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HISTORY OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

Thirty years of continuous employment at undergraduate and graduate institutions

1986-1991, Williams College

1991-2003, Sonoma State University (tenured full professor as of 1993)

2003-present, Ingraham Professor, Claremont School of Theology, with joint appointment at the Claremont Graduate University

ADMINISTRATIVE AND FACULTY POSITIONS: DETAIL

<i>Provost (later Executive Vice President), Claremont Lincoln University</i>	2011-2013
<i>Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the Faculty, Claremont School of Theology</i>	2011-2013
<i>Ingraham Professor, Claremont School of Theology, with joint Appointment at Claremont Graduate University</i>	2003-present
<i>Visiting Professor, HDS, Harvard University</i>	2006-2007
<i>Visiting Fellow, St. Edmund's College, University of Cambridge; Senior Research Associate and Visiting Professor, University of Cambridge</i>	2006
<i>Guest Professor, HDS, Harvard University</i>	2001-2002
<i>Alexander von Humboldt Professor, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich</i>	1994-1995
<i>Professor of Philosophy and then Chair of Department, Sonoma State University; Director, Office for Academic Innovation</i>	1991-2003

<i>Fulbright Senior Research Fellow, University of Munich, Germany</i>	1990-1991
<i>Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Williams College</i>	1986-1991
<i>Visiting Assistant Professor, Haverford College</i>	Spring 1986

OTHER CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

- *Founder and President*, the Institute for Ecological Civilization, an environmental think and action tank whose mission is to support the convergence of environmental efforts across the various sectors of society (EcoCiv.org). Activities include organizing conferences (e.g., 1,500 people at Pomona College in 2015), consultations with experts, convenings, and guidelines for policy development. Currently active in Korea, Japan, China, South Africa, Kenya, Germany, and North America.
- *President and Board Chair*, Institute for the Postmodern Development of China, a nonprofit with multiple centers in China. Regularly visit the China centers; coordination; mission clarification; publications; fundraising. Support the work of the two Chinese Executive Directors.
- *Substantive Change Committee*, Western Assoc. Of Schools and Colleges (WASC): lead site visits linked to university accreditation; chair panels for the Structural Change Committee of the WASC Commission
- *Senior Associate* to the Executive Director and to the Chair of the Board of Trustees, Parliament of the World's Religions
- *Executive Co-Director*, Center for Process Studies, Claremont, CA
- *Executive Committee*, International Society for Science and Religion
- *Consultant and Steering Committee*, American Academy for the Advancement of Science, "Science and Seminars" Project, in the Dialogue on Science, Ethics and Religion Program

GRANTS MANAGEMENT

- *Principle Investigator*, Carpenter Foundation Grant, "Reimagining Theological Education" 2014-2016
- *Senior Administrator*, Ford Foundation Grant, "Rekindling Theological Imagination" 2008-2011

- *Principal Investigator*, Templeton Foundation, the Stanford Emergence Project 2002-2003
- *Principal Investigator*, \$5M international Templeton Project, “Science and the Spiritual Quest” (three years; renewed for an additional four years) 1997-2003
- *Senior Administrator*, California State University (CSU) grant for multi-campus program, “Ethics and Values in the Information Age” 1995

OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE (SAMPLE)

- Organizer of the “Science and Spirituality” sessions at the World Parliament of Religions, funded by the International Society for Science and Religion (Melbourne 2009, Salt Lake City 2015)
- Senior Advisor, Global Perspectives on Science and Spirituality, 2003-2006 (\$3m)
- John Templeton Foundation, 1997-2004; Board of Advisors; worked closely with the Executive Vice President; numerous administrative responsibilities
- Founder, the Systematic Theology Group of the AAR
- Administrator or Senior Advisor for some \$29 million in JTF program funding: Science and Religion Course Program (\$13 million); Global Perspectives on Science and Spirituality, 2003-2006 (\$3m);

BOARD AND STEERING COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES (CURRENT OR RECENT)

- Board Member, The John Templeton Foundation
- Executive Committee, Collective Action Network of America (CANA)
- Board member, Pando Populus (PandoPopulus.com)
- Steering Committee Member, Convergence Network (which ran, among other projects, The Center for Progressive Renewal)
- Advisory Board Member, Dharma Civilization Foundation
- Membre du Conseil Scientifique, L’Université Interdisciplinaire de Paris.
- Board of Directors, Metanexus Institute for Religion and Science
- Steering Committee Member, Quaker Studies Group and Emergent Religion Group, The American Academy of Religion (current)

