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## Education

- **Dr. Theol.** University of Zurich, Zurich Switzerland, 1991 (*magna cum laude*)
- **Th.M.** Baptist Theological Seminary, Rüslikon, Switzerland, 1987 (*magna cum laude*)
- **M.Div.** Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky, 1983
- **B.A.** Samford University, Birmingham, Alabama, 1979 (*cum laude*)

## Professional Experience

- Professor of Religion, Baylor University, 2007-present
- Associate Professor of Old Testament Interpretation, 2002-2007, School of Divinity, Gardner-Webb University, Boiling Springs, NC.
- Assistant Library Director, Library Systems Manager, and Adjunct Professor of Biblical Studies, 1998-2002, Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, Lombard, IL
- Research Professor, 1997-1999, The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY
- Assistant Professor of Old Testament Interpretation, Fall 1992-1997, The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY
- Adjunct Professor, 1992, Anderson College, Anderson, SC.
- Adjunct Professor, 1992, Lander College, Greenwood, SC.
- Adjunct Professor, 1992, Erskine College, Due West, SC.
- Teaching Fellow, 1990, Baptist Theological Seminary, Rüslikon, Switzerland.

## Publications

### Books

- *Literary Precursors to the Book of the Twelve*. BZAW 217. Berlin: De Gruyter, 1993.
- *Redactional Processes in the Book of the Twelve*. BZAW 218. Berlin: De Gruyter, 1993.
- *The Book of the Twelve: Hosea – Jonah*. Smyth & Helwys Bible Commentary. Macon: Smyth and Helwys, 2011.
- *The Book of the Twelve: Micah – Malachi*. Smyth & Helwys Bible Commentary. Macon: Smyth and Helwys, 2011.
- Ehud Ben Zvi and James D. Nogalski. *Two Sides of a Coin: Juxtaposing Views on Interpreting the Book of the Twelve/Twelve Prophetic Books* (Piscataway, New Jersey: Gorgias Press, 2009).
- *Interpreting Prophetic Literature: Historical and Exegetical Tools for Reading the Prophets*. Westminster John Knox, 2015.
- *The Book of the Twelve and Beyond: Collected Essays of James D. Nogalski*. Ancient Israel and Its Literature 29. Atlanta: SBL Press, 2017.
- *An Introduction to the Hebrew the Prophets*. Nashville: Abingdon Press, 2018.
- *Joel, Obadiah, Jonah, and Micah*. New International Commentary of the Old Testament. Grand Rapids. Initial manuscript submitted.

## Edited Volumes

- *Reading and Hearing the Book of the Twelve*. James D. Nogalski and Marvin Sweeney, eds. SBL Symposium Series #15. Society of Biblical Literature Press, 2000.
- Albertz, Rainer, James D. Nogalski, and Jakob Wöhrle, editors. *Perspectives on the Formation of the Book of the Twelve: Methodological Foundations -- Redactional Process -- Historical Insights*. BZAW 433. Berlin: De Gruyter, 2012.
- *Exploring the Book of the Twelve: Collected Essays by James D. Nogalski*. Ancient Israel and Its Literature. SBL Publications, 2017.

