” *Catholic World Report* at: http://www.catholicworldreport.com/Blog/4443/safe_zone_stickers_and_bad_ecumenism.aspx
- Philosophy TV spot with Bertha Alvarez Manninen on the abortion debate: <http://www.philostv.com/bertha-alvarez-manninen-and-jack-mulder/>.
- “What is Philosophy of Religion?” invited blog post at <http://philosophyofreligion.org>.
- “Catholic Because I’m a Sinner,” *First Things* (“On the Square”) <http://www.firstthings.com/onthesquare/2012/04/catholic-because-im-a-sinner>.

PAPERS PRESENTED AND INVITED ADDRESSES

Conference presentations:

- “Whiteness and Religious Experience,” at Evolution, Original Sin, and the Fall, June 22-24, 2020 (conference via Zoom).
- “The Content Problem for Bettcher’s Theory of (Trans) Women” at the Midwest Society of Christian Philosophers meeting, September 22-24, 2016, Evangel University, Springfield, MO.
- “Knowledge, Virtue, and Ontotheology,” invited panel presentation for the Society for Continental Philosophy and Theology at the 2014 annual meeting of the American Catholic Philosophical Association (October 9-12, 2014, Washington, D.C.).
- “Is Love God? Kierkegaard and the Catholic Tradition on God and Human Love,” at the 2013 Baylor conference on “Kierkegaard: A Christian Thinker for our Time?” October 31-November 2.
- “Are Natural Law and Divine Command Theory Incompatible?” at the 2013 Midwest Regional meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Georgetown College, April 4-6, 2013.
- “Sex: A Traditional View” at the 2012 Midwest Regional meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Hendrix College, March 22-24, 2012.
- “Comments on James Gould, ‘Reflective Theological Equilibrium and the Dilemma of Partnered Homosexuality,’” Midwest Society of Christian Philosophers meeting, Hope College, February 24-26, 2011.
- “Kanean Libertarianism in the Garden of Eden” (co-authored with Hope student Mike Bertrand), at the Mountain-Pacific Regional Conference of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Fort Lewis College, October 22-24, 2009.
- “The Sickness Unto Life: Justification in Kierkegaard and the Question of Purgatory,” presented at the symposium, “Kierkegaard and Death” December 7-8, 2007, St. Olaf College.
- “On Being Afraid of Hell: Kierkegaard and Catholicism on Imperfect Contrition,” Research Seminar on Kierkegaard’s *Upbuilding Discourses in Various Spirits* and *Christian Discourses*, Søren Kierkegaard Research Centre, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark, August 15-18, 2006.
- “Must All Be Saved? Kierkegaard and Theological Universalism,” Hope College Philosophy Department Speaker Series, November 9, 2004.
- “*Satori* in Climacus? Christian Existence and the Zen Charge of Dualism,” Research Seminar on Kierkegaard’s *Concluding Unscientific Postscript*, Søren Kierkegaard Research Centre, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark, August 10-13, 2004.
- “*Satori* in Climacus? Christian Existence and the Zen Charge of Dualism,” *Identifications: Faith, Theory and Identity*. Graduate Student Conference, Purdue University, February 6-8, 2004.
- “Simple and Free: The Need for Divine Simplicity,” Eastern Regional Meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, Asbury College, December 4-6, 2003.

Conference presentations, continued:

“Absolute Nothingness and the Christian God,” *Cross Currents: New Intersections in Comparative Philosophy*, Graduate Student Conference, University of Hawai’i at Manoa, March 6-7, 2003.

Other invited addresses:

