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EDUCATION

Ph.D.	1986	University of Chicago
Certification in Ministry	1981	University of Chicago (M.Div. equivalent)
M.A.	1980	University of Chicago
Certificate of Study	1978	Institut d'Etudes Francaise d'Avignon
B.A.	1977	Kalamazoo College
Overseas Study	1975-76	University of Dakar, Dakar, Senegal, West Africa

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2003-	E. Rhodes and Leona B. Carpenter Professor of Pastoral Theology The Divinity School and Graduate Department of Religion Vanderbilt University
2000-2003	Professor of Pastoral Theology The Divinity School and Graduate Department of Religion Vanderbilt University
1995-2000	Associate Professor of Pastoral Theology The Divinity School and Graduate Department of Religion Vanderbilt University
1992-95	Associate Professor of Religion, Personality and Culture Chicago Theological Seminary

- 1987-92 Assistant Professor of Religion, Personality and Culture
Chicago Theological Seminary
- 1986-87 Visiting Assistant Professor of Pastoral Care
Chicago Theological Seminary

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2011 Distinguished Alumna Award, Disciples Divinity House, University of Chicago
- 2010 Short-term Resident Scholar, Collegetown Institute for Ecumenical and Cultural Research, St. John's University, Minnesota
- 2008 Robertson Lecturer, University of Glasgow, February-March 2008
- 2003 Named chair, E. Rhodes and Leona B. Carpenter, Vanderbilt University
- 2003 Let the Children Come Nominated for 2005 Louisville Grawemeyer Award in Religion
- 1999-2000 Henry Luce III Fellow in Theology, Association of Theological Schools
- 1990-91 Young Scholar Award for Theological Scholarship and Research, The Association of Theological Schools
- 1978-85 Disciples Divinity House Scholar, University of Chicago
- 1980-84 Ann E. Dickerson Scholarship, Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
- 1980-81 Edward Scribner Aims Award, University of Chicago
- 1979-80 Stevens Memorial Scholarship, Disciples Divinity House
- 1973-77 B.A. Magna Cum Laude; Phi Beta Kappa; Alpha Lambda Delta; High Honors in Psychology
- 1973-74 Department of Psychology Prize, Kalamazoo College

GRANTS

- 2010-2011 Sabbatical Grant for Researchers, Louisville Institute
- 2006 Practicing Our Faith Book Series Grant, Valparaiso Project on the Education and Formation of People in Faith
- 2003-2004 Teaching for Ministry Grant, Lilly Endowment, Inc., Vanderbilt University
Graduate Department of Religion
- 2002-2003 Faith and Family Series Grant, Center for Congregations and Family Ministries, Louisville Theological Seminary
- 2001-2002 The Intercambio/Exchange Service-Learning Faculty Seminar and Grant
- 1999-2000 Vanderbilt University Fellowship (declined on reception of Luce Fellow)
- 1999 Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Grant
- 1990-96 Family, Religion and Culture Project Grant, Lilly Endowment, Inc.

PUBLICATIONS

I. AUTHORED BOOKS

In process: Lived Theology: Understanding Its Politics, Rehabilitating Its Place.

Christian Theology in Practice: Discovering a Discipline. Grand Rapids, Eerdmans, forthcoming 2012.

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Also A Mother: Work and Family as Theological Dilemma. Nashville: Abingdon, 1994.

Death, Sin and the Moral Life: Contemporary Cultural Interpretations of Death. Atlanta: Scholars Press, 1988.

II. EDITED BOOKS

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The Wiley-Blackwell Companion to Practical Theology. London: Wiley/Blackwell, forthcoming 2012.

Children and Childhood in American Religions. Rutgers: Rutgers University Press, 2009 (co-edited with Don S. Browning).

Mutuality Matters: Faith, Family, and Just Love. Lanham, MD: Sheed & Ward, 2003 (co-edited with Edward Foley, Robert Schreiter, and Herbert Anderson).

Poverty, Suffering, and HIV-AIDS: International Practical Theological Perspectives. London: Cardiff Academic Press, 2003 (co-edited with Pamela D. Couture).

Feminist and Womanist Pastoral Theology. Nashville: Abingdon, 1999 (co-edited with Brita Gill-Austern).

III. ARTICLES IN REFEREED JOURNALS

“Five Misunderstandings About Practical Theology,” International Journal of Practical Theology (under consideration)

“Cognitive Neuroscience and the Question of Theological Method,” Journal of Pastoral Theology 20, no. 2 (Winter 2010): 64-92.

“Practical Theology and Pedagogy (Portuguese translation),” Estudos Teologicos, July 31, 2010.

“Feminism, Children, and Mothering: Three Books and Three Children Later,” Journal of Childhood and Religion 2, no. 1 (January 2011).

http://www.childhoodandreligion.com/JCR/Volume_2_%282011%29.html

“Tribute to Don S. Browning (1934-2010),” Pastoral Psychology 60, no. 1 (2011): 1-6 (co-authored with Herbert Anderson).

