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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

2019— PhD (New Testament), McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON

2009—Master of Arts (Biblical Languages), Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, South Hamilton, MA

2008—Graduate Studies in New Testament Textual Criticism, Harvard Divinity, Cambridge, MA

2003—Bachelor of Arts (Philosophy), University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire, WI

Work

I am an independent researcher.

Professional Memberships and Activities

Society of Biblical Literature
Evangelical Theological Society
Institute for Biblical Research

Publications

1. *Authored Books and Monographs*

A Linguistic Approach to Revelation 19:11—20:6 and the Millennium Binding of Satan. Linguistic Biblical Studies. Leiden: Brill, 2022 (Oct 20, 2022).

“The Millennial Binding of Satan: A Linguistic Approach to Revelation 19:11—20:6.” Ph.D. Dissertation, 2019. McMaster Divinity College.

2. *Edited Books*

The Future Restoration of Israel: A Response to Supersessionism, edited by Stanley E. Porter and Alan E. Kurschner. McMaster General Studies Series 9. Eugene, OR: Pickwick, 2023.

3. *Book Chapters*

“‘These Are They Who Have Come Out of the Great Tribulation’: Aktionsart and οἱ ἐρχόμενοι in Revelation 7:14” (forthcoming).

“Are the 144,000 in Revelation 7:3–8 the Great Multitude in 7:9–17?” In *The Future Restoration of Israel: A Response to Supersessionism*, edited by Stanley E. Porter and Alan E. Kurschner. McMaster General Studies Series 9. Eugene, OR: Pickwick, 2023.

“Supersessionism: An Introduction.” In *The Future Restoration of Israel: A Response to Supersessionism*, edited by Stanley E. Porter and Alan E. Kurschner. McMaster General Studies Series 9. Eugene, OR: Pickwick, 2023.

“James Barr on the ‘Illegitimate Totality Transfer’ Word-Concept Fallacy.” In *James Barr Assessed: Evaluating His Legacy over the Last Sixty Years*, edited by Stanley E. Porter, 70–89. Biblical Interpretation Series 192. Leiden: Brill, 2021.

4. *Trade Publications*

Pretrib: Examining the Foundations of Pretribulation Rapture Theology. Rice Lake, WI: Eschatos Publishing, 2022.

Antichrist Before the Day of the Lord: What Every Christian Needs to Know about the Return of Christ. Pompton Lakes, NJ: Eschatos Publishing, 2013.

Prewrath: A Very Short Introduction to the Great Tribulation, Rapture, and Day of the Lord. Pompton Lakes, NJ: Eschatos Publishing, 2014.

Conference Papers

- “The History and Current Status of Greek Linguistics and the Book of Revelation.” Co-presented with Stanley E. Porter. Evangelical Theological Society 2025 Annual Meeting, Johannine Literature, Boston, MA, November 18, 2025
- “Who Sat on the Thrones in Revelation 20:4? Ἐκάθισαν and Its Implications.” Co-presented with Michael J. Svigel. Evangelical Theological Society 2021 Annual Meeting, Johannine Literature, John’s Revelation, Fort Worth, TX, November 17, 2021
- “Semantic Boundary Markers in Revelation 12:1—15:4 and Implications for Structure.” Evangelical Theological Society 2019 Annual Meeting, Johannine Literature, John’s Revelation, San Diego, CA, November 21, 2019
- “Satan Is Not Bound by a Bungee Cord: Cohesion in Revelation 19:11—20:6.” Evangelical Theological Society 2017 Annual Meeting, Johannine Literature, John’s Revelation, Providence, RI, November 15, 2017
- “The Theological Word-Concept Fallacy: James Barr’s Linguistic Critique Then and Now.” Evangelical Theological Society 2018 Eastern Regional Meeting, Lancaster, PA, April 7, 2018