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BASIC INFORMATION

Academic Appointments

- 2024-Present Assistant Professor of Systematic and Historical Theology,
Howard and Shirley Bentall Chair in Evangelical Thought – McMaster Divinity College
- 2019-2024 Assistant Professor of Systematic Theology – China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan
- 2016-2019 Tutor – University of Edinburgh, School of Divinity

Education

- 2015-2019 PhD (Systematic Theology) – University of Edinburgh, School of Divinity, UK
Thesis: ‘An “Open-Ended Distinctiveness”: The Contemporary Relevance of Wolfhart Pannenberg’s Participatory Ecclesiology and Ecumenism for World Christianity’ (supervised by David Fergusson [primary] and Joshua Ralston [secondary]; examined by Friederike Nüssel [University of Heidelberg] and James Eglinton [University of Edinburgh]; passed with no corrections)
- 2017-2019 PgCert (Academic Practice) – University of Edinburgh, School of Education, UK
Completion entailed membership as a Fellow of the Higher Education Academy (FHEA); elective modules undertaken included ‘Working with Postgraduate Students’ and ‘Digital Education’
- Sum. 2017 Certificate (German ^(and) Theology) – Johannes Gutenberg Universität Mainz, Germany
- 2004-2011 MCS (Theology) – Regent College, Canada
Thesis: ‘The Monergistic Theme of Participation in the Anthropological Soteriology of John Calvin: A Dialogue with Maximus the Confessor’ (supervised by Ross Hastings and Julie Canlis; examined by J. I. Packer)
- 1999-2002 BA (Communication) – Wheaton College, Illinois, USA
Undergraduate coursework also undertaken at the University of Maryland at College Park (Summer 2000); Jerusalem University College (Summer 1999); and Gordon College (1997-1999)

Research Grants & Scholarships

- 2017-2019 PgCert Fee Waiver – Institute of Academic Development, University of Edinburgh
- 2016-2019 Chinese Evangelical Church of Edinburgh – Divinity Student Sponsorship (£720/yr)
- 2016-2018 China Evangelical Seminary – Faculty-in-Training Scholarship (\$40,000 USD)
- Sum. 2017 DAAD Grant – Summer Course at Johannes Gutenberg Universität Mainz (€825)
- Apr. 2017 Conference Bursary – Society for the Study of Theology (£200)
- 2016-2017 University of Edinburgh – Postgraduate Research Grants and Awards (£1,000)

Professional Affiliations

- American Academy of Religion
- Evangelical Theological Society
- Society for the Study of Christian Ethics
- Society for the Study of Theology
- Taiwan Theological Association
- Taiwan World Christianity Workgroup

Languages

- English (native)
- Mandarin Chinese (oral proficiency)
- Reading knowledge of Biblical Greek, Biblical Hebrew, and German

PUBLICATIONS

Monographs

An ‘Open-Ended Distinctiveness’: The Contemporary Relevance of Wolfhart Pannenberg’s Participatory Ecclesiology and Ecumenism for World Christianity, *Forschungen zur systematischen und ökumenischen Theologie* Band 171 (Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2021); <https://doi.org/10.13109/9783666522123>.

Reviewed by: Catherine Cornille, *Journal of Religion* 102:2 (2022): 303-5; <https://doi.org/10.1086/718400>.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles and Book Chapters

‘Anthropology as a Dynamic Mediatorial Synergism? Exploring Calvin’s Account of Prelapsarian Participation’, *Harvard Theological Review* 118:1 (2025): 110-33; <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0017816025000070>.

“Polychotomy” and “The Medium is the Message”: The Secularizing Effects of Departmentalization and Specialization in Modern Christian Higher Education’, *China Evangelical Seminary Journal* 14 (December 2023): 40-68; <https://www.airitilibrary.com/Article/Detail/19986505-N202402230002-00002>.

‘Pope Francis at Lund, 2016, and the Relevance of Wolfhart Pannenberg’s Ecumenical Theology, *Ecclesiology* 14:2 (2018): 133-46; <https://doi.org/10.1163/17455316-01402003>.

‘Maximus the Confessor and the Problem of Participation’, *The Heythrop Journal* 58:1 (2017): 3-16; <https://doi.org/10.1111/heyj.12355>. [This article was one of the journal’s top 20 downloads in 2017.]

Popular Writing (Selected)

‘To Where He Was About to Go (Luke 10:1-4)’, Chinese translation from English by Jing-Kai Huang for Taiwan’s *Christian Tribune* 4607 (January 17-19, 2024): 10; <https://ct.org.tw/html/news/3-3.php?cat=75&article=1397752>.

‘Why We Need Both a “Holy Ruthlessness” and a “Holy Laziness”’, *Project Arctos Website* and *KRC Magazine* 73 (Fall 2023): English section 10-12; Chinese translation by Linda Pang, *KRC Magazine* 73 (Fall 2023): 21-23. English: <https://www.projectarctos.com/archive/73/why-we-need-both-a-holy-ruthlessness-and-a-holy-laziness>. Chinese translation: <http://shen-guo.org/why-we-need-both-a-holy-ruthlessness-and-a-holy-laziness.html>.

‘Rediscovering the “Easy Yoke” Devotional Life’, *Project Arctos Website* (October 23, 2022); Chinese translation from English by Xiuhui Sun appeared in two parts in Taiwan’s *Christian Tribune* 4319, Part 1 (April 14-16, 2021): 10; 4321, Part 2 (April 21-23, 2021): 10. English: <https://www.projectarctos.com/archive/2022/10/23/rediscovering-an-easy-yoke-devotional-life>. Chinese translation for Part 1: <https://www.ct.org.tw/1383309>. Chinese translation for Part 2: <https://www.ct.org.tw/1383744>.