<http://www.springerlink.com/content/g0460708j8k4582k/>

“Jesus and the Little Children: An Exercise in the Use of Scripture,” Journal of Childhood and Religion 1, no. 7 (October 2010)

http://www.childhoodandreligion.com/JCR/Volume_1_%282010%29.html

“Also a Pastoral Theologian: In Pursuit of Dynamic Theology (Or: Meditations from a Recalcitrant Heart),” Pastoral Psychology 59, no. 6 (2010): 813-828.

“Practicing What We Preach: The Case of Women in Ministry,” Practical Theology 2, no. 1 (2009): 45-62 (successor to Contact, journal of the British and Irish Association of Practical Theology).

“The Royal Road: Children, Play, and the Religious Life,” Pastoral Psychology 58, no. 5 (2009): 505-519.

“Pedagogy in Practical Theology: Examining Six Sub-Disciplines,” International Journal of Practical Theology 12, no. 1 (2008): 35-87 (co-authored with Kathleen Cahalan and Carol Lakey-Hess).

“Revisiting the Living Human Web: Theological Education and the Role of Clinical Pastoral Education,” The Journal of Pastoral Care and Counseling 62, no. 1-2 (Spring-Summer 2008): 3-18.

"The 'Clerical Paradigm': A Fallacy of Misplaced Concreteness?" International Journal of Practical Theology 11, 2 (2007): 19-38.

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“Mundane Grief,” in Reflections on Grief and Spiritual Development, edited by Andrew J. Weaver and Howard W. Stone (Nashville: Abingdon, 2005), pp. 96-104.

“Pastoral Theology and Public Theology: Developments in the U.S.,” in Pathways to the Public Square: Practical Theology in an Age of Pluralism, ed. Elaine Graham and Anna Rowlands, eds. (Münster, Germany: Lit-Verlag, 2005), pp. 95-105.

“A Feminist Theologian Looks (Askance) at Headship,” in Does Christianity Teach Male Headship? The Equal-Regard Marriage and Its Critics, edited by David Blankenhorn, Don Browning, and Mary Stewart van Leeuwen (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2004), pp. 49-62.

“Pastoral Theology as Public Theology: Revolutions in the ‘Fourth Area,’” Pastoral Care and Counseling: Redefining the Paradigms, ed. Nancy Ramsay (Nashville: Abingdon, 2004), pp. 44-64.

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“Through the Eyes of Mircea Eliade: United States Football as Religious Rite de Passage,” in From Season to Season: Sports as American Religion, ed. Joseph L. Price (Mercer University Press, 2001), pp. 115-135.

“Aesthetics, Hermeneutics, and Practical Theology,” in Creativity, Imagination, and Criticism: The Expressive Dimension in Practical Theology, ed. Paul Ballard and Pamela Couture (London: Cardiff Academic Press, 2001), pp. 17-23.

“Shaping the Future of Religion and Psychology: Feminist Transformations in Pastoral Theology,” in Religion and Psychology: Mapping the Terrain, eds. William B. Parsons and Diane Jonte-Pace (London and New York: Routledge, 2001), pp. 181-201.

“Let the Child Come Revisited: Feminist Theologians on Children,” in The Child in Christian Thought, ed. Marcia Bunge (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2001), pp. 446-473.

“Birthing and Mothering as Powerful Rites of Passage,” in In Her Own Time: Women and Developmental Issues in Pastoral Care, ed. Jeanne Stevenson Moessner (Minneapolis: Fortress, 2000), pp. 175-89.

“How Sexuality and Relationship Revolutionized Pastoral Theology,” in The Blackwell Reader in Pastoral and Practical Theology, ed. James Woodward and Stephen Pattison (U.S. consultant, John Patton) (Madden, Mass.: Blackwell, 1999), pp. 233-247.

“Feminist Theory and Pastoral Theology,” in Feminist and Womanist Pastoral Theology, ed. Miller-McLemore and Brita Gill-Austern (Nashville: Abingdon, 1999), pp. 77-94.

“Globalism and the Family,” in Globalization and Difference: Practical Theology in a World Context, ed. Paul Ballard and Pam Couture (co-authored with Don S. Browning) (London: Cardiff Academic Press, 1999), pp. 85-100.

"Ideals and Realities of Motherhood: A Theological Perspective," in Mother Troubles: Rethinking Contemporary Maternal Dilemmas, eds. Julia Hanigsberg and Sara Ruddick (Boston: Beacon, 1999), pp. 281-303.

"The Subject and Practice of Pastoral Theology as a Practical Theological Discipline," in Liberating Faith Practices: Feminist Practical Theology in Context, eds. Denise Ackermann and Riet Bons-Storm (Leuven, Netherlands: Peeters, 1998), pp. 175-98.

"Family and Work: Can Anyone 'Have It All'?" in Religion, Feminism, and the Family, eds. Anne Carr and Mary Stewart Van Leeuwen (Louisville: Westminster/John Knox, 1996), pp. 275-93.

"Protestantism and the European-American Family, Like Oil and Water," in The Religion Factor, eds. Jacob Neusner and William S. Green (Louisville: Westminster/John Knox, 1996), pp. 166-185.