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Yale University (Joint PhD, Depts. of Philosophy and Religious Studies)	1986
M.Phil., Yale University	1985
M.A., Yale University	1984
Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich (doctoral student)	1981-83

M.A., Fuller Theological Seminary	1980
B.A., Westmont College (summa cum laude, Honors in philosophy)	1978

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

- Comparative Philosophies East and West
- Socialism and Political Reform
- Environmental Philosophy, Environmental Ethics
- Science, Ecology, and Politics (e.g., bioethics, ecofeminism, sustainability)

BOOKS

- *The New Socialism: Sacred and Secular Roots of a Transformative Politics*, co-authored with Justin Heinzekehr (in preparation).
- *Now What? Rebuilding the Sacred from the Rubble of God*, co-authored with Claudia Pearce (in preparation).
- *What is Ecological Civilization? ... and why it may be the most important idea for the future of the planet*, co-authored with Andrew Schwartz (Anoka, MI: Process Century Press, 2018).
- *God and Gravity: A Philip Clayton Reader on Science and Theology*, ed. Bradford McCall (Eugene, OR: Wipf and Stock, 2018).
- *Organic Marxism: An Alternative to Capitalism and Ecological Catastrophe*, with Justin Heinzekehr (Claremont: Process Century Press, 2014);
 - = Chinese translation, trans. Xian Meng, Guifeng Yu, and Lixia Zhang (Beijing: The People's Press, 2015): [美]菲利普克莱顿贾斯廷海因泽克著;孟献丽于桂凤张丽霞译:《有机马克思主义——生态灾难与资本主义的替代选择》,北京:人民出版社,2015年。
 - = Spanish translation by Gorgias Romero García: *Marxismo Orgánico: Una alternativa al capitalismo y a la catástrofe ecológica* (Claremont: Process Century Press, 2016).
- *Confronting the Predicament of Belief: The Quest for God in Radical Uncertainty*, with Steven Knapp and eight critics, edited by James W. Walters, Philip Clayton, and Steven Knapp (Edmond, OK: Crowdscribed, 2014).
- *The Predicament of Belief: Science, Philosophy, Faith*, with Steven Knapp (Oxford: Oxford Univ. Press, 2011).
- *Religion and Science: The Basics* (London: Routledge, 2011). Second edition, 2019. Swedish translation

forthcoming.

- *Transforming Christian Theology: For Church and Society* (Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2009). Danish translation 2011. Korean translation 2012.
- *In Quest of Freedom: The Emergence of Spirit in the Natural World* (Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2009). German translation: *Die Frage nach der Freiheit. Biologie, Kultur und die Emergenz des Geistes* (Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2009). French translation: *Les origines de la liberté. L'Émergence de l'esprit dans le monde naturel*, trans. Allesia Weil (Paris: Éditions Salvator, 2012).
- *Adventures in the Spirit: God, World, Divine Action* (Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2008). Chinese translation underway.
- *Mind and Emergence: From Quantum to Consciousness* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2004). German translation: *Emergenz und Bewusstsein. Evolutionärer Prozess und die Grenzen des Naturalismus* (Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, October 2008). Romanian translation, 2008. Spanish translation 2011. Chinese translation, 2015. Korean translation in process.
- *The Problem of God in Modern Thought* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2000).
- *God and Contemporary Science* (Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press and Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1998).
- *Das Gottesproblem, vol. 1: Gott und Unendlichkeit in der neuzeitlichen Philosophie*, composed in German (Paderborn: Ferdinand Schöningh Verlag, 1996).
- *Explanation from Physics to Theology: An Essay in Rationality and Religion* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 1989). German translation: *Rationalität und Religion. Erklärung in Naturwissenschaft und Theologie*, trans. Martin Laube (Paderborn: Ferdinand Schöningh, 1992).

