

# **CURRICULUM VITAE: KIRK A. BINGAMAN, PHD**

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## **EDUCATION**

- 2000      PhD, Psychology and Religion, Graduate Theological Union (GTU), Berkeley, CA.
- 1990      MDiv, Historical Theology, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ.
- 1987      BA, Religious Education, Messiah College, Grantham, PA.

## **CURRENT EMPLOYMENT**

- 2020-      Professor of Mental Health Counseling & Spiritual Integration, Graduate School of Religion and Religious Education (GRE), Fordham University, Bronx, NY.
- 2005-2020   Assistant/Associate Professor of Pastoral Care & Counseling, Graduate School of Religion and Religious Education (GRE), Fordham University, Bronx, NY.

## **PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT**

- 2001-2005   Director, Satellite Offices, Lloyd Center Pastoral Counseling Center, San Anselmo, CA.
- Adjunct Professor of Pastoral Care & Counseling, San Francisco Theological Seminary (SFTS)/Graduate Theological Union (GTU), Berkeley, CA.

Supervisor, Doctor of Ministry (DMin) Program in Pastoral Care and Counseling, San Francisco Theological Seminary, San Anselmo, CA.

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- GRE Courses:      Theology of Pastoral Counseling and Spiritual Care (2005-Present)
- Theories of Pastoral Counseling (2005-Present)
- Human Growth and Development (2005-Present)
- Social and Cultural Foundations of Pastoral Counseling (2005-Present)
- Advanced Life Span Issues and Career Counseling (2005-Present)
- Basic Skills of Pastoral Care & Counseling (2005-Present)
- Ethics in Pastoral Ministry (2019-Present)
- Clinical Instruction & Integration I (2019-Present)
- M.Div. Courses:    Early Relationships and Our Capacity to Love (SFTS, Spring 2004)
- Grace, Will, and Spirit (GTU, Spring 2003)
- Marriage and Family (SFTS, Fall 2001-2003)
- Introduction to Pastoral Care and Counseling (SFTS, Spring 1998-2004)

Advanced Pastoral Counseling (SFTS, Fall 2002-2003)

Freud and Theology (GTU, Fall 1999)

Religious Conversion (GTU, Fall 1998)

DMin Seminars: Postmodern Life Cycle & Pastoral Counseling (SFTS, Summer 2004)

Theology of Ministry (SFTS, Spring 2002)

The Life Cycle & Pastoral Counseling (SFTS, Summer 2001)

DMin Seminars

(P. Counseling): Leadership in Congregational Settings (SFTS, Spring 2005)

Faith Development (SFTS, Spring 2004 & 2005)

Theories of Human Behavior and Learning (SFTS, Fall 2004)

The Postmodern Life Cycle (SFTS, Fall 2004)

Pastoral Diagnosis & Assessment (SFTS, Spring 2004)

Theories of Personality Development (SFTS, Spring 2000 & Fall 2003)

Addiction and Grace (SFTS, Spring 2003)

Theological and Psychological Perspectives on Marriage and Divorce (SFTS, Fall 2002)

Attachment Theory (SFTS, Fall 2002)

Developmental/Spiritual Tasks of the Life Cycle (SFTS, Spring 2001)

Anger, Aggression, and Violence (SFTS, Fall 2001)

Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Pastoral Care (SFTS, Spring 2000)

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Article: “Religion in the Digital Age: An Irreversible Process,” in *Religions*, 14(1), Digital and Spatial Studies of Religions (Special Issue, Z. George Hong, Ed.), 2023.

Article: “The End of the World as We Have Known It? An Introduction to Collapsology,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 71, No. 6, 2022.

Endorsement: *Pastoral Care in the Anthropocene Age: Facing a Dire Future Now*, by Ryan LaMothe, Lexington Books, 2022 (Back Cover).

