

## **Graham Reside**

### *Curriculum Vitae*

140 Vanderbilt University Divinity School,  
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### **Employment**

Executive Director, The Cal Turner Program for Moral Leadership in  
The Professions, Vanderbilt University, 2006-present.

Director of Global Education, Vanderbilt Divinity School (2013-present).

Assistant Professor, Sociology of Religion, The Divinity School and Graduate  
Department of Religion, Vanderbilt University, 2006-present.

Affiliate Faculty, Vanderbilt University Institute for Global Health, 2008-2013.

Regional Director, The Fund for Theological Education, Atlanta, GA, 2004-2006.

Post-Doctoral Fellow, University of Houston Dept. of Sociology, 2003-2004.

Leadership Consultant, Generative Consulting, Atlanta, GA, 2003-2005.

### **Education**

Emory University, Ph.D., Ethics and Society. (2003)

Princeton Theological Seminary, M.Div., (concentration: Ethics and Society) 1994.

B.Ed., York University, Toronto 1989.

B.A. University of Toronto, 1988.

## Research Interests

Sociology of Religion  
Ethical Leadership  
Religion and globalization  
Race, religion and poverty

## Honors and Awards

South Eastern Conference Visiting Faculty Travel Grant, UGA.  
Grant awarded to study at fellow SEC school, 2014.

- Spent one week at The Fanning Institute, exploring issues of community leadership development.

Post-doctoral Fellow, University of Houston Sociology Department, 2003-2004.

- Studied Faith-based organizational responses to President Bush's Faith Based Initiatives, through multi-sited ethnographical case studies.

Fellow, Emory's Office of University-Community Partnerships, 2001-2002.

- Worked on issues of community research through building relationships between Emory and community partners.

Louisville Institute Fellowship for the Study of Religion in America, 1999-2000.

- Received a dissertation fellowship to support writing.

Fellow, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Fellowship, Emory, 1994-2000.

Sr. Thesis Award, Ethics and Society, Princeton Seminary, 1994.

International Studies Fellowship to India, Princeton Seminary, 1993.

- Traveled to India to study Christian and Hindu religions.

## Publications

"The State of Mainline Protestantism Today," chapter in book, *The Future of Mainline Protestantism*, Mark Silk and J. Hudnut-Beumler, eds., under review at New York University Press, forthcoming, 2015.

"Godless Intellectuals: The Pursuit of the Sacred Reinvented," by Alexander Riley, book review in Oxford Press, *Association for the Sociology of Religion Journal*, 2014.

"Atheist Delusions: The Christian Revolution and its Fashionable Enemies," by David Bentley Hart, reviewed in *Interpretation*, 2010.

“The New Spirituality: An Introduction to Progressive Belief in the Twentieth Century,” *Conversations in Religion & Theology*, Volume 8, issue 1, pp. 60-77, May 2010.

“Congregations in America,” *Conversations in Religion & Theology*. Volume 4, Issue 1, pp. 44-64, May 2006.

“Prayer in America,” in *Religion and American Cultures: An Encyclopedia of Traditions, Diversity and Popular Expressions*, Editors. Gary Laderman and Luis Leon. ABC-CLIO, Santa Barbara, CA 2003.

“Regular and Remarkable: Faith, Community and Call at Zebulon Baptist Church,” in *Cultures of Call: Exploring Vocational Habits and Practices in Congregations*, Volume 2. FTE Publication, February 2009.

“Modeling the Way: The Grantham Church,” in *Cultures of Call: Exploring Vocational Habits and Practices in Congregations*, Volume 1. FTE Publication, 2004.

## **Works in Progress**

*Global Religion: Trends and Horizons*. This project is a survey of important trends in global religion. Anticipated completion, 2016.

*The New Evangelical Moral Imagination: A multi-sited Ethnographic Study of Early Adult Evangelicals living in Urban Centers as members of the Creative class*.

## **Conference Presentations**

“Living the Revolution in Nashville: Evangelical Witness in the Postmodern World,” Congregations and Communities: A Session in Honor of Nancy Eiesland, August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2010, at the Association for the Sociology of Religion (ASR) Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

“Religion and Civic Engagement: Faith and the Post-Katrina Response,” panel presenter and facilitator, at the Imagining America: Culture, Crisis and Recovery Conference, New Orleans, October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009.

“Religion and Public Policy: A Response to Ronald Sider and Steven Monsma,” The Christian Scholars’ Conference, Lipscomb University June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2008.

