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EDUCATION

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| St. Mary's Seminary & University STL in Systematic Theology | Baltimore, MD 2021 |
| The Catholic University of America PhD in Moral Theology / Ethics Minor in Philosophy | Washington, DC 2019 |
| St. Joseph's Seminary Institute of Religious Studies MA in Religious Studies Concentration in Sacred Scripture | Yonkers, NY 2013 |
| Concordia University BSc in Biology Graduated with Distinction | Montréal, QC 2010 |

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: TEACHING

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| St. Mary's Seminary & University Academic Dean and Praeses Associate Professor of Moral Theology Assistant Professor of Moral Theology Courses: Foundations of Moral Theology; Catholic Social Ethics; Medical Ethics; Latin I; Latin II; Philosophical Ethics; Metaphysics for Theology; Theological Anthropology; Ethics of St. Thomas Aquinas | Baltimore, MD 8/22 – 7/22 – 7/19 – 6/22 |
| The Catholic University of America Lecturer Courses: Biomedical and Health Care Ethics; God's Word in Human Words | Washington, DC 9/18 – 5/19 |
| The Aquinas Institute of Theology Adjunct Instructor Courses: Foundations of Catholic Morality; Intro to Moral Theology for Permanent Deaconate Candidates | St. Louis, MO 1/18 – 5/18 |
| The Catholic University of America Teaching Fellow Courses: Biomedical and Health Care Ethics, Faith Seeking Understanding | Washington, DC 08/15 – 12/1 |

Online courses taught: Catholic Social Doctrine for Professionals, Introduction to Moral Theology

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: SERVICE

Sacra Doctrina Project

Chair of 2022 Conference, “Grace and Sanctification.” 06/22

Board Member 01/22 –

St. Mary’s Seminary & University

Chair, Department of Moral & Spiritual Theology Baltimore, MD

08/19 –

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

Dissertation

“A Thomistic Account of the Habituation of the Passions,” 2019. Director: John S. Grabowski, PhD.

Peer-Reviewed Articles

“Reason, Passion, and Metaphysics in Bonaventure: A Response to Hylomorphic Enthusiasm.” Forthcoming in *Nova et Vetera*.

“The *Passio Corporalis* and the *Passio Animalis* in Aquinas.” *European Journal for the Study of Thomas Aquinas* 38 (2020): 1-14.

“The First Movements of the Sensitive Appetite: Aquinas in Context.” *New Blackfriars* 99 (2018): 638-52.

Other Academic Publications

“Human Nature and the Therapy-Enhancement Distinction.” *National Catholic Bioethics Quarterly* 17.2 (2017): 193-4.

Book Chapter

“Continence, Character, and the Morality of Masturbation.” In *Venus and Virtue*. Edited by Jerry L. Walls, Jeremy S. Neill., and David Baggett. Eugene, OR: Cascade Books, 2018.

Book Translation

Christophe J. Kruijen. *Can We Hope for Universal Salvation?* Translated by Matthew Dugandzic. Steubenville, OH: Emmaus Academic. (Forthcoming.)

Book Reviews

Review of David Fagerberg’s *Liturgical Dogmatics: How Catholic Beliefs Flow from Liturgical Prayer* in *Antiphon* 26, no. 1 (2022): 90-92.

Review of Steven J. Jensen’s *Sin: A Thomistic Psychology*. *European Journal for the Study of Thomas Aquinas* 37 (2019).

Review of *Suffering and Bioethics*. Ed. Ronald M. Green and Nathan J. Palpant. *National Catholic Bioethics Quarterly* 16, no. 4 (2016).

Review of Michael S. Shermer’s *The Moral Arc: How Science and Reason Lead Humanity toward Truth, Justice, and Freedom*. *First Things* 249, (April 2015).

Review of Al Kresta's *Dangers to the Faith: Recognizing Catholicism's 21st-Century Opponents*. *First Things* 239, (January 2014).

