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## MAJOR AREA OF STUDY

Systematic Theology with emphasis on the doctrines of God, Humanity, Global Christianity, and the Trinity  
Christian History with emphasis on the Early Church  
Biblical Studies with emphasis on Old and New Testament Surveys

## DISSERTATION TITLE

*In Search of a Human Constitution: A Theological Exploration of the Heart, Soul, and Mind in the Shema*

## EDUCATION

**Ph.D.** (2010), New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, LA  
**Th.M.** (2006), New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, LA  
**B.A.** with distinction (2003), University of Victoria, Victoria, BC, Canada  
**M.Div.** (1997), Canadian Southern Baptist Seminary, Cochrane, AB, Canada  
**B.Sc.** (1994), University of Victoria, Victoria, BC, Canada

## AREAS OF TEACHING COMPETENCY

Theology, Christian History, Biblical Studies

## SIGNIFICANT EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Faculty

2009-present, Leavell College  
2008-present, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
2005, School of Urban Missions

Teaching Assistant

2006-present, Dr. Steve W. Lemke, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
2006, Dr. R. Stanton Norman, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
2004-2006, Dr. Lloyd Harsch, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
2003-2004, Dr. Jimmy Cobb, Canadian Southern Baptist Seminary

Research Assistant

2006-present, Dr. Steve W. Lemke, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
2000-2003, Dr. John Peter Oleson, University of Victoria

Others

2007-present, President, *Student Theological Fellowship* at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
2007-present, Fellow, *Baptist Center for Theology and Ministry*  
2006-present, Associate Editor, *Journal for Baptist Theology and Ministry*

## PUBLICATIONS

"Review of *Missions from the Majority World* edited by Wan and Pocock." *EMQ* 46.2 (April 10):250-52.  
"Review of *The Next Christendom* (2007) by Philip Jenkins." *IRM*, 99.1 (April 10): 165-67.  
"Review of *Disciples of All Nations* by Lamin Sanneh." *IRM*, 99.1 (April 10): 162-65.  
"Review of *Person, Grace, and God* by Philip A. Rolnick." *JBTM* 7.1 (Spring 10): 87-89.  
"Review of *Body, Soul, and Human Life* by Joel B. Green." *BTB* 40.3 (2010): 169-70.  
"Review of *The New Shape of World Christianity* by Mark A. Noll." *JBTM* 6.2 (Fall 09): 158-59.  
"Biography as Personhood: The Ontological Monism of Joel B. Green." *JBTM* 6.2 (Fall 09): 152-58.  
"Infant Baptism and the Half-Way Covenant." *JBTM* 6.1 (Spr. 09): 45-56.

## PRESENTATIONS

"*A Relational View of Christ's Atonement*," ETS, Feb. 2010  
"*The Five Theses of Paul Knitter's Christology: A Critical Examination*," EPS, Apr. 2009  
"*Exploring the Text: In Search of a Christian Theology of the Human Constitution*," ETS, Nov. 2008  
"*A Brief Polemical Investigation of the Penal Substitution Theory*," EPS, Apr. 2008  
"*The Transportation Theory: A Complementary Model of the Atonement*," STF, Jan. 2008  
"*The Road to Nicea: A Survey of the Regional Differences Influencing the Development of the Doctrine of the Trinity*," ETS, Nov. 2005

## CAREER GOALS

My goals are to teach theological studies in a college or seminary, to advanced the discussion in the areas of the Christian thought, Christian History, and Global Christianity, and to continue to write and publish in those areas.

## REFERENCES

Dr. Steve W. Lemke, Provost; Professor of Philosophy and Ethics, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
Dr. Mike Edens, Professor of Theology and Islamic Studies, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary  
Dr. Jimmy Cobb, Professor of Theology, Ethics and History, Canadian Southern Baptist Seminary