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## **EDUCATION**

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### **Boston College, Boston MA**

Doctor of Philosophy, Theology and Education, May 2017

Dissertation: *Young Women Imaging God: Educating for a Prophetic Imagination in Catholic Girls' Schools*

Dissertation Committee: Jane Regan, Director  
Mary Ann Hinsdale, IHM  
Joseph O'Keefe, SJ

### **Catholic University of America, Washington DC**

Masters of Arts, Catholic School Administration, December 2007

### **Washington Theological Union, Washington DC**

Graduate Certificate in Theological Studies, May 2007

Continuing Studies, January 2011-May 2012

### **Yale Divinity School, New Haven CT**

Master of Arts in Religion, Hebrew Scriptures, May 1992

### **Denison University, Granville OH**

Bachelor of Arts, Religion major and Geology minor, May 1990

## **UNIVERSITY TEACHING**

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### **Sacred Heart University, Fairfield CT**

Adjunct Instructor: Department of Catholic Studies

- "Human Journey Seminar I: The Journey to God," undergraduate core course, Fall 2017
- "Human Journey Seminar II: The Journey to the World," undergraduate core course, Spring 2017, Fall 2017

### **Rivier University, Nashua NH**

Adjunct Instructor: Department of Religious Studies, "God and the Created Order," undergraduate core course, Fall 2016

### **Boston College, Boston MA**

Co-Instructor: School of Theology and Ministry, "Mission, Curriculum, and Pedagogy: Teaching High School Religion," graduate-level elective course in religious education, co-designed and co-taught with Dr. Theresa O'Keefe, Summer 2016

## **TEACHING FORMATION**

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Apprenticeship in College Teaching, Center for Teaching Excellence, Boston College, 2013-2017

## **TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS**

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Boston College, 2013-2016

- “Core Narrative of the Old Testament,” Dr. Michael Simone, SJ, Fall 2016
- “Sacraments in the Life of the Church,” Dr. Barbara Radtke, Summer 2016
- “Foundational Theology in Practical Perspective,” Dr. Colleen Griffith, Fall 2015
- “Catholic Campus Ministry in Higher Education,” Dr. Theresa O’Keefe, Summer 2015
- “Sacraments,” Dr. Barbara Radtke, Summer 2014
- “The Church,” Dr. Margaret Guider, OFM, Fall 2013

## **ACADEMIC ADVISING**

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Advisor, Master of Arts in Theology and Ministry Thesis Project, Boston College, 2014-2017

## **ACADEMIC WRITING**

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Theresa O’Keefe, *Navigating Towards Adulthood: Learning to Sail with the Communion of Saints* (Mahwah, NJ: Paulist Press, forthcoming). Providing conceptual and content editing assistance in the final phases of manuscript preparation.

O. Ernesto Valiente, *Liberation Through Reconciliation: Jon Sobrino’s Christological Spirituality* (New York: Fordham University Press, 2016). Provided copy editing of the galley proofs.

“Thesis Guidelines for the Masters of Arts in Theology and Ministry,” Boston College, School of Theology and Ministry, 2016. Revised the thesis writing process and wrote the guidelines for masters students.

“STM Online: Crossroads Facilitator Manual,” Boston College, School of Theology and Ministry, 2015. Revised the training program and wrote the facilitator’s manual for online instructors in the Crossroads continuing education program.

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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Saint John’s Preparatory School, Danvers MA

Consultant: Xaverian and Catholic Identity Project, October 2015-September 2016

Washington Theological Union, Washington DC

Director of Recruitment and Enrollment Services, August 2010-May 2012

Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School, Washington DC  
Associate Head of School, 2007-2010  
Religion Department Chair, 2002-2005  
Campus Minister, 1997-2001  
Religion Teacher, 1995-2010

Marianapolis Preparatory School, Thompson CT  
Theology Teacher, 1992-1995

## **PUBLISHED WORK**

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### **Peer Reviewed:**

“Hidden Self-Injury and Public Liturgy,” in *Liturgy+Power* ed. Brian Flanagan and Johann M. Vento (Maryknoll, NY: Orbis Press, 2017).

“Who IS This Woman, Anyway: Hildegard Interpreted in the Twenty-First Century,” *Lumen et Vita* 3 (2013): <http://ejournals.bc.edu/ojs/index.php/lumenetvita/article/view/5346>

### **Book Reviews:**

Review of *Teaching for a Culturally Diverse and Racially Just World* edited by Eleazar S. Fernandez in *Religious Education* (forthcoming).

Review of *Calling All Years Good: Christian Vocation throughout Life’s Seasons* edited by Kathleen A. Cahalan and Bonnie J. Miller-McLemore in “Reading Religion,” *American Academy of Religion* (forthcoming).