‘A Critical Crossroads: Theological Education in America in the 21st Century’, Chinese translation from English by Jing-Kai Huang for Taiwan’s *Christian Tribune* 4477 (October 18-21, 2022): 8; <https://ct.org.tw/html/news/3-3.php?cat=75&article=1392627>.

‘Moving from Breadth to Depth: The Value of the Master’s Thesis’, Chinese translation from English by Jing-Kai Huang, *China Evangelical Seminary News* 624 (October 2022): 1-2; <https://wp.ces.org.tw/newsletter202210/>.

‘My Father’s Life Still Speaks by Faith’, in *Embracing Breeze, Lasting Fragrance: A Commemorative Collection of Prof. Yinkann Wen’s Short Writings*, by Yinkann Wen, edited by Julie Tsai, et al., Chinese translation from English by Hsiao Yun Lu (Allentown, PA: Kingdom Resources for Christ, 2022): 153-54.

‘COVID-19 as the End of the Modern World? Part Three: Reconsidering Anthropology’, *Project Arctos Website* and *KRC Magazine* 68 (Summer 2022): English section 2-8; Chinese translation from English by Linda Pang appeared in *KRC Magazine* 67 (Spring 2022): 57-61. English: <https://www.projectarctos.com/archive/68/covid-19-end-of-modern-world-anthropology>. Chinese translation: <http://shen-guo.org/covid-19-end-of-modern-world-part-3.html>.

- ‘Fully Human: Reclaiming the Gift of Embodied Presence’, Chinese translation from English by Roxanne Lee for Taiwan’s *Christian Tribune* 4387 (December 8-10, 2021): 10; https://ct.org.tw/html/news/3-3.php?cat=75&article=1388438&article_type=new.
- ‘Knowing God’s Word: Reasserting the Importance of Scripture’, Chinese translation from English by Roxanne Lee, *China Evangelical Seminary News* 614 (December 2021): 1-3; <https://wp.ces.org.tw/newsletter202112/>.
- ‘COVID-19 as the End of the Modern World? Part Two: Reconsidering Ecclesiology’, *Project Arctos Website* and *KRC Magazine* 67 (Spring 2022): English section 5-10; Chinese translation from English by Linda Pang appeared in *KRC Magazine* 66 (Winter 2021): 56-61.
English: <https://www.projectarctos.com/archive/67/covid-19-end-of-modern-world-ecclesiology>.
Chinese translation: <http://shen-guo.org/covid-19-end-of-modernity-part-two.html>.
- ‘COVID-19 as the End of the Modern World? Part One: Reconsidering Soteriology’, *Project Arctos Website* and *KRC Magazine* 66 (Winter 2021): English section 5-10; Chinese translation from English by Linda Pang, *KRC Magazine* 65 (Fall 2021): 58-62.
English: <https://www.projectarctos.com/archive/66/covid-19-end-of-modernity-soteriology>.
Chinese translation: <http://shen-guo.org/covid-19-end-of-modernity-part-one.html>.
- ‘A Tribute to My Dad’, Remembering Prof. Yinkann Wen, *KRC Website* (August 2020): <http://shen-guo.org/wen-memorial-tribute-to-dad.html>.
- ‘My Learning Journey’, Chinese translation from English by Hsiao Yun Lu and Yinkann Wen, *China Evangelical Seminary News* 591 (January 2020): 4-5; <https://bit.ly/36fcxq8>.
- Featured Blog Respondent to Prof. Michael Welker’s 2019/2020 Gifford Lectures on ‘In God’s Image: Anthropology’, Lecture 2: ‘Human Spirit and Divine Spirit’, University of Edinburgh (October-November 2019): <https://blogs.ed.ac.uk/gifford-lectures/2019/10/29/lecture-2-human-spirit-and-divine-spirit/>.
- Featured Blog Respondent to Prof. Kathryn Tanner’s 2016 Gifford Lectures on ‘Christianity and the New Spirit of Capitalism’, Lecture 5: ‘Another World?’, University of Edinburgh (May 2016): <https://blogs.ed.ac.uk/gifford-lectures/2016/05/11/another-world/>.
- ‘Millennials and the Church: Reasons for Concern, Reason for Hope’, *KRC Magazine* 40 (Summer 2015): 10-14; Chinese translation from English by Linda Pang, *KRC Magazine* 40 (Summer 2015): 20-24.
English: <http://www.shen-guo.org/millennials-and-church-reason-for-hope-e.html>.
Chinese translation: <http://www.shen-guo.org/millennials-and-the-church.html>.

