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EDUCATION

Flinders University, Australia, PhD in Psychology of Religion (in progress)

Graduate Theological Union, USA, PhD in Philosophy of Religion, 1993

University of Sydney, Australia, BD, 1985

Flinders University, Australia, BA, First Class Honours, Pure Mathematics, 1981

Flinders University, Australia, BA, Mathematics, Physics, and Computer Science, 1980

ACADEMIC HONORS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Duan Family Faculty Fellow, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, 2025-

Festschrift: F. LeRon Shults, ed., "Special Issue in the Work of Wesley J. Wildman," *American Journal of Theology & Philosophy* 45/1 (2024)

Festschrift: LeRon Shults and Robert Cummings Neville, eds., *Religion in Multidisciplinary Perspective: Philosophical, Theological, and Scientific Approaches to Wesley J. Wildman* (Albany, NY: State University of New York Press, 2022)

Fellow, Institute for Health System Innovation & Policy, Boston University, 2019-2020

Elected President-Elect and President, American Theological Society, 2015-2017

Member, Center of Theological Inquiry, Princeton, 2013-2014

Wold Lecturer, Union College, 2013

Boston University Religion Fellows Program, Boston University, 2010-2011

Templeton Research Lecture Series Fellow, Boston University (6 lectures), 2007-2008

Willson Lecturer for Oikos Scholar's Program, Oklahoma City University (3 lectures), 2007

Visiting Professor, Harbin Normal University, China, 2004-2005

Founding Member, International Society for Science and Religion, 2001

Annual Prize for Outstanding Books in Theology and the Natural Sciences, 1997 (for *Religion and Science*)

Templeton Foundation Science and Religion Course Award Prize, 1995-1996

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ACADEMIC TEACHING AND RESEARCH:

Professor of Philosophy, Theology, and Ethics, and of Computing and Data Sciences, School of Theology and Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, 2020-present

Professor II, Institute of Global Development and Planning, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, 2022-2024

Affiliated Faculty, Center for Innovation in Social Science, Boston University, 2021-present

Affiliated Faculty, Center for Anti-Racist Research, Boston University, 2021-2023

Founding Member of the Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, 2020-2022

Research Scientist, Veterans Affairs Hospital, Jamaica Plain, Boston, 2016-2017

Professor, Philosophy, Theology, and Ethics, Boston University, School of Theology, 2011-2022

Associate Professor, Philosophy, Theology, and Ethics, Boston University, School of Theology, 1999-2011

Assistant Professor, Boston University, School of Theology, 1993-1999

Acting Assistant Professor, Stanford University, Religious Studies Department, 1993

Assistant Lecturer, Graduate Theological Union, seminar in "Nineteenth Century Theology," 1991

Resident Tutor, Mathematics, Wesley College, University of Sydney, Australia, 1983-1985

OTHER:

Founder and Chief Scientist, Center for Mind and Culture, 2024-

Founder and Executive Director, Just Horizons Alliance, 2024-

Founder and Executive Director, Wildheart Evolution, 2022-2023

Founder and Manager, Wildhouse Publications, 2020-

Founder and Executive Director, Center for Mind and Culture, 2007-2023

Associate Pastor, Piedmont Community Church, Piedmont, California, 1988-1993

Minister, Parramatta Uniting Church, Sydney, Australia, 1986-1987

PUBLICATIONS: BOOKS (PUBLISHED OR FORTHCOMING)

AUTHORED BOOKS:

26. Wesley J. Wildman, *Science and Ultimate Reality*, volume 3 in the Religious Philosophy series (in progress).

25. Wesley J. Wildman, *The Axiographer, Volume II: Transformation* (in editing).

24. Wesley J. Wildman, *The Axiographer, Volume I: Emergence* (completed, under review).

23. Wesley J. Wildman, *Brutal Blessing* (completed, under review).

22. Wesley J. Wildman and F. LeRon Shults, *Modeling Religion: Simulating the Transformation of Worldviews*,

Lifeways, and Civilizations (London, UK: Bloomsbury Publishing, 2024; 978-1350367302).

21. Wesley J. Wildman, *The Winding Way Home* (Boston: Wildhouse Publications, 2023; 978-781736075005).
20. Wesley J. Wildman and Kate J. Stockly, *Spirit Tech: The Brave New World of Consciousness Hacking and Enlightenment Engineering* (New York: St. Martin's Press, 2021; 978-1250274939).
19. Wesley J. Wildman, *God Is... Meditations on the Mystery of Life, the Purity of Grace, the Bliss of Surrender, and the God Beyond God* (Eugene, OR: Wipf and Stock, 2019; 978-1532659195).
18. Wesley J. Wildman, *Effing the Ineffable: Existential Mumblings at the Limits of Language*, volume 6 in the Religious Philosophy series (Albany, NY: State University of New York Press, 2018; 978-1438471235).
17. Wesley J. Wildman, *In Our Own Image: Anthropomorphism, Apophaticism, and Ultimacy*, volume 2 in the Religious Philosophy series (Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press, 2017; 978-0198815990).
16. Wesley J. Wildman, *Religious and Spiritual Experiences*, volume 5 in the Religious Philosophy series (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2011; 978-1107000087).
15. Wesley J. Wildman, *Religious Philosophy as Multidisciplinary Comparative Inquiry: Envisioning a Future for the Philosophy of Religion*, volume 1 in the Religious Philosophy series (Albany, NY: State University of New York Press, 2010; hardback 978-1438432359).
14. Wesley J. Wildman, *Science and Religious Anthropology: A Spiritually Evocative Naturalist Interpretation of Human Life*, volume 4 in the Religious Philosophy series (Aldershot, UK: Ashgate, 2009; hardback 978-0-7546-6592-5; paperback 978-0754665953).
13. Wesley J. Wildman and Stephen Chapin Garner, *Found in the Middle! Theology and Ethics for Christians Who Are Both Liberal and Evangelical* (Alban Institute, 2009; 978-1566993814).
12. Wesley J. Wildman and Stephen Chapin Garner, *Lost in the Middle? Claiming an Inclusive Faith for Christians Who Are Both Liberal and Evangelical* (Alban Institute, 2009; 978-1566993722).
11. Wesley J. Wildman, *Fidelity with Plausibility: Modest Christologies in the Twentieth Century* (Albany: SUNY Press, 1998; hardback 978-0791435953; paperback 978-0791435960).

EDITED VOLUMES:

10. Wesley J. Wildman and F. LeRon Shults, eds., *Out of Our Minds: The New Science of Cognitive Companion Construction* (in progress)
9. Samuel Johnson Lindamood, Jr., *Beauty in the Ordinary: A Creative Collection of Readings and Meditations for Lent or Any Time*, edited by Wesley J. Wildman (Boston: Wildhouse Publications, 2020; paperback 978-781736075005).
8. Wesley J. Wildman, ed., *The End of the Neville Era*, special issue of *American Journal of Theology and Philosophy* 40/3 (2019).
7. Wesley J. Wildman and Sarah Coakley, eds., *Engaging Iain McGilchrist: Ascetical Practice, Brain Lateralization, and Philosophy of Mind*, special issue of *Religion, Brain & Behavior* 9.4 (New York: Taylor & Francis, 2019). <https://doi.org/10.1080/2153599X.2019.1604420>.
6. Saikou Y. Diallo, Wesley J. Wildman, F. LeRon Shults, and Andreas Tolk, eds., *Human Simulation: Perspectives, Insights, and Applications*, New Approaches to the Scientific Study of Religion series (Cham, Switzerland: Springer, 2019; 978-3030170905).
5. Patrick McNamara and Wesley J. Wildman, eds., *Religions & Controversies*, volume 3 in the Science and the World's Religions series (Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger, 2012; 978-0313387326)
4. Patrick McNamara and Wesley J. Wildman, eds., *Persons & Groups*, volume 2 in the Science and the

World's Religions series (Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger, 2012; 978-0313387326)

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2. Wesley J. Wildman, *Encyclopedia of Science and Religion*, 2 vols., Co-Editor with Niels Gregersen and Nancy Howell, Chief Editor, Wentzel Van Huyssteen (New York: Macmillan Reference, 2003; 978-0028657042)
1. W. Mark Richardson and Wesley J. Wildman, eds., *Religion and Science: History, Method, Dialogue* (New York: Routledge, Inc., 1996; hardback 978-0415916660; paperback 978-0415916677). Translated into Russian as *РЕЛИГИЯ И НАУКА: История, Метод, Диалог* (2001). Translation into Chinese in progress.

PUBLICATIONS: SCHOLARLY ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS (PUBLISHED AND FORTHCOMING)

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(in progress) Wesley J. Wildman, David Rohr, Dominic Johnson, "Religion & Cooperation Literature: A Bibliometric Review"

(in progress) Wesley J. Wildman, "Religion and Cooperation Bibliometrics," targeted to *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion*.

(in progress) Wesley J. Wildman, Gabe Maayan, Andrew Page, "Rural Suicide Prevention: A Computational Model"

(under review*) Gabriel McDonnell Maayan, Andrew Page, Elizabeth Conroy, Rory C. O'Connor, Gregory Carter, Wesley J. Wildman, "Simulation of a 'suicidal mind': Using the Integrated Motivational Volitional model of suicide to demonstrate dynamic suicidal states"

(under review*) Gabriel Maayan, Wesley J. Wildman, Kristin Bestavros, "Woke-Anti-Woke Dynamics in Norway, 2014-2023"

(under review*) Wesley J. Wildman, Gabriel Maayan, Karl Rosston, "Suicides in Montana, 2012-2021"

(under review*) Wesley J. Wildman, "Spirituality in Secularizing Cultural Settings through the Lens of the Dimensions of Spirituality Inventory"

(under review*) Matthew S. Beal and Wesley J. Wildman, "The Pronoun Problem: Options and Ethics for Liberative Change," *Gender and Language*.

(under review*) Wesley J. Wildman, Ivan Puga-Gonzalez, David Voas, Rachel J. Bacon, Lukasz Kiszkiel, Piotr Pawel Laskowski, F. LeRon Shults, Konrad Talmont-Kaminski. "Why is Religion Declining in Secular Settings? Causal Inference using a Novel Type of Sensitivity Analysis."

(under review*) Wesley J. Wildman, George Hodulik, Gabriel Maayan, Mark Lane, G. Edward Powell, Jr. "Forensic Insights into the Impact of Human Factors in Pandemic Management Simulations." *Journal of Artificial Societies and Social Simulation*.

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- 164.* Andreas Tolk, Jennifer A. Richkus, F. LeRon Shults, and Wesley J. Wildman, "Computational Decision Support for Socio-Technical Awareness of Land-Use Planning under Complexity: A Dam Resilience Planning Case Study," *Land* 12/5 (2023): 952. doi:[10.3390/land12050952](https://doi.org/10.3390/land12050952)
- 163.* Wesley J. Wildman, "Evaluating the Prospects for a Naturalistic, Critically Humanist, and Mystical Trans-Religious Understanding of Ultimate Reality," ch. 13 in Mark Harris, ed., *God and the Book of Nature: New Visions of Science-Engaged Theology* (London: Routledge, 2023).
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- 160.* Wesley J. Wildman, "Some Surprising Long-Term Effects of Religious Moralizing of Alcohol: A Possibly Slightly Intoxicated Commentary on Slingerland's *Drunk*," *Religious Studies Review* 49/1 (2023): 37-39. <https://doi.org/10.1111/rsr.16363>.
- 159.* Wesley J. Wildman and Justin E. Lane, "Approaching the Minds of the Gods through AI," in

Benjamin Grant Purzycki and Theiss Bendixen, eds., *The Minds of Gods: New Horizons in the Naturalistic Study of Religion* (London, UK: Bloomsbury, 2023): 169-182.

