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DEGREES AWARDED

May 2004	Ph.D. in Systematic Theology	Princeton Theological Seminary
May 1995	M.Div.	Union Theological Seminary in New York
December 1991	B.A. in Philosophy	The College of William & Mary

AWARDS/GRANTS/HONORS

2022-	Appointed Clarence Louis and Helen Steber Professor in Theological Studies
2022	The John E. Fetzer Institute Fellow, Shared Sacred Story Project
2021	Project Grant from the Institute for Human Studies at George Mason University
2020-21	Lilly Humanities Fellows Program Small Grant
2020	Mellon Faculty Development Research Grant
2018	Mellon Faculty Development Research Grant
2017	Scholarly Works Award, Office of the Vice President for Research, Saint Louis University
2016	Spark Microgrant, Office of the Vice President for Research, Saint Louis University
2013	Mentoring Grant from the Lilly Fellows Program in Humanities and the Arts
2011	Alpha Sigma Nu Jesuit Book Award in Theology
2011	College of Arts & Sciences Excellence in Teaching Award Finalist
2010	Grueber Award for Campus Globalization
2009	Mellon Faculty Development Travel Grant
2009	Wabash Center Fellowship on Teaching and Learning for Latino/a Faculty
2008-2009	Wabash Center Teaching Colloquy for Latino/a Faculty at Colleges, Universities, and Theological Schools
2007	Mellon Faculty Development Research Grant
2005	First Book Grant Program for Minority Scholars, The Louisville Institute
2005	Wabash Center Workshop Fellow for Pre-Tenure Religion Faculty
2003	Dissertation Year Fellowship, Hispanic Theological Initiative
1999-2003	Presidential Doctoral Fellowship, Princeton Theological Seminary
1999-2002	Doctoral Fellowship, Hispanic Theological Initiative
1995	Maxwell Fellowship for Promise in Social Ministry, Union Theological Seminary
1992-1995	Union Scholar Merit Scholarship, Union Theological Seminary

TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS

Theology and Culture	Latino/a Religion	Latin American Theologies
Comparative Theology	Race and Religion	Social Ethics
Religion and Politics	Liberation Theologies	Comparative Religious Ethics

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2022- Clarence Louis and Helen Steber Professor in Theological Studies
2019-present Coordinator, Masters Programs, Department of Theological Studies, Saint Louis University
2018-present Professor, Department of Theological Studies, Saint Louis University
2010-2018 Associate Professor, Department of Theological Studies, Saint Louis University
2012-2015 Director, MA in Theology, Department of Theological Studies, Saint Louis University
2010-present Director, Mev Puleo Scholarship Program in Latin American Politics, Theology, and Culture
2009-2017 Secondary Appointment, Center for International Studies, Saint Louis University
2004-2010 Assistant Professor, Department of Theological Studies, Saint Louis University

Undergraduate Courses

- THEO 1000: Theological Foundations: Markets & Morality FIG
(linked with ECON 1800)
THEO 1000: Theological Foundations
THEO 3325: 16th Century Reformations
THEO 3370: U.S. Hispanic Theology
THEO 3415: Christ and Color
THEO 3510: Christology
THEO 3420: Feminist Theology
THEO 3930: Martyrdom and Terrorism
THEO 3540: Junior Seminar - Sources and Methods in Theology
THEO 3560: Religion and Science
THEO 3570: The Theology of Gustavo Gutiérrez
THEO 4410: Theological Outsiders: Kierkegaard, Nietzsche, Dostoevsky
THEO 468/SPAN 493: *La sangre de los mártires*/The Blood of the Martyrs
THEO 4810: Nicaragua – Theology, Politics & Culture
THEO 4910: Senior Seminar – Directed Research Workshop

Graduate Courses

- THEO 5400: Theological Resources & Methods
THEO 5420: The Theology of God
THEO 5440: Christology
THEO 5540: Theological Anthropology
THEO 5930: Christian Tradition II
THEO 6140: Political Theology

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Books

Calvin and the Global Church. Under contract with Baker Academic Press.