"Many Gifts, One Body: Towards a Practical, Feminist, Disciple View of Pastoral Care," in Healing and the Healer, eds. George F. Cairns, Lawrence A. Pottener, and Nancy U. Cairns (Chicago: Exploration Press, 1996), pp. 15-21.

"The Living Human Web: Pastoral Theology at the Turn of the Century" in Through the Eyes of Women: Insights for Pastoral Care, ed. Jeanne Stevenson Moessner (Minneapolis: Fortress, 1996), pp. 9-26.

"What's A Feminist Mother To Do?" in Setting the Table: Women in Theological Conversation, ed. Rita Nakashima Brock, Claudia Camp, and Serene Jones (St. Louis: Chalis Press, 1995), pp. 185-204.

"Pastoral Care and Gender" in Pastoral Care and Social Conflict, eds. Pamela D. Couture and Rodney Hunter (Nashville: Abingdon, 1995), pp. 99-113, co-authored with Herbert Anderson.

"The American Chalk Circle: What Child is This?" in Theology and the Human Spirit: Essays in Honor of Perry D. LeFevre, ed. Theodore W. Jennings and Susan Brooks Thistlethwaite (Chicago: Exploration Press, 1994), pp. 57-67.

"Women Who Work and Love: Caught Between Cultures," in Women in Travail and Transition: A Pastoral Care (Minneapolis: Fortress, 1991), pp. 63-85.

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Maguire, Daniel C. The Moral Revolution: A Christian Humanist Vision (San Francisco: Harper & Row, 1986. (in Horizons: The Journal of the College Theology Society).

Marty, Martin E. The Mystery of the Child (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2007) (in The Christian Century).

Nelson, James B. Body Theology. Louisville: Westminster/John Knox Press, 1992 (in The Christian Century).

Neuger, Christie Cozad, ed. The Arts of Ministry: Feminist-Womanist Approaches. Louisville: Westminster/John Knox, 1996 (in The Princeton Seminary Bulletin).

Rhodes, Lynn N. Co-Creating: A Feminist Vision of Ministry. Philadelphia: Westminster, 1984 (in The Chicago Theological Seminary Register).

Stacey, Judith. Brave New Families: Stories of Domestic Upheaval in Late Twentieth Century America New York: Basic Books, 1990 (in The Chicago Theological Seminary Register).

Thatcher, Adrian. Theology and Families. Malden, MA: Blackwell, 2007 (in Theology Today).

Wallace, C. M. Motherhood in the Balance: Children, Career, Me, and God Harrisburg, PA: Morehouse Publishing, 1999 (in Family Ministry).

Watts, Fraser, Nye, Rebecca and Savage, Sara. Psychology for Christian Ministry. London and New York: Routledge, 2002 (in Religious Studies Review).

Karen-Marie Yust and E. Byron Anderson, Taught by God: Teaching and Spiritual Formation. St. Louis: Chalice Press, 2006 (in Interpretation: A Journal of Bible and Theology).

ENDOWED LECTURESHIPS

Latham Lecture and Seminar: “New Ways to Understand Children's Spirituality,” Nazarene Theological Seminary, April 12, 2011

Visiting Robertson Fellow Lecture: “Practicing What We Preach: The Case of Women in Ministry,” University of Glasgow, February 27, 2008 (for conference on Women, Word, and Sacrament: Celebrating 40 Years of Women’s Ordination in the Church of Scotland)

Gladys Crane Lecture: “Salvaging Sacrifice: A Fishbone in the Throat of Feminist Theology,” Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Chicago, April 19, 2006

Paul S. Allen Lectures in Pastoral Care: “Rethinking Spirituality for Children and Families: Problems with the Received Tradition” and “New Possibilities from a Protestant Perspective,” McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, February 20-21, 2006

Hein-Fry Lectures: “Practicing Theology in the Life of the Christian: Facing Frailty (Sin)” and “Salvaging Sacrifice,” delivered at:

Lutheran Theological Seminary at Philadelphia, February 22, 2005
 The Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago, March 4, 2005
 Wartburg Seminary (Dubuque, Iowa), March 31, 2005
 Trinity Theological Seminary, May 5, 2005

Boreham Lectures in Pastoral Care: “Pastoral Care, Religious Practices, and Family Life,” Sparks Medical Center, Fort Smith, Arkansas, May 6-7, 2004

Women’s Center Lecture: “Walking the Talk: Also A Mother” and “Exploring a Lived Theology: Pastoral Theology from a Feminist Perspective,” Louisville Theological Seminary, April 10-11, 2002

Arts of Ministry Lecture Series: “What Do Women Want? How Sexuality and Relationships Have Revolutionized Pastoral Theology,” University of Chicago, April 29, 1999

1997 Lecture in Religion: “Faith, Family, and Feminism: Irreconcilable Differences?” Drury College, September 18, 1997

Goodling Lectures: “Life Beyond Kübler-Ross: Retrieving Moral and Theological Dimensions of Death,” Duke University Divinity School, November 15, 1996

Cobb Lectures: “Protestantism and the European-American Family,” Lexington Theological Seminary, Sept. 22-23, 1994

