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Chair of Biblical Studies
Professor of New Testament
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ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS

Ph.D. – The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY; 2006

Th.M. - Covenant Theological Seminary, St. Louis, MO; 2001

M.Div. - Freie Theologische Akademie, Giessen (Germany); 1998

CERTIFICATES AND LICENSES

Licensed for Ministry - St. Matthews Baptist Church, Louisville, KY; 2006

DISTANCE LEARNING TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

Online seminars and webinars about Old Testament Theology, Exodus, Wisdom Literature, New Testament Survey, New Testament History, New Testament Theology, Synoptic Problem, Jesus' Parables, Matthew, Luke, Acts, John, Life and Letters of Paul, Romans, 1 Corinthians, Pastorals, Revelation, Biblical Prophecy

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor of New Testament - The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; 2005-2006

Professor of New Testament - Trinity College of the Bible and Theological Seminary; 2006-Present

PROFESSIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Book:

The Jews and the World in the Fourth Gospel: Parallelism, Function, Context. Wissenschaftliche Untersuchungen zum Neuen Testament 2.220. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2006.

Articles:

“‘Dematerializing’ Religion: Reading John 2–4 as a Chiasm.” *Biblica* 89.4 (2008): 526-554.

“Erich Sauer und seine Haltung zum Dritten Reich.” *Factum*, July 1999.

Book Reviews:

Baum, Armin D. *Der mündliche Faktor und seine Bedeutung für die synoptische Frage.* Texte und Arbeiten zum neutestamentlichen Zeitalter 49. Tübingen: Francke Verlag, 2008. (at bookreviews.org, 2/2/2009)

Holtz, Gudrun. *Damit Gott sei alles in allem: Studien zum paulinischen und frühjüdischen Universalismus.* BZNW 149. Berlin: de Gruyter, 2007. (at bookreviews.org, forthcoming in 2009)

Presentations:

“Chiasm in the Gospel of John: General Survey and Particular Proposal (John 2-4).” Evangelical Theological Society, San Diego, CA; November 2007.

“The Jews in the Fourth Gospel.” Evangelical Theological Society, Washington, DC; November 2005.

“The History of Israel & the Books of Samuel: Trends and Paradigms in German Scholarship.” Evangelical Theological Society Regionals, Louisville, KY; 2005.

MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

First Christian Church, Newburgh, IN
Society of Biblical Literature (SBL)
Institute of Biblical Research (IBR)
Evangelical Theological Society (ETS)
Arbeitskreis für evangelikale Theologie (AfeT)

TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS

Gospel of John; Pauline Literature; Figures of Speech/Chiasm research; Religion-historical approach/text in context