Theological Fragments: Confessing What We Know and Cannot Know about an Infinite God.
Under contract with Westminster John Knox Press, May 2023.
Editor. *T&T Clark Handbook of Political Theology.* Bloomsbury/T&T Clark, 2019 (paperback
edition, April 2022).
Dogmatics After Babel: Beyond the Theologies of Word and Culture. Westminster John Knox
Press, 2018.
Christian Martyrdom and Political Violence: A Comparative Theology with Judaism and Islam.
Cambridge University Press, 2017.
Racism and God-Talk: A Latino/a Perspective. New York University Press, 2008.

Chapter in Book

- “Human Uniqueness, Divine Interrelationality, and the Hope of Ecofeminist Theology,” in
World Christianity and Ecological Theologies, ed. by Raimundo Barreto and Wanderley
Pereira da Rosa (Fortress Press, forthcoming 2023).
- “Sources and Methodologies” and “Latinx Political Theology,” in *The Blackwell Companion to
Latinx Theology* (revised edition), ed. Orlando O. Espín (Wiley-Blackwell, forthcoming).
- “Grace, Immigration, Refugees,” in *The Routledge Companion to Christian Ethics*, ed. Stephen
D. Long (November 2023).
- “From ‘Priestly Kingdom’ to ‘Kingdom of God’ to *Ummah*: Commonalities in Jewish, Christian,
and Islamic Thought in the Development of Social Ethics,” in *The Bloomsbury Handbook
of Islamic Ethics*, ed. Mohammad Jafar Mahallati (forthcoming 2023).
- “Beyond Binary Moral and Political Advocacy on Abortion” in *Ethics and Advocacy: Building
Bridges, Marking Boundaries*, ed. by Harlan Beckley, Douglas Ottati, Matthew Petrussek,
and William Schweiker (Wipf and Stock Publishers, 2022).
- “Dispatches from the Deep State: The Political Theology of QAnon,” in *Faith and Resistance in
an Age of Division*, ed. Miguel A. De La Torre (Orbis Books, 2021).
- “Reclaiming the Prophetic for Dystopian Times: Marc Ellis and the New Diaspora,” in *The New
Diaspora and The Global Prophetic: An Exploration of the Scholarship of Marc H. Ellis*,
ed. by Susanne Scholz and Santiago Slabodsky (Lexington Books, 2021).
- “Immigrants, Refugees, and Asylum Seekers: The Migratory Beginnings of Reformed Public
Theology,” in *Reformed Public Theology: A Global Vision for Life in the World*, ed. by
Matthew Kaemingk (Baker Academic, 2021).
- “Tillich and Liberation Theology: Public Media and Political Resistance,” *The Political
Theology of Paul Tillich*, edited by Rachel Baard, Lexington Books, forthcoming 2022.
- “Liberation Hermeneutics in Jewish, Christian, and Muslim Exegesis: A Latino/a Perspective,”
Latino/a Theology and the Bible, edited by Fernando Segovia and Francisco Lozada
(Fortress Press, 2021).
- “Political Theologies and the Theologies of Liberation,” in *T&T Clark Handbook of Political
Theology*, edited Rubén Rosario Rodríguez, London: Bloomsbury/T&T Clark, 2019, 29-
44.
- “Religion and Politics,” *Oxford Encyclopedia of Latinos/Latinas in Politics*, edited by Suzanne
Oboler and Deena J. Gonzalez, Oxford University Press, 2016.
- “Sources and *en conjunto* methodologies of Latino/a theologizing,” *The Blackwell Companion to
Latino/a Theology*, edited by Orlando O. Espín, Wiley-Blackwell, 2015, pp. 53-70.

