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### Education

1974 Ph.D., Religious Studies, Marquette University  
1967 M.A., French, Fordham University  
1966 Ph.L., Loyola Seminary  
1965 B.A., Classics/French/Philosophy, Fordham University

### Employment

2017 - Ordinary Professor of Historical and Systematic Theology, Catholic University of America  
1980 - 2017 Associate Professor of Historical and Systematic Theology, Catholic University of America  
1974 – 1980 Assistant Professor of Religion and Religious Education, Catholic University of America  
1973 – 1974 Lecturer, Catholic University of America  
1967– 1968 Instructor, The Henle School, Queens, NY  
1966 - 1967 Instructor, St. Peter's Prep, Jersey City, N.J.

### Publications

#### Books

2016 *Lex Crucis: Soteriology and the Stages of Meaning*. Minneapolis: Fortress Press.  
2002 *Theology and Sacred Scripture*. Maryknoll, NY: Orbis. Coeditor with C. Dempsey.  
2000 *Introdução à Cristologia*. Sao Paulo: Paulus. Translation of *The College Student's Introduction to Christology*.  
1998 *Jesus Crucified and Risen: Essays in Honor of Dom Sebastian Moore*. Collegeville, MN: Liturgical Press. Coeditor with Vernon Gregson.  
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## Articles

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- 2014 "Jesus the Christ in Retrospect and Prospect." In K. Coberg and R. Krieg, eds. *Speaking the Truth in Love: The Theology of Cardinal Walter Kasper*. Collegeville, Minn.: Liturgical Press, 79-97.
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- 2005 "Jesus the Christ: Soteriology and the Stages of Meaning." In R. Keller and R. Miller, eds. *Salvation in Christ: Comparative Views*, Provo, UT: BYU Press, 105-123.
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- 1995 "Method in the *Cur Deus homo*: Concept, Performance, and the Question of Rationalism." In P. Phan, ed. *Ethnicity, Nationality, and Religion*. Lanham, MD: University Press of America, 73-83.
- 1988 "Jesus, Son of God." In V. Gregson, ed., *The Desires of the Human Heart*. New York: Paulist, 182-200.
- 1988 "Jesus Christ and World Religions." In B. Marthaler, ed., *New Catholic Encyclopedia* 18. Washington, DC: CUA Press, 210-212.
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- 1987 "Irenaeus' Soteriology: Transposing the Question." In T. Fallon and P. Riley, eds. *Religion and Culture: Essays in Honor of Bernard Lonergan, S.J.* Albany, NY: SUNY Press. 167-179
- 1987 "The New Christologies: The Recovery of Jesus' Full Humanity," *Church* 3, 19-25.
- 1986 "Socialization and Shared Praxis" (with W. Cavalier). *Living Light* 22, 222-234.

- 1985 "Irenaeus' Soteriology: *Christus Victor* Revisited." *Anglican Theological Review* LXVII, 1-15.
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- 1982 "Encountering the Crucified God: The Soteriology of Sebastian Moore." *Horizons* 9, 216-236.
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## Reviews

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- 2017 *The Crucifixion*, by Fleming Rutledge, *Horizons* 44.
- 2016 *The Father's Will: Christ's Crucifixion and the Goodness of God*, by Nicholas Lombardo, *Horizons* 43, 202-204.
- 2014 *Jesus of Nazareth: What He Wanted, Who He Was*, by Gerhard Lohfink. *Horizons* 41, 357-358.
- 2011 *Christ the Key*, by Kathryn Tanner, *Horizons* 38, 137-138.
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- 2008 *Incarnation and Resurrection: Toward a Contemporary Understanding*, by Paul D. Molnar. *Horizons* 36, 148-150.
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- 2004 *Non-Violent Atonement*, by J. Denny. *Journal of Religion* 84, 297-299.
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- 1994 *The Godly Image*, by R. Cessario. *Thomist* 58, 148-149.
- 1993 *Jesus Christ and Christian Vision*, by D. Ottati. *Critical Review of Books in Religion* 1992, 482-484.
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- 1987 *Faith and the Future*, by W. Kasper. *Heythrop Journal* 28.
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- 1985 *Christian Theology: An Introduction to Its Tasks and Methods*, P. Hodgson and R. King, eds. *Horizons* 12, 176-177.
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- 1984 *The von Balthasar Reader*, R. Daley and F. Lawrence, eds. *Horizons* 11, 175-177.
- 1983 *Models of Revelation*, by A. Dulles. *New Catholic World* 226, 185-186.
- 1983 *The Religious Imagination and the Sense of God*, by J. Bowker. *New Catholic World* 226, 46.
- 1982 *The Passionate God*, by R. Haughton, *Christ in a Changing World*, by T. Driver, and *Jesus of Faith*, by M. Cook. *Commonweal*, Dec. 17, 695-696.

1982 *An American Strategic Theology*, by J. Coleman. National Catholic News Service.  
1982 *The Trinity and the Kingdom*, by J. Moltmann. *Horizons* 9, 368-369.

### **Administrative Service**

2005-2007 Director, Historical and Systematic Theology, STRS  
1996-1999 Associate Dean, SRS  
1989-1992 Coordinator of Undergraduate Studies, SRS  
1985-1988 Chair, Department of Religion and Religious Education

### **University Service**

2017 - Academic Senate  
2015- Senate Budget and Planning Committee  
2015- University Faculty Grievance Committee  
2013-14 Chair, Senate *ad hoc* Committee on School of Library and Information Science  
2011-14 Academic Senate  
2009 STRS First Year Experience Committee  
2008- 2009 STRS Admissions Committee  
2007- 2009 STRS CAP Committee  
2003-2005 Chair, Senate Committee on Planning and Budget  
2003-2005 University Budget Committee  
2003-2005 Board of Trustees Finance Committee  
2002-2005 Academic Senate  
2002-2003 R/RE Doctoral Programs Committee  
2001-2008 Chair, STRS M.A. Program Committee  
2001 Dean Search Committee, Columbus School of Law  
1999-2002 Ecclesiastical Faculties Representative, Board of Trustees  
1994-1998 Chair, Academic Senate  
1992-1994 Chair, Senate Committee on Planning and Budget  
1991-1998 Academic Senate  
1986-1987 Faculty Advisory Committee, Consortium Library Council  
1984-1985 Dean Search Committee, School of Religious Studies  
1984-1985 University Doctoral Dissertation Advisory Committee  
1982-1984 President, Phi Beta Kappa  
1980- 1985 University Pastoral Council  
Chair, 1982-1983  
1980-1981 SRS Delegate, Faculty Grievance Committee  
1980-1981 Physical Plant Advisory Committee

### **Professional Societies**

2017 – American Theological Society  
1973- 2004 American Academy of Religion

1974- Catholic Theological Society of America  
1985-1988 Board of Directors  
1972- College Theology Society  
2002-2004 Past President  
2000-2002 President  
1997-2000 Board of Directors  
1983-1984 Chair, Ad Hoc Committee on Canon 812  
1981-1984 Board of Directors