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Curriculum vitae as of March 2015

WORK

Wyoming Catholic College
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EDUCATION

2011-2013

International Theological Institute, Center for Eastern Christian Studies, Trumau, Austria
Licentiate in Sacred Theology, *summa cum laude*, June 2013
Thesis: *Priestly Purity or Prophetic Transformation? The Early Church and Sexual Asceticism*
Director: Yosyp Veresh, S.T.D; D.T.S.

2009-2010

International Theological Institute, Trumau, Austria
S.T.M./Magister Theologiae, *summa cum laude*, June 2010
Thesis: *Philokalia: The Theological Tradition of the Eastern Catholic Churches of the Byzantine Tradition in the Documents of the Fathers of the Second Vatican Council*
Director: Yosyp Veresh, S.T.D; D.T.S.

Summer 2009

Aquinas Institute for Study of Sacred Doctrine, Lander, WY
Summer Program: *Reading St. Paul with St. Thomas*
Course Work: Intensive Reading of all of the traditional Pauline Corpus and all of St. Thomas' commentaries on said corpus

Summer 2008

Aquinas Institute for Study of Sacred Doctrine, Lander, WY
Summer Program: *Prima Pars Summa Theologiae*
Course Work: Intensive reading of the entire Prima Pars of St. Thomas Aquinas' *Summa Theologiae*

2003-2007

Thomas Aquinas College

B.A. in Liberal Arts, May 2007

Thesis: *Turning the Hearts of Sons to their Father: A Biblical Anthropology*

2001-2003

Casper College

A.A. in Political Science and A.A. in Foreign Languages (Spanish and French), May 2003

CURRENT POSITIONS

January 2012-Present

INSTRUCTOR OF THEOLOGY

Wyoming Catholic College

Supervisor: Dr. Glenn Arbery, Academic Dean

FORMER POSITIONS

March 2014-June 2015

DEAN OF STUDENTS

Wyoming Catholic College

Supervisor: Dr. John Mortensen, Academic Dean

June 2010-June 2011

ADMISSIONS COUNSELOR

International Theological Institute; Trumau, Austria

Supervisor: Mr. Sebastian Hoogewerf, Director for Finance and Administration

Summer 2010

DIRECTOR OF SUMMER PROGRAMS

Wyoming Catholic College; Lander, WY

Supervisor: Mr. Mark Randall, Vice President for Institutional Advancement

June 2007-August 2009

ASSISTANT DEAN FOR STUDENT LIFE

Wyoming Catholic College; Lander, WY

Supervisor: Fr. Robert Cook, President

August 2004-May 2007

STUDENT PREFECT

Thomas Aquinas College; Santa Paula CA

Supervisor: Dr. Michael Letteney, Assistant Dean for Student Affairs

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Ascetical theology in the Eastern Patristic tradition; comparative sacramental theology (in general, but especially marriage and holy orders) in Byzantine and Thomistic theological traditions; theological methodology in Byzantine Catholic and Thomistic traditions.

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Platonic and Aristotelian Philosophy, Eastern Patristic philosophy and theology (esp. Alexandrian and Cappadocian schools, Maximus the Confessor, and John of Damascus), Eastern Patristic and Thomistic Christology; logic in the Platonic, Aristotelian and Thomistic tradition; Patristic and Thomistic natural theology; ecclesiology, specifically, the ecclesiology of Churches *sui iuris*; Early Christian Studies; political thought of Plato, Alexis de Tocqueville and John Paul II.

RESPONSIBILITIES AT WYOMING CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Courses taught in Theology

- THL 102: Faith, Reason and Revelation
- THL 201P: Introduction to Praying the Liturgy
- THL 201: The Mystery of the Trinity
- THL 301: The Fall Redemption and Eternal Life
- THL 302: The Mystery of the Incarnation
- THL 302P: Perfection in Charity
- THL 401: The Body of Christ
- THL 402: Life in Christ

Courses taught in Philosophy

- PHL 101: Logic I
- PHL 102: Logic II

Courses taught in Rhetoric

- TRV 202: Oral Rhetoric and Political Discourse

Courses taught in Humanities

- HMN 403: Leadership in American Culture

Courses taught in Latin

- LAT 301/401: Latin Reading: *Quaestiones ad Thallasium*, Latine Interpretatione Eriugena
- LAT 301/401: Latin Reading: Aquinas, *In librum B. Dionysii De divinis nominibus expositio*

Advising

- 2-3 students advised each year on senior thesis projects of wide ranging subject matter

Administrative

- Faculty Elected Academic Council Member (Jan. 2016-present)
- Dean of Students (March 2014-June 2015)
Oversee a student body of 120 students, insuring their legitimate needs are met and maintaining compliance with rules of residence. Providing training and direction to student prefects and activity directors, and supervise Student Life Coordinators. Assist in managing the College Work-Study Program. *Ex officio* member of Academic Council (academic governing body of the College), Chaplaincy Committee, Catholic Culture Initiative, and Risk Management Team.
- Coordinator of Guest Lecture Series (Fall 2012-June 2015)
- Admissions Committee Member (September 2012-March 2014; Jul 2015-Dec. 2016)
- Assistant Dean of Student Life (June 2007-August 2009)