Article: Testoni, I., Bingaman, K.A., Zanellato, S., Iacona, E., Marogna, C., Cottone, P. “Mourning and Management of the COVID-19 Health Emergency in the Priestly Community: Qualitative Research in a Region of Northern Italy Severely Impacted by the Pandemic,” *Frontiers in Public Health*, 2021.

Article: “Religious and Spiritual Experience in the Digital Age: Unprecedented Evolutionary Forces,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 69, No. 4, 2020.

Article: Testoni, I., Bingaman, K.A., Gengarelli, G., Capriati, M., De Vincenzo, C., Toniolo, A., Marchica, B., & Zamperini, A. “Self-Appropriation Between Social

Mourning and Individuation: A Qualitative Study on Psychosocial Transition among Jehovah’s Witnesses,” *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 68, No. 6, 2019.

- Article: Testoni, I., Bingaman, K.A., D’Iapico, G., Marinoni, G.L., Zamperini, A., Grassi, L., Nanni, M.G., & Vacondio, P. “Dignity as Wisdom at the End of Life: Sacrifice as Value from a Qualitative Analysis of Generativity Documents,” *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 68, No. 4, 2019.
- Article: “Il Potere della Neuroplasticà per la Cura Pastorale e Spirituale,” in *Conoscere Se Stessi Identità E Finalità Del Pastoral Counseling: Esperienze, Approfondimenti, Processi Aperti nel Contesto Italiano* (edited Roberto Tommasi), Messaggero Di Sant’Antonio – Editrice, 2019.
- Book: *Pastoral and Spiritual Care in a Digital Age: The Future Is Now*, Lexington Books (Rowman & Littlefield), 2018.
- Article: “Incorporating Contemplative Neuroscience and Mindfulness-Based Therapies into Pastoral Care and Counseling: A Critical Correlational Method,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 65, No. 6, 2016.
- Article: “When Acceptance is the Road to Growth and Healing: Incorporating the Third Wave of Cognitive Therapies into Pastoral Care and Counseling,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 64, No. 5, 2015.
- Article: “Mindfulness and Contemplative Practice: Insights on Neuroplasticity for Pastoral Care and Counseling,” in *Sacred Spaces* (Journal of the American Association of Pastoral Counselors), Vol. 7, 2015.

- Book: *The Power of Neuroplasticity for Pastoral and Spiritual Care*, Lexington Books (Rowman & Littlefield), 2014.
- Article: “The Promise of Neuroplasticity for Pastoral Care & Counseling,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol.62, No. 5, 2013.
- Article: “Beyond Original Sin: A Paradigm Shift for the Age of Neuroscience,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 61, No. 4, 2012.
- Article: “The Art of Contemplative & Mindfulness Practice: Incorporating the Findings of Neuroscience into Pastoral Care & Counseling,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 60 No. 3, 2011.
- Endorsement: *Living in Limbo: Life in the Midst of Uncertainty*, by Donald Capps & Nathan Carlin, Cascade Books, 2010.
- Article: “A Pastoral Theological Approach to the New Anxiety,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 59, No. 4, 2010.
- Endorsement: *Disciplining Freud on Religion: Perspectives from the Humanities and Sciences*, Greg Kaplan & William Parsons, Eds., Lexington Books, 2010.
- Article: “Transforming Our Understanding of Theories, Paradigms, & Mental Disorders: The Legacy of Donald Capps in the Field of Pastoral Care & Counseling,” in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 58, No. 5/6, December 2009.
- Book Chapter: “The Paradoxical Freud,” in *The Unbelievers* (edited S.T. Joshi), Greenwood Press, 2008.
- Endorsement: *The Decades of Life: A Guide to Human Development*, by Donald Capps, Westminster John Knox Press, 2008.