- “The Power of Lament: The Sorrowful Mysteries,” for Saint Benedict Institute, March 9, 2021.
- “Apostles of Easter” (with Kevin Kambo), for Saint Benedict Institute, April 21, 2020.
- “Quarantine in Lent: Meditations on the Pandemic” (with Jared Ortiz), for Saint Benedict Institute, April 6, 2020.
- “Civil Dialogue on Abortion” (with Bertha Alvarez Manninen), Whitworth University, February 24, 2020.
- “Civil Dialogue on Abortion” (with Bertha Alvarez Manninen), Hope College, October 18, 2018.
- “Christian Unity,” *That They May Be One: A Day of Remembrance and Reflection of the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation*, October 31, 2017. St. Nicholas Orthodox Church.
- “What Does It Mean to Be Catholic?” Hope College Winter Happening, January 28, 2017.
- “The Incarnation and the Four Last Things,” Authenticum Lecture Series, Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Grand Rapids, MI, December 1, 2016.
- “Response to Leonard Harris” at the Fall Arts and Humanities Symposium, “Am I Not Human: Racial Identities in Modern America,” September 30, 2016, Hope College.
- “Are Natural Law and Divine Command Theory Incompatible?” at the Hope College/Western Theological Seminary Theology colloquium, April 24, 2014.
- “Blessed Be God Forever,” at the Hope College/Western Theological Seminary Theology colloquium, February 22, 2012.
- “Philosophy, Sexuality, and Bigotry: The Contribution of a Catholic Sexual Ethic to Campus Dialogue,” Hope College Philosophy Department Speaker Series, October 20, 2011.
- “Nothingness and Religious Awakening: Points of Contact in Kierkegaard and Buddhism,” invited lecture, Ohio State University, co-sponsored by Department of Comparative Studies, Department of History, Institute for Chinese Studies, Institute for Collaborative Research and Public Humanities, Institute for Japanese Studies and the East Asian Studies Center, and New Diversity Initiatives with the Multicultural Center, March 8, 2007.
- “Is Abraham a Hero: Hope and the Natural Law in Kierkegaard’s *Fear and Trembling*,” invited lecture, Ashland University, February 15, 2007.
- “Zen and Comparative Philosophy,” presentation at “Teaching Hope,” organized by Hope College Student Congress around the theme of issues of diversity in various disciplines, October 5, 2006.

Other invited addresses, continued:

- “From Jerusalem to Athens?” Reflections on an Inward Journey,” Hope College Religion Department Speaker Series, April 7, 2005.
“A Teleological Suspension and a Walk in the Park,” invited lecture, Hope College, October 26, 2001.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Manuscript refereeing:

- American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly*, 2020.
Christian Scholar’s Review, several pieces from 2005-present.
Eerdmans Publishing, 2012.
Faith and Philosophy, 2010, 2013, 2017, 2021.
Journal of Analytic Theology, 2021-2022.
Oxford University Press, 2014-2015, 2021.
Religious Studies, 2014-2015.
Res Philosophica, 2013.
Toronto Journal of Theology, 2016.

Other miscellaneous (non-Hope) professional service and participation:

- Attendee, Anti-Racist Pedagogy in Philosophy, January 26, 2021.
Chair, Society of Christian Philosophers ad-hoc committee on formalizing responsibilities for regional committees, January 2019- December 2019.
Participant, Summer 2018 Wake Forest Seminar in Catholic Social Thought and Political Philosophy (organized by Patrick Toner; July 23-27, 2018).
Attendee, Summit on Race and Inclusion, Hope College, May 2016.
Attendee, Midwest Faculty Seminar, “Death and the Politics of Life,” University of Chicago, February 23-25, 2012.
Conference organizer, Midwest meeting of the Society of Christian Philosophers, September 12-14, 2019 and February 24-26, 2011, Hope College.
Chair, Society of Christian Philosophers Midwest regional committee (2010-2020)
Participant, three-week Seminar in Christian Scholarship entitled, “Philosophical Reflections on Liturgy,” at Calvin College, led by Nicholas Wolterstorff and Terence Cuneo, June 22-July 10, 2009.
Participant, one-week summer seminar on Christianity and Politics run by The Crossroads Project at Hope College, Summer 2005.
Chair, American Philosophical Association Central Division Meeting, Colloquium on Philosophy of Religion, April 2003.
Moderator, North American Sartre Society Annual Meeting, “Sartre and Arendt: Questions of Their Times, Our Times?,” Purdue University, Sept. 12-14, 2003.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Søren Kierkegaard Society (since 2002)

Society of Christian Philosophers (since 2002)

Academy of Catholic Theology (since 2017; membership by nomination and vote)

American Philosophical Association (lapsed and renewed in 2021)

COLLEGE AND DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

Committee work:

Chair, Co-curricular Affairs Committee, 2021-present.

Member, Culture Action Team, April 2020-present.

Member, Student Standing and Appeals Committee, 2018-2019

Member, Athletic Committee, 2018-2019

Member, Administrative Affairs Board, Academic Year, 2017-2019

Member, Committee on Admissions and Financial Aid, 2017-2018

Member, Presidential Colloquium Committee, 2016-2017.

Member, Search Committee for Dean for Arts and Humanities (Hope College), 2016-2017.

Member, Strategic planning committee on Christian Formation, Hope College, fall 2014.

Member, Critical Issues Symposium Committee, 2010-2011.

Member, Global Mission Task Force (Hope College), fall 2010-present

Member, Curriculum Committee (Hope College), 2010-2011.

