CURRICULUM VITAE

Jeffrey L. Morrow, Ph.D.

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Theology, University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio, 2003-2007
Dissertation: “Evangelical Catholics and Catholic Biblical Scholarship: An Examination of Scott Hahn’s Canonical, Liturgical, and Covenantal Biblical Exegesis”

M.A., Theological Studies, University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio, 2001-2003

B.A., Comparative Religion and Classical Greek (double major) Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, 1997-2001
Minor in Jewish Studies

PROFESSIONAL

Professor, Seton Hall University, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, 2019-Present
Chair, Department of Undergraduate Theology, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University, 2014-2020
Associate Professor, Seton Hall University, Immaculate Conception Seminary, School of Theology, Department of Undergraduate Theology, 2013-2019
Visiting Scholar, Princeton Theological Seminary, 2015-2016
Assistant Professor, Seton Hall University, Immaculate Conception Seminary, School of Theology, Department of Undergraduate Theology, 2009-2013
Lecturer, University of Dayton, Department of Religious Studies, 2008-2009
Adjunct Professor, Junior Statesmen of America/Junior State of America (JSA), Princeton University and Northwestern University Campuses, Summers 2002-2004 and 2006-2008
Adjunct Professor, University of Dayton, Department of Religious Studies, 2007-2008
Doctoral Fellow, University of Dayton, Department of Religious Studies, 2006-2007
Instructor, University of Dayton, Department of Religious Studies, 2002-2003 and 2004-2006
Graduate Research and Teaching Assistant, University of Dayton, Department of Religious Studies, 2001-2002 and 2003-2004

M.A. THESIS DIRECTED

Seton Hall University

GRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT

Seton Hall University

Luke and Acts
Revelation and Faith (taught 2 classes)
Ecclesiology (taught 2 classes)
The Biblical Theology of Pope Benedict XVI
The Eucharist (taught 2 classes)
Old Testament Spirituality (taught 2 classes)
Catholic Apologetics
The Eucharist and the Family (taught 2 classes)

GRADUATE INDEPENDENT STUDIES DIRECTED

Seton Hall University

John Ginty, The Biblical Theology of Pope Benedict XVI, Summer 2017
Jeong Gyeong Kim, The Eucharist, Fall 2013

UNDERGRADUATE INDEPENDENT STUDIES DIRECTED

Seton Hall University

Daniel Schuler, Theology of the New Testament
Cesar Chen, The Bible: Word of God and Book of the Church
Peter Dill, The History of Apologetics
Peter Dill, The Theology of Pope Benedict XVI

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT

Seton Hall University

The Theology of Pope Benedict XVI (taught 2 classes)
The Teachings of St. John Paul II
Theology of the New Testament (taught 2 classes)
Theology of the Old Testament (taught 4 classes)
Jesus Christ and the Mystery of the Church (taught 4 classes)
The Eucharist and the Family
Christianity and Culture in Dialogue (taught 8 classes)
Christian Belief and Thought
The Journey of Transformation (taught 18 classes)
Apologetics (taught 3 classes)
The Bible: Word of God and Book of the Church (taught 19 classes)
Introduction to the Bible (1 class taught)
To Know God: Introduction to Roman Catholic Doctrine (taught 6 classes)

University of Dayton

The Pentateuch
Religion and Film
Religion and Literature (taught 2 classes)
Introduction to Religion: Catholic Option: Social Justice Cohort (taught 2 classes)
Introduction to Religion: Catholic Option (taught 9 classes)
Introduction to Religion: General Option: World Religions (taught 7 classes)
Online Introduction to religion: General Option: World Religions (taught 2 classes)

Junior State of America

Honors Speech Communication (taught 6 classes)

PUBLICATIONS

Books


Co-Authored Book


Refereed Articles


“Alfred Loisy’s Developmental Approach to Scripture: Reading the ‘Firmin’ Articles in the Context of Nineteenth- and Twentieth-Century Historical


“Papal Primacy in the Early Church: St. Augustine and the Case of
Antoninus of Fussala.” *Fides Quaerens Intellectum* 2, no. 2 (Spring 2003): 305-326.