Disciples Divinity House Lecture and Workshop: “The American Family Debate,” Vanderbilt University Divinity School, February 7, 1994

Women's Week Lecture: “Feminism at a Crossroads,” Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Atlanta, November 1991

INVITED LECTURES AND PLENARIES

“Five Misunderstandings About Practical Theology,” Presidential Address, International Academy of Practical Theology, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, July 25, 2011

“Vocational Reflections,” “Practical Theology: Definitions,” and “Reclaiming Phronesis,” Keynote Speaker, Summer School, The Profession Doctorate in Practical Theology, London, July 14-16, 2011

“The Democratization of Theology,” Faculty of Theology, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa, January 24, 2011

“Creating Space as a Dimension of Practical Theology: A Difficult Discipline,” Keynote Address, Society for Practical Theology in South Africa, Pretoria, January 18, 2011

“Brain Size as Destiny: Assimilation and Correction as Theological Method,” Plenary Speaker, The Society for Pastoral Theology, Chicago, June 16, 2010

“Post-tenure Publication as More than an Afterthought: Researching to Transgress,” Plenary Speaker, A Roundtable Seminar for Mid-Career Faculty, The Association of Theological Schools, March 13, 2010

“Whole Teachers: Life as a Recovering Faculty in a Broken Academic World,” Keynote Speaker, Center for Teaching Conference (GradSTEP), Vanderbilt University, January 23, 2010

“Rediscovering Children: Historical Developments, Pastoral Implications,” Plenary Speaker, *Days for Scholars* Conference, Stockholm, Sweden, December 2-3, 2009

“Meditations on Teaching: Hopes and Dreams of a Wandering Scholar-Practitioner,” Plenary Speaker, *For Life Abundant* Conference, Vanderbilt University, February 27, 2009

“The Role of Laypeople in Congregational Pastoral Care,” Keynote Speaker for Lay Pastoral Associates graduation, Methodist Hospital, Texas Medical Center, Houston, December 3, 2008

“Theology and the Social Sciences: A Revisionist Approach,” Classroom Lecture, University of Aberdeen, March 4, 2008

“Defining Practical Theology by How We Teach,” Seminar Speaker, Scottish Universities Practical Theology Network, University of Glasgow, March 5, 2008

“Trends in Pastoral Care and Counseling,” Keynote Speaker for Pastoral Care Week, Methodist Hospital, Texas Medical Center, Houston, October 23-24, 2007

“The Living Human Web Revisited: Theological Education and the Role of Clinical Pastoral Education,” Keynote Speaker, Association of Clinical Pastoral Education East and Northeast Region, Stony Point, New York, April 23-25, 2007

“Doing Justice, Loving, Kindness and Walking Humbly with Kids,” Keynote Speaker, Theology and Ministry Forum, Community of Christ Seminary, Independence, Missouri, February 10, 2007

“Salvaging Sacrifice: The Complicated Nature of Love in Family Life,” Public Lecture, Families and Religion series, Duke University, January 31, 2007

“Children’s Voices, Religious Experience, and Mature Faith,” Plenary Speaker, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Leuven, Belgium, Expert Seminar on Children’s Voices in Ethics, Theology, and Religion Education, 11-13 January 2007

“Discipleship and Families: Doing Justice, Loving Kindness, and Walking Humbly with Kids,” Plenary Speaker, The Theology Institute at Villanova University, Discipleship and the City Conference, October 4, 2006

“Conducting Research Among Other Things,” Plenary Speaker, 2006 Lilly Conference on Theological Research, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, February 25, 2006

“Taking Children Seriously: What History, Scripture and Everyday Life Tells us about Children,” Plenary Address, United Methodist Church Focus 2005 Conference, July 28, 2005

“Faith, Family, and Children,” Plenary Speaker, Louisville Conference on the Family, May 14-15, 2003

“Bringing Children and Religion into the Public Square,” Plenary Speaker, Conference in Honor of Don S. Browning, University of Chicago Divinity School, April 25, 2003

“Balancing the Tasks of Theological Scholarship, Family, and the Vocational Calls of the Church, the Academy, and the World,” Plenary Speaker, Seminar for Newly Appointed Faculty in Theological Education, Association of Theological Schools, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, October 28, 2001

“Valuing Life’s Passages: Death and Love,” Plenary Speaker, Vanderbilt University Medical School Forum, October 25, 2001

"Family Myths as Clinical Concerns," Plenary Speaker, Southeast Region of the American Association of Pastoral Counselors Annual Conference, Kanuga Retreat Center, S. Carolina, October 23-25, 1998

"Does Christianity Teach Male Headship? A Theological Feminist Response," Seminar Speaker, Institute for American Values, New York, March 12, 1998

"Faith, Family, and Feminism: Irreconcilable Differences?" Visiting Lecture, Ewha Womans University, Seoul, Korea, April 27, 1997

"Faith, Family, and Feminism: Irreconcilable Differences?" Religion and the America Family Debate, University of Chicago Conference Center, September 10, 1996

"Mothers: Are They Necessary?" Plenary Speaker, The Divinity School, Vanderbilt University, April 10, 1995