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- 156.* Wesley J. Wildman and David Rohr, "Synthesis and Explanatory Pluralism," in Yair Lior and Justin E. Lane, eds., *Routledge Handbook of Evolutionary Approaches to Religion* (New York: Routledge, 2022).
- 155.* F. LeRon Shults and Wesley J. Wildman, "Field of Dreams: What do NAASR Scholars Really Want?" in James Dennis LoRusso, ed., *On the Subject of Religion: Charting the Fault Lines of a Field of Study* (Sheffield, UK: Equinox Press, 2022).
- 154.* Justin E. Lane, Wesley J. Wildman, F. LeRon Shults, "Paying the Piper: History, Humanities, and the Scientific Study of Religion," *Method and Theory in the Study of Religion*, 2022.
- 153.* Ivan Puga-Gonzalez, Rachel J. Bacon, David Voas, F. LeRon Shults, George Hodulik, and Wesley J. Wildman, "Adapting Cohort-Component Methods to a Microsimulation: A case study." *Social Science Computer Review* 2022: 1054-1068. <https://doi.org/10.1177/08944393221082685>
- 152.* Wesley J. Wildman, "Response to Religion in Multidisciplinary Perspective," in F. LeRon Shults and Robert Cummings Neville, eds., *Religion in Multidisciplinary Perspective: Philosophical, Theological, and Scientific Approaches to Wesley J. Wildman* (Albany, NY: State University of New York Press, 2022): 289-326.
- 151.* Wesley J. Wildman, Saikou Y. Diallo, and F. LeRon Shults, "Advanced Computational Approaches," in *The Routledge Handbook of Research Methods in the Study of Religion* (2nd edition), edited by Michael Stausberg and Steven Engler (New York: Routledge, 2022): 137-153.
- 150.* Andrew Page, Saikou Y. Diallo, Wesley J. Wildman, George Hodulik, Eric Weisel, Neha Gondal, David Voas, "Computational Simulation is a Vital Resource for Navigating the Covid-19 Pandemic." *Simulation in Healthcare* 17/1 (2022): 141-148.
149. Wesley J. Wildman, "It's WEIRD How Much Joseph Henrich Needs Computational Simulation: A Commentary on *The Weirdest People in the World: How the West became Psychologically Peculiar and Particularly Prosperous*." Book symposium for *Religion, Brain & Behavior* 12/3 (2022): 314-320.
- 148.* Wesley J. Wildman, "Out with the Old, In with the New? From Conceptual Reconstruction in Philosophical Anthropology to a Realistic Theory of Change," in Jermo van Nes, Patrick Nullens, and Steven C. van den Heuvel (eds.), *Relational Anthropology for Contemporary Economics: A Multidisciplinary Approach* (Cham, Switzerland: Springer, 2022): 181-200.
- 147.* Ann Taves, Wesley J. Wildman, F. LeRon Shults, "Scholarly Values, Methods, and Evidence in the Academic Study of Religion." *Method and Theory in the Study of Religion* 34 (2022): 378-406.
- 146.* Wesley J. Wildman, "The Academic Study of Religion in Bibliometric Perspective," *Bulletin for the Study of Religion*, 2021. doi: 10.1558/bsor.21127
- 145.* Wesley J. Wildman, Connor P. Wood, Catherine Caldwell-Harris, Aimee S. Radom, Nicholas C. DiDonato, "The Multidimensional Religious Ideology Scale: Introducing a newly sensitive yet summative measure of religious ideology." *Archive for the Psychology of Religion* 43/3 (2021): 213-252. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00846724211027953>
144. Wesley J. Wildman, "Thoughts on Innovation from a Change Skeptic," *The Presbyterian Outlook*,

August 2, 2021: 26-30.

- 143.* Patrick McNamara, Wesley J. Wildman, George Hodulik, David Rohr, "A Neurocomputational Theory of Nightmares: The Role of Formal Properties of Nightmare Images." *Sleep Advances* (2021). <https://doi.org/10.1093/sleepadvances/zpab009>
- 142.* Ryan T. Cragun, Kevin McCaffree, Ivan Puga-Gonzalez, Wesley J. Wildman, and F. LeRon Shults, "Religious Exiting and Social Networks: Computer Simulations of Religious/Secular Pluralism," *Secularism and Nonreligion* 10/2 (2021): 1-20. <https://doi.org/10.5334/snr.129>
- 141.* Saikou Y. Diallo, F. LeRon Shults, Wesley J. Wildman. "Minding Morality: Ethical Artificial Societies for Public Policy Modeling." *AI & Society: Journal of Knowledge, Culture, and Communication*, 36 (2021): 49-57.
- 140.* Wesley J. Wildman, F. LeRon Shults, and Saikou Y. Diallo. "Computational Demography of Religion: A Proposal." In Petra Ahrweiler, ed., *Advances in Social Simulation* (Cham, Switzerland: Springer, 2021).
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- 138.* F. LeRon Shults, Wesley J. Wildman, Antje Danielsen, Monica Toft, "Artificial Societies in the Anthropocene: Challenges and Opportunities for Modeling Climate and Conflict," 2021 Winter Simulation Conference Proceedings. IEEE, 2021: 1-12.
- 137.* Andreas Tolk, F. LeRon Shults, Justin E. Lane, Wesley J. Wildman, "Ethical Constraints on Validation, Verification, and Application of Simulation." *Proceedings of the 2021 Winter Simulation Conference*, S. Kim, B. Feng, K. Smith, S. Masoud, Z. Zheng, C. Szabo and M. Loper, eds. IEEE Press, 2021: 1-15.
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- 135.* Wesley J. Wildman, Saikou Y. Diallo, George Hodulik, Andrew Nicholas Page, Andreas Tolk, and Neha Gondal, "The Artificial University: Decision Support for Universities in the COVID-19 Era," special issue of *Complexity* on "The Role of Complex Networks in Modeling Epidemic Dynamics" edited by Xu Xiaoke (2020; DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1155/2020/5910209>; open access: <https://www.hindawi.com/journals/complexity/2020/5910209/>).
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347. Wesley J. Wildman, “AI@BU: Ethics” keynote address to AI@BU Symposium, Boston University, February 25, 2025

346. Wesley J. Wildman, Chair of Panel Session on “Out of Our Minds? Toward a New Science of Cognitive Companion Construction,” Cognitive Science of Religion Unit, American Academy of Religion, San Diego, CA, November 25, 2024

345. Wesley J. Wildman, “An Integrated Theory of Cognitive Companion Construction,” Cognitive Science of Religion Unit, American Academy of Religion, San Diego, CA, November 25, 2024

344. Wesley J. Wildman, Panelist, *Simulating Religious Violence* film, American Academy of Religion, San Diego, CA, November 23, 2024

343. Wesley J. Wildman, Panel Host, *Simulating Religious Violence* film North American Premiere, Boston University, Boston, MA, November 21, 2024

342. Wesley J. Wildman, “Four Theological Short Stories,” New Haven Theological Discussion Group, Yale University Divinity School, New Haven, CT, October 26, 2024.

341. Wesley J. Wildman, “Cultural Packages of Spirituality in Secularizing Societies,” Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, October 20, 2024.

340. Wesley J. Wildman, roundtable session on “Should we do more to ensure that journal articles are rigorous and transparent?” at the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, October 18, 2024.

339. Wesley J. Wildman, “Introducing Modeling Religion” and “Response to Commentators” on a book panel on Wildman & Shults, *Modeling Religion*, at the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, October 18, 2024.

338. Wesley J. Wildman, comments in a working-group conference on “Cultural Evolution and International Peace,” Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Washington D.C., October 15, 2024.

337. Wesley J. Wildman, “What is Human Simulation?” to Danielsen Institute Research Center, Boston University, Boston, MA, September 26, 2024.

336. Wesley J. Wildman, “What is Machine Learning? And How Dangerous Might it be to Extend Human Cognition Using Machines?” Keynote address to Institute for American Religious and Philosophical Thought, Manitou Springs, CO, June 18, 2024.

336. Wesley J. Wildman, “Spiritual Leadership in the Era of Artificial Intelligence and Declining Religion.” Address to School of Theology Dean’s Advisory Board, Boston University, Boston, MA, May 17, 2024.

335. Wesley J. Wildman, “The Deep History and Challenging Future of Human Spirituality (or whatever we call it),” Just Horizons Alliance, Boston, MA, April 18, 2024.

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331. Wesley J. Wildman, "The Role of Values in Pandemic Management: An Agent-Based Model," Modeling and Analysis Innovation Center, MITRE Corporation, April 8, 2024.
330. Wesley J. Wildman, "Cultural Packages of Spirituality in Secularizing Societies and their Seminaries: The Mysterious Past, the Mercurial Present, and the Misty Path Ahead," to Danielsens Institute Research Group, Boston University, Boston, MA, April 1, 2024.
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327. Wesley J. Wildman and Gabriel Maayan, "The Woke-Anti-Woke Model," to the Social Simulation Working Group, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, March 14, 2024.
326. Wesley J. Wildman, "Thinking about Dissertations from Outside the Box," Institute for Global Development and Planning, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, March 14, 2024.
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323. Gabriel Maayan and Wesley J. Wildman, "The Woke-Anti-Woke Model," University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, Feb 26, 2024.
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319. Wesley J. Wildman, "Four Thoroughbred Horses and a Deranged Donkey: Response to Commentators on My Work," *American Journal for Philosophy and Theology* Annual Lecture, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, November 19, 2023.
318. Wesley J. Wildman, "Multi-Step Projects: Making Good Use of GenAI Tools for Text, Video, and Images," Digital Learning & Innovation, and Center for Teaching and Learning Generative AI Information Session, Boston University, Boston, MA, November 15, 2023.
317. Wesley J. Wildman, "Generative AI and Universities: Beyond the 'Death of the Take-Home Essay'," panel presentation on "Generative AI in the Public Interest," Twelfth Annual International Education Week, Global Programs, Boston University, Boston, MA, November 6, 2023.

316. Wesley J. Wildman, "AI Text Generation: Engineering, Excitement, Economics, Ethics, and Education," keynote address to Boston University Medical Campus Provost's Workshop on Chat GPT and Other Generative Ai Tools, Boston University Medical Campus, Boston, MA, October 26, 2023.
315. Wesley J. Wildman, Convener for "Papers on Religious Switching from the Religious Switching Research Group," Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT, October 21, 2023.
314. Rachel J. Bacon and Wesley J. Wildman, "Religion Identity and Change II: The RICH-USA Dataset: Harmonizing Dozens of US Religion Datasets," Author Meets Critics Panel, Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT, October 22, 2023.
313. Wesley J. Wildman, "Religion Identity and Change I: The Assumption-Relative Religious Demographics Information System," Author Meets Critics Panel, Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT, October 21, 2023.
312. Wesley J. Wildman, "Two Computational Simulations of Dreaming," presentation to the Cognitive Neuroscience of Religious Cognition Project Conference, Boston, MA, September 28, 2023.
311. Wesley J. Wildman, "Styles of Religiosity Change," Lecture to Fuzzy Fidelity Conference, University of Bialystok, Poland, September 23, 2023.
310. Wesley J. Wildman, "Thinking Outside All the Boxes: Computational Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences at Boston University," Lecture to Boston University Alumni Event, April 24, 2023.
309. Wesley J. Wildman, "Artificial Societies for Policy Evaluation," lecture in Wired-In Quick-Chat series, Computational Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences Initiative, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, Boston, MA, April 5, 2023.
308. Wesley J. Wildman, "Policy Thinking for AI Text Generators," panel presentation to symposium on "ChatGPT and Other AI Tools: Challenges, Opportunities, and Strategies for Teaching," Boston University, Boston, MA, March 27, 2023.
307. Wesley J. Wildman, "AI-Generated Text: Engineering, Economics, Education, and Ethics," University Rector's Council of Vice Rector and Deans, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, March 8, 2023.
306. Wesley J. Wildman, "AI-Generated Text: Engineering, Economics, Education, and Ethics," Institute for Global Development and Planning, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, March 6, 2023.
305. Wesley J. Wildman, "Cosmopolitan Nomads and Intensive Farmers: Senses of Home in Transreligious and Comparative Theology," to a joint session of the Theology Without Walls and the Comparative Theology units, American Academy of Religion, November 20, 2022.
304. Wesley J. Wildman, "Some Surprising Long-Term Effects of Religious Moralizing of Alcohol: A Possibly Slightly Intoxicated Commentary on Slingerland's Drunk," Cognitive Science of Religion unit, American Academy of Religion, November 19, 2022.
303. Wesley J. Wildman, "Methodological Abstraction and Analysis in Social-Science Research," Institute for Global Development and Planning, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, September 26, 2022
302. Wesley J. Wildman, "Computational Social Simulation as a Vital Method for Global Development and Planning," Institute for Global Development and Planning, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, September 23, 2022
301. Wesley J. Wildman, "The Fuzzy Fidelity Model," for a panel on "Cognitive and Evolutionary Models of Religion, Ideology, and Prosociality," International Association for the Cognitive and Evolutionary Study of Religion Annual Meeting, Aarhus, Denmark, September 20, 2022.

