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### **Educational Background**

Michigan State University: Ph.D. in Curriculum Research, June, 1980

Wheaton Graduate School: M.A. in Christian Leadership, June, 1974

Seattle Pacific University: B.A. in Psychology, June, 1971

### **Employment**

2008-2011 Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education, School of Theology  
2002- 2006 Co-director, Lilly SERVE Initiative: Theological Exploration of Vocation  
1992- Professor, School of Theology, Seattle Pacific University  
1992- Operation Impact Professor, Azusa Pacific University, 1992, 1994, 2002  
1987-1992 Associate Professor, School of Theology, Seattle Pacific University  
Acting Dean, School of Theology (March, 1987 to August, 1989)  
1982-1987 Assistant Professor, School of Theology, Seattle Pacific University  
1978-1982 Director of Camp Casey  
1974-1976 Youth Minister, Christ Church of Oak Brook, Oak Brook, IL

### **Professional memberships**

Society of Professors in Christian Education, since 1976

## Publications

“The Times They are A-changing.” (with Galen Jones). *Christian Education Journal*, June 2020. doi:[10.1177/0739891320933648](https://doi.org/10.1177/0739891320933648)

“Emerging Adults and Christian Faith: The Faith Experience of Emerging Adults in the Pacific Northwest.” (with Jeffrey Keuss). *Christian Education Journal*, 2020, 17 (1), 130-144.

“John Henry Newman: Education that Integrates Faith and Learning.” In Forrest, Benjamin and Elmer Towns (Eds.), *A Legacy of Religious Educators: Historical and Theological Introductions*. Liberty University Press, 2016

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“Lectio: Guided Bible Reading: I Corinthians.” Online commentary available at: <https://blog.spu.edu/lectio/readings/readings/1-corinthians/>, 2012.

“Practicing Holiness.” In Castelo, Daniel (Ed.), *Holiness as a Liberal Art*. Pickwick, 2012.

Review of Roger Parrot, *The Longview: Lasting Strategies for Rising Leader in Christian Education Journal* (2010, Fall).

“Christian Education: A Field in Motion: Conclusions and Recommendations.” (With Dr. Kevin Lawson). *Christian Education Journal*, 2009, 6 (3) Supplement, S-165-180.

“Christian Education: A Field in Motion: Report and Discussion of Findings in Phase II: Christian Liberal Arts College and University Interviews.” (With Dr. Lee Skinkle). *Christian Education Journal*, 2009, 6 (3) Supplement, S-65-77.

“Vocation as Discovery: The Contributions of Internship Experiences.” (With Dr. Jennifer McKinney). *The Journal of Youth Ministry*, 2007, 5 (2), 51-71.

“The holding power of love. John Wesley and D. W. Winnicott in conversation.” (With Douglas Hansen). *Journal of Psychology and Christianity*, 2006, 1, 55-63.

“A journal and a journey.” *Christian Education Journal*, 2005, 2 (2), 375-379

“Wayne R Rood.” Biography in “Christian Educators of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century.” Available at <http://www.biola.edu/ceacademic/waynerr.cfm>, 2004.

Ten entries of varied length in Michael J. Anthony (Ed.), *Evangelical Dictionary of Christian Education*. Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Publishing House, 2001 (Titles: Revelation,

Belief, Servant, Clergy, Recruitment, Simulation, Role Theory, Conference, Seminar, and Workshop)

"A self fashioned by God." (With Les Steele). In What happens to "person" in a postmodern era? Proceedings of a conference sponsored by the Wesleyan Center, Point Loma University, January, 1997.

"Development and discipleship." In John Detoni and James Wilhoit (Eds.), *Nurture that is Christian*. Wheaton, IL: Bridgepoint Books, 1995, 225-234.

"Renewing the self." *Christian Education Journal*, 1995, 15 (3), 54-63.

"Myth of becoming; myth of being." *Christian Education Journal*, 1992, 13 (1), 25-32.

"Touching the spirit." *Camping Magazine*. 1991, 63 (7), 24-27.

"Identity formation and college level religion courses: a pilot study." *Journal of Psychology and Theology*. 1991, 19, 197-202.

"Toward a paradigmatic Christian education." *Christian Education Journal*, 1991, 11 (3), 7-16.

"Rethinking evangelism." *Journal of Christian Camping*. July-August, 1989

"Religious liberty in schools: A search for guiding stars." *Religion and Public Schools*. Spring-Summer, 1989.

"Providing experiences in Christian living." *Journal of Christian Camping*. January-February, 1986.

"Value conflict across generations." *Journal of Christian Camping*. November-December, 1986.

"How campers learn." *Journal of Christian Camping*. November- December, 1983.

"Communication: Key to counseling." *Journal of Christian Camping*. May-June, 1982.

### **Professional Service/Honors/Awards**

Editorial Board, *Christian Education Journal*, 2011-2014

President, Society of Professors in Christian Education Board, 2006--2008

Sabbatical Awards, 1988, 2006

President's Award for Excellence, 2002

"Faculty Service Award" given by Faculty Council, 2001

Ivy Honorary (SPU's Mortar Board Society) "Top Prof" award, 1998 and 2001

Seattle Pacific University "Advisor of the Year" for student organizations/clubs, 1992

The Sears Roebuck Foundation "Teaching Excellence and Campus Leadership Award," 1991

Pew grant for sabbatical study, Institute for Ecumenical Studies, Tantur, Jerusalem,  
Israel Autumn Quarter, 1988.