



## *ReDOC Receives Wabash Grant*

NOBTS is one of 22 schools to receive a Graduate Programs Teaching Initiative grant from the Wabash Center. Under this program, a group of PhD alumni with teaching appointments will return to campus to discuss their preparation for teaching. The goal for this two-day conference is to understand the challenges professors face as they begin to teach and to explore new ways to prepare PhD students to meet these challenges.

Working with Dr. Ray to plan and lead the sessions will be Dr. Willie Jennings, Associate Professor of Theology and Black Church Studies at Duke University Divinity School. Later in the spring, representatives of all 22 schools will meet at the Wabash Center to dialog about the results of their individual conferences.

## *Welcome, New Students!*

Congratulations to the following students, who were accepted into the PhD program beginning in January 2012:

- Tom Burke (Christian ed.)
- Rob Chambers (evangelism)
- Kathy Frady (Christian ed.)
- Josh Powell (evangelism)
- Chase Rogers (preaching)
- Taylor Rutland (New Testament)
- Phillip Walleck (Christian ed.)

Accepted for Fall 2012 was Charles Owusu (Christian ed.)

## *Register Online November 1-15*

Registration opened November 1 and **will close at 4:00 p.m. Central Time on November 15.** The [Spring 2012 schedule](#) is available online.

Tuition for spring courses is due on Friday, January 13, 2012. Tuition for the January miniterm course is due the first day of class.



## *Preaching Seminar: July 6-20 Oxford Trip*

Dr. Jerry Barlow will offer the PhD seminar PREA9403 British Preaching in conjunction with the [Oxford Trip](#) next summer. Students who wish to take this trip and course need to have the first deposit in by January 18, 2012. Students who have signed up for the trip will register for the course during May online registration.

Contact Dr. Lloyd Harsch for more information.

## *Summer NT Seminar*

Dr. Gerald Stevens will offer the PhD seminar NTGK9436 New Testament Exegesis: Romans during the summer of 2012. Watch for it on the May registration schedule.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS!**

- ◆ November 6: Daylight Saving Time Ends
- ◆ November 11: Graduation regalia rental deadline
- ◆ December 17: Graduation
- ◆ December 21, 5 p.m.-January 1: Offices Closed.
- ◆ January 2-6 Minterm: Prospectus Development
- ◆ January 16: Martin Luther King Day—Offices Closed; No Classes.
- ◆ January 17: Spring Semester Classes Begin

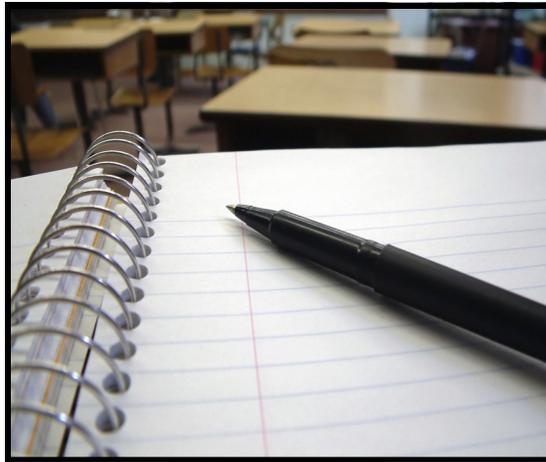


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**PROGRAM DATES AND DEADLINES**

- ◆ December 16: Research Proposal Approvals due to ReDOC office
- ◆ January 13: Spring Semester Tuition Due
- ◆ February 29: Summer Directed Study Proposal Submission Deadline



**The Following Prospectuses Were Approved:**

Courtney Eichelberger (Christian education), “Alan Keith-Lucas and the Strengths Based Perspective: A Qualitative Content Analysis Study”

Mark Foster (church history), “Marching to Victory: Southern Baptist Ministry to Members of the Military in the Second World War”

Hal Stewart (Christian education), “An Examination of the Relationship between Leadership Practices of Senior Pastors and Church Growth Measures”

**Address Changes?**

If you have changed your address, phone, or e-mail address, please inform the ReDOC Office. We are not on the seminary’s Power Campus system, so informing only the seminary will cause you to miss important communications from the ReDOC Office.