300. Wesley J. Wildman, "Bibliometrics for Religion and Cooperation," Launch Conference for the Social Consequences of Religion Project, San Diego, CA, September 10, 2022.
299. Rachel Bacon, George Hodulik, and Wesley J. Wildman, "Assessing the Cost of Population Dynamics Design Options in a Microsimulation," Milan, Italy, Social Simulation Conference, September 15, 2022.
298. Wesley J. Wildman, "A Deductive Argument from Naturalism to Atheism," Institute for American Religious and Philosophical Thought, University of Utah, June 23, 2022.
297. Wesley J. Wildman, "Secularism and the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints," Church History Library, Salt Lake City, Utah, June 22, 2022.
296. Wesley J. Wildman and Nancy Frankenberry, Keynote presentation, "In Dialogue: Nancy Frankenberry and Wesley Wildman Discuss 'The Myth of Symbolic Meaning' and 'The Nature of Ultimacy'," Institute for American Religious and Philosophical Thought, University of Utah, June 21, 2022.
295. Wesley J. Wildman, "Religion, Science, AI, and Personhood" to "Just because we can, should we? Seminar," Tatachilla Seminar Day, Hallett Cove, Adelaide, Australia, June 2, 2022.
294. Wesley J. Wildman, "Religion and Cooperation," Social Consequences of Religion, Strand One Advisory Board, May 23, 2022.
293. Wesley J. Wildman, "Extending the VISOR Project? Possibilities and Strategies," Institute for Global Development and Planning, University of Agder, May 13, 2022.
292. Wesley J. Wildman, "Introducing Computational Simulation to Undergraduates," Institute for Global Development and Planning, University of Agder, May 12, 2022.
291. Wesley J. Wildman, "Prospects for a Naturalist, Critically Humanist, and Mystical Transreligious Understanding of Ultimate Reality," lead-off keynote address to conference on The Theology of Nature and the Nature of Theology, University of Chicago Divinity School, March 30, 2022.
290. Wesley J. Wildman, "Multidisciplinarity in Philosophical Theology," to Boston Theological Society, Boston, MA, February 24, 2022.
287. Wesley J. Wildman, "Mapping the Field of Cooperation and Religion," to the Social Consequences of Religion Strand 1 Project Meeting, August 13, 2021.
286. Wesley J. Wildman, "Michael Tomasello's Vision of Human Uniqueness and the Place of Human Religion," Evening keynote lecture for "The Role of Religion in Tomasello's Approach: Perspectives from the Philosophy of Religion" on day two of Tomasello and Religion: Exploring the Philosophical and Theological Relevance of Evolutionary Anthropology, an International Workshop at the Catholic Academy of Berlin, June 18-20, 2021
285. Wesley J. Wildman, "Religion, Science, and AI," to "Just because we can, should we? Seminar," McLaren Vale Institute Hall, Adelaide, Australia, May 18, 2021.
284. Wesley J. Wildman, "Introduction to Modeling and Simulation," to Verdolini Voice Lab, University of Delaware, May 4, 2021.
283. Wesley J. Wildman, "How to characterize religiosity and spirituality with enough nuance to express variations across cultures and register different modes of change," to Modeling Religious Change Project's Theory Group, February 26, 2021.
282. Wesley J. Wildman, "The Artificial University: A Tool for COVID-19 Decision Support," to American Society of Mechanical Engineers' International Mechanical Engineering Education Leadership Summit, March 19, 2021.

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280. Wesley J. Wildman, Book Panel Discussion with the Author: Joseph Henrich's *The WEIRDest People in the World: How the West Became Psychologically Peculiar and Particularly Prosperous*, Cognitive Science of Religion Unit, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, December 8, 2020.
279. Wesley J. Wildman, "Is Divine Action 'Natural' in a Theology of Nature?" Science, Technology, and Religion Unit, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, December 7, 2020.
278. Wesley J. Wildman, "What Do We, as Scholars of Religion, Value?" Presidential Panel, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, December 6, 2020.
277. Wesley J. Wildman, "Data and Theory in Computational and Statistical Modeling of Religion," Panel Presentation, Annual Meeting of the North American Association for the Study of Religion, December, 2020.
276. Wesley J. Wildman, "Conditions for Secularization in Western Cultures," to Religion, Ideology, and Prosociality working group, University of Bialystok, Poland, November 11, 2020.
275. Wesley J. Wildman, "The Artificial Organization," Boston University Industry Engagement Alumni Weekend, Boston University, September 29-30, 2020.
274. Wesley J. Wildman, "The Artificial University: Update," COVID-19 Healthcare Coalition, July 29, 2020.
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273. Wesley J. Wildman, "The Artificial University," University-Industry Demonstration Partnership, July 1, 2020.
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269. Wesley J. Wildman, "Modeling and Simulation for COVID-19," COVID-19 Healthcare Coalition Simulation Working Group, May 7, 2020.
268. Wesley J. Wildman, "Values in Viral Dispersion," The MITRE Corporation, April 21, 2020.
267. Wesley J. Wildman, "God and the Book of Nature: Inferential Terrain between the Sciences and Theologies," Oxford University, Department of Theology and Religion, March 11, 2020.
266. Wesley J. Wildman, "Online Fuel for Old, Deadly Fires: The multifaceted role of the internet in exacerbating the travesty of domestic sex trafficking of minors," Boston University Data Science Day, Boston, February 5, 2020.
265. Wesley J. Wildman, "Love and Desire, Human and Divine," Theology With Walls Unit, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, San Diego, November 24, 2019.
264. Wesley J. Wildman, "AI in the Scientific Study of Religion," with F. LeRon Shults, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, San Diego, November 23, 2019.
263. Wesley J. Wildman, "What is Nature? Should Theology be Natural? Should Theology be Natural?" American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, San Diego, November 23, 2019.
262. Wesley J. Wildman, "Reading Tea Leaves, Drinking Tea: Four Transformations in Philosophy of Religion," New Haven Theological Discussion Group, Yale University, New Haven, CT, October 25, 2019.

261. Wesley J. Wildman, "Field Mapping Technologies," to Consultation Conference on Social Consequences of Religion, Oxfordshire, UK, October 4, 2019.
260. Wesley J. Wildman, "Computer Simulation Applied to Climate Change and Cultural Conflict," Climate Change and Cultural Conflict Conference, Kristiansand, Norway, September 30, 2019.
259. Wesley J. Wildman, "The Center for Mind and Culture on Climate Change and Cultural Conflict," Climate Change and Cultural Conflict Conference, Kristiansand, Norway, September 27, 2019.
258. Wesley J. Wildman, "Policy Simulation: Experiences and Best Practices," Panel Chair, European Social Simulation Conference, Mainz, Germany, September 26, 2019.
257. "Policy Simulation at Work," European Social Simulation Conference, Mainz, Germany, September 25, 2019.
256. "Tool Against Child Trafficking," Office of the Ambassador at Large for Human Trafficking, State Department, Washington DC, August 28, 2019.
255. "Policy Simulation: Promises and Perils," Virginia Modeling, Analysis & Simulation Center, Old Dominion University, VA, August 16, 2019.
254. "Religion and Science, III," Tatachilla College, Adelaide, Australia, July 5, 2019.
253. "Religion and Science, II," Tatachilla College, Adelaide, Australia, July 5, 2019.
252. "Religion and Science, I," Tatachilla College, Adelaide, Australia, July 5, 2019.
251. "Religion and Science," Seeds Uniting Church, Adelaide, Australia, June 27, 2019.
250. "Pragmatism, Naturalism, and the Loss of Religion," with F. LeRon Shults, Institute for American Religious and Philosophical Thought, Ashville, NC, June 18, 2019.
249. "The human project is in peril. What can philosophers do about it? An experience-based account of the journey from conceptual reconstruction in philosophical anthropology to a realistic theory of change," to Homo Amans Symposium, Peace Palace, The Hague, The Netherlands, June 7, 2019.
248. "Policy Simulation: Possibilities & Perils," to Religion and Simulation Working Group, University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, May 24, 2019.
247. "Quantification of Religious and Spiritual Experiences," to Hardy 2.0 Conference, Liverpool, UK, May 21, 2019.
246. "Modeling Ethics: Reflections at the Intersection of Ethics and Simulation," Roundtable Panel on Philosophy of Simulation, Spring Simulation Conference, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, May 1, 2019.
245. "Best Practices in Building Artificial Societies," Roundtable Panel Chair, Spring Simulation Conference, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, May 1, 2019.
244. "Understanding-Based Emphy," for panel on "Religious Rigidity and Responsiveness: Impact for Democratic Deliberation" sponsored by the Program in Religion and Conflict Transformation and the Center for Culture, Religion, and World Affairs, Boston University, April 25, 2019.
243. "Computational Social Sciences and Humanities," to Mitre Corporation, Lunchtime Seminar, April 16, 2019.
242. "Social Reality and Church Vitality," to Southern Baptist leadership Conference, Ruggles Baptist Church, Boston, February 12, 2019.
241. Ivan Puga-Gonzalez, F. LeRon Shults, Wesley J. Wildman, Saikou Diallo, "InCREDulous Scandinavians: An Agent-Based Model of the Spread of Secularism," Winter Simulation Conference,

Gothenberg, Sweden, December 10, 2018.

240. F. LeRon Shults, Wesley J. Wildman, Virginia Dignum, "The ethics of Computer Modeling and Simulation," Winter Simulation Conference, Gothenberg, Sweden, December 10, 2018.
239. "Spirit Tech" with Kate Stockly, to Transhumanism unit, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, November 18, 2018.
238. "How to become a Theologian Without Walls," to Theology Without Walls unit, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, November 17, 2018.
237. "Computational Modeling at the Interface of Traditional Religious Studies and Cognitive Science of Religion," Chair of Roundtable Session for the Cognitive Science of Religion Unit and International Association of the Cognitive Science of Religion, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, November 17, 2018.
236. "GOSSAMER: Suffering in Comparative, Multidisciplinary Perspective," to the staff of the Danielson Institute, October 30, 2018.
235. "Simulating Religion Panel," Chair, Biennial Conference of the International Association for the Cognitive Science of Religion, Cambridge, MA, August 14, 2018.
234. "Modeling Religion Project Panel," Chair, Biennial Conference of the International Association for the Cognitive Science of Religion, Cambridge, MA, August 14, 2018.
233. "State of the Field: Scientific Study of Religion in Bibliometric Perspective," keynote address to Biennial Conference of the International Association for the Cognitive Science of Religion, Cambridge, MA, August 12, 2018.
232. "The Research Process, Complete with a Litany of Amusing Errors," to Doctor of Ministry students, Boston University School of Theology, Boston, MA, August 8, 2018.
231. "The Revolutionary Importance of Computational Modeling and Simulation," to Modeling Religion in Norway Working Conference, Metochi Conference Center, Lasvos, Greece, May 19, 2018.
230. "Adapting an Artificial Society Platform to Describe Affiliation Patterns of Atheists," to Modeling Religion in Norway Working Conference, Metochi Conference Center, Lesvos, Greece, May 16, 2018.
229. Wesley J. Wildman, F. LeRon Shults, and Paul A. Fishwick, "Teaching at the Intersection of Simulation and the Humanities," *Winter Simulation Conference*, Las Vegas, NV, December 2, 2017.
228. "A Religious-Naturalist Account of Love and Desire," in the Theology Without Walls Group's panel on "Love and Desire, Human and Divine," American Academy of Religion, Boston, MA, November 18, 2017.
227. "Thoughts on Neville as Tillich's Love Child," in the North American Paul Tillich Society Meeting, response to Robert Neville's lecture "Tillich's Love Child," American Academy of Religion, Boston, MA, November 17, 2017.
226. "Mutualism and Theological Reasoning," in the International Society for the Scientific Study of Religion session on "Attending to Symbiosis: Theology and the Connectedness of Nature," American Academy of Religion, Boston, MA, November 17, 2017.
225. "Theology, Biology, Race, and Racism," Boston Theological Society, Boston, MA, October 26, 2017.
224. "The Research Process: Amusing Lessons from Multiple, but Never Repeated, Failures," Boston University School of Theology, Boston, August 10, 2017.
223. "Integrating the Sciences and the Humanities in the Study of Religion," Albert Moore Memorial Lecture, University of Otago, New Zealand, July 26, 2017.