**Co-Authored Refereed Article**


**Non-Refereed Articles**


**Entries in Edited Volumes**


**Co-authored Entry in Edited Volume**


**Articles in Conference and Seminar Proceedings**


Co-Authored Articles in Conference Proceedings


Entries in Reference Works


Book Review Essays

“Averroism, Nominalism, and Mechanization: Hahn and Wiker’s Unmasking of Historical Criticism’s Political Agenda by Laying Bare its Philosophical Roots.” Nova et VETERA 14, no. 4 (2016): 1293-1340.


Book Reviews


**Popular Articles in Periodicals**


“In the Crosshairs of the Canon.” *This Rock* (November 2000): 22-27.


**Booklets**


**PRESENTATIONS**

14
Professional Paper Presentations

Papers Presented by Invitation at Meetings of International Scholarly Associations


November 18, 2018—“Engaging Danny Praet and Corinne Bonnet’s Science, Religion and Politics during the Modernist Crisis (2018).” La Société Internationale d’Études sur Alfred Loisy, Denver, CO.

November 20, 2016—“La religion in Loisy: A Look at Alfred Loisy’s Use of ‘la religion’ in the Context of the History of Religion.” La Société Internationale d’Études sur Alfred Loisy, San Antonio, TX.

November 22, 2015—“The Kingdom of God and the Church: A Look at Loisy’s Ecclesiology in L’Évangile et l’Église.” La Société Internationale d’Études sur Alfred Loisy, Atlanta, GA.


Papers Presented at International Scholarly Meetings

March 17, 2016—“Religion and Empire: Loisy’s Use of ‘Religion’ Prior to his Correspondence with Cumont.” The Uses of “Religion” in 19th Century Studies International Conference. The Armstrong Browning Library, Baylor University, Waco, TX.

July 25, 2010—“The Political Background to the Separation of the Bible from Theological Ethics prior to Vatican II.” The Second International Conference of Catholic Theological Ethics in the World Church, Research and Reconciliation Panel, Trent, Italy.

Paper Presentations by Invitation at National Scholarly Meeting

Sacramental Kingdom of St. Louis IX,” Franciscan University of Steubenville, Steubenville, OH.


**Papers Presented at National Scholarly Meetings**


November 17, 2018--“Methods of Interpreting Scripture and Nature: The Influence of the Baconian Method on Spinoza’s Biblical Criticism.” History of Interpretation Unit, Society of Biblical Literature, Denver, CO.


November 24, 2014--“The Natural and Supernatural, Ceremony and the Heart: Spinoza’s Use of the Psalms.” Society of Biblical Literature Annual Meeting, History of Interpretation Unit, San Diego, CA.


November 24, 2013--“Babylonian Myths and the Bible: The Historical and Religious Context to Loisy’s Application of ‘Myth’ as a Concept.” American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Nineteenth Century Theology Group, Baltimore, MD.


May 31, 2009—“Genesis 1-3 and the Exultation of All Creation Around God’s Throne.” College Theology Society Annual Meeting, Scripture Section, Notre Dame, IN.

November 24, 2008—“Spinoza’s Historical Biblical Criticism in Context: The Seventeenth Century Socio-Political Background to the *Tractatus theologico-politicus*.” Society of Biblical Literature Annual Meeting, History of Interpretation Unit, Boston, MA.


**Papers Presented at Regional Scholarly Meetings**


April 1, 2006—“The Political and Evangelical Context of Pope John Paul II’s Outreach to the Marginalized.” Ohio Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH.

April 2, 2005—“Revisiting the Seventeenth-Century European ‘Wars of Religion.’” Ohio Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH.

October 23, 2004—“Glimpses of Mary in the Writings of J.R.R. Tolkien.” Mideast Conference on Christianity and Literature, University of Dayton, Dayton, OH.

April 17, 2004—“Historiographical Conflict within Biblical Studies: A Case Study of Nuzi and the Patriarchal Narratives in Genesis.” Ohio Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH.