## Peer-Reviewed Articles & Invited Essays

- “The Role of Nahum 1 in the Redaction of the Book of the Twelve.” In *Among the Prophets: Language, Image and Structure*, Philip Davies and David D.J. Clines, editors. Sheffield: Sheffield Academic Press, 1993.
- “The Problematic Suffixes of Amos 9:11.” *Vetus Testamentum* 43 (1993): 411-418.
- “A Teaching Outline for Amos,” *Review and Expositor*. 92 (1995): 147-151.
- “Facing Doubt and Crisis in a Seminary Setting.” Co-authored with Melanie Greer Nogalski. In *Preparing for Christian Ministry: An Evangelical Approach*. Wheaton: Victor Books, 1996.
- “Intertextuality and the Twelve.” In *Forming Prophetic Literature: Essays on Isaiah and the Twelve in Honor of John D. W. Watts*. Sheffield: Sheffield Academic Press, 1996.
- “Obad 7: Textual Corruption or Politically Charged Metaphor?” *Zeitschrift für die Alttestamentliche Wissenschaft* 110 (1998): 67-71.
- “Preaching from Joshua in Canonical Contexts.” *Review and Expositor* 95 (1998): 263-269.
- “From Psalm to Psalms to Psalter.” Pages 37–54 in *An Introduction to the Wisdom Literature and the Psalm*. Edited by H. Wayne Ballard and Dennis Tucker. Macon: Mercer University Press, 2000.
- “Zephaniah 3: A Redactional Text for a Developing Corpus.” In *Schriftauslegung in der Schrift: Festschrift für Odil Hannes Steck*. BZAW 300. Berlin: De Gruyter, 2000.
- “Reading David in the Psalter: A Study in Liturgical Hermeneutics.” *Horizons in Biblical Theology* 23 (2001): 168-191.
- “Zechariah 13:7-9 as a Transitional Text: An Appreciation and Reevaluation of the Work of Rex Mason.” Pages 292-304 in *Bringing out the Treasure: Inner Biblical Allusion in Zechariah 9-14*. Edited by Mark J. Boda and Michael H. Floyd. Journal for the Study of the Old Testament Supplement Series 370. Sheffield: Sheffield Press, 2003.
- “The Day(s) of YHWH in the Book of the Twelve.” Pages 192-213 in *Thematic Threads in the Book of the Twelve*. Edited by Paul L. Redditt and Aaron Schart. Beihefte zur Zeitschrift für die alttestamentliche Wissenschaft 325. Berlin: De Gruyter, 2003.
- “Reevaluating the Enemy in Micah 7.” In *Hearing the Word of God through Historically Dissimilar Traditions*. A Festschrift for Gerald Sheppard. London: T&T Clark, Forthcoming.
- “Guest Editorial: Reading the Book of the Twelve Theologically.” *Interpretation* 61 (2007): 115-124.
- “Recurring Themes in the Book of the Twelve: Creating Points of Contact for a Theological Reading.” *Interpretation* 61 (2007): 125-137.
- “One Book and Twelve Books: The Nature of the Redactional Work and the Implications of Cultic Source Material in the Book of the Twelve” in *Two Sides of a Coin: Juxtaposing Views on Interpreting the Book of the Twelve/Twelve Prophetic Books* (Piscataway, New Jersey: Gorgias Press, 2009).
- “Teaching Prophetic Books.” *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 36 (2009): 251-256.
- “Micah 7:8-20: Re-evaluating the Identity of the Enemy.” Pages 125-142 in *The Bible as a Human Witness to Divine Revelation: Hearing the Word of God Through Historically*

*Dissimilar Traditions* (Randall Heskett and Brian Irwin, eds.; LHBOT 469; New York: T & T Clark, 2010).