"Constructive Theology of Families," Religion, Culture, and Family Project, Chicago, September 16, 1995

"Dying Well Against the Odds: Normative and Cultural Horizons," Plenary Speaker, Center for Ethics at Garrett-Evangelical Seminary and Northwestern University, Evanston, April 28, 1995

"Also A Mother," Theology South Lecture Series, St. Xavier University, Chicago, March 1995

"'Wives Be Submissive' and Other Thorns in the Flesh," Chicago Theological Seminary Winter Convocation address, January 5, 1994

"Also a Mother: Implications for Religion, Family, and Culture," Family, Religion, and Culture Project, Chicago, September 26, 1993

"Motherhood and the Theological Pie," Disciples Divinity House, University of Chicago, March 1, 1993

"Guilt and Forgiveness: Speaking Theologically in a Nontheological Age," Plenary Speaker, Spirit and Health Conference, San Diego Hospice, August 26-29, 1992

"Produce or Perish: Generativity and the Question of New Reproductive Technologies," Speaker, Committee on Academic Cooperation Fall Colloquy, Chicago Theological Seminary, November 7, 1989

"Second Generation Women in Professions," Seminar Speaker, The Illinois School of Professional Psychology, Chicago, July 15, 1988

"Health Care and Public Policy Formation," Spring Convocation Introduction, Chicago Theological Seminary, May 20, 1988

"Why Seminary? Ministry as the Doing of Practical Theology," Spring Convocation Address, Chicago Theological Seminary, April 8, 1987

ACADEMIC SOCIETY PAPERS

Speaker, Book panel on *Religion and critical psychology: Religious experience in the knowledge economy*, Jeremy R. Carrette, American Academy of Religion, San Francisco, November 2011

Respondent, Book panel on *The Wiley-Blackwell Companion to Practical Theology*, American Academy of Religion, San Francisco, November 2011

“Matter Over Mind: Theology, Knowing, and the Body,” British and Irish Association of Practical Theology, London, July 12, 2011

“Jesus and the Little Children: An Exercise in the Use of Scripture,” Williamson Distinguished Scholars Conference, Austin Theological Seminary, April 9, 2010

“Also a Pastoral Theologian: In Pursuit of Dynamic Theology,” Conference on New Directions in Pastoral Theology: The Role of Dynamic Psychology, Richmond, Virginia, October 22, 2009

“The Politics of Practical Theological Knowledge,” International Academy of Practical Theology, Chicago, August 2, 2009

“The Royal Road: Children, Play, and the Religious Life,” Austin Theological Seminary, on the occasion of a conference in honor of Don Capps, October 16-18, 2008

“Feminism, Children, and Mothering: Three Books and Three Children Later,” American Academy of Religion, San Diego, November 2007

“Practical Theology and Childhood Studies: Rethinking Faith and Religious Experience,” International Academy of Practical Theology, Berlin, Germany, March 29-April 4, 2007

“The ‘Clerical Paradigm’: A Fallacy of Misplaced Concreteness?” International Academy of Practical Theology, Berlin, Germany, March 29-April 4, 2007

“Sanctifying the Ordinary,” Association of Disciples for Theological Discussion, Indianapolis, October 14, 2006

“Future of Childhood Studies and Religion,” The Center for Children and Childhood Studies at Rutgers University, Camden, September 30, 2006

“Wisdom in Pastoral Care and Counseling: What Does It Entail?” Response to Pamela Cooper-White, Shared Wisdom: Use of the Self in Pastoral Care and Counseling, American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, November 2005

“Redefining Children, Redefining Spirituality,” American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, November 2005

“Children and Children’s Spirituality in Religious Education and Popular Spiritual Literature,” American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, November 2003

“Generative Woman and Other Thoughts on Don Browning’s Contributions to Religion and Personality,” American Academy of Religion/Person, Culture, and Religion, Atlanta, November 2003

- “Pastoral Theology as Public Theology: Developments in the United States,” International Academy of Practical Theology, Manchester, England, April 11-16, 2003
- “The State of Children and Religion,” Association of Practical Theology, St. Louis, April 5-7, 2002
- “The Radical Reconstruction of Childhood: Is There a Place for Theology?” Society for Pastoral Theology, Chicago, June 15, 2001
- “The Search for a Child-Friendly Theology: Reflections on the Indictment of Parents and Christianity,” American Academy of Religion, Nashville, November 18, 2000
- “The Radical Reconstruction of Childhood: Is There a Place for Theology?” Henry Luce III Fellows in Theology Conference, Princeton, November 10, 2000
- “Children and Moral Agency,” Panel presentation, Society of Christian Ethics, Washington DC, January 7, 2000
- "All About Style: Aesthetics, Hermeneutics, and Practical Theology," Plenary response, International Academy of Practical Theology, Quebec City, Canada, May 15, 1999
- "On Donald Capp's Men, Religion, and Melancholia," American Men's Studies Association, Nashville, March 14, 1999
- From Culture Wars to Common Ground book discussion, Society of Christian Ethics, Atlanta, January 9, 1999
- "Ph.D. Programs: Requirements, Bibliography, Research," Society for Pastoral Theology, Chicago, June 20, 1998
- "Ethics, Theology, and Parenthood," Family Working Group, Society of Christian Ethics, January 11, 1998
- "Ideals and Realities: Myths of Motherhood and Why We Lie," American Academy of Religion, San Francisco, November 25, 1997
- "Feminist Theory and Practical Theology," Association of Practical Theology Pre-session, American Academy of Religion, San Francisco, November 22, 1997
- "Religion and Psychology in Transition: A Response," Person, Culture, and Religion Pre-session, American Academy of Religion, San Francisco, November 21, 1997
- "Globalization and the Family," International Academy of Practical Theology Banquet Address, Seoul, Korea, April 25, 1997

