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## EDUCATION

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- FORDHAM UNIVERSITY, BRONX, NY  
Doctor of Philosophy with high honors 2014  
Dissertation: "More Than Communion: Toward an Eschatological Ecclesiology"  
Supervisor: Bradford E. Hinze, Ph.D.
- THE GENERAL THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH, NEW YORK, NY  
Master of Arts with honors (4.0 g.p.a.) 2007  
Thesis: "Kingdom Coming: Eschatology and Being the Church"  
Supervisor: W. Mark Richardson, M.Div., Ph.D.
- HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY, HEMPSTEAD, NY  
Bachelor of Arts magna cum laude with highest departmental honors 1993  
Honors thesis: "In Praise of Shadows: An Exploration of the Theatre of Fusion"

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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- CHURCH DIVINITY SCHOOL OF THE PACIFIC, BERKELEY, CA  
Visiting Assistant Professor of Theology 2015–present
- FORDHAM UNIVERSITY, BRONX, NY  
Pre-/Post-doctoral Teaching Fellow, Department of Theology 2013–2015  
Teaching Fellow, Department of Theology 2010–2012

## PUBLICATIONS (\* DENOTES PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATION)

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### BOOK

\* *More Than Communion: Imagining an Eschatological Ecclesiology*, Ecclesiological Investigations 20, ed. Gerard Mannion (London: Bloomsbury–T&T Clark, 2015)

Reviewed in: *Expository Times* (Book of the Month), *Theological Studies*, *Theology*; forthcoming in:  
*Anglican Theological Review*, *Ecclesiology*, *Horizons*, *Journal of Anglican Studies*, *Religious Studies Review*,  
*Theological Book Review*

### CHAPTERS

"A Pilgrim Church in and for the World: Eschatological Ecclesiology and the Legacy of Vatican II," in  
*Vatican II—Remembering the Future: Ecumenical, Interfaith, and Secular Perspectives on the Council's Impact and Promise*, ed. Peter De Mey and Judith Gruber (New York: Palgrave Macmillan: forthcoming)

\* “Scapegoating the Secular: The Irony of Mimetic Violence in the Social Theology of John Milbank,” in *Violence, Transformation, and the Sacred: “They Shall Be Called Children of God,”* 2011 annual publication of the College Theology Society, vol. 57, ed. Margaret R. Pfeil and Tobias L. Winright (Maryknoll, NY: Orbis, 2012), 85–98

#### JOURNAL ARTICLES

\* “Three Questions for the Authors of ‘Marriage in Creation and Covenant,’ ” *Anglican Theological Review*, special conversation on “Marriage and the Church,” May 2015, <http://www.anglicantheologicalreview.org/read/conversations/marriage-church/>

• “The Covenant Conundrum: How Affirming an Eschatological Ecclesiology Could Help the Anglican Communion,” *Anglican Theological Review* 94 (2012): 5–26

\* “Hidden Jesuits?: ‘Romanizing’ and Inquest at the General Theological Seminary, 1845,” *Anglican and Episcopal History* 76 (2007): 89–118

#### BOOK REVIEWS

Review of Veli-Matti Kärkkäinen, *Christ and Reconciliation; Trinity and Revelation; Creation and Humanity; and Spirit and Salvation (A Constructive Christian Theology for the Pluralistic World, vols 1–4)*, *Anglican Theological Review*: forthcoming

Review of Peter Samuel Kucer, *Truth and Politics: A Theological Comparison of Joseph Ratzinger and John Milbank*, *Interpretation* 70 (2016): in press

Review of Markus Mühling, *T&T Clark Handbook of Christian Eschatology*, *Theology* 119 (2016): 152–53

Review of Daniel P. Horan, *Postmodernity and Univocity: A Critical Account of Radical Orthodoxy and John Duns Scotus*, *Anglican Theological Review* 97 (2015): 343–45

Review of Elizabeth A. Johnson, *Ask the Beasts: Darwin and the God of Love*, *Anglican Theological Review* 97 (2015): 152–53, 155