- “Douze Livres dan un seul livre. Le travail rédactionnel dan le livre des Douze.” in *La formation du corpus prophétique de la Bible hébraïque*. Edited by Jean-Daniel Macchi, Christophe Nihan, and Thomas Römer. Le Monde de la Bible. Geneva: Labor et Fides, 2012.
- “Jerusalem, Samaria, and Bethel in the Book of the Twelve.” Pages 251-271 in *Die Stadt im Zwölfprophetenbuch*. Edited by Aaron Scharf and Jutta Krispenz. BZAW428. Berlin: De Gruyter, 2012.
- “Not Just Another Nation: Obadiah’s Placement in the Book of the Twelve.” Pages 89-109 in *Perspectives on the Formation of the Book of the Twelve: Methodological Foundations -- Redactional Process -- Historical Insights*. Edited by Rainer Albertz, James D. Nogalski, and Jakob Wöhrle, editors. BZAW 433. Berlin: De Gruyter, 2012.
- “Zephaniah’s Use of Genesis 1–11.” *Hebrew Bible and Ancient Israel* 2 (2013): 351-372.
- “Job and Joel: Divergent Voices on a Common Theme.” Pages 129–41 in *Reading Job Intertextually*. Edited by Katharine J. Dell and Will Kynes. Library of Hebrew Bible/Old Testament Studies 574. London: T&T Clark, 2013.
- “Where are the Prophets in the Book of the Twelve?” Pages 163–182 in *The New Form Criticism and the Book of the Twelve*. Edited by Mark J. Boda, Michael H. Floyd, and Colin M. Toffelmire. SBL Publications, 2015.
- “Presumptions of ‘Covenant’ in Joel.” Pages 211–228 in *Covenant in the Persian Period*. Eisenbrauns. Edited by Richard Bauckham and Gary L. Knoppers. Winona Lake, IN: Eerdmans, forthcoming, 2015.
- “Remembering ‘these Seventy Years’ in Zechariah” Pages 247–258 in *History, Memory, Hebrew Scriptures: A Festschrift for Ehud Ben Zvi*. Edited by Ian Douglas Wilson and Diana V. Edelman. Winona Lake, IN: Eisenbrauns, 2015.
- “Redaction Criticism and the Prophets.” In *The Oxford Handbook of the Prophets*. Edited by Carolyn J. Sharp. Oxford University Press, 2016.
- “How Does Malachi’s ‘Book of Remembrance’ Function for the Cultic Elite? Pages 199–222 in *Priests and Cult in the Book of the Twelve*. Edited by Lena Sofia Tiemeyer. Atlanta: SBL Press, 2016.
- “Complaint Psalms and Prophetic Complaints.” Pages 35–62 in “*Wer lässt uns Gutes sehen? “ (Ps 4,7) Internationale Studien zu Klagen in den Psalmen: Zum Gedenken an Frank-Lothar Hossfeld*. Johannes Schnocks, ed. Freiburg: Herder, 2016.
- Nogalski, James D. “The Twelve Is Not a Hypothesis” Pages 37–59 in *The Book of the Twelve – One Book or Many? Metz Conference Proceedings 5–7 November 2015*. Edited by Elena Di Pede and Donatella Scaiola. Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2016.
- “Preexilic Portions of the Book of the Twelve.” Pages 33–52 in *The Books of the Twelve Prophets: Minor Prophets -- Major Theologies*. Heinz-Josef Fabry, ed. Bibliotheca Ephemeridum Lovaniensium 295. Leuven: Peeters, 2018.
- “The Role of Lady Zion in the Concluding Section of Zephaniah and Isaiah 40–66.” In *Isaiah and the Twelve*. Edited by Richard J. Bauckham, Burkard M. Zapff, Joachim Eck. Berlin: De Gruyter, forthcoming.
- “Joel.” In *The Oxford Bible Commentary*. Oxford University Press. Submitted.

### **Translated Books and Essays**

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- *Introduction to Psalms*. A translation of *Einleitung in die Psalmen* by Herman Gunkel. Mercer University Press, 1998.
- *The Theological Witness of Prophetic Books*. A Translation of *Die Prophetenbücher und ihr theologisches Zeugnis* by O.H. Steck. Chalice Press, 2000.
- *Genesis and the Moses Story*. A translation of *Exodus und Erzväter* by Konrad Schmid. Eisenbrauns, 2010.
- Translated “Restoration Expectations in the Prophetic Tradition of the Old Testament.” By Konrad Schmid and O. H. Steck. Pages 41-81 in *Restoration: Old Testament, Jewish, and Christian Perspectives*. Supplements to the Journal for the Study of Judaism 72. Leiden: Brill, 2001.

### Dictionary Articles and Short Contributions

- “Two Kings, Two Responses, One Message.” In *Great Preaching 1996*. The Preaching Library. Michael Dduit, editor. Jackson, TN: Preaching Resources, Inc., 1996.
- “Lebanon” and “Joash, King of Judah,” In *The New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology*. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1997.
- “The Book of the Twelve.” *New Interpreter’s Dictionary of the Bible*, Vol. 1: 488-489. Nashville: Abingdon Press, 2006.
- “The Book of Joel.” *New Interpreter’s Dictionary of the Bible*. Vol. 3: 339-343. Nashville: Abingdon Press, 2008.
- “Nahum” in *The New Interpreter’s Bible One Volume Commentary* (Nashville: Abingdon, 2010).
- “Habakkuk” in *The New Interpreter’s Bible One Volume Commentary* (Nashville: Abingdon, 2010).
- “Zephaniah” in *The New Interpreter’s Bible One Volume Commentary* (Nashville: Abingdon, 2010).
- “Three Faces of Hope: Amos 9:11-12 and Acts 15:12-19.” *Review and Expositor* 112 (2015): 311-315.