April 2, 2004—“Ecumenical Rhetoric in *Fides et Ratio.”* Argumentation and Forensics Interest Group, Top Papers in Argumentation and Debate Session, Central States Communication Association, Cleveland, OH.


October 17, 2003--“J.R.R. Tolkien and Christianity.” Mideast Conference on Christianity and Literature, Bluffton College, Bluffton, OH.


March 29, 2003 -- “75 Years of Comparative Religion at Miami.” Ohio Academy of Religion, Delaware, OH.


October 19, 2002--“Tolkien and Lewis in the Light of Von Balthasar.” Mideast Conference on Christianity and Literature, University of Dayton, Dayton, OH.

April 4, 2002--“Pope John Paul II and the Theory of Evolution.” Institute for Liberal Studies’ Thirteenth Interdisciplinary Conference on Science and Culture, Kentucky State University, Frankfurt, KY.

March 23, 2002--“The Historicity of Jesus’ Empty Tomb.” Ohio Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH.

October 20, 2001--“Things Are Not Always As They Appear: The Dissonance Between the Physical and the Spiritual in Tolkien.” Mideast Conference on Christianity and Literature, University of Dayton, Dayton, OH.

March 24, 2001--“Bishop as ‘Type’ in Ignatius of Antioch.” Ohio Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH.
Paper Presented at Reunion Conference


Papers Presented by Invitation at Scholarly Symposia & Colloquia


February 26, 2008--“Creation and Liturgy: The Liturgical Background of Genesis 1-3.” Trends of Ancient Jewish and Christian Mysticism Seminar, University of Dayton, Dayton, OH.

Paper, Research, and Related Presentations at Home Institution Colloquia, Symposia, and Panels

October 2, 2018--“Lessons from Paul VI’s Year of Faith and the Fallout after Humanae Vitae,” Blessed Paul VI—Prophetic Pope Conference, Department of Catholic Studies, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ.

April 5, 2018--“The Mystery of Divine Filiation.” Brief panel presentation followed by participation in roundtable discussion at the event, “With Pope Francis on the Peripheries: A Round Table Discussion of Placuit Deo.” Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ.

September 22, 2016--“Loisy’s Biblical Scholarship and the Modernist Controversy.” Amplificamus, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology’s faculty scholarship collaborative group, Immaculate Conception Seminary, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ.

April 6, 2005--“Tolkien’s Christian Fiction.” Stander Symposium, University of Dayton, Dayton, OH.

November 6, 2002--“Matthew 16:16-19 and the Papacy in Light of Volf.” Department of Religious Studies Colloquium, University of Dayton, Dayton, OH.

Active Participation by Invitation in Online Conference

December 28, 2015-January 12, 2016--Active participant in e-mail dialogue in general discussion for the Internet Vatican II conference on the occasion of
the 50th anniversary of Vatican II. Conference Entitled, “50 Years after Vatican II: Catholic Changes (1965-2015) & the Future of the Church.”


Professional Paper Presentations of Co-Authored Papers at Regional and National Scholarly Meetings


GRANTS, FINANCIAL AWARDS, ASSISTANTSHIPS & HONORS

Researcher of the Year, Seton Hall University, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, 2020.

Summer Stipend, summer research grant, University Research Council, Seton Hall University, for the research project entitled, “Toward a Theology of Work and Rest: Jewish and Catholic Contributions,” Summer 2018.

Researcher of the Year, Seton Hall University, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, 2017.

Sabbatical Research Grant, St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology, 2015-2016.
Awarded Sabbatical, Seton Hall University, 2015-2016.

Summer Stipend Awarded, University Research Council, Seton Hall University, for the research project entitled, “Alfred Loisy’s Ecclesiological Vision in L’Évangile et l’Église,” Summer 2015.

Researcher of the Year, Seton Hall University, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, 2013.


Summer Grant Awarded, University of Dayton Summer Student Fellowship Grant, for the research project entitled, “Evangelical Catholics and Biblical Hermeneutics: A Test Case of Scott Hahn’s Method of Biblical Interpretation,” Summer 2006.