- “Calvin’s Legacy of Compassion: A Reformed Theological Perspective on Immigration,” *Immigrant Neighbors Among Us: Immigration Across Theological Traditions*, edited by Leopoldo A. Sánchez and Danny Carroll, Wipf and Stock Publishers, 2015, pp. 44-62.
- “Calvino ou o Calvinismo: Reivindicando a Tradição Reformada para a América Latina,” *João Calvino eo Calvinismo*, edited by Eduardo Galasso Faria, Sao Paolo, Brazil: Editora Pendão Real, 2013.
- “Hispanic Ethics,” *Ethics: A Liberative Approach*, edited by Miguel A. De La Torre, Fortress Press, 2013, pp. 91-108.
- “John Calvin,” *Beyond the Pale: Reading Theology from the Margins*, edited by Miguel A. De La Torre and Stacey Floyd-Thomas, Westminster/John Knox Press, 2011, pp. 71-78.
- “Beyond Word and Sacrament: A Reformed Protestant Engagement of Guadalupan Devotion,” *American Magnificat: Protestants on Mary of Guadalupe*, edited by Maxwell E. Johnson, The Liturgical Press, 2010.
- “Calvino o calvinismo: reclamando la teología reformada para el contexto latinoamericano,” *Juan Calvino: su vida y obra a 500 años de su nacimiento*, edited by Leopoldo Cervantes-Ortiz, Madrid: Editorial CLIE, 2009, pp. 477–511.

Peer Reviewed Articles

- “Provisional Providence? Reconstructing Divine Providence in a Fragmented World.” *International Journal of Systematic Theology* (Fall 2021).
- “The Moral Problematics of Exodus as Liberation Narrative.” *Ex Auditu: An International Journal for the Theological Interpretation of Scripture*, vol. 34, 2019, pp. 1-13.
- “Do Black Lives Matter to White Christians? A Theological reflection in Three Movements.” *CrossCurrents*, vol. 68, no. 1, April 10, 2019, pp. 112-34.
- “Latino/a Christian Ethics: Retrospect & Prospect.” *Journal of the Society of Christian Ethics*, vol. 38, no. 2, 2018, pp. 45-56.
- “Political Theology As ‘Liberative’ Theology.” *Political Theology Today: A forum for interdisciplinary and interreligious dialogue*, vol. 19, no. 8, April 25, 2017, pp. 675-680.
- “Nietzsche’s Critique of Religion: A Liberationist Perspective.” *Theological Studies*, vol. 75, no. 4, December 2014, pp. 863-89.
- “De orilla a orilla: The Ecumenical Theology of Luis Rivera Pagán.” *Journal of Hispanic/Latino Theology*, vol. 18, no. 1, November 2012, pp. 26-34.
- “Calvin and ‘Communion Ecclesiology’: An Ecumenical Conversation.” *Theology Today*, vol. 66, no. 2, July 2009, pp. 154-69.
- “Liberating Epistemology: Wikipedia and the Social Construction of Knowledge.” *Journal of Religion and Theology*, vol. 26, no. 2, 2007, pp. 173-201.
- “Journey to Transcendence: Dostoevsky’s Theological Polyphony in Barth’s Understanding of the Pauline KRISIS.” *Studies in East European Thought*, vol. 59, no. 1-2, August 2007, pp. 3-20.
- “Beyond Word and Sacrament: A Reformed Protestant Engagement of Guadalupan Devotion.” *Journal of Ecumenical Studies*, vol. 42, no. 2, Spring 2007, pp. 173-95.
- “Calvin’s influence in Latin America: A scattered inheritance.” *Ciências da Religião: História e Sociedade*, vol. 4, no. 4, 2006, pp. 136-48.
- “Calvin or Calvinism: Reclaiming Reformed Theology for the Latin American Context.” *Apuntes: Reflexiones teológicas desde el margen hispano*, Winter 2004.

“Calvino o calvinismo: reclamando la teología reformada para el contexto latinoamericano.”
Boletín Informativo del Centro Basilea de Investigación y Apoyo, A.C., México, D.F.,
Núm. 11, Julio-Septiembre de 2003.

“A Voice for the Voiceless: Discussing Abortion from a Hispanic Perspective.” *Apuntes:
Reflexiones teológicas desde el margen hispano*, year 22, no. 3, Fall 2002.

“Becoming a Church for the Poor: Toward a Reformed Spirituality of Liberation.” *KOINONIA*,
Fall 2001.

