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### EDUCATION

2023  
(Anticipated) University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN  
Doctor of Philosophy: Theology  
Area of Concentration: History of Christianity

Dissertation: "Myths and Endless Genealogies: Irenaeus of Lyons and the Theology of Speech."

Advisor: John C. Cavadini, Ph.D.

Proposal Accepted: October 2021

Candidacy Examinations: Passed with Honors, March 2021

Fields: History of Christianity (Major); Philosophy and  
Historiography of Religion (Minor)

2018 University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN  
Master of Theological Studies  
Area of Concentration: History of Christianity

2016 Thomas Aquinas College, Santa Paula, CA  
Bachelor of Arts: Liberal Arts

### ACADEMIC HONORS AND FELLOWSHIPS

2020-23 Dolores Zohrab Liebmann Fellowship  
2022 Graduate Fellow, Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts  
2021 Lumen Christi Summer Seminar: Irenaeus of Lyons' Adversus Haereses  
2020-22 Medieval Institute Working Group Grant  
2019 Kunkel Fellowship, McGrath Institute for Church Life  
2018-23 Notre Dame Theology Department PhD Tuition Scholarship  
2016-18 Notre Dame Theology Department Master's Tuition Scholarship

## PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming “Select Letters from John VI Kantakouzenos’ *Disputatio Cum Paulo*”  
Translation and Introduction, in Tikhon Pino (ed.), *Palamism Before, During, and After: Studies in Late Byzantine Theology and its Reception*.  
Edited volume with Brepols Publishers.

### Manuscripts in Preparation

“Plato’s *Gorgias* in Origen’s *On First Principles*”

“Assessing the Latin Polycarp”

“Irenaeus’ Ecclesial Body of Truth”

*Origen of Alexandria: Commentary on the Book of Genesis*. Translated  
with Alexander H. Pierce.

*Alain de Lille: Sermons on Song of Songs*. Translated as a member of the  
Catena Scholarium, edited by Ann Astell and Joseph Wawrykow.

*Honorius Augustodunensis: Exposition of Selected Psalms*. Translated as a  
member of the Catena Scholarium, edited by Ann Astell and Joseph  
Wawrykow.

## GRANTS AND OTHER AWARDS

2021	Graduate School Professional Development Award
2021	Theology Department Travel Award
2020	Theology Department Travel Award
2019	Graduate School Professional Development Award Travel Grant
2019	Graduate Student Union Conference Presentation Grant
2019	North American Patristics Society Student Travel Scholarship
2019	Theology Department Travel Award
2019	Graduate School Professional Development Award Travel Grant

## CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

2022	Plato’s <i>Gorgias</i> in Origen’s <i>On First Principles</i> <i>Colloquium Origenianum Tertium Decimum</i> Münster, Germany
2022	Irenaeus and the Other Ptolemy North American Patristics Society Chicago, IL
2021	North African New Prophecy and Charismatic Exegesis: Considering the Evidence of Tyconius and Augustine Society of Biblical Literature

- 2021 San Antonio, TX  
Rethinking Gnostic Myth: An Argument for the Recognition of a  
Heresiological Category  
Society of Biblical Literature  
San Antonio, TX
- 2021 The Ecclesial Body of Truth: Irenaeus' Use of 1 Corinthians 12  
in *Adversus Haereses*  
North America Patristics Society Annual Meeting  
(via Zoom)
- 2021 Irenaeus, Pauline Mysterion, and the Philosophers in *AH* 2.14  
Christianity and Philosophy in Late Antiquity Working Group  
Medieval Institute at University of Notre Dame
- 2020 Reassessing the Latin Polycarp  
Society of Biblical Literature  
(via Zoom)
- 2019 Origen and Myth: The Development of an Unbiblical Category  
American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting  
San Diego, CA
- 2019 Literary Obscurity and Divine Eloquence in Tyconius and Augustine  
Graduate Student Conference, University of St. Mary of the Lake  
Mundelein, IL
- 2019 Making Manifest: Irenaeus and the Plain Gospel  
XVIII International Conference on Patristics Studies at Oxford  
University of Oxford

## **LEADERSHIP AND OTHER ACADEMIC SERVICE**

- 2020-22 **Senior Graduate Consultant**  
Office of Grants & Fellowships, University of Notre Dame
- 2020-22 **University Selection Committee Member**  
The Graduate School, University of Notre Dame
- 2020-22 **Student Administrator**  
Christianity and Philosophy in Late Antiquity Working Group  
Medieval Institute at University of Notre Dame
- 2020-21 **GWIS Notre Dame Consultant**  
Diversity and Inclusivity/Promotion, Graduate Women in Science
- 2020-21 **Fellowship Committee Member**  
Graduate Women in Science National Fellowship Committee
- 2020 **Housing Tour Coordinator**, University of Notre Dame  
Theology Department Prospective PhD Students' Weekend
- Fall 2019 **Invited Speaker**  
"On the History of Nicene Christology"  
Episcopal Cathedral of Saint James, South Bend, IN
- Spring 2019 **Session Chair**  
Student Religious Studies Conference

2018-19 Sponsored by Midwest Region SBL, St. Mary's College  
**GSN Executive Board Member**  
Graduate Student Spouse and Significant Other Network  
University of Notre Dame

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Spring 2023 **Instructor of Record:** Foundations of Theology  
University of Notre Dame

Fall 2020 **Graduate Assistant:** University Seminar  
Neil Arner, Ph.D., University of Notre Dame

Spring 2020 **Graduate Assistant:** Aquinas and Augustine  
Brian E. Daley, SJ, Ph.D., University of Notre Dame

Fall 2019 **Teaching Assistant:** Paradisus Dei, STEP online courses  
John C. Cavadini, Ph.D., McGrath Institute for Church Life

Fall 2019 **Graduate Assistant:** Christian Hope  
Brian E. Daley, SJ, Ph.D., University of Notre Dame

Spring 2018 **Teaching Assistant:** Foundations of Theology  
Instructor: Ian Gerdon, Ph.D., University of Notre Dame

Fall 2017 **Teaching Assistant, Listed Instructor:** Islam and Christian Theology  
Gabriel Said Reynolds, Ph.D., University of Notre Dame

Spring 2017 **Teaching Assistant:** Foundations of Theology  
Anthony Pagliarini, Ph.D., University of Notre Dame

Fall 2016 **Graduate Assistant:** M.A. Program, Theology  
Catherine Cavadini, Ph.D., University of Notre Dame

## LANGUAGES

**Ancient** Greek (Advanced)  
Latin (Intermediate)  
Classical Armenian (Beginner)

**Modern** French (Reading)  
German (Reading)

## MEMBERSHIPS

2017- The North American Patristics Society  
2017- Society of Biblical Literature  
2019- American Academy of Religion