

Education

- 2017 PhD in Theology with a focus in Church History
University of Exeter(UK)/ Hartford Seminary
Thesis: “Why can’t they be more like us? Baptism and Conversion in Sixteenth Century Spain.”
Mentors: Dr. Yahya Michot (Hartoford), Dr. Ian Netton (Exeter)
Internal Examiner: Dr. Morwenna Ludlow (Exeter); External Exmaniner: Dr. Cosimo Zene (SOAS University of London)
- 2001-2005 Completed Comprehensive Exams, Department of History
University of Texas at Austin
Areas of Study: Christians and Muslims in Medieval Iberia, Twelfth-Century Europe, Medieval Papacy
Advisor: Martha Newman
- 2001 Master of Arts in Church History
Graduate Theological Union/ Church Divinity School of the Pacific
Thesis: “From *Regula Fidei* to *Regula Vitae*: A Pilgrimage through Augustine’s Trinitarian Theology.”
Committee: Rev. Dr. J. Rebecca Lyman, Coordinator; Dr. Margaret R. Miles; Dr. Don H. Compier.
- 2001 Master of Divinity
Church Divinity School of the Pacific
- 1994 Bachelor of Science in Operations Research and Industrial Engineering
Cornell University

Teaching Experience

- 2019-present Affiliate Faculty in Church History, General Theological Seminary, New York, NY
Reformation to the Present
History of the Episcopal Church
Undoing Coloniality
- 2018-present Adjunct Faculty, Union Theological Seminary, New York, NY
Spanish for Academic Translation

- 2021 Adjunct Faculty in Church History, School of Theology, Sewanee, TN
2000 yrs.: History of the Christian Church and History of the Episcopal Church
- 2005-2008 Adjunct Faculty for Programa Hispano/Latino en Teología y Pastoral (Spanish-language M.Div.) General Theological Seminary, New York, NY
Church History: 100-800 CE
Introduction to Christian Spirituality
- 2004 Teaching Assistant for Dr. Arlene Sánchez-Walsh. Course: Latino/a Pentecostal History: Borderlands Perspectives on Faith and Ethnicity.
Hispanic Summer Program, held at Drew University, NJ
- 2001 Teaching Assistant for Dr. Thomas Ferguson. Course: History and Theology: Medieval and Reformation
Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, CA

Publications/Papers

- Book Review *Post-Colonial Theology: Finding God and Each Other Amidst the Hate*. Robert S. Heaney. in *Anglican and Episcopal History* Vol. 90 No. 2 Jun. 2021, 217-219.
- Conference Paper Dec. 10, 2020 online. AAR Exploratory Session: Decolonizing Anglican Studies (A10-115). "Anglicanism beyond Empire: Expanding Anglican epistemology to a multi-centered/polycentric economy of knowledge that includes US-Latinx and Latin American perspectives.
- Book Review *Entangled Empires: The Anglo-Iberian Atlantic, 1500-1830*. Edited by Jorge Cañizares-Esguerra. in *Anglican and Episcopal History* Vol. 89 No. 3 Sep. 2020, 340-342.
- Monograph 2020. *Unmasking Latinx Ministry for Episcopalians: An Anglican Approach* (Church Publishing).
- Journal Article "Dismantling the discourses of the 'Black Legend' as they still function in the Episcopal Church: A case against LATINX Ministries as a program of the Church," in *Anglican Theological Review* Fall 2019, 101:4, 603-624.
- Conference Paper "Dismantling the Discourses of the 'Black Legend' at "Theologizing *Latinamente*: A Conference on Latino Cultures, Liturgies, and Ethics. (Austin, TX) Oct. 11-12, 2018

Book Review Juan M.C. Oliver, *Ripe Fields: The Promise and Challenge of Latino Ministry*. New York, NY: Church Publishing, 2009, in *Anglican Theological Review* Fall 2011, 93:4, 731-734.

Chapter 2006. "Sexuality" in *Handbook of Latino/a Theologies* (Chalice Press).

Pending publication

Book Review Alberto L. García and John A. Nunes, *Wittenberg Meets the World: Reimagining the Reformation at the Margins*. (Grand Rapids, MI: Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing Co. 2017, p.p. 208. \$22.00.)