Invited as Visiting Research Scholar for the Summer Scholars’ Program at Tantur Ecumenical Institute in Jerusalem, Summer 2005.

Summer Grant Awarded, University of Dayton Summer Student Fellowship Grant, for the research project entitled, “Baruch Spinoza and the Founding of Modern Biblical Criticism,” Summer of 2005.

Summer Grant Awarded, University of Dayton Summer Student Fellowship Grant, for the research project entitled, “Media Analysis and the War with Iraq,” Summer 2004.


Summer Grant Awarded, University of Dayton Summer Student Fellowship Grant, for the research project entitled, “J.R.R. Tolkien Vis-à-vis Friedrich Max Müller’s Religionswissenschaft,” Summer 2003.


Summer Grant Awarded, University of Dayton Summer Student Fellowship Grant, for the research project entitled, “The Relationship Between Nuzi Customs and the Patriarchal Narratives in Genesis,” Summer 2002.

Assistantships Awarded, Department of Religious Studies, University of Dayton, August 2001-May 2003.
MEMBERSHIP & SERVICE

Membership in Scholarly Associations

La Société Internationale d’Études sur Alfred Loisy
Society of Biblical Literature
American Academy of Religion
Academy of Catholic Theology
Joseph Ratzinger Society of Biblical Theology
College Theology Society
North American Spinoza Society
Nineteenth Century Theology Group

Service to Scholarly Associations

Senior Fellow, St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology, 2007-Present
Senior Fellow, Principium Institute, 2017-Present

Sample Service to University

Member, Faculty Guide Committee, Immaculate Conception Seminary, Seton Hall University (2009-2015 and 2019-Present)

Member, Faculty Affairs Committee, Immaculate Conception Seminary, Seton Hall University (2010-2013 and 2019-Present)

Chair, Rank and Evaluation Committee, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2017-2018 and 2019-2020)

Co-Chair, Self-Study Committee for the Undergraduate Theology Program Review, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2016-2018)

Chair, Ad Hoc Planning Committee for conference commemorating the 50th Anniversary of Humanae Vitae, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2017-2018)

Co-Organizer for the event, “With Pope Francis on the Peripheries: A Round Table Discussion of Placuit Deo,” Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University, April 5, 2018.

Member, Rank and Evaluation Committee, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2014-2015 and 2016-2019)

Co-Coordinator, Graduate Research Seminar, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2017)
Member, Center for Diaconal Formation, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2015-Present)

Chair, Department of Undergraduate Theology, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2014-2020)

Member, Ad Hoc Committee for Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology Institutional Evaluation and Educational Assessment for ATS, Fall 2016.

Member, Ad Hoc Committee working on the draft of the Merit Pay Guideline for Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, July 2016.

Member, Educational Policy Committee, Immaculate Conception Seminary, Seton Hall University (2009-2015 and Fall 2018)

Member, Administration Committee for the Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology self-study in preparation for the Association of Theological Schools reaccreditation visit (2011-2015)

Drafter of the Addendum for the academic year 2013-2014 for the Administration section of Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology’s self-study in preparation for the Association of Theological Schools reaccreditation visit (2013-2014)

Member, Faculty Researcher of the Year Voting Panel, Seton Hall University (Spring 2014)

Member, Core Post-Doctoral Teaching Fellowship Search Committee, Core Department, Seton Hall University (2012 and 2014)

Member, Ad Hoc Research Seminar Committee for the Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2011-2012)

Chair, Class Evaluations Action Group, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University (2011-2012)

Chair, Undergraduate Theology Search Committee, Immaculate Conception Seminary, Seton Hall University (2010-2011)

Faculty Senate Alternate, Seton Hall University (2009-2011)

Member, Ad Hoc Committee for the Revision of the Immaculate Conception Seminary Faculty Guide, Immaculate Conception Seminary, Seton Hall University (2009-2011)
Member, Faculty Assessment Day Committee, Immaculate Conception Seminary, Seton Hall University (Spring 2010)