Review Essays

Review of *Hispanic Methodists, Presbyterians, and Baptists in Texas*, by Paul Barton and *Sea la Luz: The Making of Mexican Protestantism in the American Southwest, 1829-1900*, by Juan Francisco Martínez. *The Latino Studies Journal*, 2008.

Book Reviews

Review of *Christianity and the New Spirit of Capitalism* by Kathryn Tanner. *Journal of the American Academy of Religion*, Vol. 89, Issue 2 (June 2021).

Review of *Still Christian: Following Jesus Out of American Evangelicalism* by David P. Gushee. *The Journal of the Society of Christian Ethics*, vol. 39, no. 2, 2019, pp. 404-406.

Review of *Theology for Liberal Protestants: God the Creator* by Douglas Ottati. *The Journal of the Society of Christian Ethics*, vol. 37, no. 1, Spring/Summer 2017, pp. 214-215.

Review of *Beyond the Pale: Reading Ethics from the Margins*, edited by Stacey M. Floyd-Thomas and Miguel A. De La Torre. *The Journal of the Society of Christian Ethics*, vol. 36, no. 2, Fall/Winter 2016, pp. 208-209.

Review of *Liberation through Reconciliation: Jon Sobrino's Christological Spirituality*, by O. Ernesto Valiente. *Horizons: The Journal of the College Theology Society*, vol 42, no. 2, January 2015, pp. 495-496.

Review of *The Vitality of Liberation Theology* by Craig L. Nesson. *Theology Today*, vol. 70, no. 3, October 2013, pp. 364-365.

Symposium Review of *Latino Catholicism: Transformation in America's Largest Church* by Timothy Matovina. *U.S. Catholic Historian*, vol. 30, no. 4, Fall 2012, pp. 101-109.

Review of *The Blackwell Companion to the Study of Religion*, edited by Robert A. Segal. *Teaching Theology and Religion*, vol. 13, no. 3, 2010, pp. 292-294.

Review of *Higher Education for the Public Good: Emerging Voices from a National Movement* by Adrianna J. Kezar, Tony C. Chambers, John C. Burkhardt, and Associates. *Teaching Theology and Religion*, vol. 10, no. 2, 2007, pp. 121-122.

Review of *Mapping Public Theology: Beyond Culture, Identity, and Difference* by Benjamin Valentin. *The Princeton Seminary Bulletin*. November 2003.

Review of *God and Globalization, vol. 3: Christ and the Dominions of Civilization*, edited by Max L. Stackhouse with Diane B. Obenchain, *KOINONIA*, Spring 2003.

Review of *God and Globalization, vol. 1: Religion and the Powers of the Common Life*, edited by Max L. Stackhouse with Peter J. Paris. *KOINONIA*, Fall 2001.

Review of *God and Globalization, vol. 2: The Spirit and the Modern Authorities*, edited by Max L. Stackhouse with Don S. Browning. *KOINONIA*, Fall 2001.

Review of *Jesus is My Uncle: Christology from a Hispanic Perspective* by Luis G. Pedraja. *KOINONIA*, Fall 2000.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

