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EDUCATION

PhD	University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN Peace Studies and Theology Dissertation: "To Be More Fully Alive: John of the Cross and Judith Butler on Transformation of the Self" Advisor: J. Matthew Ashley; Committee: R. Scott Appleby, Atalia Omer, Mary Catherine Hilkert, Keith J. Egan	2018
MA	Fordham University, New York, NY Theology	2012
MA	University of Bradford, Bradford, UK Conflict Resolution, Distinction Thesis: "On Catholic Peacebuilding: Strengths and Challenges, Philosophy and Practice" - Advisor: Neil Cooper	2006
BA	Tulane University, New Orleans, LA Political Science and English <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> , Phi Beta Kappa, Charles E. Dunbar Fellowship Thesis: "Service versus Liberal Learning: The Case at Tulane" Advisor: Martyn Thompson	2002
JYA	St. Edmund Hall, Oxford University, UK Politics and English Literature	Fall 2000-Spring 2001

AWARDS AND HONORS

Founders' Circle Essay Prize	Awarded by past presidents of the Society for the Study of Christian Spirituality; essay presented in special session of the American Academy of Religion annual meeting; modest cash award	2019
Steven Pepe Fellow	Selected by Kroc Institute faculty in recognition of outstanding research, teaching, and service; stipend funding from named endowment	2017-2018

University of Notre Dame Presidential Fellow One of ~35 among class of ~450; enhanced stipend	2012-2017
Polonsky Foundation Scholar Unsolicited scholarship for university of my choice; full tuition	2010-2012
University of Bradford International Scholar Single award among class of ~100 from ~30 countries; full tuition	2005-2006
Tulane Legislative Scholar Nominated by my Louisiana legislator; full tuition	1998-2002

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

“The Spirituality of a Pluralist: A Theological Reading of Connolly's *Why I Am Not a Secularist*,” *Spiritus* (Forthcoming Spring 2020).

“There is still a lot of pollution in there’: Undoing Violent Ideologies, Undoing the Self” in *Suffering, Diminishment and the Christian Life*, ed. Karen Kilby and Rachel Davies (Bloomsbury Press, Forthcoming 2019).

“*Extra Mundum Nulla Salus*: Edward Schillebeeckx with Judith Butler on Damaged Creation and the Mediation of Salvation.” *Tijdschrift Voor Theologie* (Forthcoming 2019).

Review of *Frames of War: When is Life Grievable?* by Judith Butler, *Humanity and Society* Volume 43, Issue 2 (May 2019) <https://doi-org.proxy.library.nd.edu/10.1177/0160597619843038>

Review of *After Injury: A Historical Anatomy of Forgiveness, Resentment, and Apology* by Ashraf H. A. Rushdy, *Contemporary Political Theory* (2018) <https://doi.org/10.1057/s41296-018-0270-z>.

“An Ever-Stitched Wholeness: Multi-dimensional Relationality in Trauma Theory and Schillebeeckx’s Theology of Salvation” in *At the Crossroads: Edward Schillebeeckx and the Frontiers of Public Theology*, ed. Stephan van Erp, Christopher Cimorelli and Christiane Alpers (Bloomsbury Press, 2017).

“The Intersection of Christian Theology and Peacebuilding.” With Janna Hunter-Bowman in *The Oxford Handbook of Religion, Conflict, and Peacebuilding*, ed. Atalia Omer, R. Scott Appleby and David Little (Oxford University Press, 2015), 569-596.

“Religion and Peacebuilding.” *Journal of Religion, Conflict and Peace* Volume I, Issue 2 (Earlham and Goshen Colleges and Manchester University: Spring 2008), http://www.religionconflictpeace.org/vol_1_issue_2.

SELECT CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- “The Spirituality of a Pluralist: A Theological Reading of Connolly's
Why I Am Not a Secularist” 2019
American Academy of Religion, San Diego, CA
- “Lived Subjectivity in Strategic Peacebuilding” 2019
“Building Sustainable Peace: Ideas, Evidence, Strategies,”
Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, Notre Dame, IN
- “Correlating Spirituality and Psychotherapy for Trauma Healing” 2019
Catholic Theological Society of America, Pittsburgh, PA
- Panelist, “Living the Interdisciplinary Life” 2019
International Studies Association, Toronto, Canada
- Panel respondent, “Identity and Place: Three Contextual Studies of Religion,
Conflict, and Peacebuilding,” American Academy of Religion, Denver, CO 2018
- “Retrieving Purgation for Political Theology” 2018
“Suffering, Diminishment and the Christian Life,” Durham, UK
- “*Extra Mundum Nulla Salus*: Edward Schillebeeckx with Judith Butler
on Damaged Creation and the Mediation of Salvation” 2017
Catholic Theological Society of America, Albuquerque, NM
- “For Self and Others: Toward New Reflective Practice Training” 2016
Conflict Research Society, Dublin, Ireland
- “A Performative Just and Peaceable Self” 2015
Peace and Justice Studies Association, Harrisonburg, VA
- “Multi-dimensional Relationality in Trauma Healing, Peacebuilding and
Schillebeeckx’s Theology of Salvation” 2014
“Edward Schillebeeckx 100: Grace, Governance, and Globalization,”
Nijmegen, the Netherlands
- “What is Pain? An Interdisciplinary and Religious-Secular Response” 2014
“Undoing Health: States of Body and Mind,”
University of Indiana Graduate Conference, Bloomington, IN
- “An Introduction to Catholic Peacebuilding: Distinctive, Rooted, and Global” 2011
American Academy of Religion, San Francisco, CA