222. "Race and the Mind-Culture Nexus: Reflections on a Complex Adaptive System and Its Social Uses," with F. LeRon Shults, to Institute for American Philosophical and Religious Thought, Chattanooga, TN, June 10, 2017.
221. "Immigrant Integration Model," with David Voas and Saikou Diallo, to Conference on Modeling Religion in Norway, Mettochi, Lesbos, Greece, May 18, 2017.
220. "Introduction to the Cognitive Science of Religion," Divinity School, Yale University, April 10, 2017.
219. "An Immigrant Pilgrimage in Racialized America," Presidential Address to the American Theological Society, Princeton, NJ, March 24, 2017.
218. "Navigating the Mind-Culture Nexus: New Methods," to Conference on Mind and Nature, Beijing Normal University, China, March 11, 2017.
217. "Religious Naturalism," lecture 6 in the Bio-Cultural Study of Religion Series, Beijing Normal University, China, March 10, 2017.
216. "Computer Modeling for the Academic Study of Religion," lecture 5 in the Bio-Cultural Study of Religion Series, Beijing Normal University, China, March 9, 2017.
215. "Hacking the Religious Mind," lecture 4 in the Bio-Cultural Study of Religion Series, Beijing Normal University, China, March 8, 2017.
214. "Religious and Spiritual Experiences," lecture 3 in the Bio-Cultural Study of Religion Series, Beijing Normal University, China, March 7, 2017.
213. "Religious Ideology and Conflict," lecture 2 in the Bio-Cultural Study of Religion Series, Beijing Normal University, China, March 6, 2017.
212. "Introduction to the Bio-Cultural Study of Religion," lecture 1 in the Bio-Cultural Study of Religion Series, Beijing Normal University, China, March 6, 2017.
211. "Transreligious Theology," to New Frontiers in Theology Conference, Claremont, CA, February 17, 2017.
210. "A Big-Theory Approach to Religious Demographics," to Pew Research Center, Washington DC, December 14, 2016.
209. "Modeling and Simulation for Religious Studies," to Cognitive Science of Religion group and International Association for the Cognitive Science of Religion, American Academy of Religion, San Antonio, TX, November 19, 2016.
208. "An Approach to Transreligious Theology," to Theology without Walls group, American Academy of Religion, San Antonio, TX, November 19, 2016.
207. "Modeling and Simulation for Understanding Religion and Public Policy," University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway, October 10, 2016.
206. Panel on "Computer Modeling and Simulation using Big Datasets," International Association for the Cognitive Science of Religion, Vancouver, Canada, August 23, 2016.
205. "Research Methods," to DMin Candidates, Boston University School of Theology, September 10, 2016.
204. "Computer Modeling and Simulation for Religious Studies," Religion Department, University of Otago, Dunedin, New Zealand, July 27, 2016.
203. "Modeling Complex Cognition," Psychology Department, University of Adelaide, Adelaide, Australia, July 15, 2016.

202. "Axiological Landscape Theory," keynote lecture to Institute for American Religious and Philosophical Thought, Manitou Springs, CO, June 15, 2016.
201. "Spirit Tech: Neurological Enhancement of Religious and Spiritual Experiences," public lecture, Trinity College, Hartford, CT, April 29, 2016.
200. "Religious and Spiritual Experiences: The Latest Interdisciplinary Work," to Faculty group, Trinity College, Hartford, CT, April 29, 2016.
199. "A Tangled Path to Philosophical Theology," address to School of Theology House, Boston University, December 1, 2015.
198. "A Bio-Cultural Perspective on Religious Ideology," Cognitive Science of Religion Group, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, GA, November 23, 2015.
197. "Simulating Religious Cognition: A Report on the 'Modeling Religion Project'," with F. LeRon Shults, International Association for the Cognitive Science of Religion meeting, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, GA, November 23, 2015.
196. "Hacking the Religious Mind," Transhumanism and the Enhancement of Religion, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, GA, November 21, 2015.
195. Panel presentation on "Sources and Resources for Transreligious Theology," Theology Without Walls Group, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, GA, November 21, 2015.
194. "Understanding and Mitigating the Challenge of Ideologically Polarized Religious Conflict," Boston University School of Theology, Boston, MA, November 16, 2015.
193. "The Scientific Simulation of Religion: A Report on the 'Modeling Religion Project'," with F. LeRon Shults, Annual Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Newport Beach, CA, October 24, 2015.
192. "System Dynamics Models of Religion," Modeling Religion Project Consultation Conference, Virginia Modeling, Analysis and Simulation Center, Suffolk, VA, October 16, 2015.
191. "Introduction to the Modeling Religion Project," Modeling Religion Project Consultation Conference, Virginia Modeling, Analysis and Simulation Center, Suffolk, VA, October 16, 2015.
190. "Communicating across Theological and Ideological Differences," Workshop, Boston University School of Theology, November 18, 2015.
189. "Science, Religion, and Naturalism," Keynote Lecture, International Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Conference, Sigmund Freud University, Germany, August 18, 2015.
188. "Research Process: Real-Life Examples," to DMin entering class, Boston University, Boston, MA, August 12, 2015.
187. "The Incoherence of Personal Theism," a response to Gilbert Fulmer on "Persons, Theology, and Cosmology," Thirteenth International Conference on Persons, Boston University, Boston, MA, August 5, 2015.
186. "Religious Conflict and the Evolved Human Brain," Victoria University, Wellington, New Zealand, June 8, 2015.
185. "Simulating Cultural Evolution Using Massive Datasets," Keynote Address, Cultural Evolution of Religion Research Consortium conference, University of Montreal, May 7, 2015.
184. "Simulation in the Scientific Study of Religion," Keynote Address, Spring Simulation Conference, Alexandria, Virginia, April 14, 2015.

183. "The Crosby Dialogues between Robert Cummings Neville and Wesley J. Wildman," to the Fourth Congress on Ecstatic Naturalism, Drew University, April 11, 2015.
182. "Religious Conflict and the Human Brain," Lecture and Workshop Facilitation for Clergy Health Day, Drew University, April 9, 2015.
181. "My Kind of Feminism," Anna Howard Shaw Center Lunchtime Speaker Series, February 19, 2015.
180. "Book Symposium on Norenzayan's *Big Gods*," Cognitive Science of Religion Group, American Academy of Religion, San Diego, California, November 23, 2014.
179. "Phenomenology of Intense Experiences," Humanities Institute, University of Connecticut, Storrs, November 18, 2014.
178. "Religion and Science," Capital Region Theological Center, Albany, NY, November 1, 2014.
177. "Scientific Study of Religion," Capital Region Theological Center, Albany, NY, October 31, 2014.
176. "A Philosophical Framework for the Future of Spirituality," Institute for Philosophy and Religion, Boston University, October 29, 2014.
175. "Religious Naturalism: What It Can Be, and What It Need Not Be," Boston Theological Society, October 23, 2014.
174. "What is Religious Naturalism?" Zygon Center for Religion and Science Public Lecture, Chicago, October 20, 2014.
173. "How to Resist Robert Neville's Creatio Ex Nihilo Argument in Three Easy Steps," Institute for American Religious and Philosophical Thought, Manitou Springs, Colorado, June 11, 2014.
172. "Comparative Natural Theology," Center for the Study of World Religions, Harvard University, April 10, 2014.
171. "Quantitative Modeling in the Scientific Study of Religion," American Academy of Religion, Baltimore, MD, November 24, 2013.
170. "Tillich's Systematic Theology as a Template for the Encounter of Christian Theology and Religious Naturalism," American Academy of Religion, Baltimore, MD, November 23, 2013.
169. "Explaining the Stability of High-Cost Religious Groups," Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Boston, MA, November 9, 2013.
168. "Computer Simulation of Religious Sociality," Virginia Modeling, Analysis, and Simulation Center, Old Dominion University, September 20, 2013.
167. "I just don't understand those people! Scientific perspectives on religious conflict," Wald Lecture, Union College, Schenectady, NY, May 15, 2013.
166. "The Importance of the Scientific Study of Religion for Theological Reflection," American Theological Society, March 22, 2013.
165. "Cultivating Compassion: Challenges and Choices for a Public Theology of Universal Love," Boston Theological Society, December 6, 2012.
164. Author's Response to Panel on *Religious and Spiritual Experiences* (Cambridge, 2011), American Academy of Religion, November 17, 2012.
163. "Science and Religion," LeMoyne College, Syracuse, NY, November 6, 2012.
162. "The Three Domains of Science and Religion: Scientific Study of Religion, Spirituality and Health Research, and Religion-Science Dialogue," LeMoyne College, Syracuse, NY, November 5, 2012.

161. Response and Discussion Panel on Virginia Sapiro Lowell Lecture on American Civil Discourse, Boston University, October 25, 2012.
160. "Managing Ideological Conflict through Understanding-Based Empathy," Boston University School of Theology, September 28, 2012.
159. "Training Religious Leaders in Religious Ideology Awareness," Boston University School of Theology, September 27, 2012.
158. "Make it Start! Make it Stop! Technology and the Future of Religious Experience," Mynadnock Lyceum and New Hampshire Public Radio, Peterborough, NH, August 19, 2012.
157. "Çatalhöyük and Processes of Civilizational Transformation" (joint presentation with F. LeRon Shults), Çatalhöyük Research Team, Çatalhöyük, Turkey, July 12, 2012.
156. "Spectrums Research: Building Relationships through Understanding-based Empathy," Boston University School of Theology, March 26, 2012.
155. "Western Atheism from the Enlightenment to the Present," College of the Holy Cross, March 19, 2012.
154. "Why Does Science Matter for Theological Anthropology?" New Haven Theological Discussion Group, March 17, 2012.
153. "Response to Amesbury, Knepper, and Schillbrack on *Religious Philosophy as Multidisciplinary Comparative Inquiry*," Society for Philosophy of Religion, Savannah, GA, February 25, 2012.
152. "Scientific Approaches to Violent Religious Extremism," Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict, Arizona State University, February 6, 2012.
151. "The Scientific Study of Religion as a Vital Component of the Academic Study of Religion," Arizona State University, February 6, 2012.
150. "The Future of Secular Humanism," lecture to Boston University Atheists and Secular Humanists, Boston, December 8, 2011.
149. "Dennett on the Value and Future of Religion," keynote lecture to Center for Inquiry conference on "Daniel Dennett and the Scientific Study of Religion: A Celebration of the Fifth Anniversary of Breaking the Spell: Religion as a Natural Phenomenon," Amherst, New York, December 2-3, 2011.
148. "Reframing Transcendence: Conditions for the Compatibility of Ground-of-Being Theism and Religious Naturalism," Boston Theological Society, Boston, MA, December 1, 2011.
147. "Biology and Theology," Capital Region Theological Center, Albany, NY, November 5, 2011.
146. "Cosmology and Theology," Capital Region Theological Center, Albany, NY, November 5, 2011.
145. "Violent Religious Extremism in Scientific Perspective," Union College, November 4, 2011.
144. "Religious Philosophy and Theology of Religion," University of Agder, September 20, 2011.
143. "What would Luther do? Religious Extremism and Violence in the Reformation and Today," University of Agder, September 21, 2011.
142. "Religion and Secularism," University of Agder, September 20, 2011.
141. "Introduction to the Multidimensional Religious Ideology Scale," presentation to the Second Conference of the Spectrums Project, May 17, 2011.
140. "Reframing Transcendence: Conditions for the Compatibility of Ground-of-Being Theism and Religious Naturalism," paper presented *in absentia* to conference on Naturalism and Transcendence, Copenhagen University, Denmark, April 29, 2011.

139. "Compassion in Buddhist-Christian Comparative Perspective," lecture to Drepung Loseling Monastery, April 25, 2011.
138. "Cultivating Compassion: Challenges and Choices," lecture to conference on CompassionMeditation, Emory University, April 25, 2011.
137. "Corrington's Ecstatic Naturalism in Light of the Scientific Study of Religion," lecture to FirstAnnual Conference on Ecstatic Naturalism, Drew University, Madison, NJ, April 1, 2011.
136. "The Resilience of Religion in Secular Contexts in Light of the Cognitive Science of Religion,"lecture to conference on "Secularism in the Late Modern Age: Between New Atheisms and Religious Fundamentalisms," Institute for Advanced Studies in Culture, University of Virginia,January 28, 2011.
135. "Slipping," presentation to Boston Theological Society, Newton, MA, November 11, 2010.
134. "Religious and Spiritual Experiences," presentation to Boston University School of TheologyFaculty, September 25, 2010.
133. "Modeling Religiously Inspired and Rationalized Violence," presentation to the Boston University Religion Fellows Program, Boston University, September 20, 2010.
132. "Describing Religious and Spiritual Experiences," keynote address to Wisdom of the Ages IV Conference, Baltimore, Maryland, July 23, 2010
131. "The State of Research on Religious and Spiritual Experiences," keynote address to Wisdom of the Ages IV Conference, Baltimore, Maryland, July 23, 2010
130. "The Development of the Scientific Study of Religion," to Conference on Religion and Science for Visiting Chinese Scholars, Walker Center, Newton, Massachusetts, July 9, 2010
129. "The Ambiguous Heritage and Perpetual Promise of Liberal Theology," keynote lecture to annual conference of the Highlands Institute for North American Religion, Philosophy, and Theology, Boulder, Colorado, June 17, 2010.
128. "The Future of Philosophy of Religion," Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday April 22, 2010.
127. "Multidisciplinarity in Philosophy of Religion," Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, ThursdayApril 22, 2010.
126. "The Life and Work of Claude Welch," to the American Theological Society, PrincetonTheological Seminary, March 26, 2010
125. "The Argument from Neglect and the Nature of God," Science, Technology, and Religion Group, American Academy of Religion, Montreal, November 9, 2009.
124. "Habitat and Religious Anthropology," Boston Theological Society, November 6, 2008.
123. "Cognitive Error and Contemplative Practices: The Cultivation of Discernment in Mind and Heart," Society for Buddhist-Christian Studies, American Academy of Religion, Chicago, October31, 2008.
122. "A Neglected Type of Character Transformation," to Research Group, Religious and Psychological Well-Being Project, Boston, October 27, 2008.
121. "Sex and Religious Anthropology," New Haven Theological Discussion Group, October 18, 2008.
120. "Make it Start, Make it Stop! Religious and Spiritual Experiences and the Longer-Range Future," public lecture at Boston University, Boston, MA, April 14, 2008.
119. "Ultimacy Images Arising from the Microbial Ocean," to the American Theological Society, April5, 2008.