- 2022- President, *La Comunidad* of Hispanic Scholars of Religion of the American Academy of Religion and Society of Biblical Literature
- 2022 Reviewer for Latino/a Religion, Culture, Society Unit, American Academy of Religion
- 2022 Society of Christian Ethics, Nominations Committee
- 2021 Chair, Constructive-Reflective Studies Book Prize Jury, American Academy of Religion
- 2020-2021 Society of Christian Ethics, Chair, Communications and Records Committee
- 2017-2021 Society of Christian Ethics, Board of Directors
- 2020-present Christ Among the Disciplines, Advisory Board
- 2019-2020 Leadership Team, Early Career Religion Faculty Workshop, Wabash Center
- 2018-present Symposia Editor, Political Theology Network
- 2017-2021 American Academy of Religion, Constructive-Reflective Studies Book Prize Jury
- 2012-2016 Board of Directors, *The Journal of the Society of Christian Ethics*
- 2012-2016 Status of Racial & Ethnic Minorities in the Profession Committee, American Academy of Religion
- 2016 Reviewer for Comparative Religious Ethics Unit, American Academy of Religion
- 2016-present Editorial Board of Presbyterian Publishing/Westminster John Knox Press
- 2016 Referee for academic journal *Political Theology*
- 2014-2020 Co-convener, Latino/a Working and Interest Groups, Society of Christian Ethics
- 2014 Hispanic Summer Program, Twenty-Fifth Anniversary Session, June 7-21, 2014
- 2011-2012 Nominating Committee, Society of Christian Ethics
- 2011-present Mentor, Hispanic Theological Initiative
- 2008-2011 Referee for U.S. Latino/a Religions materials submitted to *Latino Studies*
- 2007-present Editorial Consultant and Referee for Theology materials submitted to *Perspectivas*, Hispanic Theological Initiative Occasional Paper Series
- 2006 Editor, *Perspectivas*, Hispanic Theological Initiative Occasional Paper Series
- 2001-2003 Executive Editor, *KOINONIA*, The Princeton Theological Seminary Graduate Forum

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

- 2022- College of Arts & Sciences Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, Saint Louis University
- 2022- Faculty Council Executive Committee, College of Arts & Sciences, Saint Louis University
- 2020-present University Committee on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, Saint Louis University
- 2017-2020 Academic Program Review Council, Saint Louis University
- 2017-present Academic Affairs subcommittee of the Faculty Senate Executive Committee
- 2014-2018 Faculty Council Executive Committee, College of Arts & Sciences, Saint Louis University

- 2014-2018 Chair, Core Assessment Committee, College of Arts & Sciences, Saint Louis University
- 2015-2016 Topical Working Group on Academic Excellence, Strategic Planning Initiative, Saint Louis University
- 2013-2015 Teach to the Mission Syllabus Project, College of Arts & Sciences, Saint Louis University
- 2011-2014 Faculty Senate, Saint Louis University
- 2008-2012 Latino Studies Program Advisory Committee, Saint Louis University
- 2009-2017 Latin American Studies Advisory Committee, Saint Louis University
- 2009-2011 Women's Studies Advisory Committee, Saint Louis University
- 2006-present Faculty Council, College of Arts & Sciences, Saint Louis University

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT

- 2021-2022 Chair, Danforth Endowed Chair Search Committee
- 2021 Chair, Search Committee for Assistant Professor Position in Christian Theology
- 2019-present Executive Committee, Department of Theological Studies
- 2019-present Director, Masters Programs, Department of Theological Studies
- 2019 Chair, Third Year Review Committee, Department of Theological Studies
- 2017-2018 Annual Peer Review Committee, Department of Theological Studies
- 2012-2015 Director, MA in Theology, Department of Theological Studies
- 2009-present Director, Mev Puleo Scholarship in Latin American Theology and Culture, Department of Theological Studies
- 2014 Chair, Annual Peer Review Committee, Department of Theological Studies
- 2011-2014 Annual Peer Review Committee, Department of Theological Studies
- 2012-2015 Theological Foundations/1818 Teaching Workshops, Department of Theological Studies
- 2009-2014 Department representative on ATLAS Week planning committee
- 2006-2010 Department representative on College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Council

SERVICE TO THE CHURCH

- 2022-present Moderator, Commission for Preparation for Ministry, Presbytery of Giddings Lovejoy
- 2021-present Chair, Committee on Nominations, Presbytery of Giddings Lovejoy
- 2019-present Commission for Preparation for Ministry, Presbytery of Giddings Lovejoy
- 2018-present Committee on Representation/Nominating Committee, Presbytery of Giddings Lovejoy
- 2011-present Adult Christian Education (resource), Presbytery of Giddings-Lovejoy
- 2010-2013 Mound Ridge Camp and Conference Center Committee, Presbytery of Giddings-Lovejoy
- 2005-2007 Committee on Racial Reconciliation, Presbytery of Giddings-Lovejoy
- 2004-present Pulpit Supply, Presbytery of Giddings-Lovejoy
- 1999-2004 Pulpit Supply, Presbytery of New Brunswick
- 1998-1999 Chair, Geneva Hills Camp and Conference Center Committee, Presbytery of Scioto Valley

