

CURRICULUM VITAE
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EDUCATION

Th.D., Duke Divinity School, Christian theology, 2015
Secondary concentration: Latin American and Latino/a theologies
M.Div., Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, CA, 2010
B.A., University of California, Irvine, Economics, 2005

PUBLICATIONS

“How Divine Solidarity Liberates,” *Scottish Journal of Theology* (forthcoming; in production)
“Who Are Our People? Toward a Christian Witness against Borders,” *Modern Theology* 34, no. 4 (October 2018): 495–518
“Neither Just nor Necessary: Barth and War, Again,” *Political Theology* 12, no. 3 (2011): 396–417
“Creation, Christ, Church: How Theologians Evaluate Borders” (under review by *Journal of Religious Ethic*)
Belonging without Borders: The Ethics of Borders and the Mission of the Church (under contract with Cascade Books)
Review of *God and the Illegal Alien*, by Robert W. Heimbürger, in *Modern Theology* (forthcoming; in production)
Review of *Strangers in This World: Multireligious Reflections on Immigration*, ed. Hussam S. Timani, Allen G. Jorgenson, and Alexander Y. Hwang, Reading Religion, October 6, 2016

HONORS

Recipient of Faculty Research Council Grant, Azusa Pacific University, 2019–2020
Fellow, Center for Research in Ethics and Values, Azusa Pacific University, 2018–2019
Participant, “Hispanics and Theological Education in the U.S.,” Seminar for Pre-Tenure Faculty and Ph.D. Students, Center for the Study of Latino/a Christianity and Religions, Southern Methodist University, November 2016

CONFERENCE AND LECTURE ACTIVITY

Refereed Presentations

“How Divine Solidarity Liberates,” AAR (Systematic Theology Unit), November 2018
“Creation, Christ, Church: How Theologians Evaluate Borders,” AAR (Interreligious Reflections on Migration Section), November 2018
“Immigration Controversies: How to Think Theologically about Family Separation, Travel Bans, and Activism,” Faith Matters #1, Azusa Pacific University (invited public lecture), October 2018
“Citizenship and Alienage after the Dividing Wall of Hostility: The Theological Bases for

- De-Bordering Belonging,” Society of Christian Ethics, January 2017
- “The Preferential Option for One’s Own People: On the Uses of Augustine’s *Ordo Amoris* for Immigration Ethics,” AAR (Religion & Politics Section), November 2016
- “*Iglesia Mezclada*: Performing the Tactics of Citizenship on the ‘Open Wound,’” Biennial Conference of the Association of Practical Theology, April 2016
- “Who Will ‘Our People’ Become? or, Who Will Become ‘Our People’? The Question for Christian Immigration Ethics,” *Manos Unidas*, a student group in the Hispanic House of Studies at Duke Divinity School, October 2014
- “Numbering the Non-Elect: Immigration Restriction and the Production of Hispanic Aliens,” *Symposium against Indifference: Engaging Latin America and the Caribbean* at Ashland University, Ashland, OH, March 2014

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Instructor or Co-Instructor

- Assistant Professor of Theology, Azusa Pacific University, August 2017 – present
- Adjunct Instructor, THL3790 Latin American Theology, Villanova University, Spring 2017
- Adjunct Instructor, REL110 World Religions, The College of New Jersey, Spring 2017
- Adjunct Instructor, XT705 Introduction to Christian Theology, Duke Divinity School, Summer 2016

AREAS OF INTEREST AND TEACHING

Christian theology; theology and migration; political theology; Latin American and Latino/a theologies; theological ethics

ACADEMIC ASSOCIATIONS

American Academy of Religion