118. "Peeking Behind the Ideological Curtain: The Social Embedding of Religious and Spiritual Experiences," public lecture at Boston University, Boston, MA, March 17, 2008.
117. "Can You Trust Your Instincts? Cognitive Reliability and an Ecological-Semiotic Theory of Religious Engagement," public lecture at Boston University, Boston, MA, February 25, 2008.
116. "A Smorgasbord of Dangers and Delights: The Phenomenology of Religious and Spiritual Experiences," public lecture at Boston University, Boston, MA, December 10, 2007.
115. "Theology, Ethics, and the Biology of Sex Differences," to Science, Technology, and Religion Group, American Academy of Religion, San Diego, November 17, 2007.
114. "Radical Ethics and a Polarized World," Willson Lecture to Oikos Scholar's program, Oklahoma City University, October 26, 2007.
113. "Radical Empathy and a Polarized Nation," Willson Lecture to Oikos Scholar's program, Oklahoma City University, October 25, 2007.
112. "Radical Inclusiveness and a Polarized Church," Willson Lecture to Oikos Scholar's program, Oklahoma City University, October 25, 2007.
111. "Spirituality and the Brain: A Revolutionary Scientific Approach to Religious and Spiritual Experiences," public lecture at Boston University, Boston, MA, October 1, 2007.
110. "What Do We Think We Are Doing? A Framework for Interpreting Religious and Spiritual Experiences," public lecture at Boston University, Boston, MA, September 17, 2007.
109. Consultation on Buddhism and Science, Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, MA, April 20-21, 2007.
108. "Behind, Between, and Beyond Anthropomorphic Models of Ultimate Reality," keynote address to the "Models of God" pre-conference, Pacific Coast Division of the American Philosophical Association, San Francisco, CA, April 4-5, 2007.
107. "Naturalizing Ritual," response to H. Paul Santmire, "Ritualizing Nature," Boston Theological Society, December 7, 2006.
106. "Hand in Glove: Evaluating the Fit of Method and Theology in van Huyssteen's Interpretation of Human Uniqueness," to Science, Technology, and Religion group, American Academy of Religion, Washington DC, November 18-21, 2006.
105. "Kaufman on Creativity," to American Journal of Philosophy and Theology Group, American Academy of Religion, Washington DC, November 18-21, 2006.
104. "The Import of Physical Cosmology for Philosophy and Theology," to research conference on "Cosmology and Process Philosophy in Dialogue: Fundamental Philosophical Issues in Recent Cosmology and their Religious Significance," Center for Process Studies, Claremont, CA, October 7, 2006.
103. "Wildman on Griffin on Process Cosmology," to research conference on "Cosmology and Process Philosophy in Dialogue: Fundamental Philosophical Issues in Recent Cosmology and their Religious Significance," Center for Process Studies, Claremont, CA, October 5, 2006.
102. "Causation-Based Relational Metaphysics," to the research conference on "Relationality and Fundamental Physics," Queens College, Cambridge; discussed in my absence, September 2-3, 2006.
101. "Radical Embodiment and Theological Anthropology," to the Annual Meeting of the Highlands Institute for American Religion, Philosophy, and Theology, Highlands, NC, June 15, 2006.
100. "Wildman on Rolston on God," response to Holmes Roston, followed by panel discussion, Institute for Philosophy and Religion, Boston University, January 24, 2006

99. "Neuroscience and Religious Experience," at Core Curriculum Science Forum, Boston University, December 7, 2005
98. "New Natural Theology," to New Haven Theological Discussion Group, Yale University, NewHaven, CT, October 29, 2005
97. "A Causal Theory of Relationality," to research conference on "Relationality and Fundamental Physics," Academy of Sciences, Athens, October 14, 2005
96. "Liberal Evangelicals in the United States," presentation and retreat leader, Young Clergy Group, West Newbury, MA, September 23-24, 2005
95. "Ultimacy and Suffering," to Research Conference on Natural Evil sponsored by the Vatican Observatory and the Center for Theology and Natural Sciences, Castel Gandolfo, Rome, September 15, 2005
94. "Suffering in Nature," to Research Conference on Natural Evil sponsored by the Vatican Observatory and the Center for Theology and Natural Sciences, Castel Gandolfo, Rome, September 15, 2005
93. "Science and Religion in the Contemporary American Scene," to Summer Institute of the Chinese Christian Scholars Association in North America, Newton, MA, June 29, 2005
92. "A Commentary on Gordon Kaufman's *In the Beginning...Creativity*," Highlands Institute for American Religion, Philosophy, and Theology, Highlands, NC, June 24, 2005
91. "The New Natural Theology: Tracing the Path from Nature to Ultimate Reality," Highlands Institute for American Religion, Philosophy, and Theology, Highlands, NC, June 23, 2005
90. "Introduction to the Science-Religion Specialization," Invited Lecture, Zhe Jiang University, Hang Zhou, China, January 8, 2005
89. "The Value of the Science-Religion Specialization," Invited Lecture, Nanjing University, Nanjing, China, January 6, 2005
88. Member of panel on "Prospects for Religion in Modern China," Jilin University, Chang Chun, China, January 5, 2005
87. "The Resilience of Religion in Secular, Scientific Environments," Jilin University, Chang Chun, China, January 5, 2005
86. "Beyond Scientism, Superstition, and Fundamentalism: Harmonizing Science and Religion," Invited Lecture, Jilin University, Chang Chun, China, January 4, 2005
85. "Harmonizing Science and Religion," Invited Lecture, Heilong Jiang University, Harbin, China, January 3, 2005
84. "Two Great Mistakes in the History of Science and Religion in the West," Invited Lecture, Harbin College, Harbin, China, January 2, 2005
83. Member of panel on "The Future of Science and Religion in China," Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China, January 2, 2005
82. "The Inevitability of Religion and the Wisdom of Cooperation with Science," Invited Lecture, Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China, January 2, 2005
82. "Science and Religion," Keynote Address to Sino-American Exchange on Science and Religion, Harbin Normal University, Harbin, China, December 31, 2004
81. "The Value of the Science-Religion Specialization," Keynote Address to First Annual Conference on Science and Religion, Beijing Normal University, Beijing, China, December 28, 2004

79. "A Review and Critique of 'The Divine Action Project'—A Dialogue among Scientists and Theologians," The Catherine and Henry J. Gaisman Annual Memorial Lecture, Tulane University, New Orleans, October 28, 2004
78. "Law, Chance, Nature, and God," International Society for Science and Religion, Boston, Massachusetts, August 19, 2004
77. Member of panel roundtable on "Types, Virtues, and Liabilities of Religious Naturalism," Highlands Institute for American Religious Thought Members' Seminar, Highlands, North Carolina, June 25, 2004
76. Chair of panel session on "Corrington's Aesthetic Naturalism," Highlands Institute for American Religious Thought Members' Seminar, Highlands, North Carolina, June 24, 2004
75. "Science and Religion: What it is and how to teach it," to conference of visiting Chinese professors sponsored by Chinese Christian Scholars Association in North America, Newton, Massachusetts, June 17, 2004
74. "The Resilience of Religion in Secular Social Environments," Williams College, Williamstown, Massachusetts, March 9, 2004
73. "Consensus and Divergence: A Review of the Divine Action Project, Castel Gandolfo, Italy, September, 2003
72. "Quantum Mechanics and Divine Action," to Divine Action Project, Castel Gandolfo, Italy, September, 2003
71. "Religious Experience and the Church," to one-day symposium devoted to my work on the topic, Boston University, August, 2003
70. "The Theological Project of Robert Cummings Neville," to American Theological Society, Princeton Theological Seminary, April 5, 2003
69. "Does God Direct Evolution? A Discussion of Purpose in Nature from Aristotle to the Intelligent Design Movement," to Boston University Philosophy Club, November 12, 2002
68. "A Pragmatic Approach to Rationality in Science and Religion," to Goethe Institute Conference on Religion in Dialogue with Science, Tradition and Plural Cultures, Boston University, October 22-24, 2002
67. "Solving Complicated Problems: A Pragmatist Philosophical Framework for Negotiating Competing Truth Claims," to CTNS Science and Religion Conference, Harvard University, July 2, 2002
66. "Wildman on Smith on Chemically-Assisted Religious Experience," response to Huston Smith for Institute for Philosophy and Religion, Boston University, November 14, 2001
65. "John," dramatic presentation/lecture to Humanities Core Curriculum
64. "Religious Diversity," to Fall Info Blizzard, Boston University, October 2, 2001
63. "Consciousness Expanded: Western Evolutionary Theory Meets South Asian Philosophy," International Seminar on Science and Metaphysics: A Discussion on Consciousness and Genetics, National Institute of Advanced Studies, Indian Institute of Science Campus, Bangalore, India, June 26, 2001
62. "Metaphysical Implications of Modern Science," Panel Chair and Presenter, International Seminar on Science and Metaphysics: A Discussion on Consciousness and Genetics, National Institute of Advanced Studies, Indian Institute of Science Campus, Bangalore, India, June 25, 2001
61. "A Theological Appraisal of the Neuropsychological Study of Religious Experience," CTNS Science

and Religion Course Program, Advanced Workshop, Montreal, June 1, 2001

60. "Wildman on Ferré on Values," American Theological Society, Princeton, NJ, April 21, 2001
59. "Speaking of Ultimacy," Boston Theological Society, April 5, 2001
58. "Theology, Science, and Animals," Tufts University, Veterinary School, March 30, 2001
57. "Religion and Science in Action: Changing Education, Inquiry, and Practice," Templeton Lecture, Albertus Magnus College, New Haven, CT, February 8, 2001
56. "Wildman on Neville on Courage," response to Robert Cummings Neville, "Courage: Heroes and Anti-heroes," Institute for Philosophy and Religion, Boston University, January 24, 2001
55. "Making Scholarly Expertise Count: Paths Toward Action," Plenary Address to Future Visions Conference, State of the World Forum 2000, New York, September 7, 2000
54. "The State of Scholarship in Science and Religion at the Turn of the Century," Inaugural Keynote Address to the First Annual Boston Theological Institute Science and Religion Colloquium, Boston University, April 27, 2000
53. "Religion and Ecology—Blending Research and Action," panel with Mary Evelyn Tucker, Boston University, March 14, 2000
52. "Moral Values from Scientific and Religious Perspectives," visiting lecture, Simmons College, Boston, November 8, 1999
51. "Relevance is the Question: Quantum Mechanics and Quantum Field Theory in relation to Theological Topics in the World's Religions," to the Pre-Conference of the Vatican Observatory-Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences Divine Action Project, Wye College, University of London, Kent, England, September 26, 1999
50. "Rethinking the Ethics of Biotechnology," to the Bioethics and Cloning Conference, Boston University, June 1, 1999
49. "The Ethics of Fetal Cell Transplants," dialogue with Susan Stafford, Simmons College, Boston, April 27, 1999
48. "Wilson and Gould: When Scientists Let their Hair Down," faculty lecture, Providence College, Connecticut, April 16, 1999
47. "Does the Universe have a Purpose?" public lecture, Biology Lecture Series, Providence College, Connecticut, April 16, 1999
46. "Religion and Science," visiting lecture, Simmons College, Boston, March 23, 1999
45. "Comparing Religious Ideas: A New Approach," public lecture, Adelaide College of Divinity, Australia, March 16, 1999
44. "Jesus Christ for Today," public lecture, Adelaide College of Divinity, Australia, March 11, 1999
43. "Comparing Religious Ideas: A New Approach," interdisciplinary Social Science faculty lecture, Edith Cowan University, Perth, Australia, March 5, 1999
42. "Integration in Theological Education," to the faculty of United Theological College, Sydney, Australia, March 2, 1999
41. "Adventures in Genetic Technology," response paper to Highlands Institute for American Religion, Philosophy, and Theology, Orlando, November 23, 1998
40. "Theology and Science in Global Philosophical Perspective," to conference, "The Interplay between Philosophy, Science, and Religion: The European Tradition," Leuven, Belgium, November 18, 1998