"'Nontraditional' Heterosexual Parenting: Are Constructive Proposals Possible?" American Academy of Religion, New Orleans, November 23, 1996

"Parenting Lives and Being a Scholar," Person, Culture, and Religion, American Academy of Religion Pre-session, November 22, 1996

"Women as Scholars and Mothers," Women's Caucus Pre-Conference Workshop, American Academy of Religion, Philadelphia, November 17, 1995

Also A Mother book discussion, Society of Christian Ethics, Washington, D. C., January 8, 1995

"Publishing, Teaching, Advising, Committees, and a Personal Life? Handling the Demands of the Academy without Sacrificing Home and Health," Employment Opportunities Services Orientation, American Academy of Religion, Chicago, November 1994

"Pastoral Theology, Ethics, and the Family," Society for Pastoral Theology, Atlanta, June 18, 1994

"Also a Mother: Beyond Family Values," American Academy of Religion, Washington D.C., November 1993

"Crises of Work and Family," Association of Disciples for Theological Discussion, St. Louis, Oct. 1992

"Ruth or Orpah: Shall We Return to Our Mother's House?" American Academy of Religion, New Orleans, November 1990

"Epistemology or Bust: Where are We Really Headed?" Society for Pastoral Theology, Denver, June 1990

"Produce or Perish: Generativity as a Virtue for All Ages," American Academy of Religion, Chicago, November 1988

"Health, Illness, Death and Dying: A View from a Protestant Perspective," Society for Health and Human Values, Chicago, November 1, 1988

"Ruth or Orpah: Shall We Return to Our Mother's House?" Society for the Social Scientific Study of Religion, Chicago, October 29, 1988

"An End to the Death and Dying Movement: Theology Recasts the Characters," American Academy of Religion, Boston, December 1987.

ACADEMIC CONSULTATIONS AND SERVICE

2011	Consultant, Congregational Studies Project, Chicago, Illinois
2011	Visiting Scholar, British and Irish Association of Practical Theology, London
2011	Keynote Speaker, Summer School, The Profession Doctorate in Practical Theology, London
2010-2014	Henry Luce III Fellows in Theology Advisory Panel, the Henry Luce Foundation and Association of Theological Schools
2010	Participant, Gathering of Doctoral Programs in Religious Practices and Practical Theology, Emory University
2009-2011	Consultant, Exhibit on World Religions for Children and Families, The Children's Museum of Indianapolis
2008	Consultant on the National Congregations Study Dissemination, Duke University
2008	Participant, Consultation on Practical Theology and Practice-Oriented Programs Doctoral Programs, Vanderbilt University
2007-	Participant, Collegeville Seminar on Practical Theology, Lilly Endowment
2006	Consultant, Future of Childhood Studies, The Center for Children and Childhood Studies at Rutgers University, Camden
2006	Consultant, Jewish, Christian, and Muslim Perspectives on the Child, The Child in Religion and Ethics Project, Valparaiso University
2005	Consultant, Biblical Perspectives on the Child, The Child in Religion and Ethics Project, Valparaiso University
2003-2007	Participant, Seminar on Practical Theology and Christian Ministry, Lilly Endowment
2002-2004	Lilly Theological Research Grants Selection Panel, Association of Theological Schools
2002	Consultant, Faith Formation and Children's Ministries Project, Lilly Endowment
2000-2003	Peer Group Facilitator, Lilly Endowment Programs for Strengthening Congregational Leadership and the Fund for Theological Education
2000	Consultant, Christian Beliefs and Practices Project, Lilly Endowment, Inc.
1999-2002	Task Group, Public Character of Theological Education Project, Association of Theological Schools
1999	Consultant, Marriage and Relationship Youth Education Project, Religion, Culture, and Family Project, Lilly Endowment, Inc.
1999	Regional Consultation, Implications of Postmodernity for Teaching Pastoral Theology, Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning
1998-2000	Consultant, Marriage, Family and the Professions Handbook, Religion, Culture, and Family Project, Lilly Endowment, Inc.
1997-2000	Consultant, Vocation of the Theological Teacher, Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning
1996-97	Participant, Workshop on Teaching and Learning for Seminary Faculty,

- 1995 Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning
 Consultant, Center for Families, Congregations, and Christian
 Formation, Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary
- 1993 Consultant, Project on Vocation, Louisville Institute for the Study of
 Protestantism and American Culture

EDITORIAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2010- Editorial Board, Journal of Childhood and Religion
- 2009- Editorial Board, Praktiese Teologie in Suid-Afrika/Practical Theology in South Africa
- 2007- Advisory Board, Research in Contemporary Religion (an international and interdisciplinary book series)
- 2000-2003 Editorial Board, Journal of Pastoral Theology
- 1999- Editorial Board, International Journal of Practical Theology
- 1999-2004 Contributing Editor, Second Opinion
- 1998-2005 Co-Editor, Pastoral Counseling and Practical Theology section, Religious Studies Review
- 1992-95 Editorial Advisory Committee, Pastoral Care and Counseling Series, Westminster Press
- 1992 Editor, Pastoral and Practical Theology section, Religious Studies Review
- 1989-91 Editorial Board, Journal of Supervision and Training in Ministry
- 1986-96 Editorial Consultant, Second Opinion and Making the Rounds, The Park Ridge Center

SELECTED BROADCAST INTERVIEWS

“The Innocents” with David Rutledge, Encounter, ABC Radio National, July 15, 2007, <http://www.abc.net.au/rn/>

“Pondering All These Things” with Carmel Howard, Encounter, ABC Radio National, December 4, 2003, <http://www.abc.net.au/rn/>

ECCLESIAL AND COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS

“Academic Theology and Disciple Dissent,” Distinguished Alumna Award, University of Chicago Disciples Divinity House Luncheon, Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) General Assembly, Nashville, July 11, 2011

“Parenting and Faith,” St. Augustine’s Episcopal Chapel, Vanderbilt University, April 13, 2011

“What’s Happening in Pastoral Care,” Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) Regional Ministers Association, May 6, 2010.

“Care of Children as Spiritual Practice,” Association of Presbyterian Christian Educators, Nashville, January 25-30, 2010

“Practicing Faith in Families,” Teaching staff, Holden Village, Washington, July 4-11, 2009

“Passing the Peace One Child at a Time: What Children Have to Teach Us about Christian Education,” Conference on Practicing Faith with Children, United Church of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, February 13, 2009

“Making the Most of the AAR and SBL,” panel for Graduate Department of Religion, Vanderbilt University, October 27, 2008

“Experiencing Spirituality in the Midst of Family Life,” Faculty workshop for the Princeton Forum on Youth Ministry, Nashville, January 8, 2008

“Spirituality and Family Life,” Adult Education, Woodmont Christian Church, September 23-November 4, 2007

Interview for program on “Children and Innocence” with David Rutledge, “Encounter,” ABC Radio National, June 28, 2007

Invited participant, Book signing, *In the Midst of Chaos*, Religion Book Trade Exhibit, St. Charles, Illinois, May 30, 2007

“Hope for Peace,” Sermon, Woodmont Christian Church, Nashville, May 13, 2007

Book signing, *In the Midst of Chaos*, Davis Kidd Bookstore, Nashville, March 12, 2007

“From Seuss to Scripture: Reading as a Family Faith Practice,” Workshop, Theology and Ministry Forum, Community of Christ Seminary, Independence, Missouri, February 10, 2007

“Writing on Children and Mothering,” Women’s and Gender Studies seminar, Vanderbilt University, February 5, 2007

“Nurturing Faith in Children and Parents,” Parent’s Institute Plenary and Workshops, First Presbyterian Church and Calvary United Methodist Church, August 20, 2006

“Experiencing Spirituality with Children Today,” Pre-Conference Seminar, Focus ’05, United Methodist Church Conference, Brentwood, Tennessee, July 26, 2005

“Care of Children as Spiritual Practice,” Teaching Staff, Holden Village, Washington, July 2-9, 2005

“When Professional Boundaries Betray Us,” Cal Turner Program for Moral Leadership in the Professions, Vanderbilt University, November 12, 2004

“Children in Christian Faith,” Association of Christian Educators, Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Nashville, January 30, 2004

“Pastoral Care with Children,” Presbyterian Church Pastoral Care Seminar, Nashville, January 30, 2004

“Jesus and the Children,” Woodmont Christian Church Christian Women’s Fellowship, Nashville, November 4, 2003

“Children and Christian Faith,” Christ Cathedral, Nashville, October 8, 2003

“Who’s Afraid of Alice Miller: Psychology, Christianity, and Children,” Tennessee Association of Pastoral Therapists, Nashville, August 15, 2003,

“Depraved, Innocent, or Knowing: Evolutions in our Constructions of Children,” Vanderbilt University Divinity School, January 30, 2003

“Troublesome Scriptures: The Role of Women,” Woodmont Christian Church, June 10, 2002

“Valuing Life’s Transitions,” Vanderbilt University Medical School, October 25, 2001

“Looking Toward the Tree of Life: The Church as Countercultural,” First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Bloomington, Indiana, November 5, 2000

“What does Christian Theology have to do with Children?” Vine Street Christian Church, Nashville, December 1, 1999

“Higher Education: Human Folly or God's Wisdom,” Sermon, Woodmont Christian Church, Nashville, November 7, 1999