Book Reviews

- Review of Michael W. Stroope, *Transcending Mission: The Eclipse of a Modern Tradition* (Downers Grove, IL: IVP Academic, 2017), *International Bulletin of Mission Research* 49:1 (2025): 79-80; <https://doi.org/10.1177/23969393241292539>.
- Review of David S. Robinson, *Christ and Revelatory Community in Bonhoeffer’s Reception of Hegel*, *Dogmatik in der Moderne* 22 (Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2018), *Journal of Biblical and Theological Studies* 7:2 (2023): 332-35; <https://jbtsonline.org/review-of-christ-and-revelatory-community-in-bonhoeffers-reception-of-hegel-by-david-s-robinson/>.
- Review of Darren Sarisky, ed., *Theologies of Retrieval: An Exploration and Appraisal*, T&T Clark Theology (London: T&T Clark, 2017), *Journal of Biblical and Theological Studies* 7:2 (2023): 330-32; <https://jbtsonline.org/review-of-theologies-of-retrieval-an-exploration-and-appraisal-edited-by-darren-sarisky/>.
- ‘Schillebeeckx’s Eschatology as Political Theology’ – Review of Daniel Minch, *Eschatological Hermeneutics: The Theological Core of Experience and Our Hope for Salvation*, Studies in Edward Schillebeeckx (London: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2018), *The Expository Times* 134:1 (2022): 40; <https://doi.org/10.1177/00145246221126837>.
- Review of Cornelius van der Kooi and Gijsbert van den Brink, *Christian Dogmatics: An Introduction*, trans. Reinder Bruinsma with James D. Bratt (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2017), *Journal of Biblical and Theological Studies* 6:1 (2021): 208-11; <https://jbtsonline.org/review-of-christian-dogmatics-an-introduction-by-cornelis-van-der-kooi-and-gijsbert-van-den-brink/>.

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- ‘Explorations in Majority World Soteriology’ – Review of Gene. L. Green, Stephen T. Pardue, and K. K. Yeo, eds., *So Great a Salvation: Soteriology in the Majority World* (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2017), *The Expository Times* 131:7 (2020): 328; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524620913161>.
- ‘The Lord’s Supper as Subversive Anti-Imperial Praxis?’ – Review of R. Alan Street, *Subversive Meals: An Analysis of the Lord’s Supper under Roman Domination during the First Century* (Cambridge: James Clarke & Co., 2016), *The Expository Times* 131:6 (2020): 283-84; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524619886792>.
- ‘Evangelical Reflections on Ecclesiology and Mission’ – Review of Jason S. Sexton, ed., *Four Views on the Church’s Mission* (Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan, 2017), *The Expository Times* 131:6 (2020): 282-83; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524620906107>.
- ‘Revising Yoder via Bordieu’ – Review of Jamie Pitts, *Principalities and Powers: Revising John Howard Yoder’s Soteriological Theology* (Cambridge: Lutterworth Press, 2013), *The Expository Times* 131:6 (2020): 280; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524619895767>.
- Review of Ben Pugh, *SCM Study Guide to Theology in the Contemporary World*, (London: SCM Press, 2017), *Theology in Scotland* 26:2 (2019): 88-90; <https://ojs.st-andrews.ac.uk/index.php/TIS/article/view/1924>.
- ‘Ecumenism for the Perplexed’ – Review of R. David Nelson and Charles Raith II, *Ecumenism: A Guide for the Perplexed* (London: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2017), *The Expository Times* 129:12 (2018): 584; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524618787902>.
- ‘The Relevance of Kierkegaard Amidst Religious Diversity’ – Review of George B. Connell, *Kierkegaard and the Paradox of Religious Diversity*, Kierkegaard as a Christian Thinker (Grand Rapids, MI: Wm. B. Eerdmans, 2016), *The Expository Times* 129:8 (2018): 383-84; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524617746879>.
- ‘Reasserting the Ecclesial Need for Black Liberation Theology’ – Review of R. Drew Smith, William Ackah, Anthony G.Reddie, and Rothney S. Tshaka (eds.), *Contesting Post-Racialism: Conflicted Churches in the United States and South Africa* (Jackson, MS: University Press of Mississippi, 2015), *The Expository Times* 129:7 (2018): 341-42; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524617746873>.
- Review of Sang Hoon Lee, *Trinitarian Ontology and Israel in Robert W. Jenson’s Theology* (Eugene, OR: Pickwick Publications, 2016), *Journal of Biblical and Theological Studies* 3.1 (2018): 189-91; <https://jbtsonline.org/review-of-trinitarian-ontology-and-israel-in-robert-w-jensons-theology-by-sang-hoon-lee/>.
- ‘The Bible’s Place in American Politics’ – Review of Frances Flannery and Rodney A. Werline (eds.), *The Bible in Political Debate: What Does it Really Say?* (London: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2016), *The Expository Times* 129:4 (2018), 182; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524617726026>.
- ‘Mbiti, Mugambi, and Post-Colonial Theology’ – Review of Robert S. Heaney, *From Historical to Critical Post-Colonial Theology* (Cambridge: James Clarke & Co., 2016), *The Expository Times* 129:3 (2017): 141-42; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524617720141>.
- ‘Renewing the Relevance of Bryan R. Wilson’s Secularization Thesis’ – Review of Bryan R. Wilson (ed. Steve Bruce), *Religion in Secular Society: Fifty Years On* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016), *The Expository Times* 129:2 (2017): 98-99; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524617737673>.
- Invited review of Ambrose Mong, *Accommodation and Acceptance: An Exploration in Interfaith Relations* (Cambridge: James Clarke & Co., 2015), *Studies in World Christianity* 23:2 (2017): 185-86; <https://doi.org/10.3366/swc.2017.0186>.
- ‘Protestant Pastors and Public Life: An American Portrait (1989-2009)’ – Review of Corwin E. Smidt, *Pastors and Public Life: The Changing Face of American Protestant Clergy* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016), *The Expository Times* 128:11 (2017): 567-68; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524617708280>.
- ‘Tracing and Commending the Ignatian Ecclesial Disposition’ – Review of Gill K. Goulding, C.J., *A Church of Passion and Hope: The Formation of an Ecclesial Disposition from Ignatius Loyola to Pope Francis and the New Evangelization* (London: Bloomsbury T&T Clark, 2016), *The Expository Times* 128:8 (2017): 407-8; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524617695059f>.