39. "The State of Science and Religion Teaching," to the Advisory Committee for the Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences' Science and Religion Course Program, November 1, 1998
38. "What's Happening in Recent Science and Theology?" lecture to Pastor's Colloquium, September 14, 1998
37. "A Neuropsychological-Semiotic Theory of Religious Experience," with Leslie Brothers, Vatican Observatory and Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences meeting, Krakow, Poland, June, 1998
36. Chair of Plenary Session for Christianity and Ecology Conference, Center for the Study of World Religions, Harvard, April 17, 1998
35. Presentation on "Church-Seminary Relations" to Faculty, Staff, and Student Retreat, Boston University, March 25, 1998
34. "The Dynamics of the Cognitive Breakdown of Religious Symbols," to Boston Theological Society, February 10, 1998
33. "Pedagogy in the Theology and Science Classroom," lecture to Templeton Science and Religion Workshop, Berkeley, January 17, 1997
32. "What's Happening in Recent Theology?" lecture to Pastors' Colloquium, Boston University, October 6, 1997
31. "The Problem of Suffering in Job," lecture to Humanities Core Curriculum, Boston University, October 2, 1997
30. "Coordinating Biological, Social, and Religious Visions of Humanity," public lecture at Truman State University, Missouri, September 25, 1997
29. "Theology and Science from a Pragmatic Philosophical Perspective," lecture to the Philosophy and Religion Club at Truman State University, Missouri, September 25, 1997
28. "Neurophysiology and Language about Ultimacy," CTNS/Vatican Observatory Joint Preconference on Divine Action, Berkeley, September 14, 1997
27. "Strategic Mechanisms within Religious Symbol Systems," LAUD Symposium, University of Duisburg, Germany, April, 1997
26. "Brain, Consciousness, and Theology," FASET Lecture Series at Trinity Episcopal Church, Concord, Massachusetts, March 9, 1997
25. "Notes on Lamentations," program notes for Julian Wachner, "Lamentations," December 31, 1996
24. "God and Loneliness," Boston Theological Society, December 10, 1996
23. "Slipping into Horror: A Theological Approach to the Underside of Life," at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, New Orleans, November 25, 1996
22. "The Challenge of Theological Anthropology: Coordinating Biological, Social, and Religious Visions of Humanity," at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, New Orleans, November 24, 1996
21. "Science and Religion at CTNS: Retrospect, Prospect, Celebration," public lecture with W. Mark Richardson for CTNS, Berkeley, November 11, 1996
20. "In Praise of Loneliness," Institute for Philosophy and Religion Lecture Series, Boston University, October 23, 1996
19. "Evolution, Teleology, and Divine Action," CTNS/Vatican Observatory Joint Conference on Divine Action, Castel Gondolfo, Rome, June 28, 1996

18. "Religion and Science Update: Religious Anthropology and Evolutionary Theory," to Lunchtime Seminar Series, Marsh Chapel, March 30, 1996
17. "Hart on Fall or Fault in Human Nature," response paper for Institute for Philosophy and Religion, Boston University, April 10, 1996
16. "Evolution, Teleology and Metaphysical Ambiguity," to Boston Theological Society, April 9, 1996
15. "Religious Pluralism and Social Stability," to Symposium on Theology, Philosophy, and Religion, Boston University, February 17, 1995
14. "Christology and Cult, Faith and History: A Troeltschian Interpretation," to Boston Theological Society, December 13, 1994
13. Participant in Boston Theological Institute's "Theology of Life" Roundtable Conference (two meetings, October and December, 1994)
12. "Introduction to Chaos Theory," to meeting of US Delegates to Vatican Observatory Conference on Chaos Theory and Divine Action, September, 1994
11. "Doing Metaphysics Properly," to Colloquium of Faculty of the Sydney College of Divinity, United Theological College, Sydney Australia, August 9, 1994
10. "Divine Action," United Theological College, Sydney, Australia, August 9, 1994
9. "God and the New Physics," United Theological College, Sydney, Australia, August 9, 1994
8. "Getting Clear About Similarities and Differences Between Theology and Science," Public Lecture for Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences, Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, CA, May 9, 1994
7. Panel Member for Research Conference on Ellis, *Before the Beginning*, Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences, Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, CA, April 16, 1994
6. "Modest Christology" at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Washington DC, November, 1993
5. "What is Metaphysics Good For?" to the Boston University Society for Theology, Religion and Philosophy, Boston, MA, September 23, 1993
4. "A Modest Christology," Boston University School of Theology, Boston, MA, February, 1993
3. "A Study of the Logistic Mapping: A Simple Deterministic Equation Showing Chaotic Behavior" at the Conference of US Delegates to the Vatican Observatory/Center for Theology and Natural Sciences Research Project on Chaos, Complexity and Self-Organization, Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, CA, October 23-25, 1992
2. "Theology and Science in Contemporary Perspective," Tenth Anniversary Lecture for Center for Theology and Natural Sciences, Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, CA, April 1992
1. "Science and Theology in the Seminary," Public Lecture for the Center for Theology and Natural Sciences, Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, CA, 1991

FUNDED GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS (TOTAL: \$14,636,950)

37. {Funder Suppressed}, PI on "Decision Support for the Cessation of Military Conflict," 2025 (\$412,243)
36. John Templeton Foundation, PI on "Ritual for the Non-Religious: A Research Study with Practical Applications," 2023-2026 (\$378,235).

35. Northcentral University, PI on simulation and analytics contract for “Cognitive Neuroscience of Religious Cognition,” April 1, 2022-March 31, 2025 (\$272,550).
34. Boston University Hariri Institute for Computing and Computational Science and Engineering, Co-PI on Focused Research Program “Applied simulation modeling for population health,” 2021-2022 (\$137,951).
33. Book publication grant for *Beauty in the Ordinary* from Doug and Gay Lane Foundation, 2020-2021 (\$19,526.51).
32. Templeton Religion Trust, PI on “SCORE Strand 1: Bibliometric Analysis,” 2020-2021 (\$234,773).
31. John Templeton Foundation, PI on “Science and Ultimate Reality: The Culminating Volume in the Six-Volume Religious Philosophy Series,” 2020-2023 (\$100,000).
30. Summer Research Fellowship for Seth Villegas, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, June-August, 2019 (\$12,000).
29. Summer Student Project for Shaunesse’ Jacobs, Institute for Health System Innovation & Policy, Questrom School of Business, Boston University, June-August, 2020 (\$4,800).
28. John Templeton Foundation, PI on subcontract for Modeling Religious Change Project, 2020-2024 (\$2,836,764)
27. Old Dominion University Research Foundation, Co-PI on Modeling Religious Change Project, 2020-2023 (\$1,275,943)
26. University of Edinburgh, God and the Book of Nature Project, funding for Post-Doctoral Fellowship, September 2019-May 2022 (\$200,361).
25. Summer Student Project for Allana Radel, Private Funding, June-August, 2019 (\$5,000).
24. Summer Student Project for Kate Stockly, Institute for Health System Innovation & Policy, Questrom School of Business, Boston University, June-August, 2019 (\$10,560).
23. John Templeton Foundation, PI, “Building the Alister Hardy Archive 2.0: Planning Phase,” 2019-2020 (\$234,697).
22. John Templeton Foundation, PI on contract for mapping the fields of the scientific study of religion, 2018-2019 (\$53,820).
21. John Templeton Foundation, Co-PI for “Synthesizing Empirical Findings and Theory in the Scientific Study of Religion” (Connor Wood, PI), Center for Mind and Culture, 2018-2020 (\$234,784).
20. Boston University Digital Health Initiative, Co-PI for Research Incubation Award for “Autism Spectrum Engaged Cloud Technology (ASPECT) Hub,” 2018-2020 (\$50,000).
19. John Templeton Foundation, PI on contract for mapping the fields of the scientific study of religion, 2016-2017 (\$75,000)
18. University of Agder, Norway, PI on subcontract for simulation and modeling research, “Modeling Religion in Norway,” 2016-2019 (\$61,475)
17. Norwegian Research Council, Norway, Co-PI on Religion and Immigration grant, “Modeling Religion in Norway,” 2016-2019 (\$1,383,796)
16. Boston VA Research Institute, PI on subcontract for simulation and modeling research, education, and outreach, “Modeling Religion Project,” 2015-2018 (\$1,564,998)
15. John Templeton Foundation, Co-PI (PI Patrick McNamara) on “Modeling Religion Project,” 2015-2018 (\$451,958)

14. Center of Theological Inquiry, Fellowship, 2013-2014 (\$70,000)
13. John Templeton Foundation, PI on “Quantifying Religious Experience Project,” 2013-2015(\$199,917)
12. Boston VA Research Institute, PI on subcontract for education and research, “The neurology of religious cognition and religious experience,” 2013-2018 (\$823,198)
11. John Templeton Foundation, Co-PI (PI Patrick McNamara) on “Parkinson’s Disease and Religious Cognition” through Boston VA Research Institute, 2013-2017 (\$900,000)
10. Arthur Vining Davis Foundations, PI on subcontract for research within Mary Elizabeth Moore’s grant to Boston University School of Theology, 2011-2013: “The Spectrums Project,” 2011-2014 (\$66,000)
10. Other Foundation Grants {Unnamed}, 2024-2026 (\$800,000)
9. Doug and Gay Lane Foundation, “Research, education, and communication,” 2009-2024 (\$1,700,000)
8. National Institutes of Health, PI on Institute for the Biocultural Study of Religion subcontract from University of Pittsburgh (PI Katherine Verdolini Abbott), 2009-2010: “The Role of Relaxation Meditation in anti-Inflammatory Response” (\$27,600)
7. Center for Practical Theology, Faculty Research Grant, 2009: “The Liberal-Evangelical.org Project” (\$2,000)
6. Center for Practical Theology, Faculty Research Grant, 2008: “The Liberal-Evangelical.org Project” (\$5,000)
5. Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences, STARS Planning Grant: “Intense Experiences and Ultimate Reality” Co-PI with Patrick McNamara, 2007 (\$20,000)
4. Boston University Graduate School, Matching Agreement for Student Fellowships, PI, 1999
3. John Templeton Foundation grant for Enhancing Science and Religion Courses, PI, 1998 (\$2,000)
2. Association of Theological Schools teaching grant, PI, 1997-98: “Teaching abstract ideas to concrete thinkers in the introductory seminary philosophy class” (\$5,000)
1. John Templeton Foundation Science and Religion Course Award (grant component), PI, 1995-96: “Religion and Science” (\$5,000)

UNIVERSITY TEACHING EXPERIENCE, 2014 ONWARDS

Course number	Course title	Sem	Year	Enr	Credits	Instruction type
STH-TT-891-W1	Masters Directed Study	Spring	2025	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TZ-999-W3	Doctoral Dissertation	Spring	2025	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
CDS-DS-380-A1	Data, Society, and AI Ethics	Spring	2025	125	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-MR-701-OL	Public Theology, Ministry, and Leadership	Fall	2024	17	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Masters Directed Study	Fall	2024	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TZ-999-W3	Doctoral Dissertation	Fall	2024	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
CDS-DS-680-A1	AI Ethics	Fall	2024	44	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-892-W1	Masters Directed Study	Spring	2024	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TZ-999-W3	Doctoral Dissertation	Spring	2024	3	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-DM-992-W2	DMIN Directed Study	Spring	2024	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
CDS-DS-380-A1	Data, Society and Ethics	Spring	2024	62	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TF-702-A1	Christianity Engaging Modernity	Spring	2024	38	3	LEC-Lecture
CDS-DS-380-A1	Data, Society and Ethics	Fall	2023	33	4	LEC-Lecture
CDS-DS-680-A2	AI Ethics	Fall	2023	14	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TS-832-A1	AI and Religion	Fall	2023	14	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Masters Directed Study	Fall	2023	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-891-W1	Masters Directed Study	Fall	2023	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TZ-999-W3	Doctoral Dissertation	Fall	2023	3	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TZ-999-W3	Doctoral Dissertation	Fall	2023	3	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-DM-991-W2	DMIN Directed Study	Fall	2023	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-DM-991-W2	DMIN Directed Study	Fall	2023	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
CDS-DS-380-A1	Data, Society and Ethics	Fall	2023	33	4	LEC-Lecture
CDS-DS-680-A2	AI Ethics	Fall	2023	14	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TS-832-A1	AI and Religion	Fall	2023	14	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-992-W1	STH PhD Colloquium	Spring	2023	12	0	DIS-Discussion