STUDENT TEACHING AT INTERNATIONAL THEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE

- STM 211: Synoptic Gospels

PRESENTATIONS

“Speaking as Friends: Freedom of Assembly as the Foundation of Civil Society.” Lecture presented as part of *Wyoming Catholic College’s Liberty Lecture Series*, in Casper, Lander and Cheyenne, WY, July 14, 20, 30, 2015. Available online at

<http://www.wyomingcatholiccollege.com/about-wcc/LibertyLectures/index.aspx>

“Two Theologies of the Church Building: The Complimentary Visions of St. Maximus the Confessor and St. Thomas Aquinas.” Paper delivered at the 2014 Meeting of the Society for Catholic Liturgy in Colorado Springs, CO, Oct. 3, 2014.

“Freedom From the Ground Up: Cultivating the Character of the Republic’s Citizens.” Lecture Presented as part of *Wyoming Catholic College’s Liberty Lecture Series*, in Casper, Cheyenne, Jackson, and Lander, WY, June 16, 18, 20, 26, 2014. Available online at

https://www.wyomingcatholiccollege.com/data/files/gallery/WCCFileGallery/Casper_Lecture_for_Web.MP3

“The Prophetic Witness of Divine Glory: The Essential Role of the Ascetical Tradition of the Christian East in the New Evangelization.” Paper delivered at Benedictine College, Atchison Kansas, Symposium on Advancing the New Evangelization, March 22, 2014.

“Is Sacred Doctrine One? The Byzantine Theological Tradition and St. Thomas Aquinas”
Lecture Presented at Wyoming Catholic College, Lander, WY, November 19, 2013.

“The History and Structure of the Great Fast” Lecture Presented at Wyoming Catholic College, Lander, WY, February 8, 2013. Available online at
https://www.wyomingcatholiccollege.com/data/files/gallery/WCCFileGallery/Washut_The_Great_Fast_C.mp3

“Introduction to The Gospels of St. Matthew and St. Mark” Four classes taught for the Albert the Great Center for Scholastic Studies in Norcia, Italy, June 19-22, 2012.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

- Certified Wilderness First Responder; Wilderness Medical Institute (WMI), since 2012
- CPR certified; Wilderness Medical Institute (WMI), since 2012
- Successfully completed 1-week Winter Leadership Expedition; National Outdoor Leadership School (NOLS), January 2008
- Successfully completed 3-Week Leadership Expedition; National Outdoor Leadership School (NOLS), Summer 2007
- National Merit Scholar, 2003
- Inducted into Phi Theta Kappa Honors Society, 2003

SERVICE WORK AND ORGANIZATIONS

- Organized student volunteer work on Wind River Indian Reservation including visits to senior citizens, bible study classes, etc., 2012-2013
- Volunteer weekends with Christ in the City in Denver, CO, 2013
- First Degree Member of the Knights of Columbus
- Confirmation Instructor for Holy Rosary Parish, 2008-2009
- RCIA Instructor for Holy Rosary Parish, 2008-2009

PERSONAL

Born September 28, 1984, in Casper, WY; grew up in Wyoming.

Languages: English (native); German (intermediate conversation), Latin, Greek, French, Spanish, (reading ability)

Wedded to Erin Wolfe on 12/08/2007; three children Miriam (2/10/2009), Grace (2/05/2011), and Kyril (06/04/2014)

INTERNET PUBLICATIONS

“St. Joseph in the East” Posted, March 19, 2014

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2015/03/st-joseph-in-east.html#.VUHGxyFViko>

“The Season of Revelation: The Feast of Theophany/Epiphany” Posted January 8, 2015

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2015/01/the-season-of-revelation-feast-of.html#.VUH HKCFViko>

“Burial Rites of the Theotokos” Posted August 15, 2015

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2014/08/burial-rites-of-theotokos.html#.VUHHEiFViko>

“The Liturgical Theology of Pentecost” Posted on June 9, 2014, at

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2014/06/liturgical-theology-of-pentecost.html>

“Fetishising Councils?” Posted on June 2, 2014 at

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2014/06/fetishising-councils.html#.U6Xh8PldWYU>

“The Apodosis, or Leavetaking, of Pashca” Posted on May 28, 2014 at

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2014/05/the-apodosis-or-leavetaking-of-pascha.html#.U6Xh-ldWYU>

“Holy and Great Constantine, Equal to the Apostles” Posted on May 22, 2014

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2014/05/holy-and-great-constantine-equal-to.html#.U6XiVldWYU>

“The Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts I” Posted on March 4, 2014, at

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2014/03/the-liturgy-of-presanctified-gifts.html#.UyZzyvldWtA>.

“Sviata Techera: Christmas Eve with Byzantine Slavs” Posted on December 24, 2013, at

<http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2013/12/sviata-techera-christmas-eve-with.html#.UyZ0APldWtA>

“The Pre-Festal Days of Christmas in the Christian East” Posted on December 21, 2013, at

http://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2013/12/the-pre-festal-days-of-christmas-in_21.html#.UyZ0PPldWtA