### Book Reviews

- Lee, Kyong-Jin. *The Authority and Authorization of the Torah in the Persian Period*. Contributions to Biblical Exegesis and Theology, vol. 64. Leuven: Peeters, 2011. Pp. X + 296. €46 (paper). In *Journal of the American Oriental Society* 134 (2014): 343–345.
- LeCureux, Jason T. *The Thematic Unity of the Book of the Twelve*, HBM 41 (Sheffield: Sheffield Phoenix, 2012) in *Journal of Hebrew Scriptures* 13 (2013).
- Hallaschka, *Haggai und Sacharja 1–8*. Eine redaktionsgeschichtliche Untersuchung (BZAW 411). Berlin – New York, De Gruyter, 2010. xii-371. P. 16 x 23. In *Biblica* 93 (2012): 284-287.
- Peter Riede, *Ich mache dich zur festen Stadt: Zum Prophetenbild von Jeremia 1,18f und 15,20* (FB 121; Würzburg: Echter Verlag, 2009). Pp. 111. Paper 25 Euro. In *CBQ* 72 (2010).
- Integrated book review of two books: Mark Boda and Michael Floyd, eds. *Tradition in Transition: Haggai and Zechariah 1–8 in the Trajectory of Hebrew Theology*. Library of Hebrew Bible/Old Testament Studies 475 (T&T Clark, 2008); and Philip Peter Jenson, *Obadiah, Jonah, Micah: A Theological Commentary*. Library of Hebrew Bible/Old Testament Studies 496 (T&T Clark, 2008). In *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 38 (2011): 109-113.
- *Das Werden des Buches Hosea: Eine Redaktionsgeschichtliche Untersuchung* by Roman Vielhauer in *Review of Biblical Literature*, November, 2009.

- Harvey, John E. *Retelling the Torah: The Deuteronomistic Historian's Use of Tetrateuchal Narratives*. Library of Hebrew Bible / Old Testament Studies 403. New York: T & T Clark, 2004. Grabbe, Lester and Alice Bellis, eds., *The Priests in the Prophets: The Portrayal of Priests, Prophets, and Other Religious Specialists in the Latter Prophets*. Library of Hebrew Bible / Old Testament Studies 408. New York: T & T Clark, 2004. Roncace, Mark. *Jeremiah, Zedekiah, and the Fall of Jerusalem*. Library of Hebrew Bible / Old Testament Studies 423. New York: T & T Clark, 2005. Grabbe, Lester, ed., *Good Kings and Bad Kings*. Library of Hebrew Bible / Old Testament Studies 393. New York: T & T Clark, 2005. In *Perspectives in Religious Studies* 34 (2007): 429-436.
- *Worship in Ancient Israel: An Essential Guide* by Walter Brueggemann, in *Review & Expositor* 103 (2006): 625-627.
- *The Reshaping of Ancient Israelite History in Chronicles* by Isaac Kalimi in *Review & Expositor* 103 (2006): 834-836.
- *The King as Exemplar: The Function of Deuteronomy's Kingship Law in the Shaping of the Book of Psalms* by Jamie A. Grant in *Journal of the American Oriental Society* 125 (2005): 433-435.
- "The Earth mourns": *Prophetic Metaphor and Oral Aesthetic* by Katherine M Hayes in *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* 66 (2004): 125-126.
- *Eerdmans Commentary on the Bible*, edited by James D. G. Dunn and John W. Rogerson in *Review of Biblical Literature* October, 2004.
- *Studien zu Propheten und Religionsgeschichte* by Adrian Schenker in *Review of Biblical Literature* 6 (2004): 239-241.
- *Deuteronomy* by Walter Brueggemann in *Review & Expositor* 100 (2003): 715-718.
- *Joel and Obadiah: A Commentary* by John Barton in *Journal of the American Oriental Society* 123 (2003): 255-256.
- *Nahum* by Julia Myers O'Brien, in *Review of Biblical Literature*, June 2003.
- *Minor Prophets*, part 2 by Michael H. Floyd in *Journal of the American Oriental Society* 122 (2002): 173-174.
- *Readings from the Ancient Near East*, edited by Bill T. Arnold and Brian E. Beyer, in *Review & Expositor* 99 (2002): 628-629.
- "Dies ist die Zeit, von der geschrieben ist...": *Die expliziten Zitate aus dem Buch Hosea in den Handschriften von Qumran und im Neuen Testament* by Barbara Fuss in *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* 63 (2001): 519-520.
- *The Prophets: A Liberation-critical Reading* by Carol J. Dempsey in *Interpretation* 55 (2001): 318.
- *The Search for Quotation: Verbal Parallels in the Prophets* by Richard L. Schultz in *Theologische Literaturzeitung* 126 (2001): 516-518.
- *Gesammelte Aufsätze zum Alten Testament* by Rudolf Mosis in *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* 62 (2000): 785-786.
- *In Conversation with Jonah: Conversation Analysis, Literary Criticism, and the Book of Jonah* by Raymond F Person, *Journal of Biblical Literature* 118 (1999): 355-357.
- *Zechariah* by Edgar W. Conrad in *Review & Expositor* 96 (1999): 466-467.
- *Das Buch Hosea* by Eberhard Bons in *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* 60 (1998): 108-110.
- *Die Bücher Obadja, Jona* by Ursula Struppe in *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* 60 (1998): 108-110.
- *Old Testament Prophecy: From Oracles to Canon* by Ronald E. Clements in *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* 59 (1997): 409-410.
- *Schriftgelehrte Prophetie in Jes 56-66: Eine Untersuchung zu den literarischen Bezügen in den letzten elf Kapiteln des Jesajabuches* by Wolfgang Lau, in *Journal of Biblical Literature*

