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Work Information

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Education

2017	University of Aberdeen <i>Doctor of Philosophy, Theology</i>	Aberdeen, Scotland
2011	Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary <i>Master of Theology, Theology</i>	Wake Forest, NC
2009	Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary <i>Master of Divinity, Christian Ministry, emphasis in Missiology, with Biblical Languages</i>	Wake Forest, NC
2006	Cedarville University <i>Bachelor of Arts, Biblical and Theological Studies, Minor in Psychology</i>	Cedarville, OH

Research Interests

African American Theological Tradition
Christian Doctrine
Global Theology
Theology of Work

Courses Taught

Systematic Theology
Liberation Theologies
Theology in Global Context
Doctrine of Vocation

Teaching Experience

6/13-Present	Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary Assistant Professor of Systematic and Contextual Theology (Elected 8/19 [institutional equivalent to tenure])	Wake Forest, NC
5/16-6/17	Institute of Biblical Studies: Cru Lecturer in Systematic Theology	Orlando, FL
7/11-6/12	Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary Teaching fellow to Bruce R. Ashford, Dean of The College at Southeastern	Wake Forest, NC
8/10-1/11	Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary: Center for Great Commission Studies Research Assistant/Grader	Wake Forest, NC

Publications

Monographs

- ❖ (Forthcoming) *Black Christianity in America: A History* (transitioning presses)

Coauthored Volumes

- ❖ (Forthcoming) Matthew Y. Emerson & Walter R. Strickland II. *Last Things* (Nashville: Broadman & Holman, 2024).
- ❖ Walter R. Strickland II & Benjamin Quinn, *Every Working Hour: An Introduction to Work and Vocation for Christians* (Bellingham: Lexham Press, 2016).

Edited Projects

- ❖ (Forthcoming) *Black Christianity in America: A Reader*, General Editor (transitioning presses)
- ❖ Dayton Hartman & Walter R. Strickland II, *For God so Loved the World: A Blueprint for Kingdom Diversity*. Editor (Nashville: Broadman & Holman, 2020).
- ❖ Charles Octavius Boothe, *Plain Theology for Plain People*. Editor (Bellingham, Lexham Press, 2017).

Book Chapters/Essays

- ❖ (Forthcoming) "Charles Octavius Boothe (1845-1924)" in *T&T Clark Handbook of Modern Theology*. Eds. R. David Nelson & Philip G. Ziegler (Edinburgh: T&T Clark, 2022)

- ❖ (Forthcoming) “Racial Reconciliation: A Multifaceted Pursuit” in *The Theological Handbook for the People of God*. Eds. David Dockery, Nathan Finn & Christopher Morgan (Nashville: Broadman & Holman, 2022).
- ❖ “Racial Tension, the Baptist Tradition, and Christian Unity” in *Baptists and the Christian Tradition*, ed. Matthew Y. Emerson, Christopher W. Morgan, and R. Lucas Stamps. (Nashville, Broadman & Holman, 2020).
- ❖ “The Development of Methodology in African American Theology” in *T&T Clark Companion to African American Theology*. Eds. Frederick L. Ware, Antonia M. Daymond & Eric Lewis Williams (Edinburgh: T&T Clark, 2019).
- ❖ “Diagnosing Racism as a Two-Fold Problem” in *Cultural Engagement: A Crash Course in Contemporary Issues*. Eds. Joshua D. Chatraw and Karen Swallow Prior (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2019).
- ❖ “Theological Steps Toward Removing the Stain of Racism in the SBC” in *Removing the Stain of Racism from the SBC* ed. Jarvis Williams & Kevin Jones (Nashville: Broadman & Holman, 2017).
- ❖ Daniel L. Akin & Walter R. Strickland II, “Every Kindred, Tongue & Tribe? Ethnic Diversity in the SBC” in *The SBC & the 21st Century: Reflection, Renewal & Recommitment* (Nashville: Broadman & Holman, 2016).

Curriculum

- ❖ “God Sustains Us Through Adversity,” in *Gospel Project* (January 15, 2017).
- ❖ “God Brings His People Home,” in *Gospel Project* (January 8 2017).
- ❖ “The Ordinances: Baptism and the Lord’s Supper,” in *Gospel Project* (April 26, 2015).
- ❖ “Fellowship: Joining Together with the Family of God,” in *Gospel Project* (April 19, 2015).
- ❖ “Serve: God’s People Serve all People, Especially the Family of God,” in *Gospel Project* (April 12, 2015).

Work Experience

6/13-Present	Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary Associate Vice President for Kingdom Diversity Initiatives	Wake Forest, NC
9/20-Present	The Strickland Institute LLC Founder & President	Wake Forest, NC
3/15-9/20	WStrickland Consulting Founder & Consultant	Wake Forest, NC
8/12-6/13	Cedarville University Diversity Student Programming Team	Cedarville, OH
7/12-6/13	Cedarville University Resident Director	Cedarville, OH

Ministry Experience

8/09-6/12	Faith Baptist Church Minister of Young Adults	Youngsville, NC
8/10-6/12	Faith Baptist Church Director & Instructor for Church & Seminary Partnership	Youngsville, NC
1/08-5/09	The Summit Church Campus Coordinator/Assistant to the Assimilation Pastor	Durham, NC

Affiliations & Awards

❖ First Vice President, 2017-18	Southern Baptist Convention
❖ Alumni Award: One Another Mindset, 2017	Cedarville University
❖ Oikonomia Fellowship (Acton University), 2015	Oikonomia Network
❖ Associate Research Fellow	Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission
❖ Annual Meeting Scholarship Recipient, 2012	Evangelical Theological Society
❖ Ordained Baptist Minister	Faith Baptist Church, Youngsville, NC
❖ Licensed Minister of the Gospel	Valley Baptist Church, Bakersfield, CA
❖ Evangelical Theological Society (Student Member)	