"Children, Partnership, and Theology," Brentwood United Methodist Church, Brentwood, Tennessee, May 23 and 30, 1999

"The Writer and the Academic," Women's National Book Association, Nashville Chapter at Davis-Kidd Bookstore, April 1, 1999

"Sacred in the Everyday," Brookmeade Congregational Church, Nashville, February 7, 1999

"Language and Liturgy," Challenge Class Woodmont Christian Church, Nashville, May 31, 1998

"Women and Religion," Challenge Class, Woodmont Christian Church, Nashville, April 26, 1998

"A Look at the National Survey of Marriage and Family Therapists," Pastoral Counseling Centers of Tennessee, Inc., Nashville, April 17, 1998

"Effecting Change in Gender Ideals and Roles in the Church," Disciples Divinity House, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, February 9, 1998

Facilitator, "Pastoral Care Roundtable," Religion, Gender, and Sexuality Conference, Carpenter Program, Vanderbilt University, March 11, 1997

"Family Matters," Christ Episcopal Church, Nashville, March 2, 1997

"Families, Spirituality, and Congregational Life," Elders Retreat, Vine Street Christian Church, Nashville, February 21-22, 1997

"Why Should A Woman Be More Like A Man? A Look at Gender, Psychology and Religion," Vanderbilt Divinity School Continuing Education Class, Vine Street Christian Church, Nashville, February 4, 11, 17, 24, 1997

"The Multiple Dilemmas of Contemporary Families," St. Ann Episcopal Church, Nashville, January 17, 24; February 7, 14, 1997

"Clergy Self Care," 1996 Disciples Seminarians Conference, Nashville, October 16, 1996

"Mothering in the Last Years of the Millennium," Fellofest, Vine Street Christian Church, Nashville, October 9, 1996

"Work, Family and Church," First United Church, United Church of Christ, Nashville, September 29, 1996

"Mothers and the American Family Debate," First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, April 14, 21, and 28, 1996

"Work and Family: Dealing with the Dilemmas," The School of Theology for the Laity, East Dallas Christian Church, Dallas, April 29, 1995

"Also A Mother," St. Paul Community Church, Homewood, Illinois, January 22, 1994

"Also A Mother," First Christian Church, Chicago Heights, Illinois, April 4, 1994

"Exploring Our Journeys As Wounded Healers," Retreat for Clergywomen, The Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Illinois and Wisconsin, Metamora, Illinois, June 8-10, 1989

RELATED PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT AND SERVICE

- 2005-2009 University of Chicago Divinity School Alumni Council
- 1997-2000 Member, Advisory Committee, Carpenter Program for Religion, Sexuality and Gender
- 1992-95 Ethical Advisory Group, "The Human Genome Project and Women," NIH Grant, University of Chicago
- 1989-90 Academic Coordinator, Johnson Foundation Grant, "Wellness and the Church" Project
- 1989-90 Visiting Professor, Clinical Pastoral Education Case Seminar, Evangelical Health Care Systems, Chicago
- 1985-86 Associate Director of Research and Publication, The Park Ridge Center: An Institute for the Study of Health, Faith and Ethics, Park Ridge, Illinois

CLINICAL AND MINISTERIAL EMPLOYMENT AND SERVICE

- 1998-2000 Education/Training Committee, Pastoral Counseling Centers of Tennessee
- 1987-90 Associate Staff, The Center for Religion and Psychotherapy of Chicago
- 1984-87 Fellow, The Center for Religion and Psychotherapy

- 1984 Ordination, Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
- 1983-84 Chaplain, Oncology Clinic, University of Chicago Hospitals and Clinics
- 1981-84 Counselor/Consultant, Pullman Education Foundation
- 1981 Chaplain, The University of Chicago Hospitals and Clinics
- 1980-81 Ministry Intern, Grace Lutheran Church, River Forest, Illinois
- 1978-80 Associate Minister, North Side Christian Church (Disciples of Christ),
Chicago
- 1977 Chaplain, University Hospital, Indianapolis, Indiana

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICE

Open memberships

American Academy of Religion (AAR)

Co-Chair, Practical Theology Group, 2005-2007

Co-Chair, Childhood Studies and Religion Consultation, 2003-2005

Steering Committee Member, Childhood Studies & Religion Consultation, 2005-10

Steering Committee Member, Practical Theology Group, 2007-2008

Association of Practical Theology

President 2004-06

President-Elect, 2002-04

Past-President, 2006-08

Person, Culture and Religion Group of the AAR

Steering Committee, 1989-92

Society for Pastoral Theology

Co-Facilitator, Theological Study Group, 1995-

Co-Facilitator, Graduate Programs Working Group, 1998-

Elected or certified membership

International Academy of Practical Theology

Program Committee, 1997-99

Executive Committee, Member-at-large, 2001-03

Executive Committee, Secretary, 2003-05

Editor, Proceedings of 2001 meetings

President, 2009-2011

American Association of Pastoral Counselors (In-Active Member)

Association of Disciples for Theological Discussion

Program Committee 1998-99

Nomination Committee 2002

Program Committee 2006-2007

REFERENCES

Available upon request.