Book Review M. Lindsay Kaplan, *Figuring Racism in Medieval Christianity*. (New York: Oxford University Press, December 2018, Pp. Xiii, 283. \$34.95)

Fellowships and Grants

2020-2022 Louisville Institute, Collaborative Inquiry Team, led by Dr. Efrain Agosto, "The Presence of Latinx Pastors in Non-Latinx Mainline Protestant Churches in the Northeast"

2019-2020 Louisville Institute, Pastoral Study Grant "Latinx LGBTQ+ Belonging in the Episcopal Church and by extrapolation other mainline progressive faith communities"

2015-2017 Hispanic Theological Initiative (also 1999-2004, including M.Div.)

2001-2004 Episcopal Church Foundation

Pastoral publications

Forthcoming 2022 Book: *Living While Dying: Cancer, Covid, Church—A Priest's Family Journey*

Jun. 2, 2019 *Easter VII: Year C Sermons That Work/Sermones que iluminan (Sermon online)*

Spring 2018 "The Rt. Rev. José Antonio "Tony" Ramos-Orench (21 June 1937 – 19 January 2019)" (Obituary) *Episcopal New Yorker*

- Dec. 9, 2018 Advent II: Year C *Sermons That Work/Sermones que iluminan* (Sermon online)
- Sept. 30, 2018 Proper 21: Year B *Sermons That Work/Sermones que iluminan* (Sermon online)
- June 24, 2018 Proper 7: Year B *Sermons That Work/Sermones que iluminan* (Sermon online)
- Spring 2018 “*Meeting God on the Mountain Top: Strengthening the Bonds between the Episcopal Church in Puerto Rico and New York.*” (Article)
- Feb. 4, 2018 Epiphany V: Year B *Sermons That Work/Sermones que iluminan* (Sermon online)
- Fall 2017 “Jesus with the Tattooed Face.” (Article) *Episcopal New Yorker*
- Jun. 27, 2017 Pride, Pulse, Puerto Rico: File under “R” or under “G” (Opinion)
- Spring 2016 “Jesus: The Model of Inclusion.” (Article) *Episcopal New Yorker*
- Sept. 2015 “The 2% Campaign.” (Article) Episcopal Church Foundation’s Vital Practices
- Summer 2014 “I Never Thought I’d be a Parish Priest.” (Article) *Episcopal New Yorker*
- Mar. 14, 2013 “Lest We Forget.” (Opinion) *Cornell Daily Sun*
- Summer 2010 “*One Congregation that Worships God in Two Languages: Perhaps a little slice of Pentecost.*” (Article) *Episcopal New Yorker*

Workshops, Speaking/Teaching Engagements, and Short Courses Taken

- Jul. 18, 2021 Panelist: Inaugural Union of Black Episcopalians (UBE) Authors Series:
online *Talk2Talk: We are the Church. Who is We?*
- 2020-2021 Participant: Wabash Center Salon 6 – Latinx Perspectives on Possibilities of
online Teaching Theology and Religious Studies
- Apr. 10, 2021 Guest Lecture: *Bloy House* (Los Angeles, Dr. Sheryl Kujawa-Holbrook, History of
online TEC). “*Unmasking Latinx Ministry as a Program of the Church*”
- Mar. 22, 2021 Guest Lecture on “Human Sexuality” in the Episcopal Church. (EDS at UTS, Dr..
online Euan Cameron)