Review of Paul Valliere, *Conciliarism: A History of Decision-making in the Church*, *The Anglican* 41 (2012): 23–24

#### MEDIA

“Embodied Spirituality with Scott MacDougall,” *LectioCast*, hosted by J. R. Daniel Kirk, March 8, 2016

“Freedom, Forgiveness, and New Creation with Scott MacDougall,” *LectioCast*, hosted by J. R. Daniel Kirk, February 29, 2016

“Hunger, Thirst, and Provision with Scott MacDougall,” *LectioCast*, hosted by J. R. Daniel Kirk, February 22, 2016

“Homebrewed Goes to Berkeley,” participant, *Homebrewed Christianity*, hosted by Tripp Fuller, February 12, 2016

“More than Communion with Scott MacDougall,” interview, *Homebrewed Christianity*, hosted by Tripp Fuller, October 12, 2015 (third most-downloaded episode of 2015)

“Why Do Episcopalians Like Big Words?” interview on Anglican spirituality, *The Dais*, BlogTalkRadio.com, May 12, 2012

#### ADDITIONAL WRITING

With Eugene Sutton, *Creating Common Good: A Guide for Study and Discussion*, resource for use with *Anglican Theological Review* special issue on economic inequality (vol. 98, no. 1), January 2016, <http://anglicantheologicalreview.org/read/conversations/creating-common-good/>

“Faith in the Future is No Faith at All: Disney’s Weak Theology,” *Religion Dispatches*, June 8, 2015

#### FOR HUFFINGTON POST RELIGION

“There Are Worse Things Than Death: An Easter Reflection,” March 28, 2016

“Our Bad Theology Is Killing Faith in the God of Life,” December 10, 2015

“Injustice, Violence, and Oppression: On Loving the Lions,” December 15, 2014

“Holy Week: Journeying Into the Risk of Faith,” April 14, 2014

“It’s Time to Stop Pitting ‘Christian Neighborliness’ Against Christian Truth,” April 7, 2014

“Pussy Riot + The Russian Orthodox Church = It’s Complicated,” June 10, 2013

“Living in the Present, Imagining the Future,” February 11, 2013

“Reconsidering ‘Christian Oppression,’” January 9, 2013

“Christian Illogic: Life After Death,” October 14, 2012

“Is Demeaning or Beating a Child Ever Funny?” May 3, 2012

“In Assisi, Gathering for the Peace of the Church,” April 20, 2012

“Who Am I? Bodies, Souls, and Identity,” February 13, 2012

“What Are Christians Talking About When We Talk About the End of the World?” January 17, 2012

#### FOR *THE EPISCOPAL NEW YORKER*

Book reviews, 2003–2006

“A Light to Enlighten the Nations,” January–February 2006

“William Wilberforce: An Unshakeable Passion for Justice,” July–August 2005

“Three Same-Sex Couples: Three Paths, One Goal,” November–December 2004

“Thomas Becket: Faithful Son of the Church” November–December 2004

“The Annunciation: A Bit of Advent in Lent?” March–April 2004

“St. Augustine of Hippo and the Autobiography,” July–August 2003

## PRESENTATIONS AND PANELS

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“Elizabeth A. Johnson: An Eco-Theological Conversation on Creation, Cosmos, and Care,” co-convenor and co-president, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, November 2016

Forum on *More Than Communion* with Jay Emerson Johnson, Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, CA, April 2016 (video at: <https://vimeo.com/163429298>)

Response to Purushottama Bilimoria, “Animal Justice and Moral Mendacity,” paper on Hindu theology of animals, Pacific Coast Theological Society, Berkeley, CA, April 2016

Presentation to consortial and core doctoral faculty in philosophical and systematic theology on *More than Communion*, Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, CA, March 2016

Response to panel on the “hard sayings” of Vatican II regarding church–world relations (Paul Lakeland, Judith Gruber, Jan Jans), Ecclesiological Investigations International Research Network conference, “Vatican II—Remembering the Future: Ecumenical, Interfaith, and Secular Perspectives on the Council’s Impact and Promise,” Washington, D.C., May 2015