- ‘Uppsala School—Studies in Ecclesiological Construction’ – Review of Sune Fahlgren and Jonas Idestrom, eds., *Ecclesiology in the Trenches: Theory and Method under Construction* (Cambridge: James Clarke and Co., 2015), *The Expository Times* 128:7 (2017): 360; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524616689019c>.
- ‘Sermons for Relating Well’ – Review of Quentin J. Schultze and Diane M. Badzinski, *An Essential Guide to Interpersonal Communication: Building Great Relationships with Faith, Skill, and Virtue in the Age of Social Media* (Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Academic, 2015), *The Expository Times* 128:3 (2016): 151-52; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524616665962q>.
- ‘Ecumenism into the Twenty-First Century?’ – Review of Michael Kinnamon, *Can a Renewal Movement Be Renewed? Questions for the Future of Ecumenism* (Grand Rapids, MI: William B. Eerdmans Publishing Company, 2014), *The Expository Times* 128:1 (2016): 43; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524616660906a>.
- ‘The Problem of Evil as a Way into Pannenberg’ – Review of Mark Hocknull, *Pannenberg on Evil, Love and God: The Realisation of Divine Love*, Ashgate New Critical Thinking in Religion, Theology and Biblical Studies Series (Oxford: Routledge, 2014), *The Expository Times* 127:9 (2016): 463-64; <https://doi.org/10.1177/0014524616639880h>.

Other Contributions

- Invited Foreword for the Chinese Translation of Philip Ryken’s *The Message of Salvation: By God’s Grace, for God’s Glory* (Taipei: Campus Evangelical Fellowship, 2024): v-vii, 427 n. 1; <https://shop.campus.org.tw/ProductDetails.aspx?productID=000598934>.

TEACHING AND SUPERVISION

Teaching Experience

- 2024-Present McMaster Divinity College
 Professional & Research Programmes (Taught Courses)
 Essentials in Theology
 Evangelical Theology
 Grace and the Christian Life
 Political Theology
 Research Programme (Seminar Courses)
 Doctrine of the Trinity
- 2019-2024 China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan
 MDiv & MA Programmes (Taught Courses)
 Systematic Theology 1: Method, Revelation, God, Humanity
 Systematic Theology 2: Christology, Soteriology, Ecclesiology
 Systematic Theology 3: Pneumatology, Eschatology
 Theology and Ethics: Selected Readings (Advanced English Seminar)
 Theology of Culture
 The Theology of Wolfhart Pannenberg
 Thesis Writing and Research Methods—Theology and Humanities
 MDiv & MA Programmes (Independent Guided Studies)
 Theology of Dance
 ThM Programme (Taught Seminars)
 Contemporary Ecclesiology: Selected Readings
 Theological Method in the Modern Era
 The Theology of Stanley J. Grenz

ThM Programme (Independent Guided Studies)

Hermeneutics in Theological and Philosophical Perspective

Recent Research on Stanley J. Grenz

The Theology of Wolfhart Pannenberg

- 2021-2023 China Evangelical Seminary, Vancouver Campus
Online semester and intensive courses via Zoom
Systematic Theology 1: Method, Revelation, God
Systematic Theology 2: Anthropology, Christology, Soteriology
Systematic Theology 3: Pneumatology, Ecclesiology, Eschatology
- 2016-2019 University of Edinburgh, School of Divinity
Undergraduate Programme (Courses Tutored)
Christian Theology: Doctrines and Debates
God in Philosophy: Plato to Hume
Ethics and Society
Religion, Violence, and Peacebuilding
- Edinburgh University Student Association Teaching Awards*
Nominated for 'Teacher of the Year' (2019-2020)
Nominated for 'Best Student who Tutors' (2017-2018)

Dissertation/Thesis Supervision and Examination

McMaster Divinity College

PhD Supervision (Current)

- Primary: Taina Chan, Steven Sang Hyun Jung, Doreen Kool
- Secondary: Kwasi Boakye-Yiadom, Brenden DePhillippeaux, James Mwenda

DPT Supervision (Current)

- Primary: Matthew Hysell, Edwin Hongyuan Wang
- Secondary: Robert Awil, Simon Kariuki, Sara Russell

MDiv Thesis Supervision (Current)

- Jonathan Germain

Taiwan Graduate School of Theology, Taiwan

ThM Thesis External Examiner (Current)

- Ellen Hui-Ling Huang, 'From Individual to Community: Understanding the Church from the Viewpoint of the Relationality of Person in the Trinitarian Theology of Moltmann' (proposal review November 2023 and March 2024; thesis exam still pending).

China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan

ThM Thesis Primary Supervisor (Completed)

- Tina Yang-Lei Yan, 'All is From and For Community: Exploring the Heart of Stanley J. Grenz's Overall Theology' (May 2022, passed with minor corrections).

ThM Thesis Internal Examiner (Completed)

- Shalom Li, 'The End is In the Beginning: A Study of Stanley Hauerwas' Theology of Peace' (May 2022, passed with no corrections).
- Yong-Chang Shi, 'Narrative and Community Formation: An Exploration of Stanley Hauerwas' Eucharistic Theory and Practice' (May 2020, passed with minor corrections).

