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Education & Qualifications

- University of Notre Dame** Notre Dame, IN
Doctor of Philosophy in Theology June 2022
Dissertation: *A Just Wage: Equality, Proportionality, and Solidarity in the American Economy*
Advisors: Jean Porter (theology) and Kirk Doran (economics)
Candidacy Examinations passed with high honors (March 2020)
Major Field: Moral Theology • Minor Field: Economics
- University of Notre Dame** Notre Dame, IN
Master of Theological Studies May 2017
- Georgetown University** Washington, D.C.
Post-Baccalaureate Pre-Medical Certificate August 2012
- University of Oxford** Oxford, England
Bachelor of Arts June 2010
Philosophy and Theology (Blackfriars Hall)
- University of Notre Dame** Notre Dame, IN
Bachelor of Arts May 2008
Philosophy: Magna Cum Laude Honors

Selected Academic Work

- Textbook** in preparation
Love & Accounting: A Christian Virtue Ethics Approach to Work and Social Justice at Home and in the Professions
(with David Clairmont, Ebenezer Akeseh, & Elisabeth Kincaid)
- Monograph** in preparation
Economy, Divine and Human: A Catholic Synthesis of First Principles
(with Kirk Doran & Margaret Blume Freddoso)
- Article • *Journal of Markets & Morality*** Fall 2022
"If a Corporation is Not a Nexus, Then What is a Just Wage?: A MacIntyrean Approach"
- Presentation • Intl. Society for MacIntyrean Inquiry, Annual Mtg.** • Zoom June 2022
On the Need for and Possibility of a Jubilee (Cryptocurrency): Building an Alternative Culture of Money
- Presentation • Econ. & Theo. Workshop (Convener & Organizer) • U. Of N.D., IN** July 2021
"Of Marx and Margins: A Just Wage Story"
- Presentation • Catholic Research Economists' Discussion Organization** • Zoom Dec. 2020
"Globalization and Good Jobs: Can Wages be both Competitive and Just?"

Response • Intl. Society for MacIntyrean Inquiry, Annual Mtg. • Zoom July 2020
Invited Response to Michael Lazarus, "Social Being and Flourishing"

Presentation • Society for Christian Ethics, Annual Meeting • Washington, D.C. Jan. 2020
"Property Rights and Racial Wrongs: Linking Thomas Jefferson's Heretical Christian Imagination with his Dispossession of Indigenous Peoples"

Presentation • New Wine, New Wineskins, 17th Annual Meeting • U. of N.D., IN July 2019
"The Making, and Forgiving, of a Moral Monster: Conceptual Analysis of and Liturgical Response to Mr. McCarrick"

Presentation • To What End?: Narratives, Institutions, and Practices • U. of N.D., IN July 2019
"Revolutionary Thomism: When Marxian Theology Meets Aquinas in the Marketplace"

Selected Public-Facing Work

Moderator • *CAPP-USA Virtual Event* Sept. 2022
"Renewing Digital Space: Addressing Pope Francis' Concerns and Warnings" (with Evelyn Aswad and Dorian Llywelyn, S.J.)

Podcast • *Bridge Builder Podcast* Nov. 2021
"Theology & Economics and the Need for Pro-Productivity Reforms" (with Kirk Doran)

Article • *American Affairs* Fall 2021
"Governance for Good Jobs: The Need for Pro-Productivity Reforms" (with Kirk Doran)

Article • *E-International Relations* June 2017
"Drone Technology and the Trump Doctrine" (with Mary Ellen O'Connell)

Article • *The New Atlantis* Fall 2006
"The Dotcomrade: The Many Faces of Online Friendship"

Selected Grants, Awards & Invitations

Distinguished Graduate Fellow 2021-2022
University of Notre Dame • Institute for Advanced Study & Technology Ethics Lab

Doctoral Student Affiliate 2020-2022
University of Notre Dame • Kellogg Institute for International Studies

Invitee • Lumen Christi Institute Economics & CST Seminar Summer 2018

Sorin Fellows Research Grant 2018, 2019
University of Notre Dame • Center for Ethics and Culture
• The Ignatian *Examen* and the Well-Lived Life • Fall 2019 • \$750
• Contemplation and Action in the Pacific Northwest • Summer 2018 • \$2000

Calihan Academic Grant Fall 2017
The Acton Institute \$1000

Weaver Fellow • Intercollegiate Studies Institute 2008-2009
• Full tuition for one year of studies at the University of Oxford

Professional History

Academic Consulting

Inquiry for a Human Future • San Francisco, CA 2019, 2022
• Developed White Paper notes on “the Enlightenment Project,” “Human Nature,” etc. • \$4500

The New Atlantis • Washington, D.C. Fall 2020
• Drafted “The Modern Project,” edited other sections in the journal’s web relaunch • *pro bono*

Teaching Assistant

Fall 2018—Fall 2019

Notre Dame Theology Department • Notre Dame, IN

- Served under Jean Porter for “Honors Foundations of Theology,” leading select lectures
- Served under David Clairmont for “Theology, Ethics, and Business” & “Holy Cross Spirituality and the Life of Virtue,” leading select lectures and grading

Publication Assistant

Spring 2017

Notre Dame Law School • Notre Dame, IN

- Assisted Prof. Mary Ellen O’Connell with research and publications; co-authored one article

Master Catechist

Fall 2015—Spring 2016

Institute for Church Life • Notre Dame, IN

- Supervised undergraduate catechists in local parishes, evaluating and assisting their lessons
- Collaborated with the Catechist Academy to define and implement best catechetical practices

Dean of Student Life & Middle School Language Arts Teacher

Fall 2013—Spring 2015

Saint Peter School • Washington, D.C.

- Taught literature, poetry, drama, grammar, and composition to sixth through eighth grades
- Instituted “Gospel as Literature” program, teaching Scripture in an interdisciplinary manner
- As Dean, took lead responsibility for community and student life, including Student Council, Student Families school-wide service projects, and newspaper, ski, and running clubs
- Built a twinning program with Notre Dame d’Altagrace school in Cap-Haïtien, Haiti; raised \$5,000 in cash and goods annually, supporting nutrition and healthcare

Middle School Mathematics Teacher

Spring 2013

Saint Peter School • Washington, D.C.

- Taught mathematics to sixth through eighth grades; advised MathCounts team, running club

Research Assistant • *The New Atlantis* • Washington, D.C.

Fall 2012

- Edited and fact-checked articles for the journal on subjects within science and technology

Preceptor • Georgetown University School of Medicine • Washington, D.C.

2011–2012

- Assisted in seminars in medical ethics: M1 professionalism (fall), M2 ethics (spring)

Personal

Interests: Quality time with wife and four children; trail running and weightlifting; volunteering with the St. Joseph Homeschooling Cooperative in South Bend, IN.