- 1996-1999 Geneva Hills Camp and Conference Center Committee, Presbytery of Scioto Valley
- 1995-1998 Peacemaking and Social Justice Committee, Presbytery of Scioto Valley
- 1992-1995 Board of Deacons, Broadway Presbyterian Church, New York City Presbytery

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

- “We Are the Church Despite Ourselves: The Role of Grace in Understanding Ecclesiology,” presented at the 2023 annual meeting of the European Academy of Religion, St. Andrew’s University, Scotland, UK.
- “Perspectives on Capitalism and Spirituality,” Saturday Socratic Seminar at Lindenwood University, St. Charles, Missouri, March 2023.
- “Evaluating the Churches’ Teaching on Migration Ethics,” a panel sponsored by the Migration Ethics unit at the annual meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, January 2023.
- “Ethnic Perspectives on Racial Capitalism and Christian Ethics,” part of a panel sponsored by the Latino/a Working Group at the annual meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, January 2023.
- “A Fragment of Theology for the New Millennium,” part of a panel presentation sponsored by the Christian Systematic Theology Unit, “A Theology for the 21st Century?” at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion, November 2022.
- “Re-Engaging the Powers: Reading Walter Wink’s Non-Violent Resistance During Ruskiy Mir,” a panel co-sponsored by the Political Theology Network and Auburn Theological Seminary at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion, November 2022.
- “Who is My Neighbor?” an invited lecture as part of a panel sponsored by the Fetzer Institute, “The Sacred Stories that Connect Us,” at the 2022 Festival of Faiths in Louisville, Kentucky.
- “Teología de la Liberación: Perspectivas para el Tercer Milenio, a 50 años de Teología de la Liberación,” an invited lecture as part of a virtual conference marking the 50th anniversary of the publication of Gustavo Gutiérrez’s *A Theology of Liberation* hosted by Pontificia Universidad Católica de Río de Janeiro, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, and Duke University, November 2021.
- “The Judgment of Solomon: Can the Mission Remain Divided Without Killing the University?” presented at the 2021 annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion, part of a panel sponsored by Fordham University Press on the theme, “Just Universities Means Just Economics,” November 2021.
- Book Panel on Michelle C. Sanchez’s *Calvin and the Resignification of the World* (Cambridge University Press, 2019), at the 2021 annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion, November 2021.
- Book Panel on Nichole Flores *The Aesthetics of Solidarity: Our Lady of Guadalupe and American Democracy* (Georgetown University Press, 2021) at the University of Virginia, October 13, 2021.
- “Rethinking Radical Nonviolence: Romero, Catholic Social Teaching, and Racism,” at the 2021 annual meeting of the Catholic Theological Society of America.
- “The Future of Political Theologies,” at the 2021 annual meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics/Society for the Study of Muslim Ethics/Society of Jewish Ethics.

