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Professional and Academic Employment

Senior Legal Writer

Current Awareness Team

Thomson Reuters

September 2020 – present

McDonald Distinguished Fellow

Center for the Study of Law and Religion

Emory University

October 2019 – present

Adjunct Faculty Member

Religion and Philosophy

Averett University

August – December 2019

Managing Editor

Business Entities and Tax Accounting

Bloomberg BNA

October 2009 – August 2014

Editor

BNA

October 2001 – October 2009

Associate Attorney

Sweeny, Wingate, & Barrow, P.A.

Columbia, SC

May 2000 – October 2001

Associate Attorney

Belz & Jones P.C.

St. Louis, MO

August 1994 – July 1996, May 1997 – April 2000

Staff Attorney

Bryan Cave LLP

St. Louis, MO

August 1996 – May 1997

Education

Ph.D., Theological Ethics, University of Aberdeen Divinity School, 2019

Thesis: *“NECESSITAS: A Theological History of Taxation”*

M.Th., Theological Ethics, University of Aberdeen Divinity School, 2015 (John Hope Prize)

Thesis: *“‘Seek Justice’: A Theological Analysis of Taxation Histories in the Western World”*

LL.M., Taxation, Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, 2000 (Gary I. Boren Memorial Prize)

Concentration: Estate Planning, Business Entities

J.D., University of Notre Dame Law School, 1994

M.A., Comparative Literature, Indiana University, Bloomington, 1990

Concentration: Literary and Biblical Studies

Thesis: *“The Discrete Point as Motive in Exegesis: The Unique Figuration of Genesis One in Augustine’s Confessions”*

M.A., Exegetical Theology, Covenant Theological Seminary, St. Louis, 1989

(Summa cum Laude, Exegetical Theology Prize)

Concentration: New Testament

Thesis: *“Aesthetic Analysis as a Tool in New Testament Exegesis: An Analysis of the Parable of the Good Samaritan”*

B.A., Literature and History, Washington University, St. Louis, 1986 (Magna cum Laude)

Publications (Selected)

Tax Law, Religion and Justice: An Exploration of Theological Reflections on Taxation, under contract to Routledge.

“The True Freedom of the Christian Spirit’: Martin Luther’s Vision of Redistributive Taxation,” in *Character Formation and Moral Education in Pluralistic Societies*, edited by John Witte, Jr., et al., forthcoming from EVA, Leipzig.

“Martin Luther and Tax: A Protestant Perspective on Redistributive Taxation, *Ad Fontes* (September 2020)

Conference Presentations (Selected)

“Equality and Eucharist: Shaping a Vision of Economic Justice Through the Practice of Communion.” Upcoming presentation at the “Mammon and Morality” Conference, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX. Autumn 2020.

“Taxation and Redistribution: What the Christian Tradition Can Teach Us.” Presentation at the Center for the Study of Law and Religion, Emory University, Atlanta, GA. April 2019.

<https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=https%3a%2f%2fwww.youtube.com%2fwatch%3fv%3dlohxqxvjmq&view=detail&mid=CD7A75A3BCE0D208C496CD7A75A3BCE0D208C496&FORM=VIRE>

“Need Versus Utility in Tax History: The Political Legacy of Theological Categories.” Presentation at the Political Theology Network Conference, Atlanta, GA. February 2018.

“Inequality as Challenge and Opportunity: Exploring Economic Inequality through John Calvin’s Sermons and Commentaries.” Presentation at the Kirby Laing Institute for Christian Ethics Conference “Appraising the Challenges and Opportunities Arising from Economic and Business Life Today.” Cambridge, UK. June 2017.

“What Thomas Aquinas Can Teach Us About Taxation.” Presentation at the Intersect Project Student Challenge Symposium (second-place award). Wake Forest, NC. June 2016.

Teaching Experience

Adjunct Faculty Member, philosophy, Averett University, August – December 2019

Various IPE Continuing Paralegal Education Seminars, NBI Continuing Legal Education Seminars, Half Moon Continuing Paralegal Education Seminars, 1998 – 2001

New Testament Greek, Covenant Theological Seminary, 1989

Languages

French: proficient reading

German: reading (with dictionary)

Biblical Greek: reading (with lexicon)

Biblical Hebrew: reading (with lexicon)

Latin: reading (with dictionary)