Member, General Education Review Committee, academic year 2009-2010

Member, Hope College Human Subjects Review Board (2007-2010)

Chair, Religious Life Committee (2006-2009)

Panels, dialogues, and other campus speaking:

Co-presenter (with Melissa Mulder), Courtship, Marriage, and Sex Seminar (November 15, 2019; October 29, 2020 (virtual); and February 25, 2022).

Co-facilitator (with Carrie Bredow), Sex, Gender, and Sexuality Dialogue Group, fall 2021-present.

Presenter, Initium panel on work-life balance, April 1, 2021.

Panelist, Race and the 2020 Election, October 28, 2020.

Panelist/Moderator, Humanities Town Hall on the 2020 Election.

Panelist for talk back, *Doubt* Theatre Production, February 20, 2020.

Panel presenter, FYS preparation sessions, June 5, 2019.

Presenter, "Vocation and Christian Identity," to Continuum group at Hope College, May 14, 2019.

Presenter, Health Professions Showcase for Admissions (topic: Ethics at the End of Life), March 1, 2019.

Presenter, Global Health Collaborative Opportunity Gathering, November 6, 2018.

Presenter and facilitator, Saint Benedict Seminar on Heaven, Hell, and Purgatory, January 19, 26, and February 2, 2018.

Panels, dialogues, and other campus speaking:

- Presenter, "Vocation and Christian Identity," Continuum program, Hope College, May 18, 2016.
- Panelist, "How does *The Vagina Monologues* fit into Hope College Culture?: A panel discussion on violence against women, sexuality, and freedom of expression," February 2, 2016.
- Speaker, "What Does It Mean to Be Catholic?" book release event for my book of that name and Catholic-Reformed Dialogue, January 28, 2016.
- Speaker, "Ethics in the Classroom," Center for Ministry Studies/Senior Seminar lunch discussion, March 5, 2015.
- Chapel speaker on the Name of Jesus, October 29, 2014.
- Participant, Panel on Workload for department chairs, chairs' workshop, August 18, 2014.
- Speaker, "Catholicism for non-Catholics" Hope Academy of Senior Professionals, July 21 and 28, 2014.
- Speaker, "With All Your Mind," Center for Ministry Studies Vocation of a Christian Scholar Discussion Series, April 10, 2014.
- Speaker, Union of Catholic Students, "Living the Faith" (2013-2014; gave a presentation on "The Gift of Life: A Catholic Understanding of Life and Love," February 22, 2014.
- Presenter, Markets and Morality group, September 11, 2013.
- Presenter, Innovation Exposition, August, 2013.
- Participant, "A Pope for All Christians?" panel discussion, March 11, 2013.
- Participant, Marriage and Sexuality panel, Human Sexuality Discussion Forum, February 28, 2013.
- Speaker, Union of Catholic Students, "Living the Faith" (2012-2013; one on the Eucharist; one on papal infallibility; and one on Heaven, Hell, and Purgatory)
- Respondent, "An Author Meets her Critics: *Bringing Sex into Focus* (Carol Simon's book), October 1, 2012, an event sponsored by the Programming Committee on Issues of Sexuality and the Philosophy Department.
- Speaker, Mellon Sophomore Seminar on philosophy and my scholarship, September 17, 2012.
- Speaker, Union of Catholic Students, "Controversy Corner" (2011-2012; one on "Are Catholics Christians?", one on "Are Catholics Obsessed with Mary?", one on "Birth Control and Life Issues" (with Melissa Mulder), and one on "Salvation").
- Speaker, Take Back the Night, fall 2011.
- Presenter, Senior Seminar dinner on my book, *Kierkegaard and the Catholic Tradition*, September 8, 2011.
- Participant, panel on Women's Health and Political Diversity, April 5, 2011.
- Participant, panel on Religious Diversity at Hope College, January 2011.
- Participant, workshop on the mission of Hope College June 1-4, 2010.
- Presenter, TED student-led project, April 2010
- Participant, panel discussion on homosexuality, March 31, 2010
- Presenter, Workshop on Student-Faculty Summer Research, February 2010
- Panel participant, Parents' Weekend panel on midterm grades (2007)

Panels, dialogues, and other campus speaking:

Presenter, Arts and Humanities Fair, fall 2007
Chapel speaker (with Melissa Mulder) on Catholicism, fall 2007
Contributor, “Midrashes on the Mission of Hope” (2006)
Presenter, Pew Society informational meeting (2005)
Presenter, Arts and Humanities Fair for prospective Hope College students (2004)

Other Hope service:

