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Licensed: January 17, 1990, Laurel, Mississippi

Ordained: October 13 1991, Laurel, Mississippi



Education

Doctor of Philosophy. Psychology and Counseling, Southwestern

Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, December 2003

Dissertation: A study of the relationship between specific predictor variables and level of hope as measured by the Adult State Hope scale in group therapy clients at the Baptist marriage and family counseling center

Master of Arts, Marriage and Family Counseling, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, May 1997.

Master of Arts, Religious Education, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, May 1997.

Bachelor of Science, Psychology, Biblical Studies, William Carey College, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, May 1994.

Teaching and Administrative Experience

Director, DMin and EdD Studies, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, NC, 2022 - present

Director, Doctor of Ministry Studies, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, NC, 2020 - 2022

Assistant Director, Doctor of Ministry Studies, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, NC, 2014 - 2020

Associate Professor of Counseling, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, NC, 2014 – present

Adjunct Professor of Counseling, Tennessee Temple University, Chattanooga, TN, 2012 - 2015

Adjunct Professor of Counseling, Reformed Theological Seminary, Jackson, MS, 2010 - 2013

Adjunct Professor of Counseling, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, LA, 2005 – 2013

Adjunct Professor of Counseling, Canadian Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Cochrane, Alberta, Canada, 2008

Assistant Professor of Counseling, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, LA, 2003 – 2005

Director of Student Enlistment, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, LA, 2001 - 2005

Instructor in Counseling, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, LA, 2001 - 2003

Teaching Fellow, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, TX, 1997-2002

Ministry Experience

Counseling Minister, Faith Baptist Church, Youngsville, NC, 2020-present

Assoc. Pastor of Counseling and Recovery Ministries, The Summit Church, Durham, NC, 2015 - 2017

Pastor of Member Care, The Church at Brook Hills, Birmingham, Alabama, 2013 – 2015

Family Pastor, Broadmoor Baptist Church, Madison, Mississippi, 2004 – 2013

Interim Pastor, Crane Creek Baptist Church, Perkinston, Mississippi, 2001 – 2004

Director of Ministries, Dawson McAllister Association, Fort Worth, Texas, 1999 – 2001

Minister of Youth and Education, First Baptist Church, Maypearl, Texas, September 1994-1997

Pastor, Mt. Nebo Baptist Church, Bay Springs, Mississippi, 1993 – 1994

Minister of Youth and Children, Corinth Baptist Church, Heidelberg, Mississippi, 1991-1993

Professional Organizations

American Association of Christian Counselors

American Association of Pastoral Counselors

International Critical Incident Stress Foundation

Association of Doctor of Ministry Educators

Society for Professors in Christian Education

Graduate Courses Taught

Introduction to Pastoral Counseling

Introduction to Christian Counseling

Advanced Techniques and Skills in Christian Counseling

The Bible and Christian Counseling

Group Dynamics and Therapy

Social and Cultural Issues in Counseling

Personality Development

Family Development

Human Development

Marriage and Family Issues in Next Generation Ministry

Lifestyle Development and Vocational Guidance

Marital and Premarital Counseling

Family System Theories and Therapies

Cognitive Behavioral Therapy

Addictions and Abuse

Clinical Marriage and Family Assessment

Ethical and Legal Issues in Biblical Counseling

Crisis Counseling

Marriage and Family Issues in Biblical Counseling

Counseling Practicum I, II, & III

Counseling Internship I & II

Strategic Issues in Biblical Counseling

Advanced Training / Areas of Expertise

Marriage Counseling

Family Counseling

Micro-skills in Counseling
Grief and Trauma
Pastoral Counseling

Writings

Reviewed Moschella, Mary Clark and Susan Willhauk. (Eds.). Qualitative Research in Theological Education: Pedagogy in Practice. London, UK: SCM Pres, 2018. for the D6 Family Ministry Journal vol. 4.

"Hurting During the Holidays: Part 2" Radical.net, November 17, 2015
"Hurting During the Holidays: Part 1" Radical.net, November 12, 2015
"Holding On To Hope" *Metro Christian Living*, April 2013
"Building Boundaries to Build Friendships," *Real Women of Mississippi*, June 2010
"Outlaw In-Laws," *Real Women of Mississippi*, May 2010
"I Love It When a Plan Comes Together," *Real Women of Mississippi*, April 2010
"War of Words," *Real Women of Mississippi*, March 2010
"Rolling with the Roles," *Real Women of Mississippi*, February 2010
"Increasing Intimacy Through Distance," *Real Women of Mississippi*, January 2010
"Date Your Mate," *Real Women of Mississippi*, December 2009
"Dawson McWho?" *Living with Teenagers Magazine*, January 2000
"What Students Are Saying About Prayer" *Beliefnet*, March 2000
"What Do You Want from Me?" *Living with Teenagers Magazine*, July 2000
"Students Want time With Parents," *Last Call for Help: Changing North America One Teen at a Time*, 1999

International Mission Work

Hong Kong
Bogota, Columbia
Chinameca, El Salvador
El Cuco, El Salvador
Cochrane, Alberta, Canada
Crawley, West Sussex, UK
Wem, Shropshire, UK
Kathmandu, Nepal

Presentations

*Conducted over 200 conferences, retreats, or seminars locally, nationally and internationally.
The following list is not exhaustive.*

"The Critical 180: The First 6 Months of Young Married Life"
"Marriage Makeover: The 3-10 Year Window"
"Discipling Your Family: Life Change in a Family Context"
"De-Stressing the School Year: A 9 Minute Plan for 9 Months of Peace"
"Making the Most of the Bad Times in Marriage"
"The Heart of a Pastor: Loving Your Family While Loving Others"
"Romancing the Home: Five Faces of Vibrant Intimacy"
"A Life Recovered: Healing after Divorce"

"Grief: Dealing with the Pain and Preparing for the Future"
"The Heart of Pastoral Care and Counseling"
"Biblical Counseling in the Context of the Local Church"
"House or Home: God's Plan for a Healthy Family"
"Caring for Your Congregation: Leading Through Relationship"
"Stress and Ministry Effectiveness"
"The Pastor's Family: Prioritizing Your Family and Ministry"
"Understanding Your Call to Ministry"
"Eating Disorders: The Relationship Between Food and Love"
"Relationships 101: The Good, the Bad, the Ugly"
"The Emotionally Healthy Marriage: Expressing and Experiencing Togetherness"
"Relationship Review: Assessing Your Authenticity in Relating to Others"
"A Culture of Care in the Local Church"
"Assimilation Through Spiritual Gifts and Calling within the Body of Christ"