EDITED BOOKS

- *Thought at the Edge of Collapse: Reception and Response in the work of Philip Clayton*, Festschrift edited by Zachary Simpson (in preparation).
- *Narrowing the Freedom Gap: Genetics, Neurology, and Faith*, coedited with Jim Walters (in preparation).
- *How I Found God in Everyone and Everywhere: An Anthology of Spiritual Memoirs*, coedited with Andrew M. Davis (New York: Monkfish, 2018).
- *Socialism in Process*, coedited with Justin Heinzekehr (Claremont: Process Century Press, 2017)

- *Panentheism Across the World's Traditions*, co-edited with Loriliai Biernacki (New York: Oxford Univ. Press, 2013).
- *All That Is: A Naturalistic Faith for the Twenty-First Century*, in honor of Arthur Peacocke. Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2007.
- *Practicing Science, Living Faith: Interviews with Twelve Leading Scientists*, co-edited with Jim Schaal (New York: Columbia University Press, 2007).
- *The Oxford Handbook of Religion and Science*, with associate editor Zachary Simpson (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2006). Arabic translation, 2014.
- *The Re-emergence of Emergence: The Emergentist Hypothesis from Science to Religion*, co-edited with Paul Davies (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2006).
- *Evolution and Ethics: Human Morality in Biological and Religious Perspective*, co-edited with Jeffrey Schloss (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2004).
- *Science and Beyond: Cosmology, Consciousness and Technology in the Indic Traditions*, co-edited with Roddam Narasimha, B. V. Sreekantan, and Sangeetha Menon (Bangalore, India: NIAS Publications, 2004).
- *In Whom We Live and Move and Have Our Being: Panentheistic Reflections on God's Presence in a Scientific World*, co-edited with Arthur Peacocke (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2004).
- *Quantum Mechanics*, vol. 5 of *Scientific Perspectives on Divine Action*, coedited with Robert J. Russell John Polkinghorne, and Kirk Wegter-McNelly (Vatican City: Vatican Observatory, and Berkeley: Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences, 2002).
- *Science and the Spiritual Quest: New Essays by Leading Scientists*, co-edited with Mark Richardson *et al.* (London and New York: Routledge, 2002).
- *The Theology of Wolfhart Pannenberg: Twelve American Critiques*, co-edited with Carl Braaten (Minneapolis: Augsburg Press, 1988).

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, LECTURESHIPS (SAMPLE)

- Nominated for the first annual Berggruen Prize in Philosophy 2016
- Visiting Professor, Shanxi University, Taiyuan, Shanxi Province, China; annual lecture tours in China since 2010 2014

- Teacher of the Year, Claremont School of Theology 2014
- The 2013 Gowland Public Lecture, The Science and Religion Forum Annual Meeting,
Chester, England 2013
- The 2013 Annual Landa Lecture, La Sierra University 2013
- The 2013 Harold Stoner Clark Lectures, California Lutheran University
- Annual Keynote Speaker, Wesleyan Philosophical Society Annual Meeting 2013
- The Charles Townes Lectureship, Furman University 2012
- The 2011 Goshen Lectures, Goshen College, Goshen, IN 2011
- Steering Committee, “The Impact of Religion, Challenges for Society, Law and Democracy,”
5-year project funded by the Swedish government, Uppsala University 2009-2014
- Co-PI, three-year Ford Foundation Grant, “Rekindling Theological Imagination:
Transformative Thought for Progressive Action” 2008-2011
- Metanexus Senior Fellow 2009-2010
- The Olaus Petri Annual Lectures, Sweden 2009-2010
- Guest of the Indian government through the Indian Council for Philosophical
Research; ICPR Visiting Professor for the academic year 2008-2009
- The 2008 Annual Hiram Lectures, Hiram College, Hiram, OH 2008
- Treasurer, The Institute for the Postmodern Development of China 2008-
- The Schaff Lectures, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary 2007
- Templeton Research Lectureship, the University of Frankfurt 2006
- The 2006 Boyle Lecture, St Mary-le-Bow, London 2006
- Visiting Fellow, The Center for the Study of World Religions, Harvard University 2001-2002
- Principal Investigator, “Science and the Spiritual Quest” 1999-2003
- First Annual Templeton Research Prize 1999
- Templeton Award for Best Book in Religion and Science 1998
- CSU-wide Grant, “Ethics and Values in the Information Age” 1997
- CTNS Science and Religion Course Program Grant 1997
- University Merit Award, Sonoma State University 1996
- University Best Professor (Chamber of Commerce Excellence in Education award) 1995
- Senior Fulbright Research Fellow, University of Munich 1990-1991
- Charlotte W. Newcombe Fellowship 1985-86
- Douglas G. MacIntosh Fellowship, Yale University 1985-86
- Josephine de Kármán Fellowship for Studies in the Humanities 1984-85
- German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Fellowship for research at the
University of Munich; extended for a second year 1981-83

PUBLICATIONS, PAPERS, TRANSLATIONS

Over 200. List available on request.