- Article: "Caring for the Anxious: A Postmodern Approach", in *Journal of Spirituality in Mental Health*, Vol. 10, No. 1, 2007.
- Book: *Treating the New Anxiety: A Cognitive-Theological Approach*, Jason Aronson, 2007.
- Article: "The Postmodern Life Cycle and Pastoral Care and Counseling", in *Journal of Spirituality in Mental Health*, Vol. 9, No. 1, 2006.
- Book Review: *What Your Doctor and Your Pastor Want You to Know About Depression*, by Lanny R. Hunter and Victor L. Hunter, in *Journal of Spirituality in Mental Health*, Vol. 9, No. 2, 2006.
- Book Review: *The Mirror of God: Christian Faith as Spiritual Practice – Lessons from Buddhism and Psychotherapy*, by James W. Jones, in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 55, No. 5, 2007.
- Book: *Freud and Faith: Living in the Tension*, State University of New York (SUNY) Press, 2003.
- Book Chapter: "Teaching Freud in the Seminary," in *Teaching Freud* (edited Diane Jonte-Pace), Oxford University Press, 2003.
- Article: "Pastoral Counseling in an Age of Narcissism," in *American Journal of Pastoral Counseling*, Vol. 4, No. 3, 2001.
- Article: "Christianity and the Shadow Side of Human Experience," in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 49, No. 3, 2001.
- Article: "Final Perfection or Approximate Wholeness?", in

*American Association of Pastoral Counselors (AAPC)*  
*Pacific Region Newsletter*, Winter 2001.

Article: "Part II: Teaching Freud in the Seminary," in *Person, Culture & Religion Newsletter: A Group of American Academy of Religion*, Fall 2000.

Article: "Part I: Teaching Freud in the Seminary," in *Person, Culture & Religion Newsletter: A Group of American Academy of Religion*, Summer 2000.

Article: "The New Narcissist and Pastoral Counseling," in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 48, No. 5, 1999.

Article: "Teach Your Students Well: The Seminary and a Hermeneutics of Suspicion," in *Pastoral Psychology*, Vol. 48, No. 2, 1999.

Article: "Can Seminary Education Be Authentically Educational?", in *Dialog: A Journal of Theology*, Vol. 38, No. 3, 1999.

Book Review: *The Promise of Nature*, by John F. Haught, in *Center for Theology & the Natural Sciences Bulletin*, Vol. 18, No. 2, 1999.

### **EDITORIAL APPOINTMENTS**

2021- Editor-in-Chief (Academic Journal), *Pastoral Psychology*, Springer Publishing.

2016-2021 Editor (Book Series), *Emerging Perspectives in Pastoral Theology and Care*, Lexington Books.



**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Pastoral Psychology*.

Member, *American Academy of Religion* (AAR).

Member, *Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group (PCR)*, AAR.

Member, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Group, Princeton Theological Seminary.

Licensed Mental Health Counselor (LMHC), State of New York.

Psychotherapy Member, *Association of Clinical Pastoral Education* (ACPE).

Member, *Hudson River Presbytery*, Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

Founding Board Member, *Violence Prevention Forum*, Marin Co., CA.

**CLINICAL PRACTICE & TRAINING**

2007- Pastoral Psychotherapist, Lutheran Counseling Center of New York, Mineola, NY.

1998-2005 Pastoral Counselor, Lloyd Center Pastoral Counseling Center, San Anselmo, CA.

**PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS**

Fall 2022 Presenter, *Spirituality & Psychology: The Mission of "Pastoral Psychology,"* Department of Philosophy, Sociology, Education, & Applied Psychology, University of Padua, Padua, Italy.