STH-TS-832-A1	Cyber-Ethics	Spring	2023	7	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-MR-701-OL	Public Theology, Ministry, and Leadership	Spring	2023	21	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TZ-999-W3	Doctoral Dissertation	Spring	2023	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-DM-992-W2	DMIN Directed Study	Spring	2023	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
CDS-DS-380-A1	Data, Society and Ethics	Spring	2023	45	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Spring	2023	18	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TF-702-A1	Christianity Engaging Modernity	Spring	2023	54	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Spring	2023	15	0	DIS-Discussion
STH-TZ-999-W3	Doctoral Dissertation	Fall	2022	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Fall	2022	18	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Fall	2022	15	0	DIS-Discussion
CDS-DS-490-A1-S	Directed Study in Computing & Data Sciences	Summer 1	2022	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Spring	2022	7	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TS-857-A1	Ethics, Spirituality & Technology	Spring	2022	10	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-892-W1	Masters Directed Study	Spring	2022	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TZ-999-W3	Doctoral Dissertation	Spring	2022	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TC-802-I1	Contextual Education 2	Spring	2022	6	3	EXP-Experience
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Spring	2022	7	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Spring	2022	15	0	DIS-Discussion
STH-TT-891-W1	Radical Theologies and Religious Naturalisms	Spring	2022	3	3	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-891-W1	Data, Society, Ethics	Spring	2022	1	3	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-891-W1	Cyber-Ethics	Spring	2022	1	3	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-871-A1	Science Literacy and Scientific Boundary Questions	Fall	2021	6	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-991-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Fall	2021	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
CDS-DS-490-W1	Directed Study in Computing & Data Sciences	Fall	2021	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TC-801-I1	Contextual Education 1	Fall	2021	6	3	EXP-Practicum
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Fall	2021	15	0	DIS-Discussion
STH-TT-892-W1	Masters Directed Study	Spring	2021	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Spring	2021	15	0	DIS-Discussion
STH-TT-891-W1	Masters Directed Study	Fall	2020	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Fall	2020	15	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Fall	2020	15	0	DIS-Discussion
STH-TT-892-W1	Masters Directed Study	Spring	2020	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-792-A1	Masters Directed Study	Spring	2020	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Spring	2020	15	0	DIS-Discussion
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Fall	2019	26	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Masters Directed Study	Fall	2019	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-932-A1	Paul Tillich	Fall	2019	16	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-791-W1	Masters Directed Study	Fall	2019	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Fall	2019	15	0	DIS-Discussion
STH-TT-872-B1	Science Literacy and Scientific Boundary Questions	Spring	2019	3	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-961-A1	Varieties of Religious Naturalism	Spring	2019	7	VAR	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-892-W1	Masters Directed Study	Spring	2019	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-992-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Spring	2019	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-891-W1	Religion and Science Colloquium	Spring	2019	15	0	DIS-Discussion
STH-TT-871-A1	Science Literacy and Scientific Boundary Questions	Fall	2018	5	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-991-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Fall	2018	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Fall	2018	24	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-956-A1	Atheisms and Theologies	Fall	2018	18	VAR	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-992-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Spring	2018	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Fall	2017	25	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-931-A1	Brains, Bodies & Religions	Fall	2017	15	VAR	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Masters Directed Study	Fall	2017	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-932-A1	Paul Tillich	Fall	2017	12	VAR	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-991-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Fall	2017	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TX-902-A1	Scientific Literacy and Scientific Boundary Issues	Spring	2017	4	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-892-W1	Masters Directed Study	Spring	2017	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-992-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Spring	2017	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Spring	2017	21	3	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-871-A1	Science Literacy and Scientific Boundary Questions	Fall	2016	7	VAR	LEC-Lecture
GRS-RN-798-A1	Scientific Approaches to Religion	Fall	2016	7	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-991-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Fall	2016	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-733-A1	Constructive Theology	Spring	2016	21	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-961-A1	Varieties of Religious Naturalisms	Spring	2016	13	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-992-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Spring	2016	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-932-A1	Paul Tillich	Fall	2015	18	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-891-W1	Masters Directed Study	Fall	2015	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-991-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Fall	2015	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-956-A1	Atheisms and Theologies	Fall	2015	15	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-872-A1	Science Literacy and Scientific Boundary Questions	Spring	2015	7	VAR	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-992-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Spring	2015	2	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
GRS-RN-798-A1	Scientific Approaches to Religion	Fall	2014	7	4	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-871-A1	Science Literacy and Scientific Boundary Questions	Fall	2014	6	VAR	LEC-Lecture
STH-TT-991-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Fall	2014	3	VAR	DRS-Directed Study
STH-TT-992-W1	Doctoral Directed Study	Spring	2014	1	VAR	DRS-Directed Study

DOCTORAL STUDENTS

CURRENT:

Gabriel Maayan (1st advisor)

Samuel Cole-Osborne (1st advisor)

Gaurev Koley (2nd advisor)

EARLIER:

2025: Kendra Holt Moore (1st reader): “Is Awe a Death Prime? Integrating Terror Management Theory and Awe Studies to Understand Spiritual Transformation”

2025: Jeffrey Speaks (1st reader): “Soli Deo Gloria: A Theocentric Naturalist Piety of Divine Glory”

2024: Stephen Waldron (1st reader): “Moralizing God: The Moral Psychology of Theological Polarization Among U.S. Protestants”

2024: Hyerncherl Lee (1st reader): “Radical Hospitality and Divine Friendship: The Core Aspects of a Missional Church and Leadership Training in the Context of the Northern Illinois Conference of the United Methodist Church”

2024: Brian Chenowith (1st reader): “Rite in Nature: Cultivating Religious Naturalist Ritual Leadership in a Unitarian Universalist Congregation”

2023: Taylor Thomas (1st reader): “Emergent Grace: Paul Tillich, Existential Ontology, and the Ethics of Acceptance”

2023: John Balch (1st reader): “Climate Skepticism: From Anti-Environmentalism to #climatecult”

2023: Shaunesse’ Jacobs (1st reader): “On the Personhood of Marginalized Communities: A Maritainian Rights-Based Approach to the Moral Wrong of U.S. Health Disparities in Maternal Mortality, and to Moral Repair through Targeted Policy Measures”

2022: Seth Villegas (1st reader): “The Desire to Upload: Understanding the Theological Anthropology, Eschatology, and Philosophy of History of Transhumanist Advocacy for Life-Extension and Immortality”

2021: Kate Stockly (1st reader): “Science and Corporeal Religion: A Feminist Materialist Reconsideration of Gender/Sex Diversity in Religiosity”

2020: David Rohr (1st reader): “C. S. Peirce’s Neglected Argument for the Reality of God: A Critical and Constructive Interpretation”

2019: Lawrence Whitney (2nd reader): “Ritual and Religious Language”

2019: Andrew Linscott (1st reader): “Negotiating Anthropomorphism: Reconsidering the Onto-Theological Tradition in Light of the Bio-Cultural Study of Religion”

2018: Jonathan Morgan (2nd reader): “Religious Engagement and Varieties of Self-Regulation: Broadening Beyond Belief and Restraint”

2018: You Wensi (1st reader): “Disruption and Reintegration: Self-Transformation in Shamanistic Healing”

2017: Wade Mitchell (Drew University, 3rd reader)

2017: Benjamin Samuels (2nd reader): “How Advances in Science Change Jewish Law and Ethics: Assisted Reproductive Technologies and the Redefinition of Parenthood”

2016: Brian Jenkin (2nd reader): “John Dewey and an Ecological Philosophy of Religion” 2016: Nik Zanetti (1st reader): “Revisiting the Concept of Self in the Methodology of Mystical Hermeneutics”

- 2016: Nick DiDonato (2nd reader): “Causes and Causation in Pseudo-Dionysius and Areopagite and the Modern Natural Sciences”
- 2016: Connor Wood (1st reader): “The Rhythm that Unites: An Empirical Investigation into Synchrony, Ritual, and Hierarchy”
- 2015: Joel Daniels (1st reader): “Theology, Tragedy, and Suffering in Nature: Toward a Realist Doctrine of Creation”
- 2014: Geoffrey Dornan (1st reader): “History, Salvation, and the Reign of God: Ignacio Ellacuria reading El Salvador through Xavier Zubiri”
- 2012: Charles Demm (2nd reader): “John Smith as Pragmatic Philosophical Theologian” 2012: Paul Cassell (1st reader): “A Semiotic and Emergent Theory of Religious Communities”
- 2012: Hee Kyung Kim (1st reader): “Dialectical Harmony of the Self and the Other: Philosophical and Religious Anthropology and its Implications for Social Justice”
- 2011: Aimee Radom (3rd reader): “Do Religious Conservatives and Religious Liberals Think Differently? An Exploration of Differences in Cognitive and Personality Styles”
- 2010: Han-Kyung Kim (1st reader): “Hiddenness of God’s Action in History: A Theology of Providence Inspired by Karl Barth”
- 2010: Rick Peters (2nd reader): “Alvin Plantinga’s Evolutionary Argument Against Naturalism and the Metaphysical Conditions for Human Knowing”
- 2009: Josh Reeves (1st reader): “From method to practice: A critique of two models for relating science and religion”
- 2009: Ahmad El Katerji, (4th reader): “Brainview: A Functional Neuroanatomy Knowledge System” 2008: Nathaniel Barrett (1st reader): “The Spontaneity of Nature and Human Experience”
- 2008: Sarah Fredericks (1st reader): “Environmental Ethics across Worldviews: An Assessment of Sustainable Energy Developmental Indexes”
- 2008: Brandon Daniel-Hughes (1st reader): “The Future of Inquiry: Charles Peirce, Naturalism and the Symbols of Christian Eschaton”
- 2005: Peter Heltzel (1st reader): “The Triune Patokrator: Jurgen Moltmann’s Reinterpretation of Omnipotences in Light of Gregory of Nyssa’s Trinitarian Theology”
- 2005: Timothy Knepper (1st reader): “How to say what can’t be said: Techniques and Rules of Ineffability in the Dionysian Corpus”
- 2004: Doris Garcia Mayol (2nd reader): “Prophesy and Identity Formation: A Frame Analysis of Judean Oracles Against Foreign Alliances”
- 2004: Slavica Jakelic (3rd reader): “Religion and Collective Identity: A Comparative Study of the Roman Catholic Church in Bosnia-Herzegovina, Croatia and Slovenia”
- 2002: Rolf Bouma (1st reader): “Does Not Nature itself Teach?” Biotechnology and Natural Law in a Theology of Nature”
- 2002: Joseph McGregor (3rd reader): “Spirituality in Recovery: A Model of Progression”
- 2002: Andrew Irvine (2nd reader): “God’s Preferential Option for the Poor: A Study in Liberation Theology and Metaphysics”
- 2001: Robert Parks (2nd reader): “A Trinitarianism of Interreligious Engagement: The Thought of Raimon Panikkar and its Contribution to the Christian Theology of Religions”

- 2001: Jung Sun Oh (2nd reader): “A Korean theology of human nature with special attention to the works of Robert Cummings Neville and Tu Wei-ming”
- 2001: Michael Bone (3rd reader)
- 2000: James Miller (3rd reader): “The economy of cosmic power: A theory of religious transaction and a comparative study of Shangqing Daoism and the Christian religion of Augustine of Hippo”
- 2000: Stephen Main (3rd reader)
- 1999: Rachel Stahle (2nd reader): “The Trinitarian Spirit of Jonathan Edward’s Theology”
- 1999: Doug Hadley (4th reader): “Deficient Existence in a Divine World: Ontological Deficiency in the Metaphysics of John Scotus Eriugena”
- 1999: Joo Han Kim (2nd reader): “Personal Piety and the Common Good: Luther’s Interpretation of the Sermon on the Mount and his Two Kingdoms Doctrine”
- 1998: John Starkey (1st reader): “The Easter Experiences: An Interdisciplinary Investigation of Religious Experience in Theology, Philosophy, and Psychology”

MASTERS THESES (WHEN LISTED ON SIGNATURE PAGE)

CURRENT:

- 2025: Saw Min Thein (1st reader), “Continuous Creation and Evolution: Preparing for a Trialogue among Whiteheadian Process Theology, Theravada Buddhist Philosophy, and Natural Science”
- 2025: Jingyuan Liu (2nd reader), “How Do Terms of Service Influence Social Media User Dynamics? A Privacy Anxiety Perspective”

EARLIER:

- 2024: Maya Alaoeasheg (1st reader), “Representation in Breast Cancer Clinical Trials”
- 2018: Ari Brouwer (1st reader)
- 2018: Kayla Bonnin (1st reader)
- 2017: Joseph Allen (1st reader)
- 2011: Benjamin Thompson (1st reader): “A Naturalistic Interpretation of the Efficacy of Recovery Programs”
- 2010: Caitlin Fox Murphy (3rd reader): “Investigating the Religious Belief Systems of High-Functioning Autistic Individuals”
- Jennifer Bader (1st reader): “Rahner’s Rule and the Doctrine of the Trinity”
- Chapin Garner (2nd reader): A stageplay written in conjunction with Boston Playwrights’ Theater
- Reid Locklin (1st reader)
- Xiang He (1st reader): “God is Energy”

UNDERGRADUATE SENIOR THESES (WHEN LISTED ON SIGNATURE PAGE)

CURRENT:

- 2025: Kristen Bestavros (1st reader), “A computational Model of Ideological Polarization in an Individual Mind”

EARLIER:

2013: Emily Levin (2nd reader): “Neurology and Buddhist Meditation”