LECTURES

Over 300. List available on request.

Service to Religious Communities (sample)

- Speaker for the Religious Society of Friends
- Many sermons, adult education classes, and retreats at churches across southern California and nationally.
- Many lectures at synagogues, mosques, and Hindu temples.
- Dharma Civilization Foundation keynote, Dallas, TX, July 2013.
- Keynote Speaker, “Transforming Ministry” training event, Western Jurisdiction of the United Methodist Church, Seattle, July 2013.
- Keynote speaker, Wesleyan Philosophical Society and Wesleyan Theological Society, Seattle, WA, February 2013.
- Keynote speaker, Quadrennial Training Event for all United Methodist Bishops, Nashville, TN, January 2013 (1,000 attending).
- Speaker, Cal-Pac Clergy Convocation, 2012.
- Keynote Speaker, Pacific Northwest Clergy Convocation, 2011.
- Keynote Speaker, Clergy Training Event, Columbia Seminary, Atlanta, GA, January 2010.
- “The Universe Story,” a workshop on evolution and emerging spiritualities, New England Quarterly meeting of the Religious Society of Friends, January 2007.
- “Science and Spirituality Today,” Friends Meeting Cambridge, Cambridge MA, January 2007
- “Evolution and the Emergence of Consciousness: Challenges To Religious Belief And Practice,” public lecture and day-long workshop, Stone Church, San Jose CA, August 2005.
- “The Problem of God in Modern Thought,” presentation at the Glendale United Methodist Church, September 2004.
- “Responding to the Crisis in Liberal Theology Today,” presentation at the University of Redlands Cal-Pac United Methodist Annual Conference, June 2004.

Other Professional Activities (Sample)

- Moderator, “Does Science Disprove God?” CalTech, Pasadena CA, April 2011.
- Co-host, “Origins: The Big Questions” conference, CalTech, Pasadena CA, October, 2008.
- Invited Participant, “The Nature of Being Human: Ethical, Religious and Philosophical Implications of our Biomedical Future,” Andover Newton Theological School, Newton MA, April 2007.
- Co-editor, *New Studies in Constructive Theology*, Eerdmans Publishing House.
- Editorial Board, *American Philosophical Quarterly* (1994-2001)
- Advisor, Science and Religion Course Program, Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences,

Berkeley, 1999-2002.

- Co-Organizer, "Foundations and the Ontological Quest" conference, The Pontifical Lateran University, Rome, January 2002.
- J. K. Russell Fellow, Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences, Berkeley, Fall, 2001.
- Co-director, "Biology and Purpose: Altruism, Morality, and Human Nature in Evolutionary Theory," Calvin College Seminars in Christian Scholarship, Grand Rapids, Michigan, July 2-27, 2001.
- Steering Committee Member, The Vatican Observatory Project on Quantum Mechanics and Theology, 1999-2001.
- Lecturer, summer seminars program, Oxford University, July 2000.
- Founder and Co-chair, Christian Systematic Theology Group, American Academy of Religion, 1992-1999.
- Selection Committee, Prize for Excellence in Philosophy (best philosophy dept. in the US), American Philosophical Association (1998 and 1999)
- Participant, U.S.-Sino Conference on Philosophy of Religion, Society of Christian Philosophers, Ziamen, China, Fall 2000.
- Book Review Editor, *Zygon*, 1991-98.
- Instructor, Templeton Science and Religion Course Program Workshops, 1996-97.
- Invited Participant, The Vatican Observatory Project on the Neurosciences and Theology, 1997-99.
- Chair, Systematic Theology Sessions, American Academy of Religion annual meetings, 1994-99.
- Invited Participant, conference on "The Crisis in Biblical Hermeneutics," Gordon College, August 1996.
- Chair, Session on the Philosophy of Time, American Philosophical Association Pacific Division annual meeting, Portland OR, March 1992.
- Participant, American Philosophical Association seminar on teaching Philosophy, Chicago, January 1988.
- Participant, Symposium on Evolution and Intelligence, Haverford College, November 1986.
- Participant, week-long seminar on contemporary philosophy of religion, Wheaton College, July 1984.
- Elder Hostel instructor, Sept. 1984 (New Haven, CT); July 1988, July 1989 (Williams College).