116 (1997): 127-129.

- *Hosea und Amos: Studien zu den Anfängen des Dodekapropheten* by Jörg Jeremias in *Review & Expositor* 94 (1997): 137.
- *Introduction to the Pentateuch* by Roger N. Whybray in *Review & Expositor* 94 (1997): 143-144.
- *Canon and Theology: Overtures to an Old Testament Theology* by Rolf Rendtorff, in *Koinonia Annual* 2 (1995): 83-85.
- *Hebrew Tutor for Windows* by Ted Hildebrandt in *Review & Expositor* 93 (1996): 429-430.
- *Twice-told Proverbs and the Composition of the Book of Proverbs* by Daniel C. Snell in *Review & Expositor* 92 (1995): 384.
- *Die Literarischen Beziehungen zwischen den Büchern Jeremia und Ezechiel* by Dieter Vieweger in *Religious Studies Review* 20 (1994): 231.
- *Yahweh's Activity in History and Nature in the Book of Joel* by Ronald A. Simkins in *Religious Studies Review* 20 (1994): 317.
- *Biblical Hebrew: An Introductory Grammar* by Page H. Kelley *Review & Expositor* 91 (1994): 263.
- *Analytical key to the Old Testament. v 2: Judges-2 Chronicles* by John Joseph Owens in *Review & Expositor* 91 (1994): 442.
- *The Syntax of Masoretic Accents in the Hebrew Bible* by James D. Price in *Review & Expositor* 91 (1994): 612.
- *The Book of Job: A Commentary* by Norman C. Habel in *Review & Expositor* 90 (1993): 426-427.
- *A Translator's Handbook on the Books of Nahum, Habakkuk, and Zephaniah* by David J. Clark in *Critical Review of Books in Religion* (1992): 166-169.
- *Nahum Habakkuk Zephaniah* by Klaus Seybold in *Critical Review of Books in Religion* (1992): 166-169.
- *The Books of Nahum, Habakkuk, and Zephaniah* by O. Palmer Robertson in *Critical Review of Books in Religion* (1992): 166-169.

### **Other Projects**

- Served as outside reviewer for *German for Reading Knowledge*, 4th edition (Heinle & Heinle Publisher, 1997).
- Served as Beta Tester for Bible Windows 4.0, a computer-based concordance program from Silver Mountain Software for working with Hebrew, Greek, Latin, English, and German biblical texts.
- Lead Translator of Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi for the *Common English Bible*, a new translation being published by the Christian Resources Development Corp, a subsidiary funded by the United Methodist Publishing House for ecumenical partnerships in curriculum, music, and Bibles. My responsibilities were completed in 2009 with the publication in 2011.