2012: Tess Velazquez (3rd reader): “Investigating the Intentionality Bias in the Broader Autism Phenotype”

SELECTED INTERVIEWS, PODCASTS, AND POPULAR MEDIA COVERAGE

Numerous interviews and podcasts on the Ethics of Generative AI (during 2023)

Patrick McNamara, Cognitive Neuroscience of Religion Podcast, May 25, 2023

(<https://www.cognitiveneuroscienceofreligion.org/media/subproject-pi-videos>; also see the recording at <https://youtu.be/KzkrMgm7YJQ>)

Here is a link to the page of the website where it will be posted:

HealthMatters Podcast, “Episode 103: Generative AI,” April, 2023

Hiawatha Bray, “BU creates standards for chatbots in the classroom,” Boston Globe, April 4, 2023

(<https://www.bostonglobe.com/2023/04/04/business/bu-creates-standards-chatbots-computer-science-classes/>)

Joel Brown, “Student-Designed Policy on Use of Generative AI Adopted by Data Sciences Faculty,”

March 27, 2023 (<https://www.bu.edu/articles/2023/student-designed-policy-on-use-of-generative-ai-adopted-by-data-sciences-faculty/>)

Rachel Lin, “A Campus with ChatGPT: The Ethics Behind AI Text Generation in Education.” BU

Experts, March 22, 2023 (<https://buexperts.medium.com/a-campus-with-chatgpt-the-ethics-behind-ai-text-generation-in-education-232d699c47f3>)

Featured in Taryn Pedler, “DEUS EX MACHINA: AI Gods & ChatGPT religions are coming – they will be better than human priests & they could turn evil, warns experts,” March 18, 2023

(<https://www.thesun.co.uk/tech/21723284/ai-gods-religions-coming-turn-evil-warns-experts/>)

The Crux of the Story Podcast, “Episode 98: Where AI and Ethics Intersect: Questions of the Present and

Future,” March 1, 2023 ([Episode 98: Where AI and Ethics Intersect: Questions of the Present and Future — The Crux of The Story \(thecruxpodcast.org\)](https://thecruxpodcast.org/episode-98-where-ai-and-ethics-intersect-questions-of-the-present-and-future))

Joel Brown, “Why ChatGPT Is Both Exciting and Unsettling for Students, Faculty: BU data science class takes a first step toward crafting a strategy for dealing with the artificial intelligence model in the

classroom,” *BU Today*, February 17, 2023 (<https://www.bu.edu/articles/2023/why-chatgpt-is-both-exciting-and-unsettling-for-students-and-faculty/>)

Numerous interviews, mostly radio and podcasts, for *Spirit Tech* (St. Martin’s Press, 2021).

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13, 2018 (<http://www.capeandislands.org/post/computer-modeling-religion#stream/0>)

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Interview by Michael Fitzgerald for Nautilus Magazine, “Atheism, the Computer Model” (<http://nautil.us/issue/45/power/atheism-the-computer-model>), February 16, 2017.

Numerous interviews related to the Modeling Religion Project (2014-present) Interviews about religious experience for O Magazine (6/20/2011, 11/15/2011)

Interview about Virgin Birth and contemporary biology, Philadelphia Inquirer (10/24/2005), Seattle Times (5/31/2006)

Interview about Intelligent Design Controversy, Philadelphia Inquirer (10/16/2005)

Interview about Intelligent Design Controversy, Associated Press (10/15/2005); article carried in many newspapers

Interview for documentary film on the Southeast Asian Tsunami, Mark Dowd, producer (9/13/2005) Interviews about Science and Religion in the USA, ABC News, New York (10,11,12/2000) Interview for documentary film “Religious Experience”, Jon Hofferma, producer (9/13/2000) Panel interview on Kansas School Board Evolution Debate, WBUR (9/7/1999)

Interview on religious pluralism for “Perspectives” television program, Richard Nesmith, host (1995)

ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

CURRENT:

Chair, AI Committee, School of Theology, Boston University, 2024-2025

Member, Academic Advisory Council, AI Development Accelerator, Boston University, 2024-present

Member, Faculty Affairs Council, Boston University, 2023-present

Chair, Mid-Tenure Review Committee, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, 2023-present

Chair, Faculty Performance Review Committee, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, 2023-present

Chair, Faculty Affairs, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, 2023-present

Co-Chair, Ethical and Responsible Computing Initiative, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2021-present

Co-Chair, Computational Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences Initiative, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2021-present

Convener, Track 2 (Theology, Ethics, and Philosophy) in the School of Theology PhD in Theological Studies, 2017-2019, 2023-present

Member, Executive Leadership Team, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, Boston University, 2021-present

EARLIER:

Co-Chair, Boston University AI Task Force for Teaching and Research, 2023-2024

Coordinator, Boston University Graduate School PhD Concentration in Religion and Science, 1995-2006, 2007-2025 (author of “Prospectus for Graduate Programs in Science, Philosophy, and Religion at Boston University”)

Member, Steering Committee, Hariri Institute for Computing and Computational Science & Engineering, Boston University, 2019-2025

Member, Ad-Hoc Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee, School of Theology, 2021-2022, 2024

Member, Mid-Tenure Review Committee, 2022

Member, Faculty Search Committee, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2021-2022

Member, Computational and Data Science Ethics Working Group, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2020-2021

Member, Advanced Studies Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2016-2017, 2023

Member, University Appointments, Promotion, and Tenure Committee, Boston University, 2011-2013, 2021-2023

Chair, Philosophy, Theology, Ethics Department (Area B), Boston University School of Theology, 1999-2006, 2010-2011, 2019-2020, 2021-2023

Chair, Ethical and Responsible Computing Working Group, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2020-2021

Co-Chair, Faculty Search Sub-Committee (Area 3), Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2021-2022

Chair, Advanced Studies Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2017-2020

Chair, Library and Lectures Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2020-2021

Chair, Centers, Programs, and Lectures Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2011-2013

Chair, Danielsen Chair Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2011-2012

Chair, Library Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2009-2011

Chair, Faculty Working Group on Teaching and Research Assistantships, Boston University School of Theology, 2009-2010

Chair, Ethics Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2003-2004

Chair, Theology Search Committee #2, Boston University School of Theology, 2003-2004

Chair, Theology Search Committee #1, Boston University School of Theology, 2003-2004

Chair, Religion and Social Sciences Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2000-2002

Chair, Philosophy, Theology, Ethics Department (Area B), Boston University School of Theology, 1999-2006, 2010-2011

Chair, Social Ethics Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 1999-2000

Chair, Theology Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 1996-1998

Chair, Boston University Division of Religious and Theological Studies Theology Concentration Review

Committee, 1995-1996

Chair, Boston University Division of Religious and Theological Studies Science, Philosophy, and Religion Concentration Review Committee, 1995-1996

Chair, Theology Faculty Group, Boston University School of Theology, 1995-2006, 2008-2013

Chair, Boston University Graduate School PhD Concentration in Theology, 1995-2006 (author of “Prospectus for Graduate Programs in Theology at Boston University”)

Consultant to Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2018-2019.

Member, Search Committee, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2020-2021

Member, Search Committee for Computational Humanities, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2020-2021

Member, Search Committee for Computational Social Sciences, Faculty of Computing and Data Sciences, 2020-2021

Member, Appointment, Promotions, and Tenure Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2019-2020

Member, Omnibus Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2014-2015

Member and Acting Chair, Doctoral Review Steering Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2011-2013

Member, Appointment, Promotion, and Tenure Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2010-2011

Member, Faculty Council, Boston University School of Theology, 2010-2011

Member, Academic Programs and Policies Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2007-2010

Member, Executive Committee, Division of Religious and Theological Studies, Boston University Graduate School, 1995-2010

Member, Charles Darwin Centennial Celebration Organizing Committee, Boston University, 2006-2010

Member, Provost’s Global Religions Initiative Committee, Boston University, 2007-2010

Member, Steering Committee for Association of Theological Schools 2001 Accreditation Report for Boston University School of Theology, 2000-2001

Member, Appointments, Promotions, and Tenure Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 1999-2003

Member, Department (Area) Chairs Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 1999-2006

Member, Faculty Cabinet, Boston University School of Theology, 1999-2006

Member, Music Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2002-2004

Member, Worship and Preaching Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2002-2004

Member, Christian Education Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 2001-2002

Member, Social Ethics Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 1998-1999

Member, Committee on Academic Progress, Boston University Division of Religious and Theological Studies, Boston University Graduate School, 1995-2013

Member, Evangelism Search Committee, Boston University School of Theology, 1995-1998

Member, Boston University Commencement Student Speaker Competition Committee, 1995-1998, 2000-2002

Faculty Secretary, Boston University School of Theology, 2015-2016

PARTICIPATION IN THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY

CURRENT:

Member of the Steering Committee for the Theology Without Walls Group, American Academy of Religion, 2017-present

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Philosophy of Religion Series at De Gruyter Open, 2014-present

Member, Board of Advisors, Religious Naturalist Association, 2014-present

Founding Co-Editor (with Richard Sosis and Patrick McNamara) of *Religion, Brain & Behavior*, a Taylor & Francis journal, 2009-present

Founding Director, Center for Mind and Culture and Institute for the Biocultural Study of Religion, 2007-present

Founding Director, Liberal-Evangelical Project, 2006-present

Founding Member, International Society for Science and Religion, 2000-present

Honorary Life Member, Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences, 1988-present

Member (elected), American Theological Society, 2000-present

Member (elected), New Haven Theological Discussion Group, 2000-present

Member, Advisory Board, Erice School of Science and Religion, 2004-present

Member, American Academy of Religion, 1988-present

Member, American Association for the Advancement of Science, 1995-present

Member, Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, 2013-present

Member, Boston Theological Society, 1993-present

Member, Editorial Board, and Associate Editor, *Philosophy, Theology, and the Sciences* journal, 2013-present

Member, Editorial Board, *American Journal of Theology and Philosophy*, 2007-present

Member, Editorial Board, *Theology and Science* journal, 2002-present

Member, Editorial Board, *Zygon* journal, 2009-present

Member, Interdisciplinary Research Group, Religion Fellows Program, Boston University School of Theology, 2010-present

Member, Society for Modeling and Simulation International, 2015-present

Peer reviewing for journals: American Journal of Philosophy and Theology; CrossCurrents; Journal of the American Academy of Religion; Theology and Science; Zygon; Journal for the Study of Religion, Nature, and Culture; Theology and Science; Philosophy, Theology, and the Sciences

Peer reviewing for publishers: Abingdon, Ashgate, Blackwell, Cambridge University Press, University of Chicago Press, LAUD, State University of New York Press, Oxford University Press

Program reviewing for John Templeton Foundation

Publisher of *IBCSR Research Review*, a monthly compendium of reviews of recently published articles in the

scientific study of religion; circulation 800 and rising, 2009-present

EARLIER:

Member of the Scientific Board for the Iranian Association for Philosophy of Religion's Tenth Annual Conference, 2022-2024

Member of the Steering Committee for the Humans, Societies, and Artificial Agents Track within the Annual Modeling and Simulation Conference (ANNSIM), Society for Modeling and Simulation International, 2019-2022

Member of the Steering Committee for the Cognitive Science of Religion Group, American Academy of Religion, 2015-2021

Member of the Advisory Board for the Finnish Academy project entitled "Simulating Biblical Audiences," based at the University of Helsinki, 2015-2017

Director, Values in Scholarship on Religion Project, 2014-2024

Member-at-large of the Executive Committee (elected), American Theological Society, 2013-2015

Member, Organizing Committee, Epistemological Perspectives on Simulation V Conference, 2012

Member, Board of Directors, Highlands Institute for American Religion, Philosophy, and Theology, 2009-2014

Member, Editorial Board, Library of the International Society of Science and Religion, 2007-2011

Member, Advisory Board, *Science and Spirit* magazine, 1998-2000

Member, Advisory Committee for John Templeton Foundation Science and Religion Course Program, administered by the Center for Theology and Natural Sciences, 1998-1999

Member, Board of Directors of Science and Spirit Resources, Inc., 2001-2004

Member, Conference Organizing Committee, International Society for Science and Religion, 2004

Member, Cross-Cultural Comparative Religious Ideas Project, 1995-2000

Member, CTNS/Vatican Research Project on Divine Action and the Natural Sciences, 1994-2003

Member, Divine Plenitude Research Group, 1995-2000

Member, Interdisciplinary Research Group, Religious and Psychological Wellbeing Project, Danielsens Institute, 2007-2010

Member, Selection Committee, AAR Systematic Theology Group, 1994

Member At-Large, Steering Committee, American Theological Society, 2005-2007

Member and Treasurer, Board of Directors of Science and Spirit Resources, Inc., 1998-2001

Judge, John Templeton Foundation Science and Religion Book Prize, 1998

Judge, John Templeton Foundation Science and Religion Essay Contest, 1997