***ReDOC Schedule for 2011-12***

**The following are the remaining ReDOC meetings for 2011-12:**

**\*December 7, 2011**

**January 18, 2012** (no prospectuses)

**February 1, 2012**

**March 7, 2012** (summer directed study proposals)

**April 2, 2012** (Doctoral Admissions)

**April 4, 2012**

**May 2, 2012** (fall directed study proposals)

**May 16, 2012** (11:30 AM)

***\*For the December ReDOC meeting, the submission deadline is November 16 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.***

A prospectus to be considered by ReDOC must be reviewed by your guidance committee and 7 copies submitted through your chairperson to the Office of Research Doctoral Programs no later than one week before the scheduled ReDOC meeting. Also e-mail a pdf of the document to [phd@nobts.edu](mailto:phd@nobts.edu)

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. E-mail a pdf of your directed study proposal to [phd@nobts.edu](mailto:phd@nobts.edu) but submit a hard copy approval page.



## Fellowships and Grants



### The Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation

The [Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Dissertation Fellowships](#) support the final year of dissertation work for Ph.D. candidates in the humanities and social sciences. Eligible proposals have religious, cultural, or human rights questions. The stipend for this year will be \$25,000 for a twelve-month period of dissertation writing. The proposal submission deadline is **November 15, 2011**.

### AAR International Dissertation Research Grants Program

The International Dissertation Research Grants Program is designed to support AAR student members whose dissertation research requires them to travel outside of the country in which their school or university is located. Grants are intended to help candidates complete their doctoral degrees by offsetting costs of travel, lodging, and other dissertation research-related expenses. Two \$5,000 grants will be given for the 2011-2012 academic year. To be eligible, applicants must have been AAR student members for at least 2 years and must have completed all requirements for the doctoral degree except the dissertation. Applicants must submit a letter of application that describes their research project and how support for on-site research is critical for the completion of their dissertation, current curriculum vitae, proposed budget and project timeline, and letter of support from their dissertation supervisor. For more information and to download the application, please visit the [AAR Web site](#). **Application deadline: December 1, 2011.**

### 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, 2012**.

*Presentations*



Kathy Steele, “Contemporary Approaches to Marital and Premarital Therapy,”  
Louisiana Counseling Association Annual Conference, 19 September 2011,  
Baton Rouge, LA

*Fall 2011 Scholarly Society Meetings*



Evangelical Philosophical Society  
**Annual Meeting**  
November 16-18, 2011  
at  
Marriott Marquis &  
Parc 55 Wyndham  
San Francisco, CA

Evangelical Theological Society  
**Annual Meeting**  
“No Other Name”  
November 16-18, 2011  
at  
Marriott Marquis &  
Parc 55 Wyndham  
San Francisco, CA

Society of Biblical Literature  
**Annual Meeting**  
November 19-22, 2011  
at  
Marriott Marquis &  
Parc 55 Wyndham  
San Francisco, CA

## *Spring-Summer 2012 Scholarly Society Meetings*

### ***Call for Papers***

#### **Baptist History & Heritage Society**

Paper proposal submission  
deadline:

**December 19, 2011**

Theme: "Baptists & Theology"

For more information, visit the  
[BHHS Web site](#)

#### **Meeting:**

June 7-9, 2012  
First Baptist Church  
Raleigh, NC

### **Southwest Commission on Religious Studies**

#### **Annual Meeting**

March 9-11, 2012 at

Marriott Hotel  
DFW Airport North  
Irving, TX

### **Society of Biblical Literature**

#### **Southwest Regional Meeting**

March 9-11, 2012 at  
Marriott Hotel  
DFW Airport North



#### **Southeast Regional Meeting**

March 2-4, 2012 at  
Marriott Century Center  
Atlanta, GA

### **Evangelical Theological Society**

#### **Southwest Regional Meeting**

"Biblical Theology: Past and  
Present"

March 9-10, 2012 at  
SWBTS  
Fort Worth, TX



#### **Southeast Regional Meeting**

"Biblical Theology"

March 23-24, 2012 at  
SEBTS  
Wake Forest, NC

### **Baptist Association of Christian Educators**

#### **Annual Meeting**

March 1-2, 2012  
at  
Dallas Baptist University  
Dallas, TX

#### **THEME:**

"Engage the World"