## **Other Papers and Presentations**

“Religion In America,” presented at Sen Yat Sen University, Guangzhou, China, 2014.

“Religion in the Global Context,” for Vanderbilt University Divinity School’s Board of Visitors, Fall 2013.

“Leadership’s Unspoken Virtue: Listening,” At Vanderbilt Law School, Fall 2012.

“Leadership and Communication,” Cal Turner Program Leadership Breakfast, September 13, 2012.

“Leading Change,” Dean of Students Office, Vanderbilt University, 2011.

“Values in Leadership,” Dean of Students Office, Vanderbilt University, 2012.

“Healthcare and Congregations,” A Course taught for Vanderbilt Divinity School at Ghost Ranch, New Mexico, July 2010.

“Finding God in New Orleans,” Community Breakfast, Vanderbilt Divinity School, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2010.

“Project Pyramid: Religion and the Business of Alleviating Poverty,” Community Breakfast Presentation: India and Poverty, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008.

“The Future of Mainline Protestantism,” presented to the Disciples of Christ Regional Meeting, Nashville, TN, October 22, 2010.

“Faith Development,” First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, February 2009.

“Evangelicalism in America,” First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, March 2008.

“Religious Diversity in America,” First Presbyterian Church, February 2007.

## **Service**

### **Divinity School**

Vanderbilt Community Action Network, faculty advisor, 2012-current.

- Faculty advisor for community action fellows.

Sexual Violence Task Force, 2014-current.

- Committee tasked with developing strategies and interventions to reduce sexual violence at Vanderbilt and in our communities.

Nursing School/Divinity School Exploration Joint Degree Review Committee, 2014-- current.

- Committee created to develop our joint degree with the nursing school.

Disciples House Advisory Committee, 2012-current.

Academic Programs Committee, 2014-2015, previously 2009-2011.

International Education Committee, 2011- current.

Admissions Committee, 2008-2009.

Honor Council and Admissions Committee, 2006-2008.

First Year Colloquy Leader, 2006-2007.

Divinity School Faculty advisor for Project Pyramid, Vanderbilt University, 2007-present.

## **Graduate Division of Religion**

Reader. D.L. Gray, Ethics, “Mercy, Mercy, Me (The Ecology): Black Culture, Aesthetics, and the Search for a ‘Green’ Community. Fourth Reader. Defended, Spring 2014.

Reader, Natalie Wigg Stevenson, Theology, “Faith in My Bones: An Exercise in Ethnographic Theology.” Fourth Reader, Defended, Spring 2011.

Aaron Howard, Ethics, Second Reader.

Myjounghun Yun, Religion, Community, Personality, Fourth Reader.

Andrea Tucker, Ethics, Fourth Reader.

Naomi Annandale, Religion, Community, Personality, Fourth Reader.

Mark McCormack, Community Action Research (Peabody), Fourth Reader.

Joshua Villines, Homiletics, Outside Reader.

## **University**

Vanderbilt University’s Faculty Senate, 2013-2014.

University Grievance Committee, 2013-2014.

Vanderbilt-Meharry Alliance committee, 2012-present.

Led Vanderbilt’s Center for Teaching’s Strategic Planning Initiative, 2012-2013.

Vanderbilt University Committee for Religious Life, 2011-2013.

Served on Search Committee for Vanderbilt University’s Director of Religious Life, 2012.

Faculty VUCeption with Commodore Visions (teaching freshmen), 2015, 2008.

## **Community**

Quality Enhancement Plan Evaluator, for SACS re-accreditation for Columbia Seminary, Decatur, GA, 2013.

Reviewer for proposals for The Christian Scholar's Conference, 2009.

Advisory Board for Nashville Cares, World AIDS Day Film festival. Delivered lecture on Leadership and HIV in the global context at Meharry Medical College as part of the weeklong World AIDS Day Film festival, 2007-2008.

### **Ecclesial Membership and Participation**

Trinity Presbyterian Church, Nashville, TN, 2007-present.

Co-chair, Strategic Planning Committee, 2010-2011.

Co-chair, Stewardship Committee, 2008-2009.

Regular (annually) presenter at June Ramsey Class, First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, 2008-.

### **Academic Associations**

American Academy of Religion  
The Society for Christian Ethics  
The Association for the Sociology of Religion  
International Leadership Association

### **References**

Upon Request