MDiv Thesis Supervisor (Completed)

- Kiki Yi-Han Chen (co-supervising with Wilson Chang), ‘Exploring Why Next Generation Christian Adolescents Remain in the Church: A Sample of Five Youths at a Mid-Sized Church in Taipei’ (May 2024).
- Mimi Ching Huang, ‘Christ’s Vicarious Humanity in Incarnation and Atonement: The Contemporary Relevance of T. F. Torrance’s Christology’ (May 2025).
- Sophia Ju-Yu Huang, ‘An Exploration of the Relational Theologies of Jürgen Moltmann and Herman Bavinck on the Doctrine of Sin’ (April 2024).
- Joseph Shi-Hao Lee, ‘The First and Forgotten Commandment: Considering Ecotheology in Dialogue with John R.W. Stott, Sallie McFague, and Jürgen Moltmann’ (May 2024).
- John Zuo-Yao Sun, ‘A Comparative Study of Wealth in Prosperity Theology and the Bible with reference to Pastors Joel Osteen and David Chang’ (May 2025).

MDiv Thesis Internal Examiner (Completed)

- Jia-Ping Chen, ‘An Exploration of Christian Adoption from the Perspective of Adoptees in Taiwan Christian Families’ (May 2024).
- Jimmy Jie-Ming Cheng, ‘Exploring the Seven Mountains Mandate in Taiwan through the Perspectives of Church Alliances and Missions Organizations’ (May 2025).
- Esther Shu-Yun Lee, ‘A Holistic View of the Eucharist? Lived Experience and Theological Reflection among Nepali Christians’ (May 2025).
- Esther Jun-Ru Lin, ‘Exploring the Challenges of Youth Ministry through the Eyes of Small- to Mid-sized Church Leaders: A Case Study of the China Holiness Church in Taiwan’ (May 2024).
- Jerry Hsiang-Rui Liu, ‘A Comparative Analysis of the Term “Allah” in Christianity and Islam from the Perspective of MBBs in the Arab World, and Its Implications for Contextualization’ (May 2024).
- Gemma Wen-Qing Tsui, ‘Exploring the Opportunity and Challenge of Internet Media for Small to Mid-Size Churches’ (May 2024).

SPEAKING AND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Academic Presentations

- ‘Meaning and Eternity amidst “The Horrors”: Marilyn McCord Adams and Wolfhart Pannenberg in Critical-Constructive Dialogue’, The Canadian-American Theological Association, Spring 2025 Conference, McMaster Divinity College, Canada (June 2025).
- ‘Rounding Out Bebbington’s Evangelical Quadrilateral: An Envisioned Future for Theological Studies at McMaster Divinity College’, Inaugural Lecture as the Howard and Shirley Bentall Chair in Evangelical Thought, McMaster Divinity College, Canada (February 2025). Video available: https://youtu.be/aRb77V9Oq00?si=fbkrtqFrDJ_IYx1B.
- ‘Meaning and Eternity amidst “The Horrors”: Marilyn McCord Adams and Wolfhart Pannenberg in Critical-Constructive Dialogue’, China Evangelical Graduate School of Theology Conference, Taiwan [paper delivered online] (December 2024).
- ‘Meaning and Eternity amidst “The Horrors”: Marilyn McCord Adams and Wolfhart Pannenberg in Critical-Constructive Dialogue’, Theological Research Seminary, McMaster Divinity College, Canada (September 2024).
- ‘Sin, Evil, Meaning, and Eternity in the Light of Divine Action: Marilyn McCord Adams and Wolfhart Pannenberg in Critical-Constructive Dialogue’, International Wolfhart Pannenberg Symposium, Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany [paper delivered online] (April 2024).
- ‘A Primer for Systematic Theology’, Guest Lecture, McMaster Divinity College, Canada (February 2024).
- “Personal”, “Social”, and “Political”: Re-Exploring the Borders via Pannenberg and Cavanaugh’, Guest Lecture, McMaster Divinity College, Canada (February 2024).
- “Personal”, “Social”, and “Political”: Re-Exploring the Borders via Pannenberg and Cavanaugh’, China Evangelical Graduate School of Theology Conference, Taiwan (December 2023).