### **Presentations**

- "The Role of Nahum 1 in the Redaction of the Book of the Twelve." SBL International Meeting, Vienna, Austria, 1990.
- "Mic 7:8-20: A Re-evaluation of the Identity of the Enemy." National Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, Kansas City, November 1991.
- "Obadiah 7: Textual Corruption or Politically Charged Metaphor?" SBL National Meeting in Washington, D.C., 1993.
- "Preaching from Amos." National Conference on Biblical Preaching. Southern Baptist

- Theological Seminary. March, 1995.
- “The Use of YHWH in the Elohist Psalter.” SBL Southeast Regional. Gainesville, Florida. March, 1995.
  - “Intertextuality and the Twelve.” SBL National Meeting in Philadelphia, 1995.
  - “Joel as ‘Literary Anchor’ for the Book of the Twelve.” SBL International Meeting in Lausanne, Switzerland. July, 1997.
  - “Das Zwölfprophetenbuch als Buch.” Public Lecture at The University of Marburg. Marburg, Germany. July, 1997.
  - “Jeremiah and the Twelve: Intertextual Observations and Postulations.” SBL National Meeting in Philadelphia, November 1997.
  - “Shaping and Reshaping the Twelve: Considering Evidence for Persian Period Editorial Activity.” SBL Southeast Regional Meeting in Knoxville, Tennessee. March, 1998.
  - “The Day(s) of YHWH in the Book of the Twelve.” SBL National Meeting in Boston, November 1999.
  - “Zechariah 13:7-9 as a Transitional Text: An Appreciation and Reevaluation of the Work of Rex Mason.” Special Session Paper, SBL National Meeting in Boston, November 2001.
  - “Recurring Theological Motifs in the Book of the Twelve.” SBL National Meeting in Washing, D.C., November 2006.
  - “One Book and Twelve Books: The Nature of the Redactional Work and the Implications of Cultic Source Material in the Book of the Twelve.” State of Prophetic Redaction Seminar in Geneva, Switzerland, December 2008.
  - “Cultic Source Material in the Development of the Book of the Twelve.” SBL International Meeting in Rome, July 2009.
  - “How Twelve Books Become One Book.” February 2010 at the Religion Department Lecture for Baylor University.
  - “Samaria and Jerusalem in the Book of the Twelve.” January 2011 at the University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany.
  - “Not Just another Nation: Obadiah’s Placement in the Book of the Twelve.” January, 2011 at *Perspectives on the Formation of the Book of the Twelve: An International Conference* at the University of Münster in Germany.
  - “Where Are the Prophets in the Book of the Twelve?” Biennial meeting of the International Organization for the Study of the Old Testament (IOSOT) in Munich, Germany, 2013.
  - “The Twelve Is Not a Hypothesis.” International conference held at the University of Lorraine in Metz, France, November, 2015.
  - “Deconstructing Reconstructions of David.” A week-long lecture on the biblical traditions of David as understood by recent academic studies. Presented at the University of Duisburg-Essen in Germany, April 2016.
  - “Preexilic Portions of the Book of the Twelve: Early Collections and Composition Models.” Presented as keynote speaker at the 65<sup>th</sup> annual Colloquium Biblicum Lovaniense at the University of Louvain, Belgium, July, 2016.
  - “Haggai 2:17, 19: Variations on a Theme.” Presented at the International Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature” in Rome, Italy, July, 2019.

### **Current Projects**

- “Haggai 2:17, 19: Variations on a Theme.” Essay for a Festschrift for Marvin Sweeney. Manuscript due March 2020.
- *Joel, Obadiah, Jonah, and Micah*, a commentary for Eerdmans’ NICOT series.

### **Professional Associations and Committees**

- Chair, Persian Period Seminar, International Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, 2010–2017.
- Society of Biblical Literature Research and Publication Committee (2009-2015).
- Steering Committee (2004-Present), Society of Biblical Literature The Book of the Twelve Group
- Editorial Board (2004-2008), *Perspectives in Religious Studies*
- Steering Committee Chair (1997-2002), Society of Biblical Literature Seminar on the Formation of the Book of the Twelve
- Steering Committee (1997-99), Hebrew Bible/Old Testament for the Southeast Region of the Society of Biblical Literature
- Member of the Society of Biblical Literature since 1982
- Member of the Chicago Society of Biblical Research 1998-2002
- Member of the National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion since 1995
- Member of the National Association of Professors of Hebrew 1994-2002.
- The Editorial Board of the *Review and Expositor*, 1994-96, Secretary 1995-96.

### **Honorary Society**

- Honorable Order of the Kentucky Colonels (appointed, 1997).