

## **Education**

**Ph.D.** candidate, University of Manchester, UK / Nazarene Theological College  
Focus Areas: Missiology, Wesleyan Theology (2013 - 2019)

**M.T.S.** University of Toronto / Wycliffe College (2009)  
Focus Areas: Historical Theology, Biblical Studies  
Dissertation: “The Relationship Between Christology and Ecclesiology in the Theology of William and Catherine Booth”. Supervisor: Rev. Dr. Victor Shepherd

**B.Th.** Booth University College (1997) *summa cum laude*  
Focus Areas: Theology, Wesleyan Theology  
Dissertation: “The Character of John Wesley’s Theology”. Supervisor: Rev. Dr. Gordon Harland

**B.A.** Booth University College (1997) *summa cum laude*  
Focus Areas: Biblical & Theological Studies

## **Academic Certificates**

Graduate - Arrow Leadership Program (2010)  
Graduate - The Salvation Army College for Officer Training (2003)

## **Teaching Experience**

**Instructor** - Providence University College, Otterburne, MB (Fall 2014 - present)  
MileTwo School of Discipleship: *Introduction to Missiology & Church Planting*

**Adjunct Staff** - Arrow Leadership, Abbotsford, BC (Fall 2013 - present)  
School of Leadership - online evaluation of student papers in the Master’s degree completion program (through Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary) and the non-degree program stream (Moodle platform)

**Guest Lecturer** - Kingswood University, Sussex, NB (Winter 2017)  
Cultural Anthropology Class - Topic: Christian Ministry in Diaspora Communities

**Guest Lecturer** - Steinbach Bible College, Steinbach, MB (Fall 2013 & Winter 2014)  
*Introduction to Missiology, Introduction to Church Planting, Biblical Preaching*

**Guest Lecturer** - William Booth Memorial Training College, Winnipeg, MB (Spring 2010; Fall 2008) *Cross-Cultural Ministry in North America*

**Guest Lecturer** - William Booth Memorial Training College, Toronto, ON (Spring 2005; Fall 2004; Spring 2003) *Cross-Cultural Ministry in North America, Introduction to Natural Church Development*

**Instructor** - IGNITE School of Discipleship & Mission, Toronto, ON (Fall 2004; Spring 2005; Fall 2005; Spring 2006) *Introduction to Theology*

### **Scholarly Presentations**

“Strangers Within Our Gates: Multiculturalism and Mission in Canada.” PhD paper presented at NTC/NTS Residency Week (March 2017)

“Toward a Wesleyan Theology of Multi-Ethnic Church Planting in the Central Canada District of the Wesleyan Church.” Ph.D Probationary Review presentation, Nazarene Theological College, Manchester, UK. (June 2015)

### **Honours, Awards, and Scholarships**

Donald Cameron Memorial Award - Toronto School of Theology, University of Toronto (2006). The award recognises excellence in projects planned and completed during a student's degree program which engages them with the wider community beyond the Church. Awarded for programs I implemented to address at-risk children and youth in an urban, inner-city neighbourhood of Toronto, ON

Graduated *Summa Cum Laude* - Booth University College, Winnipeg MB (1997)

President's Award - Booth University College, Winnipeg MB (1997)

Dean's Honour List - Booth University College, Winnipeg MB (1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997)

Recipient, John Waldron Salvation Army Historical Award - Booth University College, Winnipeg MB (1996)

## **Professional Affiliations**

Canadian Evangelical Missiological Society  
Wesleyan Theological Society  
Manchester Wesley Research Centre (Junior Fellow)

## **Ordination**

I am an ordained Elder with the Central Canada District of the Wesleyan Church

## **Pastoral Experience**

**Church Planter** - Central Canada District of the Wesleyan Church

I planted New Horizons International Church and the International Place of Friendship in Winnipeg, MB (2014 - present)

**Pulpit Supply** - Selkirk Alliance Church, Selkirk MB (Spring & Summer 2014)

**Lead Pastor** - Southlands Community Church, Winnipeg MB (July 2006 - June 2013)

**Field Supervisor** - The Salvation Army William Booth Memorial College, Winnipeg MB & Toronto ON (March 2003 - June 2013). Annual supervision of four seminarians

**Lead Pastor** - Yorkwoods Community Church, Toronto ON (July 2002 - June 2006)

**Consultant for Church Growth** - The Salvation Army Territorial Headquarters, Toronto, ON (September 2001 - June 2002)

**Youth Pastor** - St. Aidan's Anglican Church, Winnipeg MB (August 2000 - September 2001)

**Youth Pastor** - Agincourt Community Church, Toronto ON (August 1998 - July 2000)

**Youth Pastor** - Kingston Citadel, Kingston ON (June 1997 - July 1998)

## **Teaching at Seminars, Conference, Retreats**

**Kingswood University** - March 2017

PULSE Seminar: "Strangers Within our Gates: Ministry Among Immigrants in Canada"

**The Salvation Army Cascade Community Church** - February 2017

Church Board Leadership Retreat Guest Speaker / Trainer

**Wesleyan Church Central Canada District Conference** - July 2016  
“Welcoming New Immigrant Families into Your Church”

**Kingswood University** - March 2016  
“Church Planting Among Immigrant Communities”

**International Student Ministries Canada** - July 2015  
Guest Bible Teacher for National Leadership Team retreat

**Canadian Mennonite University** - February 2015  
“Welcoming New Immigrant Families into Your Church”

**Evangelical Mennonite Mission Conference** - July 2014  
Guest Bible Teacher for Conference Leadership Team retreat

**Recent Service to the Non-Professional Community**

**Multi-Ethnic Ministries - Wesleyan Church** (January 2016 - present)  
Co-Regional Network Leader - Northeast Region

**New Journey Housing** (January 2009 - present)  
Board Member. NJH serves immigrant families by helping them locate affordable housing and providing educational seminars on home ownership in Canada.

**Church Planting Canada** (2008 - present)  
Chair - Manitoba Church Planter’s Network

**Fort Garry Lion’s Football Club** (June 2014 - November 2015)  
Board Member