- ‘What is Church? Understanding Online Church from the Perspectives of Systematic Theology, Biblical Theology, and Media Ecology’, panel discussion with Joshua Chia-En Liu and Daniel Wei-Wen Tu, China Evangelical Graduate School of Theology, Taiwan (November 2023).
- Invited closing response to ‘面對當今潮流衝擊下的神學之未來’ [‘The Future of Theology Under the Impact of Today’s Trends’], featuring keynote presentations by Clement Chia and Ping-Cheung Lo, 17th Annual Taiwan Graduate School of Theology Conference, Taiwan (December 2022).
- Invited Lecture, ‘From Maximus and Calvin to Pannenberg and World Christianity: Seeding a Constructive Evangelical Proposal for the 21st Century’ [Mandarin Chinese], Christian Thought and Research Center, Taiwan Graduate School of Theology, Taiwan (December 2022).
- ‘A “Public” Doctrine of Election? Reconsidering the Critical and Constructive Potential of Wolfhart Pannenberg’s Understanding of Covenant and Judgment amidst the Flow of World History’, The Inaugural Wolfhart Pannenberg Symposium, Loyola University Chicago [online] (March 2022). [Withdrawn due to health reasons.]
- Invited Paper, ‘Pannenberg’s Scientific Field of Vision’, Science and Religion Research Seminar, School of Divinity, University of Edinburgh, UK [online due to COVID-19] (February 2022). [Withdrawn due to health reasons.]
- “Personal”, “Social”, and “Political”: Re-Exploring the Borders via Pannenberg and Cavanaugh’, Society for the Study of Theology, UK [online due to COVID-19] (April 2021).
- ‘Theological Identity in the 21st Century: Querying and Questioning the "Eschatological Imagination" in the Context of East Asia’, Taiwan World Christianity Workgroup, Taiwan [online] (February 2021).
- ‘Theological Identity in the 21st Century: Querying and Questioning the "Eschatological Imagination" in the Context of East Asia’, Mt. Carmel Symposium, 7th Annual Meeting, Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong [online due to COVID-19] (January 2021).
- “Election to Community” as the Heart of Vocation: A Constructive Dialogue with Wolfhart Pannenberg and Stanley J. Grenz’, China Evangelical Graduate School of Theology Conference, Taiwan (December 2020).
- Invited Paper, ‘World Christianity as "Christian" Theology?’, 15th Annual Taiwan Graduate School of Theology Conference, Taiwan (December 2020).
- ‘Wolfhart Pannenberg’s Eschatological View of Truth’s Coherence in Context’, Short Paper Presentation to the Faculty, China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan (October 2019).
- ‘Between Ecclesiology and Eschatology: Reconsidering Pannenberg’s Doctrine of Election’, Theology & Ethics Research Seminar, School of Divinity, University of Edinburgh, UK (November 2017).
- ‘Pannenberg on the Reformation and Rome: A Renewed Ecumenical Relevance’, Society for the Study of Theology, University of Nottingham, UK (April 2017).
- Invited response to Zachary Purvis, ‘Franz Overbeck (1837-1905): Modern Theology and Its Discontents’, Theology & Ethics Research Seminar, School of Divinity, University of Edinburgh, UK (February 2017).
- ‘The Christian Life and Wolfhart Pannenberg’s Ontological Priority of the Future’, Guest Lecture for Lydia Schumacher’s ‘Key Debates in Modern Theology’ course, School of Divinity, University of Edinburgh, UK (November 2016).
- ‘The Continuing Relevance of Pannenberg to Contemporary Expressions of Ecumenism? A Preliminary Response with Reference to Asia’, Ecclesiological Investigations International Research Network, 10th International Gathering, Ming Hua Theological College, Hong Kong (July 2016).
- ‘The Continuing Relevance of Pannenberg to Contemporary Expressions of Ecumenism? A Preliminary Response’, New College Postgraduate Colloquium, School of Divinity, University of Edinburgh, UK (March 2016).
- Invited response to Karen Kilby, ‘Eschatology and Suffering’, Theology & Ethics Research Seminar, School of Divinity, University of Edinburgh, UK (March 2016).

Non-Academic Presentations (Selected)

- ‘Evangelicalism beyond Activism: Embracing a Holistic Christology’ [Mandarin Chinese], Interview with David Doong, Mission Discipleship Podcast Episode 205, Chinese Coordination Centre of World Evangelization (May 2025): <https://cccowe.buzzsprout.com/1623208/episodes/17102936-ep205>.
- ‘2025—A Year’s Plan Begins with Spring: The Fear of the LORD is the Beginning of Knowledge’ [Mandarin Chinese], Knowledge Gym Initiative of the Christian Studies Think Tank, Taiwan (March 2025). Video available: <https://youtu.be/DZMx4qfEpPE?si=AY3-DFvUMHZWqjP->.
- ‘Imaging God and Emerging Technologies’, Webinar with John Hilber and Lee Beach, Centre for Church and Culture, McMaster Divinity College, Canada (February 2025). Video available: https://youtu.be/wlj5ks2roKw?si=TsdbR_ZS91FdkMtx.
- ‘Discipleship in a New Technological Era’, Webinar with John Hilber, Centre for Church and Culture, McMaster Divinity College, Canada (October 2024). Video available: https://youtu.be/iNR_kuC2eHk?si=0pN9cCU8AxsWD06m.
- ‘The Spiritual Life of the Christian Scholar’, Advanced Degree Colloquy: Dissertation and Research Writing, McMaster Divinity College, Canada (October 2024).
- Guest Preacher using Mandarin Chinese and/or English at Various Churches and Christian Ministries throughout Taiwan (2019-2024).
- ‘Exploring Participation in Christ’ [Mandarin Chinese], Taiwan Churches of Christ, Taipei International Christian Church in Da’An (June 2024).
- ‘2024 Review and Outlook: Three New Years Resolutions’ [Mandarin Chinese], Knowledge Gym Initiative of the Christian Studies Think Tank, Taiwan (February 2024). Video available: https://www.instagram.com/reel/C3zHdinCDI7/?utm_source=ig_web_copy_link.
- ‘Exploring Ecclesiology’ [Mandarin Chinese], College Fellowship, Hsin-Yi Friendship Presbyterian Church, Taiwan (January 2024).
- ‘Where Are The Other Nine?’ (Luke 17:11-19) [Mandarin Chinese], China Evangelical Seminary Chapel Service, Taiwan (December 2023).
- ‘Walking as Children of Light’ (Ephesians 5:8-14) [Mandarin Chinese], ‘The Light’ TED Talk-Style Sermons Initiative of the Christian Studies Think Tank, Taiwan (November 2023). Video available: <https://youtu.be/KuH0Q8O6ybw?si=XcH0eUGQ35B2X0rQ>.
- ‘The Lord is My Shepherd’ (Psalm 23) [Mandarin Chinese], ‘The Light’ TED Talk-Style Sermons Initiative of the Christian Studies Think Tank, Taiwan (August 2023). Video available: <https://youtu.be/TFCINHVlwL0>.
- ‘Exploring Eschatology’ [Mandarin Chinese], National Chengchi University Faith-Hope-Love Christian Fellowship, Taiwan (May 2023).
- ‘A Future for Evangelicalism? A Reconstructive Proposal for the 21st Century (and Beyond)’ (8 hours of semi-academic plenary and Q&A sessions) [English], Kingdom Resources for Christ Spring Conference, Ambassadors for Christ Great Commission Training Center, Paradise, PA (April 2023).
- ‘Holy Ruthlessness and Holy Laziness when there are more important things happening’ [Mandarin Chinese], Knowledge Gym Initiative of the Christian Studies Think Tank, Taiwan (March 2023). Video available: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7JBgREiH464&t=7s>.
- ‘A Critical Crossroads: Theological Education in America in the 21st Century’ [Mandarin Chinese], ecumenical conversation for invited faculty representatives from China Evangelical Graduate School of Theology, Ling Leung Pastoral and Missionary Theological Seminary, and Taiwan Graduate School of Theology, a Christian Studies Think Tank event held at Ling Leung Pastoral and Missionary Theological Seminary, Taiwan (January 2023).
- ‘My Life’s Journey’ [Mandarin Chinese], Chung Yuan Christian University, Taiwan (December 2021).
- ‘Lecture on Reading the Bible Well: What is the Relationship between the Bible and My Life Situation?’ [Mandarin Chinese], Tunghai University, Taiwan (October 2021).