- Fall 2022      Presenter, *Eastern Spirituality & Death*, Department of Philosophy, Sociology, Education, & Applied Psychology, University of Padua, Padua, Italy.
- Fall 2022      Presenter, *Spiritual Counseling & Neuroscience: The Dynamics of Compassion*, Second Conference of Spiritual Counseling in Italy, Milan Higher Institute of Religious Sciences, Milan, Italy.
- Fall 2022      Presenter, *Our Common Home & Eco-Anxiety*, Ignatian Conversation Starters (Sponsored by Office on Mission Integration & Ministry), Fordham University, Bronx, NY.
- Fall 2021      Presenter, *The Practical Neuroscience of Compassion*, Milan Higher Institute of Religious Sciences (School of Spiritual Counseling), Milan, Italy.
- Spring 2021    Presenter, New Book Author's Session: *Pastoral & Spiritual Care in a Digital Age: The Future Is Now*, Fordham University's Research Day, Fordham University, Bronx, NY.
- Spring 2021    Panelist, *Fordham at the Forefront of AI: The Future of Neuroscience*, Sponsored by Alumni Forever Fordham, Fordham University, Bronx, NY.
- Spring 2021    Presenter, *Ministry in a Time of Pandemic*, Zion Episcopal Church Retreat, Wappingers Falls, NY.
- Spring 2020    Panelist, *Between Hope and Despair: Caring in the Age of Climate Crisis*, Pastoral Mental Health Counseling Conference, Fordham University, Bronx, NY.
- Spring 2020    Presenter, *Spiritual Care in a Digital Age for Post-Millennials II*, Fordham Manresa Symposium:

Community Engaged Learning in the Ignatian Spirit,  
Fordham University, Bronx, NY

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- Fall 2019            Presenter, *Religious and Spiritual Experience in a Digital Age*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference: Honoring the Retirement of Dr. Lewis Rambo, Lake Tahoe Conference Center, Lake Tahoe, NV.
- Fall 2019            Presenter, *Boundary & Harassment Training for Pastors, Lay Leaders, Directors of Schools*, Lutheran NJ District Conference, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Ridgewood, NJ.
- Spring 2019        Presenter, *Pastoral and Spiritual Care in a Digital Age*, Pastoral Mental Health Counseling Conference, Fordham University Lincoln Center, New York, NY.
- Spring 2019        Presenter, *Spiritual Care in a Digital Age for Post-Millennials I*, Fordham Manresa Symposium: Community Engaged Learning in the Ignatian Spirit, Fordham University, Bronx, NY.
- Spring 2019        Presenter, *Spiritual Care in a Techno-Driven World*, Annual Conference for Lutheran NY Synod Clergy, Lutheran Counseling Center of NY, Mineola, NY.
- Fall 2018            Presenter, *Technological Enhancement & Human Nature*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ.
- Spring 2018        Presenter, *Contemplative Neuroscience & Pastoral Counseling*, Identity & Purpose of Pastoral Counseling: Convention & Workshop, Facoltà Teologica Del Trivento, Padua, Italy.
- Spring 2018        Panelist, *Pastoral Counseling: Between Interiority and Self-knowledge*, Identity & Purpose of Pastoral

Counseling: Convention & Workshop, Facoltà Teologica  
Del Trivento, Padua, Italy.

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- Spring 2018      Presenter, *Contemplative Prayer & Stress*, Annual Conference of Lutheran NY Synod Clergy, Lutheran Counseling Center of NY, Mineola, NY.
- Fall 2017        Presenter, *The Rapid Advance and Proliferation of Digital Technologies*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ.
- Spring 2017     Presenter, *Cultivating Peace of Mind in a Digital World*, Scarborough Presbyterian Church, Scarborough, NY.
- Winter 2017     Presenter, *Neuroscience in Spiritual Care and Supervisory Education*, Association of Clinical Pastoral Education (ACPE) Eastern Region, Stony Point, NY.
- Fall 2016        Presenter, *Speak What We Feel*, Alumni Memorial Mass Luncheon, Fordham University Lincoln Center, New York, NY.
- Fall 2016        Presenter, *The Future Is Now: Pastoral and Spiritual Care in a Digital Age*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ.
- Summer 2016    Presenter, *The Power of Neuroplasticity for Pastoral and Spiritual Care*, Annual Chaplains' Day, Catholic Health Services of Long Island & the Diocese of Rockville Centre, Rockville Centre, NY.
- Spring 2016     Presenter, *The Growing Health Crisis Among Faith Leaders: Body, Mind, and Spirit*, Faith Leadership Health and Wellness Conference, NYU Lutheran Hospital, Brooklyn, NY.