- “The State of Reformed Theological Ethics: Looking Back, Looking Forward,” Reformed Theology & Ethics Interest Group at the 2021 annual meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics.
- Book Panel on Kyle B. T. Lambelet, *¡Presente! Nonviolent Politics and the Resurrection of the Dead*, at the 2020 annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion.
- “‘Liberalism is dead, and we have killed it’: On Secularized Theological Narratives,” Reformed Theology and History Unit at the 2020 annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion.
- Book Panel on Matthew V. Novenson, *The Grammar of Messianism: An Ancient Jewish Political Idiom and Its Users*, at the 2020 Christ Among the ^[T]_[SEP]Disciplines Online Interdisciplinary Conference on Christology.
- “Ethno-Nationalism, Globalized Religion, and the Tightening of Borders,” a Concurrent Session co-sponsored by the Latino/a Working Group and the Peace and War Interest Group at the Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting, January 2020.
- “Alternative Models of Political Engagement: Forging the Language of Social Conscience in a Secular Age,” Panel convened by the Latino/a Interest Group at the Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting, January 2020.
- Book Panel: *The Providence of God: A Polyphonic Approach* by David Fergusson, Reformed Theology and History Unit, panelist, American Academy of Religion annual meeting, November 23, 2019.
- Book Panel: *Discussing Dogmatics after Babel: Beyond Theologies of Word and Culture* by Rubén Rosario Rodríguez, Karl Barth Society of North America, featured author and respondent, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 24, 2019.
- Symposium on Political Theology, Democracy, and Virtue Ethics*, Duke University, featured participant, November 1-2, 2019.
- “Christianity and Violence,” invited lecture, *The Concept of Violence and The Concept of Just War in Judaism, Christianity and Islam Conference*, Friedrich-Alexander-University Erlangen-Nuremberg, September 18-20, 2019.
- “Scripture and Human Violence,” invited lecture, North Park Theological Seminary Symposium on the Theological Interpretation of Scripture, September 2018.
- “A Preferential Option for the Prophetic: Marc Ellis on Living with/in Dystopia,” invited paper at the Festschrift Conference in Honor of Marc H. Ellis, Southern Methodist University, April 2018.
- “Making Martyrs: The Crucified People, Black Lives Matter, and Romero’s Legacy in the United States,” invited lecture at the Kellogg Institute for International Studies, at the University of Notre Dame, March 2018.
- “Latino/a Christian Ethics: Retrospect & Prospect,” Plenary Session at the Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting, January 2018.
- “Retrospect & Prospect: New Voices in Latinx Ethics,” presiding over a panel sponsored by the Latino/a Interest and Working Groups at the Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting, January 2018.
- “The Book of Exodus: Emancipatory Potential and Moral Problematics,” respondent on panel of the Ethics and Biblical Interpretation Group at the American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 2017.
- “Encounters with the Liberative Christ,” presiding over a panel co-sponsored by the Latino/a Working Group and the African-American Working Group at the Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting, January 2017.

- “How Theological is Political Theology?” panel presentation at the 2016 Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, November 2016.
- “Martyrdom and Political Violence: An Interfaith Dialogue,” panel presentation at the 2016 Annual Meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, in conjunction with the Society of Jewish Ethics and the Society for the Study of Muslim Ethics, January 2016.
- “New Directions in Protestant Social Ethics,” panel presentation at the 2015 Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, November 2015.
- “Hiring for Diversity in Light of Recent Supreme Court Decisions,” moderator and participant in Special Topics Forum at the American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 2014.
- “Is Empathy Enough? Racial Justice and the Moral Imagination in the 21st Century,” invited lecture at Fordham University, Center on Religion and Culture, February 24, 2014.
- “*Idol and Grace: On Traditioning and Subversive Hope*—Latino/a Ethicists dialogue and respond to Orlando Espin,” panel presentation for the Latino/a Ethics Interest Group at the Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting in Seattle, WA, January 2014.
- “The Logic of Markets and the Logic of Gift,” panel presentation at the Greater St. Louis Humanities Festival, Saint Louis, MO, April 4, 2013.
- “Ada María Isasi-Díaz: Christian Ethics Practiced in the Struggles of Daily Life,” presented as part of the Latino/a Ethics Interest Group at the Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL, January 2013.
- “Liberation Hermeneutics in Jewish, Christian, and Muslim Exegesis,” presented as part of the Consultation on the Bible in Racial, Ethnic and Indigenous Communities, at the American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL, November, 2012.
- “The Color of Christ,” panel discussant for the College of Arts & Sciences Interdisciplinary Forum, November 13, 2012, Saint Louis University.
- “*De orilla a orilla: The Ecumenical Theology of Luis Rivera Pagán*,” presented in the Latino/a Religion, Culture, and Society Group at the American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting in San Francisco, CA, November 2011.
- “Faithful Witness: Christian Martyrdom as Radical Nonviolence,” presented at the Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C., January 2012.
- “The Belhar Confession in Theological Context,” invited lecture at the Pre-Presbytery forum of the May 2011 Presbytery meeting, Presbytery of Giddings-Lovejoy.
- “Preparing for Comprehensive Exams,” panel at the Hispanic Theological Initiative Summer Workshop, Princeton, NJ, July 2010.
- “Protestant Reflections on the Virgin of Guadalupe: Cultural Symbol or Theological Locus?” presented at the Perspectives on Cross-Cultural History Conference at Saint Louis University, March 2010.
- “Racial Reconciliation and the Church: Forgiveness *with* Justice,” invited lecture at Calvin College, *From Every Nation* Symposium on Race, Grand Rapids, MI, March 2010.
- “Trafficking of Women and Children in Latin America: The Role of the *imago Dei* in Transforming the Culture of *Machismo*,” presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, San Jose, CA, January 2010.
- “Evangelicalism and Empire: Reclaiming Martyrdom for a Christian Counterculture,” presented in the Evangelical Theology Group at the AAR Annual Meeting, Montréal, Québec, Canada, November 2009.