Electronic Publications

Writing has appeared on:

www.focusquip.org

www.thomistica.net

www.firstthings.com/web-exclusives

www.farefwd.com

www.ethikapolitika.org

Conference Presentations

“Moral Conversion and the Passions in Aquinas.” Agents of Change: Moral Conversion and Social Transformation. International Virtual Conference in Utrecht, The Netherlands. July 1, 2022.

“Man as Knowing Animal” and “Man as Believing Animal.” Two talks given at an intellectual retreat at the Dominican House of Studies. Washington, DC. April 8-10, 2022.

“The Necessity of Love in Aquinas’s Understanding of the Passions.” American Catholic Philosophical Association. St. Louis, MO, 2021. November 14, 2021.

“The Thomistic Understanding of the Soul.” Lecture for the Thomistic Institute chapter at Rutgers University. New Brunswick, NJ. October 14, 2021.

“Aquinas on the Morality of the Passions.” Lecture series for the clergy of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings. Great Falls, MT. September 22-23, 2021.

“Usury and the Student Loan Crisis: Insights from Aquinas.” Catholic Theological Society of America. Virtual format, 2021.

“Aquinas and Bonaventure on Metaphysics and Passion: A Response to Marie-Dominique Chenu.” Pinckaers Symposium. University of Notre Dame, 2018.

“Revering Religious Objects: Aquinas and Neuroscience in Conversation.” Patristic, Medieval, and Renaissance Conference. Villanova University, 2016.

“Aquinas’ Account of Original Sin in Light of Modern Biology.” Patristic, Medieval, and Renaissance Conference. Villanova University, 2014.

Presentations for General Audiences

“Contra Contraception.” Presentation for FOCUS student campus leaders. Newry, ME. July 24, 2022.

“The Saints of Baltimore.” Lecture for Best Year’s Society at Sacred Heart Parish. Reisterstown, MD. March 2, 2022.

“Contra Contraception.” Presentation for FOCUS missionaries. Delivered via Zoom. June 9, 2021.

“Vatican II: Rupture or Continuity?” Lecture series for Mount Calvary Catholic Church. Baltimore, MD. January and February, 2021. Given with Audra Dugandzic.

“The Fullness of Life: Witnessing to the Sanctity of Human Life in the Modern Age.”

- Moderator of livestreamed panel discussion at St. Mary's Seminary and University. Baltimore, MD. January 29, 2021.
- "The Omnipresence of God." Mini Course for RCIA Instructors. St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church. December 2, 2017.
- "Who is Jesus? The Christological Councils: A Tale of Discovery." Mini Course for RCIA Instructors. St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church. December 2, 2017.
- "The Cardinal Virtues." Presentation for Students in RCIA at CUA. February 26, 2017.

AWARDS, HONORS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- Thomistic Institute and the Society of Catholic Scientists, scholarship for Thomistic Philosophy and Natural Science Symposium, 2018 (declined).
- Institute for Human Ecology and Thomistic Institute, scholarship for Civitas Dei Fellowship, 2018 (declined).
- The Catholic and Dominican Institute, scholarship for summer philosophy workshop, 2017.
- Virtue, Happiness, & the Meaning of Life, scholarship for summer seminar, 2016.
- Summer Institute of Catholic Thought, scholarship for summer seminar, 2016.
- The Catholic and Dominican Institute, scholarship for summer philosophy workshop, 2016.
- The Catholic and Dominican Institute, scholarship for summer philosophy workshop, 2015.
- Virgil Chrisafulli Memorial Scholarship, scholarship for intensive Latin course (\$4,600), 2014.
- The Catholic University of America, full tuition remission and \$18,000/yr scholarship, 2013.
- Concordia University, graduated with distinction, 2010.
- Concordia University, Dean's List, 2009 and 2010
- Member of Golden Key International Honour Society, 2009.

LANGUAGES

- English – Native
- French – Fluent
- Spanish – Reading/Conversational
- Latin – Reading
- German – Reading with dictionary