



Research Proposals Due April 1

In order to attend RDOC9303 Prospectus Development June 6-10, 2011, a student must submit 4 copies of the research proposal to the guidance committee chairperson on or before **April 1, 2011**. The guidance committee chairperson will enlist two division readers to provide feedback in addition to the second member of the guidance committee, and the student will need to work with the chairperson to make any required revisions before the guidance committee approves the document. A Research Proposal Report form indicating guidance committee approval and 2 copies of the finalized document must be received by the ReDOC office no later than **May 13, 2011**.

If you submit a proposal to your guidance committee chairperson by April 1, please notify the ReDOC office so that we can send you a syllabus for the course. Students submitting proposals should register for the course during May 16-June 3 online registration.

Qualifying Exam Application Deadline

If you plan to take the qualifying examination August 3-5, 2011, you must submit an application form signed by your faculty advisor to the ReDOC office by **April 1**. Applications are available in the "Program Materials" section of the ReDOC Web page and in the ReDOC office.

Students who will have completed 4 seminars and 2 colloquia (plus any additional major requirements) and CE students who will have completed their first year in the program by the end of the spring 2011 semester are eligible to take the exam. Students who will have completed 5 seminars must pass the exam before taking additional seminars.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

- ◆ March 28: Doctoral Admissions Meeting
- ◆ April 1: ThM Application Deadline
- ◆ April 14: Manuel Archaeology Lecture
- ◆ April 22: Good Friday (Offices Closed)



The Division of Biblical Studies and the
Manuel Archaeology Lecture
Presents

Tsvika Tsuk

“Water Systems of Ancient Israel and Canaan”

Thursday, April 14, 3:00-5:00 PM
Providence Learning Center Conference Room

Tsvika Tsuk is the Director of the Department of Archaeology & Heritage
at the Israel Nature and National Parks Protection Authority

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PROGRAM DATES AND DEADLINES

- ◆ April 1: Research Proposal Submission Deadline
- ◆ April 1: Qualifying Exam Application Deadline
- ◆ April 27: Fall IDS Submission Deadline

Tulane University
The Catherine and Henry J. Gaisman Chair of Judeo-Christian Studies
Spring 2011 Public Lecture Series

A Series on Philosophy and Theology in the New Millennium—
The Future of Society

Thursday, March 24, 2011
7:30 PM

Douglas G. Brinkley, Professor of History and Fellow
James Baker III Institute for Public Policy
Rice University, Houston

“The Great American Outdoors from Theodore Roosevelt to Barack Obama: An Environmental History”

Thursday, April 14, 2011
7:30 PM

Rosemary Radford Ruether, Visiting Professor of
Feminist Theology
Claremont School of Theology, Claremont, CA

“Christology and Anti-Semitism”

Lectures are in the Myra Clare Rogers Memorial Chapel Newcomb Campus of Tulane University, 1229 Broadway. For further information, please visit their [Web page](#).

IF YOU HAVE MOVED OR CHANGED YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER, PLEASE SEND THAT UPDATED INFORMATION TO THE REDOC OFFICE.

Fall Directed Study Proposals

If you would like to do a directed study this fall and have not contacted the ReDOC office for guidelines concerning preparation and chain of approval, please do so as soon as possible. In order to have a directed study proposal for fall considered by ReDOC at their **May 4** meeting, 11 copies of the proposal must be submitted to the ReDOC office by **April 27**.

ReDOC Schedule for 2010-11

The following are the ReDOC meetings for 2010-11:

April 4, 2011 (Doctoral Admissions)

April 6, 2011

May 4, 2011 (fall directed study proposals)

May 18, 2011 (11:30 AM)

A prospectus to be considered by ReDOC must be reviewed by your guidance committee and 11 copies submitted through your chairperson to the Office of Research Doctoral Programs no later than one week before the scheduled ReDOC meeting. Please keep in mind that final approval of your prospectus is granted by

your doctoral guidance committee after you make any revisions your committee deems appropriate in light of feedback from ReDOC.

Likewise, matters such as directed study proposals and requests to take courses at other institutions must be submitted one week before the ReDOC meeting at which they will be considered.

SBHLA Lynn E. May Jr. Study Grant

The Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives, Council of Seminary Presidents, sponsors a program whereby funds are made available periodically for partial support of research in the Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives. The grants provide a maximum of \$750. The grants are in memory of Lynn E. May Jr., who served as Executive Director of the Historical Commission from 1971 to 1995 and who has been instrumental in the establishment of the Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives. Graduate students, college and seminary professors, historians, and other writers may apply for the grants. An application is available for download on the SBHLA [Web site](#). Applications should be submitted to Bill Sumners, SBHLA director, **by April 1, 2011.**

Scholarly Society Meetings

Call for Papers

American Society of Church History

Paper proposal submission deadline is
March 15, 2011

For more information, visit the ASCH Web site at www.churchhistory.org

Meeting:
January 5-8, 2012
Chicago, IL

Call for Papers

Evangelical Theological Society

Paper proposal submission deadline is
March 31, 2011

For more information, visit the ETS Web site at www.etsjets.org

Meeting:
November 16-18, 2011
San Francisco, CA



For more information, please contact the ReDOC Office at phd@nobts.edu.

Presentations /Publications

Josh Stewart (OT), “Amos’ Motive for Social Justice: Mishphat Usadeqah,” to be presented at the Southeast Regional ETS meeting at First Baptist Conyers, GA on March 25-26, 2011.

Josh also recently had a book review published in JETS 53 (2010): 818-20.

Evangelical Theological Society

Southwest Regional Meeting

“Evangelical Theological Method”

March 18-19, 2011 at Dallas Theological Seminary

Southeast Regional Meeting

“Theological Dialogue with the Evangelical Community”

March 25-26, 2011 at First Baptist Church Conyers, GA