- “The Politics of Race in the Obama Era: The Implications for the Church” invited lecture at The Center for the Study of Latino/a Christianity and Religions, Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University, June 16, 2009.
- “Calvin as a Model for Political Engagement,” Presbytery of Giddings-Lovejoy Calvin Colloquia, St. Louis, MO, May 7, 2009.
- “Calvin’s Doctrine of the Church: An Ecumenical Conversation with Communion Ecclesiology,” presented at Princeton Theological Seminary, Calvin Colloquium, January 20-23, 2009.
- “Can Animals be ‘Liberated’? Liberation Theology Evaluates Peter Singer’s Utilitarian Ethics,” presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, Chicago, IL, January 2009.
- “Racism and God-Talk: Interjecting a Latino/a Perspective,” invited lecture at McKendree University, Lebanon, Illinois, September 17, 2008.
- “Immigration, Families, and the Social Order,” panel discussion at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, Atlanta, GA, January 4, 2008.
- “The Racialized Christ: Reconceptualizing Mestizaje as Transcultural Paradigm,” presented in the Religion in Latin America and the Caribbean Group at the AAR Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., 2006.
- “Pedagogía: Teaching Latinos and Latinas in Theology,” presented at the AETH conference workshop at the AAR Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., 2006.
- “Uncovering Calvin’s Influence in Latin America,” presented at the Ninth International Congress on Calvin Research 2006, at the Theological University Apeldoorn/Johannes a Lasco Bibliothek, Emden, Germany.
- “Pedagogía: Teaching Latinos and Latinas in Theology,” presented at the AETH pre-conference workshop at the AAR Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, 2005.
- “Navigating the Profession,” panel discussion at the FTE/HTI pre-conference workshop, “Strangers No More: Learning to Dialogue across Difference” at the AAR Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, 2005.
- “Response to Alberto Pulido,” presented at the Academy of Catholic Hispanic Theologians in the United States, Annual Colloquium at Saint Louis University, 2005.
- “Popular Religion or Academic Movement? Reconsidering *Teología en Conjunto*,” presented in the Joint Panel: Latina/o Religion, Culture, and Society & Evangelical Theology Groups at the AAR Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, 2004.
- “A Rarely Crossed Border: Latino/a Protestantism Engages Guadalupan Devotion,” presented in the Theology and Religious Reflection Section at the AAR Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, 2004.
- “Graduate Education and Preparation for Teaching” panel discussion at the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion, October 2004.
- “U.S. Latino/a Theology: A Model for Contextual, Confessional *and* Public Discourse,” presented at the C.S. Lewis Foundation National Faculty Forum, Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, October 2003.
- “A Voice for the Voiceless: Discussing Abortion from a Hispanic Perspective,” presented at Princeton Theological Seminary, Seminarians for Life lecture series, March 2002.
- “Barth and Jenson as Resources for Confessional Diversity in a Post-Denominational Age,” presented at the Mid-Atlantic AAR/SBL Regional Meeting, March 2002.
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