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1986---1987	Part-time Parish Coordinator of Secondary Religious Education , St. Ignatius of Antioch Parish, Austin, Texas [while pursuing language studies in German and Latin at the University of Texas]
1984---1986	Associate Diocesan Director of Religious Education , the Diocese of Ft. Worth, Texas
1983---1984	Part-Time Campus Minister , St. Mary's University, San Antonio, Texas [while pursuing an M.A. in Biblical Theology]
1981-1983	Campus Minister , North Texas State University (now University of North Texas) and Texas Women's University, Denton, Texas

PUBLICATIONS

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SELECT LECTURES, ADDRESSES AND PRESENTATIONS

- **“The Sense of the Faithful: Recovering a Forgotten Teaching from Vatican II.”** The Shannon Lecture, Nazareth College. April 16, 2015.
- **“How does the Holy Spirit Assist the Church in Its Teaching?”** The Holy Spirit Lecture at Duquesne University, January 31st, 2014.
- **“For the Love of the Game: Toward a Theology of Sport.”** The Dee Christie lecture at John Carroll University, Cleveland on October 10, 2013.
- **“Vatican II as an ‘Unfinished Building Site’.”** The inaugural St. Monica-St. George Lecture at the University of Cincinnati, April 11th, 2013.
- **“Vatican II: An Unfinished Building Site.”** The Flannery Lecture at Gonzaga University, March 21st, 2013.
- **“Does a Doctrinal Teaching Authority Have an Ecumenical Future?”** Paper given at the International Ecclesiological Investigations conference in Assisi, Italy, on April 20th, 2012.
- **“Church Authority and Ecumenism: Obstacle or Opportunity.”** The annual Lourdes lecture at Lourdes University, Toledo, Ohio on March 25th, 2012.
- **“The Virtue of Doubt: Engaging Magisterial Activism Today.”** Lecture given to the Theological Institute at Villanova University, February 20th, 2012.
- **“Ecclesiological Reflections on the Elizabeth Johnson Case.”** Lecture given at St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, Nova Scotia on January 27th, 2012.
- **“The State of the Church, 2011: Reflections on the State of American Catholicism.”** Annual Murray/Bacik Lecture in Catholic Studies given at the University of Toledo, January 27th, 2011.
- **“Contemporary Religious Life’s Creative Fidelity to the Vision of Vatican II.”** Plenary address delivered to the annual meeting of the Leadership Conference of Women Religious (LCWR) in Dallas, August, 2010.
- **“Re-Imagining the Ecclesial/Prophetic Vocation of the Theologian.”** Plenary address delivered with Dr. Catherine Clifford at the Catholic Theological Society of America (CTSA) annual convention in Cleveland, June 12, 2010.
- **“Is There a Catholic Vote: Perils and Possibilities in Faith-Based Voting.”** Annual Murray/Bacik Lecture in Catholic Studies given at the University of Toledo, Sept. 16th, 2008.
- **“Shopping for God: The Influence of Consumerism on American Christianity.”** Annual Murray/Bacik Lecture in Catholic Studies given at the University of Toledo, March 18th, 2008.
- **“The Office of the Bishop within the *Communio Ecclesiarum*: Insights from the Ecclesiology of Jean-Marie Tillard.”** Given as part of a colloquium honoring the contributions of the late Jean-Marie Tillard, O.P. on November 30th, 2007 in Toronto.
- **“Episcopal Leadership and the Church in the United States.”** Given at the Catholic Theological Society of America annual convention, for the *Church in the United States* developing group, June 9th, 2007.
- **“Toward Becoming a Dialogical Community: Can the Church Model Civility in an Uncivil Culture and Still Keep Its Faith?”** The annual Thomas Lecture at St. Meinrad Seminary, given April 19th, 2007.
- **“Catholic Christianity: Global Religion or European Export?”** Annual Murray/Bacik Lecture in Catholic Studies given at the University of Toledo, March 20th, 2007.
- **“The Bishop in a Global Church.”** The Aquinas lecture given at the Aquinas Institute of Theology in St. Louis, January 29th, 2007.

SERVICE

University

- Chair of the Boston College Theology Department, 2016-
- Director of Graduate Studies, Boston College Theology Department, 2013-16.

Academy

- Past president of the Catholic Theological Society of America (CTSA), 2013-14.
- Member of the editorial board for *Theoforum*, the bilingual, peer-reviewed theology journal of the faculty of St. Paul University, Ottawa.
- Member of the Liturgical Press Editorial Advisory Council.
- Served on the CTSA Board of Directors, 2006-08
- Served on the CTSA *ad hoc* committee addressing the clerical sexual abuse crisis in the church, 2002.
- Served on the CTSA research and publications committee, 2001-02.
- Served on the CTSA Task Force for the Study of the Family as Domestic Church, 1994-7.