Media (Sample)

- Two appearances in Turkish national television, October 2012.
- PBS appearance for Claremont Lincoln University, 2012
- Three live appearances on Al Jazeera television, taped in Doha, Qatar. Also a live appearance on the Arabic-language evening news (estimated 70 million viewers), May and June 2008.
- Taped interviews in spring 2007 for some 6-8 episodes of the PBS television series *Closer To Truth with Robert Kuhn*; <http://www.closetotruth.com/>
- Taped lecture for video series on science and religion, hosted by Francis S. Collins, the Human Genome project, NIH, June 2007.
- Featured professor in the *Harvard Crimson*, June 2007.
- Featured on several half-hour radio programs, western Michigan, February 2007.
- Interviewed on NPR station WGUV, Grand Rapids, Michigan, February 2007.

- Interviewed on WORD-FM Pittsburgh, February 2007.
- Interview on future of science for *Nature Magazine*, spring 2007.
- Interview on science/religion for *Discovery Magazine*, spring 2007.
- Three-time guest on “Spring Forward,” nationally broadcast PBS show on science, technology, and society.
- Three times featured on “Philosophy Talk,” nationally syndicated NPR broadcast produced by KALW San Francisco, most recent 2011.
- Covered in *U.S. News and World Report*, “Is there room for the soul?” posted 10/16/06.
- Featured on one-hour broadcast of “Doppel-Kopf” (one-on-one debate), Hessische Runkfunk (state radio of Hessen), broadcast from Frankfurt, Germany, August 2006.
- Final guest on “Tsunami: Where Was God” broadcast Dec. 25, 2005 on BBC4 and annually for many years thereafter.
- Guest on TV program, “The Evidence,” aired on Court TV and Trinity Broadcasting Network (TBN), fall 2005.
- Several appearances on KQED San Francisco (3.5 million market).
- Interview on BBC radio international (30 million market).
- Twice featured in WIRED Magazine, e.g. on “The New Atheism,” fall 2006.
- A series of interviews with Uwe Siemon-Netto, Religion editor, United Press International.
- Interviews with foreign newspapers, radio stations, and TV stations while lecturing in various countries, e.g. Vatican Radio, Indian newspapers such as *The Times of India*, French radio, Romanian radio and national TV, etc.
- Regular interviews by newspaper reporters (too many to list, e.g. *U.S. News and World Report*, Oct. 23, 2006).
- Regular coverage of my work in newspapers and magazines (too many to list)

Media – Articles in Newspapers and Magazines (small sample)

- “Letting Doubters in the Door,” *Los Angeles Times*, 2012, ran in newspapers across the country.
- “Five Minds for the Future,” *Science & Spirit* magazine, fall 2007.
- “A Mystery of Body and Soul,” *Washington Post*, April 3, 2005, page B01 (lead article in Sunday Outlook section).
- “Emergence: Hypothesis, Hype, or History in the Making?,” *Science and Theology News*, two-page spread (October 2004). Panentheism article, 2005. Interview on emergence, March 2006.
- “How the World Became Complex,” *Milestones*, February 2006. Also “In Honor of Charles Townes,” 2005.
- “Science and Spirit,” *Kansas City Star*, 2004, carried by Knight-Ritter newspapers.
- “An Interview with Philip Clayton,” *Process Perspectives* (November 2003).
- “Science and the Spiritual Quest,” Editorial, *Deccan Herald* (Bangalore, India), January 21, 2003.
- “A Program Ends, The Quest For Science-And-Religion Continues,” *Research News & Opportunities in Science and Theology* 4/2 (2003): 2ff.
- “Science and the Spiritual Quest,” MSNBC.com, October 2001.
- “Science and Religion in a post-Sept. 11 World,” *The Press Democrat* (northern California), Nov. 2001.