CLASSROOM TEACHING

Instructor of Record at Florida State University

“Religion and Peace Studies,” Spring 2020, graduate seminar, Religion

“Gender and Religion,” Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, undergraduate course, writing and cross-cultural requirements, Religion

“Spirituality and Critical Theory,” Spring 2019, graduate seminar, Religion

“Religion and Conflict,” Fall 2018, Spring 2020, undergraduate course, ethics requirement, Religion

Instructor of Record at University of Notre Dame

“Suffering and Evil,” Spring 2018, undergraduate course, multi-disciplinary, Peace Studies

“The Problem of Human Suffering,” Spring 2017, undergraduate course, core curriculum, Theology, cross-listed with Peace Studies

Guest Lecturer at University of Notre Dame

On Judith Butler in “Feminist Theologies,” 2017, doctoral seminar

On religious peacebuilding in “Religion in International and Global Relations,” 2014, undergraduate course

On Muslim peacemakers, “Religion and Culture,” 2008, masters course

On Women peacemakers, “Senior Peace Studies Seminar,” 2008, undergraduate course

Teaching Assistant at University of Notre Dame

“Global Issues,” 2015, 2016, pre-college leadership seminar

“Gender and Peacebuilding,” 2015, masters course

“Christian Anthropology,” 2014, undergraduate course

“Introduction to Peace Studies,” 2013, undergraduate course

SELECT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

“Peacebuilding and Liberation Theology,” ten days co-facilitation and translation 2014
Mesoamerica Peace Movement, La Libertad, El Salvador

Tanenbaum Center for Interreligious Understanding

Assistant Program Director, Religion & Conflict Resolution, New York, NY 2008-2010

Program Associate, Religion & Conflict Resolution, New York, NY 2007-2008

“Women and Religious Peacemaking,” full day co-facilitation Women and Interfaith Conference, Damascus, Syria	2009
“Techniques of Religious Peacemakers,” full day co-facilitation Peacebuilding & Development Institute, American University, Washington, DC	2008
“Religious Peacemaking: Elements and Dynamics of Identity,” two-hour solo facilitation Jewish Theological Seminary, New York, NY	2008
Catholic Relief Services’ Peace and Reconciliation Program Researcher and volunteer, Mindanao, Philippines	Jan-Feb 2007
Leon and Sylvia Panetta Institute for Public Policy Staff Assistant, Monterey, CA	2004-2005
Louisiana Violence Prevention Alliance Program Manager, Lafayette, LA	2002-2004

SELECT GRANTS

Postdoctoral Professional Development Travel Grant, Florida State	2019
Religion Department Conference Grant, Florida State	2018
Graduate Student Union Conference Presentation Grant, Notre Dame	2016, 2017, 2018
Notebaert Fund Conference Presentation Grant, Notre Dame	2016, 2018
Catholic Theological Society of America Conference Scholarship	2016
Summer Language Abroad Grant Program, Notre Dame	2014
Kroc Institute Research Grant, Notre Dame	2014
“Edward Schillebeeckx 100” Conference Grant	2014

SELECT TRAINING

“The Practice of Mediation,” one-credit course, Notre Dame	2017
Striving for Excellence in Teaching Certificate, Kaneb Center, Notre Dame	2016
Clinical Pastoral Education, one unit/level one, New York Presbyterian Hospital	2011
“Globalizing Religions: Conflict or Conflict Resolution?” two-week seminar, Institute on Culture, Religion, and World Affairs, Boston University	2010

“Teaching Religion, Conflict Transformation, and Peacebuilding,” three-day
invited working conference, Boston University School of Theology 2010

SELECT SERVICE

Catholic Theological Society of America: Administrative team, Anthropology Session

American Academy of Religion: Steering committee, Religion, Social Conflicts, and Peace Unit

Keynote for “The Matter of Religious Diversity: Materiality, Power, and Meaning,”
Florida State University Religion Department Undergraduate Symposium 2018