- ‘Exploring Theological Anthropology’ [Mandarin Chinese], Faith-Hope-Love Christian Fellowship, Fu Jen Catholic University, Taiwan (October 2021).
- ‘The Gospel and Reconciliation with the World’ [Mandarin Chinese], Joshua Fellowship, Hsin-Yi Friendship Presbyterian Church, Taiwan [online due to COVID-19] (September 2021).
- ‘Knowing the Holy Spirit’ [Mandarin Chinese], Faith-Hope-and-Love Christian Fellowship, Fu-Jen Catholic University, Taiwan [online due to COVID-19] (May 2021).
- ‘So You Think Theology’s Not Important? Ha!’ [Mandarin Chinese], College Fellowship, Hsin-Yi Friendship Presbyterian Church, Taiwan (May 2021).
- ‘Rediscovering the “Easy Yoke” Devotional Life’ [Mandarin Chinese], Hsin-Chu Lutheran Church, Taiwan (March 2021).
- ‘What Is That To You?’ (John 21:17-25) [Mandarin Chinese], China Evangelical Seminary Chapel Service, Taiwan (May 2020).
- Pulpit Supply [Mandarin Chinese and English], Chinese Evangelical Church of Edinburgh, UK (2016-2019).
- ‘Public Speaking with an Interpreter’ – University of Edinburgh Open Educational Resource, CC 4.0 Attribution License (2018). Video available: <https://open.ed.ac.uk/public-speaking-with-an-interpreter/>.
- ‘The Great Pursuit’ (8 plenary youth sessions) [English], PHAT Camp, Chinese Overseas Christian Mission, Whitmore Lakes Conference Center, Lichfield, UK (August 2017).
- ‘Millennials and the Church: Reasons for Concern, Reason for Hope’ (2 sessions) [English], Children’s Department Teacher’s Training Day, Chinese Bible Church of Maryland, Rockville, MD (April 2015).
- ‘Millennials and the Church: Reasons for Concern, Reason for Hope’ (2 plenary sessions, 2 sessions as respondent and panelist) [English], Kingdom Resources for Christ Spring Conference, Best Western Hotel and Conference Center, Bethlehem, PA (March 2015).
- ‘The Future-Present Church: A Primer for Racial Reconciliation’ [English], Advent Sermon, Chinese Bible Church of Maryland, MD (December 2014).
- ‘Deep Rooted’ (4 plenary youth sessions) [English], Ambassadors for Christ Love for Life Camp, DeSales University, Center Valley, PA (July 2014).
- ‘Royals’ (8 plenary youth sessions, 1 youth Q&A session) [English], Arizona Youth Camp, San Diego, CA (June 2014).
- ‘A Year Without Facebook’ [English], Interview with DJ Chuang, SocialMedia.Church Podcast, Archives, Episode 54 (July 2013) [weblink no longer available].
- ‘Stand Firm in the Battle for the Truth’ (6 plenary youth sessions, 2 youth workshop sessions) [English], New York Summer Conference, Hofstra University, Long Island, NY (July 2013).
- ‘Holding On’ (4 sessions) [English], Cabin John United Methodist Church Retreat, Skycroft Conference Center, Middletown, MD (September 2012).
- ‘Walk: Following His Footsteps’ (8 plenary youth sessions, 6 youth workshop sessions) [English], New York Summer Conference, Hofstra University, Long Island, NY (July 2012).
- ‘Union with Christ: Abiding in Him’ [English], Kharis Campus Ministry, University of Maryland at College Park, College Park, MD (May 2012).
- ‘Homosexuality and the Moral Quest: An Introductory Primer and Perspectival Christian Response’ (2 youth workshop sessions) [English], Teens Group Winter Retreat, Chinese Bible Church of Maryland, Skycroft Conference Center, Middletown, MD (January 2012).
- ‘Leaves for the Healing of the Nations’ [English], New Student Orientation Chapel Service, Pharmacy School, College of Notre Dame, Baltimore, MD (August 2011).
- ‘The Media Ecology of Today’s Youth’ [English], English Adult Workshop, Chinese Bible Church of Maryland, May Retreat, Messiah College, Grantham, PA (May 2011).

‘Media Ecology and the Classroom’ [English], Guest Instructor, English Adult Sunday School: ‘Working with Children and Youth in the 21st Century’, Chinese Bible Church of Maryland, Rockville, MD (April 2011).