- Spring 2016      Panelist, *Spiritual Geographies of Domestic Violence*, National Association of Catholic Chaplains (NACC), Fordham University, Bronx, NY.
- Fall 2015      Presenter, *Incorporating Contemplative Neuroscience and Mindfulness-Based Therapies into Pastoral Care and Counseling: A Critical Correlational Method*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ.
- Fall 2015      Presenter, *Contemplative Practice and Healing: Insights on Neuroplasticity for Clinicians and Caregivers*, Medical Grand Rounds, Norwalk Hospital, Norwalk, CT.
- Spring 2015      Presenter, *Caring for the Anxious in a Supermodern World: Insights on Neuroplasticity for Pastoral and Spiritual Care*, Spring Clergy Day, Christian Health Care Hospital, Wyckoff, NJ.
- Spring 2015      Presenter, *The Role of Contemplative Prayer and Meditation in Pastoral Care and Counseling*, Annual Conference for Lutheran NY Synod Clergy, Lutheran Counseling Center of New York, Mineola, NY.
- Spring 2015      Panelist, Robert J. Wicks' *Strengthening Your Inner Life in Challenging Times*, National Association of Catholic Chaplains (NACC), Fordham University, Bronx, NY.
- Fall 2014      Presenter, *Mindfulness, Contemplation, and the Clinic: Interdisciplinary Perspectives*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.
- Fall 2014      Presenter, *When Acceptance is the Road to Growth and Healing: Incorporating the Third Wave of Cognitive*

*Therapies into Pastoral Care and Counseling*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ.

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Spring 2014      Presenter, *Contemplative Practice and Healing: Insights on Neuroplasticity for Spiritual Care*, National Association of Catholic Chaplains (NACC), Fordham University, Bronx, NY.

Fall 2013      Moderator, *Healing and Therapeutic Practices Unmoored from Religious Origins*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.

Fall 2012      Moderator, *Spirituality in a (Post) Secular Age: European and North-American Perspectives*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.

Fall 2012      Presenter, *The Promise of Neuroplasticity for Pastoral Care & Counseling*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ.

Spring 2012      GRE Representative, AJCU Conference: *Building Bridges Within the Jesuit University and Beyond: Theology, Pastoral Studies, and Spirituality in Service to Church and World*, Loyola University, Baltimore, MD.

Spring 2012      Presenter, *Neuroscience & Pastoral Care*, Annual Conference for Lutheran NY Synod Clergy, Lutheran Counseling Center of New York, Mineola, NY.

Spring 2012      Panelist, *Aging with Purpose and Passion*, Sponsored by Lutheran Social Services of New York & New York Synod Assembly, Tarrytown, NY.

Fall 2011      Moderator, *Evolutionary Psychology and Primate*

*Studies: What Has Religion Got to Do with It?*  
Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.

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- Fall 2011            Presenter, *Beyond Original Sin: A Paradigm Shift for the Age of Neuroscience*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference, Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, VA.
- Fall 2011            Presenter, *The Practical Neuroscience of Forgiveness*, Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Veterans Affairs Catholic Chaplains, Malvern, PA.
- Spring 2011        Presenter, *Contemplative/Mindfulness Practice and Spiritual Care*, Conference of Episcopal Health Services, Episcopal Diocese of Long Island, Garden City, NY.
- Fall 2010            Respondent, James W. Jones' *Blood that Cries Out from the Earth: The Psychology of Religious Violence*, Colloquium on Violence & Religion, AAR Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- Fall 2010            Moderator, *Who am I Anyway?: Religious & Psychological Perspectives on Identity*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- Fall 2010            Presenter, *The Art of Contemplative & Mindfulness Practice: Incorporating the Findings of Neuroscience into Pastoral Theology*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Group, Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, VA.
- Spring 2010        Panelist, *Clergy & Self-Care*, Annual Conference of Lutheran NY Synod Clergy, Lutheran Counseling Center of New York, Mineola, NY.
- Spring 2010        Presenter, *Youth and God in the Era of Technology*, GRE