Reflection on the connection between political and theological work, Kerygma Koffee series, Fordham University, Bronx, NY, February 2015

“Anticipated Communion: Ecumenism and Eschatological Ecclesiology,” Ecclesiological Investigations International Research Network conference, “Where We Dwell In Common: Pathways for Dialogue in the 21st Century,” Assisi, Italy, April 2012

“Questioning ‘Communion’: Eschatological Ecclesiology and the Anglican Covenant Debate,” American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, November 2011

“Scapegoating the Secular: The Irony of Mimetic Violence in the Social Theology of John Milbank,” College Theology Society Annual Convention, New Rochelle, NY, June 2011

## COURSES DESIGNED AND TAUGHT

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### CHURCH DIVINITY SCHOOL OF THE PACIFIC

Theology 1 and 2 (two-semester required core theology sequence, taught both in-person and online)

Eschatology and Christian Practice (upper-level elective)

Contemporary Theologies of Church (elective)

Church in Anglican History, Theology, and Practice (online continuing-education course offered through the Center for Anglican Learning and Leadership)

FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

Faith and Critical Reason (multiple versions, including small honors-level seminar and standard general-education course formats, at both the Rose Hill and Lincoln Center campuses)

Church in Controversy (multiple versions, including small intensive writing and speaking seminar and standard general-education course formats, at both the Rose Hill and Lincoln Center campuses)

**STUDENT SUPERVISION AND ADVISEMENT**

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CHURCH DIVINITY SCHOOL OF THE PACIFIC

D.Min. thesis reader for G. Thomas Luck, “Seasons of Glory: A Spiritual, Theological and Practical Framework for Understanding, Evaluating and Transforming Congregational Life” (thesis not completed)

Mentor and convener, M.A. & M.T.S. student cohort, 2015–present

Mentor, Bogard Fellow, 2016

Mentor and convener, small-group formation cohort, 2015–2016

Student writing coaching for essay competitions

General admissions interviewing

Regular student advisement toward degree completion

As consortial faculty in the Graduate Theological Union Department of Theology and Ethics, attend faculty meetings and colloquia, participate in doctoral comprehensive examination proposals and defenses, and review and comment on doctoral dissertation proposals

FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

Mentored three students in service learning (Spring 2014 and 2015)

Advised two senior theses in international relations (Fall 2014)

Prepared 10 students for a week-long service project in San Juan Bautista, CA (Fall 2013)

**INSTITUTIONAL AND FIELD SERVICE**

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Editorial board, *Anglican Theological Review*, 2015–present

Co-organized an academic panel discussion and a live podcast-recording event featuring Elizabeth A.

Johnson and several senior and emerging scholars at the American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting honoring Johnson’s life and work, November 2016

Recruited to review and recommend papers, Academia.edu, 2015–2016

CHURCH DIVINITY SCHOOL OF THE PACIFIC

Work with Academic Dean to redesign M.T.S. curriculum, 2016–present

Serve as faculty secretary, 2015–present

Participate in complete curriculum redesign process, 2015–present

Represent institution on the board of the *Anglican Theological Review*, 2015–present

Organize and lead brown-bag lunch series with president and dean, faculty, and students to discuss theological writings related to economic inequality, spring 2016

Lead effort to write and submit institutional letter of inquiry to the Henry Luce Foundation Fund for Theological Education, February 2016

Organize, develop, fundraise for, publicize, and participate in live public taping of the *Homebrewed*

*Christianity* podcast that included presidents, deans, and faculty from across the Graduate Theological Union, February 2016

#### GRADUATE THEOLOGICAL UNION, BERKELEY, CA

Member, consortial faculty in the Theology and Ethics Department, 2015–present  
Member, Working Group in Practical Theology, 2015–present

#### FORDHAM UNIVERSITY (*as graduate assistant in the Center for Ethics Education, 2008–2010*)

Research and recommend grant opportunities  
Redesign and maintain Center website  
Promote annual Center conferences to local academic institutions  
Design and maintain databases of advising records for students in Center degree programs

#### GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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Pre-/Post-doctoral Teaching Fellowship, Department of Theology, Fordham University, 2013–2015  
Dissertation Fellowship, Louisville Institute, 2012–2013  
Research Fellowship, Department of Theology, Fordham University, 2012–2013  
Departmental Teaching Fellowship, Department of Theology, Fordham University, 2010–2012  
Research Travel Grant, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Fordham University, 2011  
David Nelson Barnes Memorial Scholarship, Hofstra University, 1991–1993  
Distinguished Academic Scholar, Hofstra University, 1989–1993

#### AWARDS AND HONORS

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Teaching Fellow of the Year, Graduate Student Association, Fordham University, 2011  
Clement J. Whipple Prize (best piece accepted for publication), General Theological Seminary, 2007  
Award of Excellence, Episcopal Communicators, for reviews in *The Episcopal New Yorker*, 2006  
Susan Sullivan Award for Outstanding Undergraduate Career, Hofstra University, 1993

#### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND HONOR SOCIETIES

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Alpha Psi Omega  
American Academy of Religion  
College Theology Society  
Graduate Theological Union Working Group in Practical Theology  
Pacific Coast Theological Society  
Phi Beta Kappa

#### CHURCH AND COMMUNITY TALKS, WORKSHOPS, AND SERVICE

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Sermon, All Saints Chapel, Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, CA, May 10, 2016  
“Considering and Reconsidering ‘Good’ Death,” All Souls Episcopal Parish, Berkeley, CA, April 3, 2016  
Create customary for and train readers and intercessors, All Souls Episcopal Parish, Berkeley, CA, March 2016  
Sermon, All Saints Chapel, Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, CA, March 8, 2016

Member, Anglican–Roman Catholic Dialogue, Diocese of New York, 2015

Two-session series on faith and politics, “Liberating the Political: Did Jesus Act Up?” and “Faith and American Politics: Friends? Enemies? Or Frenemies?” All Souls Episcopal Parish, Berkeley, CA, December 6 and 13, 2015

Sermon, All Saints Chapel, Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, CA, December 10, 2015

Sermon, All Saints Chapel, Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, CA, October 6, 2015

Homilies, St. Luke in the Fields, New York, NY, July 15 and 29, 2015

Invited sermon, State Street United Methodist Church, Fulton, NY, June 28, 2015

Head, Readers and Intercessors Guild, St. Luke in the Fields, New York, NY, 2003–2015

Member, Stewardship Committee, St. Luke in the Fields, New York, NY, 2008, 2013–2014

Member, Nominating Committee, St. Luke in the Fields, New York, NY, 2011–2014

“Wild and Empty Places,” Lenten theological reflection, St. Luke in the Fields blog, March 2012

Chair, Board of Trustees, Polyhymnia Music Foundation, 2003–2006

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, *The Episcopal New Yorker*, Diocese of New York, 2003–2005

Invited talk, “Daily Spiritual Practice,” Trinity–St. Paul’s Church, New Rochelle, NY, March 2004

Trained by Columbia University Oral History Research Office and participated as an interviewer in the St. Luke’s Seniors Group oral history project resulting in *Lives at St. Luke’s: An Oral History Book* (New York: The Church of St. Luke in the Fields, 2004), 2002–2003

## NON-ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

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OPEN SOCIETY FOUNDATIONS, NEW YORK, NY  
Consultant, Grants Management 2013–2014

SOMALY MAM FOUNDATION, NEW YORK, NY  
Director of Grants 2009–2014  
Consultant, Operational Development 2009

FORK FILMS, NEW YORK, NY  
Interfaith Outreach Officer 2011

UNIVERSALIA ORGANIZATIONAL MANAGEMENT, MONTRÉAL, CANADA, and  
ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION, NEW YORK, NY  
Consultant, Program Evaluation 2010

ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION, NEW YORK, NY  
Grants Specialist, Office of Grants Management  
Program Coordinator, Creativity & Culture

2006–2008  
1998–2006

## LANGUAGES

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French (advanced reading)  
German (intermediate reading)  
Irish Gaelic (intermediate spoken, written, and reading)