- Jan. 2021
online Colloquy: *Seminary of the Southwest* “Unmasking Latinx Ministry as a Program of the Church”
- Dec. 8, 2020
online Guest Lecture: *Seminary of the Southwest* (Austin, TX) Course: M4337 Critical Contexts in Latinx Ministry
- Nov. 14 2020
online Panelist: Religious Leadership In Congregations During A Time of Pandemic: A Discussion with CLGS Roundtable Coordinators
- May 5, 2020
online Panelist: Christian Ministry in a Time of Pandemic: On-the-Ground Pastoral Views from Detroit, New York City, and Tampa
- Apr. 2020
online Panelist: *School of Theology: University of the South* (TN) Latinx Ministry Course
- Mar. 10, 2020 Lavender Lunch: “Latinx and LGBTQ: Challenges to Belonging in Mainline Churches”
- Jan. 2020 *Rooted in Jesus* Workshop “Unmasking Latinx Ministry as a Program of the Church”
- Jun. 19-23,
2019 *Faith and LGBTQ Congress, Sao Paolo, Brazil*: Panel participant. Sexuality and LGBTQ issues in the Episcopal Church and broader Anglican Communion
- May 6, 2019 Guest Lecture on “Human Sexuality” in the Episcopal Church. (EDS at UTS, Dr. Euan Cameron)
- Jan. 23-25,
2019 *Forma Conference: Formed to Proclaim* Workshop Leader (Indianapolis, IN) “From Welcoming to Belonging, Moving the Episcopal Church Forward.”
- Oct. 26, 2018 *TransLucent: Spiritual Care for Trans Families* (Conference at GTS) (Panel participant)
- Aug. 27-30,
2018 “*Inclusion of and Solidarity with the LGBTQ+ community.*” *Nuevo Amanecer Conference* (Latinx Ministry Conference) Workshop co-leader (Hendersonville, NC)
- Apr. 7, 2018 Co-Leader (Caucus): *Intersection: Faith, Latinx, LGBTQ+* Northeast LGBTQ Conference (Rutgers-Newark)
- Jan. 26, 2018 Co-Leader (Workshop): *Intersection: Faith, Latinx, LGBTQ+ Creating Change 2018: National LGBTQ Task Force* (Washington, DC)

- Oct. 2017 Participant: Global School (Cristosal, El Salvador) *Human Rights, Reconciliation & Faith*
- Jan. 2017 Co-Presenter: *Transitioning our Faith Communities into Full Inclusion* Natl. LGBTQ Task Force
- Aug.29/Sep.1, 2016 *Plenary Panel Participant and Convener: "LGBTQ+: From Latin@ to Latinx—being inclusive of our family members still at the margins." VIDEO: <https://vimeo.com/182496406/> Workshop co-leader: "From inclusion to solidarity: Our Churches walking with the LGBTQ+ Community." Nuevo Amanecer Conference (Joint Latinx Ministry Conference between TEC and ELCA)*
- May 5, 2016 Keynote speaker at the Lavender Graduation, Cornell University
- Nov. 14, 2015 Creating Inclusive Liturgies (Workshop Presenter), Diocese of New York Convention
- May 2015; Oct. 24, 2015 Stewardship: "The 2% Campaign" Workshop
- Sep. 12, 2009 Workshop: Anglican Spirituality *Episcopal Diocese of Long Island Annual Encuentro Latino*

Professional Service

- 2019-present Leadership Team Member, Sewanee Ministry Collaborative
The School of Theology: University of the South
- 2019-present Latinx/Hispanic Studies Advisory Committee Member
Seminary of the Southwest, Austin, TX
- 2015-present Diocesan Examining Chaplains, Episcopal Diocese of NY
- 2010-2020 Created and Convened a Colleague Group and Bible Study for Preaching
- 2017-2019 Standing Committee, Diocese of NY
- 2010-2019 Convention Planning Committee, Inspector of Elections, Assistant Secretary of Convention, Diocese of NY

Professional Memberships

American Society of Church History
Historical Society of the Episcopal Church
American Academy of Religion

Fluent in Spanish, English; Basic knowledge of French, Latin, Arabic, and Biblical Greek

Church and Other Experience

2004-present Episcopal Church of St. Matthew & St. Timothy, New York, NY
Senior pastor since 2007

2010-present Faith, Family, Equality: Latinx Roundtable of the Center for LGBTQ and Gender
Studies in Religion at Pacific School of Religion.
Coordinator since 2015
Named one of NBC OUT's 30 for Pride Month (June 2018)

2003-2004 Supply Clergy, Episcopal Diocese of New York

1995-1999 Management and Industrial Engineering Consultant

Ordained in the Episcopal Church since 2002.

References available upon request.