‘Postmodernism and How It Affects Our Youth’ [English], Guest Instructor, English Adult Sunday School: ‘Working with Children and Youth in the 21st Century’, Chinese Bible Church of Maryland, Rockville, MD (March 2011).

‘Lazarus, Wake Up!’ (John 11:1-44) [English], Living Stone Fellowship, National Dong-Hwa University, Taiwan (May 2004).

Other Formal Conference Participation

Invited Participant, ‘Let the Church Declare and Display Christ Together’, Seoul-Incheon 2024: The Fourth Lausanne Congress, Seoul, Korea [was invited to participate on-site but participated virtually due to logistical constraints] (September 2024).

Invited Participant, ‘Rethinking Church & Mission: God’s Agenda for Today’, Asia 2022: Congress on the Asian Church and Mission, an event officially co-sponsored by the Asia Evangelical Alliance, Asia Lausanne, and the Asia Theological Association [event live in Thailand but I participated via their online option] (October 2022).

Invited Participant, ‘未來教會線上研討會’ [‘The Future Church Conference’], an event co-sponsored by Taiwan Lausanne and CCOWE [online due to COVID-19] (January 2022).

Invited Participant, ‘跨過火溪成為異象’ [‘A Vision of Crossing the Stream of Fire’], 16th Annual Taiwan Graduate School of Theology Conference, Taiwan (December 2021).

Invited Observer, ‘Megatrends in the Asian Church’, Asia 2021: Congress on the Asian Church and Mission, an event officially co-sponsored by the Asia Evangelical Alliance, Asia Lausanne, and the Asia Theological Association [online due to COVID-19] (October 2021).

Distinguished Guest, ‘國立東華大學 2020 年紀念溫英幹教授經濟暨財務金融學術研討會’ [‘National Dong-Hwa University 2020 Economics and Finance Conference in Commemoration of Prof. Yinkann Wen’], National Dong-Hwa University, Taiwan (September 2020).

‘Kirche und Reich Gottes’, Pannenberg-Kolloquium, Pannenberg Forschungsinstitut, Hochschule für Philosophie SJ, Munich, Germany (October 2016).

‘Sharing Future Church: Reflections on *The Church: Towards a Common Vision*’, Joint Commission on Doctrine of the Church of Scotland and the Roman Catholic Church in Scotland, City of Edinburgh Methodist Church, Edinburgh, UK (December 2015).

OTHER SERVICE AND EMPLOYMENT

Ancillary Appointments

2025-Present	Peer-Reviewer for the <i>Journal of Chinese Theology</i> (Brill)
2024-Present	Co-Editor with Matthias Ruf and Mark Hertenstein for Volume 1 of the new <i>International Pannenberg Series</i> (Karl Alber Publishing)
2024-Present	Planning Committee Member, International Wolfhart Pannenberg Symposium 2026
2021-Present	External Academic Advisor, Latreia Press, UK (https://latreiapress.org/about/)
2024-2025	Peer-Reviewer for the Rev. Dr. Lian-Hwa Chow Memorial Foundation “Outstanding PhD and Master Thesis Award” (https://drlienhwachowfoundation.org/)
2023-2024	Planning Committee Member, Taiwan World Christianity Group Mini-Conference 2023
2022-2024	Planning Committee Member, International Wolfhart Pannenberg Symposium 2024 (https://pannenbergsymposium.wordpress.com/about-the-conference/)
2022-2024	Alumni Ambassador for Taiwan, University of Edinburgh, UK
2022-2024	Peer-Reviewer for <i>Taiwan Baptist Seminary Journal</i> , Taiwan

Faculty Service

2024-2025	Faculty Representative, McMaster Divinity College Senate
2023-2024	Committee Member, Christian Theological and Religious Research Centre, China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan (https://wp.ces.org.tw/基督教神學與宗教研究中心)
2022-2024	English Entrance Exam Author, Admissions Committee, China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan
2022-2024	PhD Program Planning Committee Member, China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan
2021-2024	Member, Faculty Review Committee, Institute of Theology, China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan
2020-2024	Member, Online Distance Education Subcommittee, China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan
2019-2024	Faculty Tutor for Student Small Groups, China Evangelical Seminary, Taiwan

Student Service

2017-2018	New College Postgraduate Colloquium Planning Team, University of Edinburgh, UK
2001-2002	Vice President of Community Diversity, Student Government, Wheaton College, Illinois, USA
2000-2001	SMP Member of Team Bergen (Norway), Youth Hostel Ministry, Wheaton College, Illinois, USA
2000-2001	Office Manager/Administrator, College Union, Wheaton College, Illinois, USA

Other Employment

2010-2015	Youth Minister, Chinese Bible Church of Maryland, Rockville, MD, USA (ordained, January 2014)
2007-2008	External Relations TA, Regent College at the University of British Columbia, Canada
2005-2006	English Conversation Teacher, Huey-Deng High School, Yilan, Taiwan
2003-2005	English Campus Ministries Coordinator, Chih-Hsueh Gospel Center, Hualien, Taiwan
2002-2003	Transcript Entry Clerk, Intelligent Automation, Inc., Rockville, MD, USA
Sum. 2002	Consumer PR Intern, Dome Communications, Inc., Chicago, IL, USA
2001-2002	Youth Group Co-Leader, Truth Lutheran Church (ELCA), Naperville, IL, USA
1997-1998	Summer Intern, Montgomery County Division of Facilities and Services, Rockville, MD, USA