Co-PI, NetVUE grant on Hope College’s Institutional Saga (awarded 2022; approximately \$40,000).
Equity Advising, 2021-present (Spring 2021 Jazz search in Music and Fall 2021 Psychology search).
Coordinator, Cultural Heritage sections for Humanities, 2021-present.
Attendee, “Stop ‘Playing’ Diversity” with Dr. Monica Cox, April 19 and 26, 2021.
Co-author, “Will You Join Us?” blog post with Michelle Bombe at:
<https://blogs.hope.edu/culture-inclusion/hope-culture/will-you-join-us/>
Participant, Hope Portal to the World trip to Kenya, June 17, 2019-June 30, 2019.
Attendee, Summer 2018 Hope College Diversity Institute (attended all five sessions, earning a completion certificate).
Faculty mentor, Mellon Scholars Project, summer 2016, student: Anna Jones.
Participant in original working group (with Steve Bouma-Prediger (author of proposal), Jonathan Hagood, and Curtis Gruenler, Lilly small grant on Robust Ecumenism, fall 2013).
Member, planning team for Ecumenical Celebration of Mary, March 13, 2013.
Mentor, Mellon Scholars sophomore project for Inhyuk Hwang on consequentialism in Ethics.
Faculty Fellow, Center for Ministry Studies, Hope College, 2012-present.
Ministry minor mentor, 2012-2015.
Co-director, Initium Orientation program for new faculty, 2012-present.
Mentor, Mellon Scholars sophomore project for Chikara Saito on the Kyoto School of Japanese Philosophy.
Member, Committee on Faculty Worship, 2011-2012.
Member, Early Years Faculty Development Committee, 2011-2012.
Co-organizer (with Priscilla Atkins), Ecumenical Celebration of Mary, March 29, 2011.
Participating family for Nursing Department’s “Family Health and Nursing” class (2008-2009)
Interim faculty advisor, Union of Catholic Students, 2007-2008
Co-author, Planning Statement for Phi Beta Kappa/Teagle Foundation grant (2007)
Play Judge, Annual Nykerk Cup Competition (2006)
Faculty advisor, Inquiring Minds Philosophy discussion group (2005-present)
Mentor, Pew Society (2005-2008, 2011-2014)

COMMUNITY SERVICE AND SPEAKING

- Presenter, “The Catholic Church and World Religions,” Corpus Christi Catholic School, Seventh Grade Social Studies, March 15, 2022.
- Presenter, “What Does it Mean to be Catholic Today?” at Christ Memorial Church, Holland, March 8, 2020.
- Presenter, “Protestants and Catholics: What’s There to Talk about?” at Ferrysburg Community Church, October 28, 2018.
- Instructor, 3-week class on the Blessed Virgin Mary, for LANE (Lakeshore Academy of the New Evangelization), January 9, 16, and 23, 2019.
- Presenter to St. Francis de Sales summer seminar on Benedict Option, July 11, 2018.
- Presenter to Sunrise Saints, Third Reformed Church, September 6 and 13, 2017.
- Presenter, St. Patrick’s Catholic Church (Grand Haven, MI) Adult Education program on my book, *What Does It Mean to Be Catholic?* October 6, 2016.
- “Running from Creation,” a presentation at St. Isidore Catholic Church *Fortnight for Freedom* program, June 23, 2016.
- Regular Presenter, RCIA (program for people joining the Catholic Church) Sunday afternoon meetings at St. Francis de Sales Church.
- Presenter, Immaculate Heart of Mary retreat, Grand Rapids, March 5, 2016.
- Presenter, *Joy of the Gospel* series, St. Francis de Sales, January 10, 2016.
- Presenter, #BlackLivesMatter event at CultureWorks, 4/24/15.
- Presenter, Holland High School project on truth, March 13, 2015.
- Co-organizer and presenter, monthly Saturday morning half-day retreats at St. Francis de Sales (2013-2014).
- Reader, Education for the New Roman Missal for 2011, St. Francis de Sales Church at 10:30 masses, 2011.
- Presenter, adult education session on the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Francis de Sales Church, April 2010
- Presenter, adult education session on Purgatory, St. Francis de Sales Church, April 2010
- Member, St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church (2004-present)
- Leader for “dismissals” for RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) at St. Francis starting in fall 2009 and continuing for many years (the practice was discontinued).
- Presenter, St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church workshop on prayer for children and families (I spoke on *Lectio Divina*), October 11, 2009.
- Lector, St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church, (2006-2009)
- Member, Stewardship Committee, St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church (2006-2009)
- Guest Lecturer, Holland High School Advanced Placement English class (September 26, 2006)
- Sponsor, RCIA program, St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church (2005-2006)