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Education:

The Catholic University of America, Department of Semitic and Egyptian Languages and Literatures; *PhD*, 2016

Dissertation: "The Biblical Hebrew Transitivity Alternation in Cognitive Linguistic Perspective"

Edward M. Cook, advisor

The Catholic University of America, *MA*, 2010

Semitic and Egyptian Languages and Literatures

Westminster Seminary California; *MDiv*, 2005

Grove City College; *BA*, 2002

English

Professional Experience:

Teaching and Research:

Westminster Theological Seminary (Glenside, PA)

Assistant Professor of Old Testament, 2017-

Adjunct Professor of Old Testament, 2014-2017

J. Alan Groves Center for Advanced Biblical Research

Senior Research Fellow, 2017-

Reformed Theological Seminary (Washington, D.C. campus)

Guest Faculty, Visiting Lecturer in Biblical Languages, 2012-

Reformed Theological Seminary (Atlanta campus)

Guest Faculty, Old Testament, 2015

The Catholic University of America (Washington, D.C.)

Teaching Fellow, Department of Semitic and Egyptian Languages and Literatures, 2010-2012

Ecclesiastical:

Wallace Presbyterian Church (PCA), College Park, MD
Associate Pastor, 2012-2017
Assistant Pastor, 2008-2012

Valley Presbyterian Church (PCA), North Hills, CA
Assistant Pastor, 2005-2008

Ordained as Teaching Elder in Pacific Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in America, 2006

Publications

Books

Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi, A 12-Week Study. Knowing the Bible Series. Wheaton, IL:
Crossway, (under contract)

Articles

“The Psalmic Oral Formula Revisited: A Cognitive-Performative Approach,” *Biblical Interpretation* (forthcoming)

Reviews

Review of *Preaching Christ from the Psalms: Foundations for Expository Sermons in the Christian Year*, by Sidney Greidanus, *Bulletin for Biblical Research* (forthcoming)

Review of *Haggai and Zechariah 1-8: A Handbook on the Hebrew Text*, by Max Roglund, *Bulletin for Biblical Research* (forthcoming)

Review of *The Compilational History of the Megilloth: Canon, Contoured Intertextuality, and Meaning in the Writings*, by Timothy J. Stone, *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 25.2, (2015): 251-52.

Review of *Grammatical Concepts 101 for Biblical Hebrew*, by Gary A. Long, *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 24.3, (2014): 398-400.

Review of *Righteousness in the Book of Proverbs*, by Sun Myung Lyu, *Westminster Theological Journal* 75.2, (2013): 375-78.

Review of *The Rhetoric of Remembrance*, by Jerry Hwang, *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 23.2, (2013): 265-66.

Ecclesiastical Service

Potomac Presbytery (PCA):

Candidates and Credentials Committee, 2014-2017; chair, 2015-2017
Program Committee, 2013-2015
Christian Education Committee, 2008-2013

Pacific Presbytery (PCA):

Candidates and Credentials Committee, 2006-2008

Lectures

‘Christ Our Wisdom: Learning to Live Well in a Broken World,’ Spring Conference on Theology, Reformed Presbyterian Church of Bowie, Bowie, MD, March 31-April 2, 2017.

‘Finding Focus in a Distracting World,’ Parents Lecture series, St. Jerome Academy, Hyattsville, MD, May 14, 2015.

‘Is the Bible Reliable?,’ Cru, George Mason University, February 19, 2015.

‘Is the Bible Reliable?,’ Cru, University of Maryland, College Park, March 13, 2014.

‘Pilgrims in the Wilderness: Lessons from the Book of Numbers,’ MTW National Missionaries Conference, Chengdu, China, Sept 27-29, 2013.

‘Christians in the Capital: A Reformed Perspective,’ Reformed University Fellowship Summer Lecture Series, Washington D.C., 2009.

Awards and Honors

Full Tuition Scholarship for MA/PhD awarded by Department of Semitic and Egyptian Languages and Literatures. The Catholic University of America, 2008-2011.

Samuel and Ann Van Til Scholarship for best paper in Theology, Westminster Seminary California, 2004

Thelma Baltz Morrow Scholarship, Grove City College, 2001

Presidential Scholars Award, Grove City College, 2001

Betty Chrisman Scholarship, Grove City College, 2001

Language Proficiency

Ancient

Hebrew (Inscriptional, Classical, Qumran, Rabbinic)

Aramaic (Imperial, Biblical, Targumic, Jewish Babylonian, Jewish Palestinian)

Syriac

Biblical Greek

Akkadian

Ugaritic

Modern

German (Research)

French (Research)

Professional Societies

Society of Biblical Literature

National Association for Professors of Hebrew

The Catholic Biblical Association of America

References

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