Church

- Currently serving on the advisory board of the Catholic Women Preach project co-sponsored by FutureChurch and the Dominican Sisters of Peace.
- A USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops) appointed delegate to the U.S. United Methodist-Roman Catholic Dialogue (2001-05).
- Served as theological consultant for the USCCB sub-committee on lay ministry (2003) and the sub-committee on marriage and the family (2002).
- Served as theological consultant for Bishop Joseph Fiorenza regarding his pastoral letter, "Many Members, One Body--A Pastoral Letter on the Cultural and Ethnic Diversity of the Church of Galveston-Houston," May 20, 1994.
- Frequent speaker at local, national and international academic and pastoral conferences [approximately 10-15 out-of-town speaking engagements per year].

Community

- Expert consultant to local, national and international media on matters related to the Roman Catholic Church [From 2001 to 2009, I have given 115 media interviews on topics related to the study of Catholicism].
- Founder of the (2009) University of Toledo Center for Religious Understanding. This center is dedicated to reaching out to the local civic community and media, serving as a resource for enhancing the civic community's religious literacy. Work toward the establishment of this center included writing numerous grants to obtain funding for the center's programming.
- Producer and host of the television show, *Faith Matters* (2009-11), a joint venture of the UT Center for Religious Understanding and WGTE, the local PBS station. This 30 minute interview program explores important questions regarding the role of religion in society by interviewing leading scholars and religious leaders (e.g., Dr. Scot Appleby and Ms. Asra Nomani).
- Served on then Senator Barack Obama's National Catholic Advisory Steering Committee for his 2008 presidential campaign.

AWARDS

- 2016 recipient of the second place award in the “Books on Vatican II” category of the Catholic Press Association for *An Unfinished Council: Vatican II, Pope Francis, and the Renewal of Catholicism* (Liturgical Press, 2015).
- 2012 recipient of the first place award in the “Theology” category of the Association of Catholic Publishers for *When the Magisterium Intervenes* (Liturgical Press).
- 2012 recipient of the third place award in the “General Interest” category of the Association of Catholic Publishers for *Keys to the Council* (co-authored with Catherine Clifford, Liturgical Press).
- 2012 recipient of the first place award in the “Religion/Philosophy” category of the Midwest Book Awards for *Keys to the Council* (co-authored with Catherine Clifford, Liturgical Press).
- 2010 Recipient of the University of Toledo College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Excellence Award.
- 2009 Recipient of grant from the Ohio Humanities Council for the production of four 30 minute television segments for the series *Faith Matters*.
- 2007 Recipient of a Program for Academic Excellence internal grant from the University of Toledo as program director for the “Initiative for Enhancing Inter-Religious Dialogue.”
- Received the 2nd Place Prize in the History Book category from the Catholic Press Association 2007 publishing awards for, *The Church in the Making: Lumen Gentium, Christus Dominus, Orientalium Ecclesiarum* (Paulist Press, 2006).
- Received Honorable Mention in the “General Interest—Article” categories by the Catholic Press Association in 2006 for “A Report Card on the Church: Forty Years after Vatican II.” *Liguorian* 93 (November, 2005): 8-13.
- Recipient of a Sabbatical Grant from the Louisville Institute for the Study of Faith and Culture for the 2005-06 academic year.
- Received the 2nd Place Award in the “Spanish Book Titles” category by the Catholic Press Association in 2005 for *Una vision del ministerio pastoral* (Liguori Press, 2002).
- Received the 3rd Place Award in the “Spanish Book Titles” category by the Catholic Press Association in 2005 for *Una espiritualidad para los lectores* (Liguori Press, 2002).
- Received Honorable Mention in the “General Interest—Article” category by the Catholic Press Association in 2004 for “Can Catholics Disagree with Church Teaching?” *Liguorian* (September, 2003): 10-14
- Received the “Sophia Award” from the Washington Theological Union, in Washington, DC on February 20th, 2000. The award is given each year to a promising theologian whose work has contributed to a greater understanding of the church.
- Received the 2nd Place Award in the “General Interest—Article” category by the Catholic Press Association in 1999 for “A Time to Wait: An Advent Reflection,” *Commonweal* (December 4, 1998): 11-13.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Academy of Religion
- Catholic Theological Society of America
- College Theology Society
- North American Academy of Liturgy