& Graduate School of Social Service (GSSS)  
Symposium, Fordham University (Westchester Campus),  
West Harrison, NY.

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- Fall 2009 Moderator, *French Psychoanalytic Reflections on Religion & Culture*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, Montreal, Quebec.
- Fall 2009 Presenter, *A Pastoral Theological Approach to the New Anxiety*, New Directions in Pastoral Theology Conference, Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, VA.
- Spring 2009 External Evaluator, *MA in Counseling Psychology*, Psychology Department, Felician College, Lodi, NJ.
- Spring 2009 Panelist, *Therapeutic Approaches to the Treatment of Anxiety*, Annual Conference for Lutheran NY Synod Clergy, Lutheran Counseling Center of New York, Mineola, NY.
- Fall 2008 Presenter, *The Convergence of Post-9/11 Anxiety with Supermodernity*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- Fall 2008 Presenter, *Transforming Our Understanding of Theories, Paradigms, & Mental Disorders: The Legacy of Donald Capps in the Field of Pastoral Care & Counseling*, Conference Honoring the Retirement of Pastoral Theologian Donald Capps, Austin Theological Seminary/University of Texas, Austin, TX.
- Spring 2008 Presenter, *Anxiety & Pastoral Care*, Annual Conference for Lutheran NY Synod Clergy, Lutheran Counseling Center of New York, Mineola, NY.



Winter 2008 External Evaluator, *MA in Pastoral & Spiritual Care*,  
Loyola University, MD.

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Winter 2008 Presenter, *Caring for the Anxious: Conference for Church Leaders, Medical Professionals, and Mental Health Practitioners of Marin County, CA*, San Francisco Theological Seminary/Westminster Presbyterian Church, Tiburon, CA.

Fall 2007 Moderator, *Pluralism, Hybridity, & Multiple Subjectivities in Context*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.

Spring 2007 Faculty Panelist, *Dialogue Around the Table*, GRE Doctoral Colloquium, Fordham University, Bronx, NY.

Winter 2007 Faculty Presenter, *Boundaries in Ministry*, GRE Winter Institute (*Ministry with Adults*), Fordham University, Bronx, NY.

Fall 2006 Faculty Presenter, *Adolescent Development*, GRE Fall Institute (*Ministry with Youth*), Fordham University, Bronx, NY.

Summer 2006 Presenter, *Online Learning and the Development of Core Competencies*, NY/NJ Association Supporting Teaching & Research, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ.

Spring 2006 Faculty Panelist, *Dialogue Around the Table*, GRE Doctoral Colloquium, Fordham University, Bronx, NY.

Fall 2005 Faculty Presenter, *Caring for the Anxious: A Postmodern Approach*, GRE Doctoral Colloquium Fordham University, Bronx, NY.

Spring 2004 Case Presenter, *Theological Reflection: A Call to Who, What and How We Are*, American Association of

Pastoral Counselors (AAPC) Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.