Review of *I Wonder: Engaging a Child’s Curiosity about the Bible* by Elizabeth F. Caldwell in *Religious Education* 112, no. 2 (March-April 2017):  
<http://www.tandfonline.com/eprint/KgtGRmd2n3mQfFgUhuJI/full>

### **Textbooks:**

Co-Author with Christopher J. Welch and Edward Sloane. *The History of the Catholic Church*, edited by Thomas H. Groome (Dublin, Ireland: Veritas, 2016).

Co-Author with Joseph F. McCann. *Ecumenical and Interreligious Issues*, edited by Thomas H. Groome (Dublin, Ireland: Veritas, 2016).

Co-Author with Patrick Manning and Daniella Zsupan-Jerome. *Responding to the Call of Jesus Christ*, edited by Thomas H. Groome (Dublin, Ireland: Veritas, 2015).

### **Blogging:**

“Faith Matters.” Adult Faith Formation Blog for St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church, Wellesley MA, February 2013-March 2015.

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

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“Fighting the Fear of Encounter: Imagination, Discernment, and Praxis in Educating for Resistance.” Paper accepted for presentation at the Religious Education Association annual meeting, November 2017, St. Louis MO.

“Sustaining Hope in a ‘Hot Takes’ World: Religious Education as a Practice of Persistent Provocation.” With Christopher J. Welch, workshop presented at the Religious Education Association annual meeting, November 2016, Pittsburg PA.

“Hidden Self-Injury and Public Liturgy.” Paper presented on a panel: *Women’s Silent Suffering: Constructive Theological and Liturgical Responses* (co-panelists: Jessica Coblenz, Boston College, and Susan Reynolds, Boston College; responder: Susan Ross, Loyola University) for the Feminisms, Gender, and Theology section of the College Theology Society annual meeting, June 2016, Kansas City MO.

“Maturity as Migration? Adolescent Girls, Hybridity, and the *Imago Dei*.” Paper presented at Association of Practical Theology biannual meeting, April 2016, New York NY.

“Age and the Imaging of God: Towards a Theological Anthropology That Takes Age Seriously.” Paper presented at the New England Maritime American Academy of Religion conference, April 2016, Boston MA.

“Aging and Imaging God: Towards a Theological Anthropology That Takes Age Seriously.” Paper presented at the Lumen et Vita conference at Boston College, January 2016, Boston MA.

“The Imagination of the Prophets: Reading the Word and the World with Adolescent Girls.” Paper presented at the Religious Education Association annual meeting, November 2015, Atlanta GA.

“A Cry in the Wilderness: Young Women, Cutting, and Embodiment.” Paper presented for the Women and Religion section of the College Theology Society annual meeting, May 2015, Portland OR.

“Carving Themselves into Culturally Acceptable Pieces: The Proclamation of Salvation to Girls Who Cut.” Paper presented at the Boston Theological Institute Engaging Rhetorics of Violence Against Wo/men conference, April 2015, Boston MA.

“Fully Human and Not Yet Fully Adult: An Anthropology that Takes Female Adolescent Development Seriously.” Poster presented at the New England Maritime American Academy of Religion conference, March 2015, Boston MA.

“Young Women of Faith, Vision, and Hope: The History of Catholic Schools for Girls in the United States.” Paper presented at the Lumen et Vita conference at Boston College, January 2015, Boston MA.

“Redemption Without Mutilation: Girls, Cutting, and the Proclamation of Salvation.” Paper presented at the Religious Education Association annual meeting, November 2014, Chicago IL.

“Charles Taylor and the Online Tantrum: Combating Polarization and Vitriol in a Virtual Christian Community.” Paper presented at the Association of Practical Theology biannual conference, March 2014, Nashville TN.

“Becoming Young Women of Faith and Purpose: Catholic Schools for Girls and Educating for Civic Engagement.” Paper presented at the Religious Education Association annual meeting, November 2013, Boston MA.

### **OTHER PRESENTATIONS**

“Securing a Job at a Catholic High School.” School of Theology and Ministry workshop, Boston College, Boston MA, November 2016.

“Serving as a Teaching Assistant.” Graduate Teaching Conference panel, Boston College, Boston MA, August 2016.

“Working in a Catholic High School.” School of Theology and Ministry workshop, Boston College, Boston MA, November 2015.

“The Road of Faith.” Catechist Brunch, St. Timothy Roman Catholic Church, Norwood MA, September 2015.

### **SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION**

Co-Convener, “Race and Theology,” with M. Shawn Copeland (Boston College) and Courtney Goto (Boston University), College Theology Society Boston Area Regional Meeting, October 2015.

### **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

College Theology Society in Boston, regional co-convener (2015-2017)  
American Academy of Religion  
Association of Practical Theology  
Catholic Theological Society of America  
College Theology Society  
Religious Education Association