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- Fall 2002            Respondent, *Perspectives on Forgiveness*, AAPC Pacific Region Annual Conference, San Anselmo, CA.
- Spring 2002        Moderator, *Religion, Culture and Violence*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, American Academy of Religion (AAR) Western Region Meeting, Moraga, CA.
- Spring 2002        Moderator, *Embodied Perspectives on Theology and Religion*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Western Region Meeting, Moraga, CA.
- Fall 2000            Presenter, *A Multi-Therapeutic Approach to Narcissistic Personality Disorder: Clinical Data for the Psychotherapist and Pastoral Counselor*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN.
- Spring 1999        Presenter, *New Developments in Psychology and Their Implications for Religion*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Western Region Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- Fall 1998            Presenter, *Teach Your Students Well: The Seminary and a Hermeneutics of Suspicion*, Academic Teaching and the Study of Religion Section, AAR Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL.
- Spring 1998        Panelist, *Sacred Pathways to Self-Transformation*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion Group, AAR Western Region Meeting, Claremont, CA.
- Spring 1998        Moderator, *Creating New Spiritual Communities in a Changing World*, Psychology, Culture, and Religion

**MEDIA & INTERVIEWS**

- Summer 2021      *Fordham News* Podcast Interview: “Not Quite Ready for Normal? You’re Not Alone, Says Professor.”
- Spring 2019      *Fordham News* Feature Interview on GRE Pastoral Mental Health Counseling Conference, “Navigating Spiritual Care in the Age of Smartphones.”
- Spring 2019      Interview for “The Evolution of a Passionate Priest,” *Fordham News*.
- Fall 2018          *Fordham News* Feature Interview, “Prayer and Meditation Can Augment Our Attention Span.”
- Fall 2014          *WFUV Radio* Interview: “Fordham Conversations” focusing on the book, *The Power of Neuroplasticity for Pastoral and Spiritual Care*.
- Fall 2014          *Inside Fordham* Feature Interview, “Pastoral Counseling and Neuroplasticity: Rewiring the Brain to Lower Stress and Anxiety.”
- Fall 2009          Interview for “Human Growth, Development, and Wellness in the United States and Europe,” *El Periódico de Catalunya*.
- Spring 2008      Interview for “Basic Instinct Director Paul Verhoeven Says Jesus Was Son of Mary and Roman Rapist,” *Fox News Report*.
- Winter 2008      *Inside Fordham* Feature Interview, “Professor Says Faith and Psychology Can Have Pivotal Roles in Relieving

Anxiety.”

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**GRANTS AND PROFESSIONAL HONORS**

- Fall 2022 Faculty Fellowship, *International Development of Pastoral Mental Health Counseling*, Office of Research, Fordham University.
- 2019-2020 Teaching Research Scholarship Grant, *Theology of Pastoral Counseling & Spiritual Care*, Office of Research, Fordham University.
- Summer 2019 Fordham Research Abroad Program (FRAP), *Toward a More Human-Centered Internet of Things (IoT)*, Fordham University & Birkbeck, University of London.
- Spring 2018 Faculty Fellowship, *Pastoral and Spiritual Care in a Digital Age: The Future Is Now*, Office of Research, Fordham University.
- Summer 2015 Senior Investigator, Mind and Life Summer Research Institute (MLSRI), Garrison, NY.
- 2008-2014 Co-Chair, *Psychology, Culture & Religion Group (PCR)*, American Academy of Religion.
- Fall 2013 Faculty Fellowship, *The Promise of Neuroplasticity in Pastoral Care and Counseling*, Office of Research, Fordham University.
- 2006-2007 Faculty Research Grant (Book Project), Office of Research, Fordham University.

Fall 1999                    Henry Mayo Newhall Fellowship Award, Graduate  
Theological Union, Berkeley, CA.

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1997-98                    Henry Mayo Newhall Fellowship Award, Graduate  
Theological Union, Berkeley, CA.

**PASTORAL EXPERIENCE**

2016-                    Parish Associate, Scarborough Presbyterian Church,  
Scarborough, NY.

2007-2015                Parish Associate, First Presbyterian Church, Cold Spring,  
NY.

1999-2005                Parish Associate, Westminster Presbyterian Church,  
Tiburon, CA.

1990-1996                Senior Pastor/Head of Staff, First Presbyterian Church,  
Stockton, NJ.