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EDUCATION

PhD, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (2011–2018)

Degree in New Testament (Christian Theology)

Dissertation: “A Discourse Analysis of Galatians: A Study of Register, Context of Situation, and the New Perspective on Paul.” Published in 2019 (see Publications).

Oral defense date: June 13, 2018. Passed with minor revisions.

Graduation date: May 21, 2019.

Supervisor: Stanley E. Porter, PhD

Secondary advisor: Cynthia Long Westfall, PhD

External examiner: Ray Van Neste, PhD

Oral defense chair: Mark J. Boda, PhD

ThM, The Master’s Seminary, Sun Valley, CA, USA (2008–2010)

Degree in New Testament

Thesis: “Literary Criticism and New Testament Interpretation: A Critique of Formalism, Structuralism, Reader-Response Criticism, and Deconstructionism”

Primary advisor: F. David Farnell, PhD

Secondary advisor: Kelly T. Osborne, PhD

MDiv, The Master’s Seminary, Sun Valley, CA, USA (2003–2006)

Degree in pastoral ministry and biblical studies

Majority of electives in Old Testament exegesis

BA, Biola University, La Mirada, CA, USA (1996–2000)

Degree in psychology, minor in biblical studies

Member of *Psi Chi* (psychology honors society), *National Dean’s List*, and *Who’s Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges*.

ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATION

Assistant Director of Strategic Initiatives, Talbot School of Theology, Biola University, La Mirada, CA, USA (Jan–Jun 2026, contracted)

This is a grant-funded, temporary position to support the launch of several initiatives at Talbot.

Responsibilities include, in conjunction with the Director and Program Administrator of Strategic Initiatives:

Spearheading the marketing and advertising for the Lead the Way promotional events in Seattle, San Diego, Las Vegas, and other cities for establishing Talbot Embedded (extension campuses).

Building and maintaining relationships with key churches, networks, and parachurch organizations as collaborators for Talbot’s initiatives.

Developing and managing commitments between Talbot and external relationships (donors, foundations, churches, parachurch organizations, independent contractors, vendors, etc.).

Developing and managing Talbot's Annual Ministry Conference, Anchored 2026, including overseeing marketing/advertising, acquiring partners/sponsors for the event, managing the budget, and coordinating with the program administrator on establishing schedule, breakout speakers, and plenary speakers.

Assessing and recommending opportunities for new initiatives and partnerships.

Associate to the Academic Dean, Emmanuel Bible College, Kitchener, ON, Canada (2022–2024)

Responsibilities included:

CEWIL Partnership – represented the college in partnership with CEWIL (Co-operative Education and Work-Integrated Learning Canada), a grant-offering institution for work integrated learning programs. CEWIL partners with Canadian colleges and universities to provide opportunities for students to gain work experience in their fields of study while they can earn income to supplement living and tuition costs while remaining a student in good standing. We received a grant for \$2,000 per term per student participating in this program.

Institutional Assessment – provided input in formulating and implementing an institution-wide assessment structure, focusing on assessments of student learning and institutional effectiveness, in accordance with Association of Biblical Higher Education (ABHE) standards.

Course Restructure – provided recommendations to the Academic Dean regarding any restructuring of required courses in Bible and Theology for all degree programs.

Academic Honesty policy – reformulated and submitted a suggestion to the Academic Dean to revise the academic honesty policy of the college, in light of recent technological advances such as AI use for assignments.

* Emmanuel Bible College was entirely restructured in 2024 due to new leadership under a local church.

ACADEMIC TEACHING POSITIONS

Adjunct Professor, Talbot School of Theology, Biola University, La Mirada, CA, USA (Summer 2026)

Course to teach: New Testament Survey

Lecturer in Religious Studies, Niagara University, Niagara University, NY, USA (Spring 2025)

Course taught: Paul and His Letters

Instructor in Biblical Studies, Emmanuel Bible College, Kitchener, ON, Canada (2021–2024)

Courses taught: Bible Foundations, New Testament Survey, New Testament Greek 1, New Testament Greek 2, Greek Exegesis, The Gospel and Letters of John, The Book of Acts, Pauline Epistles, 1–2 Corinthians, Hebrews and General Epistles.

Lecturer in Greek, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (2015–2020)

Courses taught: Introduction to New Testament Greek 1 online, and Introduction to New Testament Greek 2 online.

Instructor in Greek, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (2013–2015)

Courses taught: Introduction to New Testament Greek 1 online, and Introduction to New Testament Greek 2 online.

GUEST LECTURES AND ACADEMIC SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- “The Register of Paul in 1 Timothy: Why the Pastoral Epistles May Differ in ‘Style’ than the *Hauptbriefe*” at Samford University, Birmingham, AL, USA. Presentation for faculty in the Biblical and Religious Studies department (Mar 4, 2025).
- “Evangelism in a Postmodern World: The Spiritual-But-Not-Religious Movement” at Samford University, Birmingham, AL, USA. Presentation for students in the Preministerial Scholars Program (Mar 3, 2025).
- “Pride (Acts 12:19-24)” at the McMaster Divinity College Chapel, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Feb 7, 2023).
- “Pastor as Scholar and Scholar as Pastor” in the New Testament Guild at McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Apr 5, 2022).
- “Joseph Fitzmyer and Sigmund Mowinckel” at McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada. Class: “History of Biblical Interpretation” (PhD seminar) for Dr. Stanley E. Porter (Oct 22, 2019).
- “Johann Semler and Martin Noth” at McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada. Class: “History of Biblical Interpretation” (PhD seminar) for Dr. Stanley E. Porter (Oct 8, 2019).
- “Introduction to the Pauline Epistles” at Wilfrid Laurier University, Brantford, ON, Canada. Class: “The Bible” for Dr. H.C. Hillier (Mar 4, 2015).
- “An Overview of the Pauline Epistles” at Wilfrid Laurier University, Brantford, ON, Canada. Class: “Introduction to the Study of Christianity and Global Citizenship” for Dr. H.C. Hillier (Oct 7, 2014).
- “A Review of Infinitives: Form and Function” at McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada. Class: “Beginning Greek 2” for Dr. Lois Dow (Mar 28, 2013).
- “Aorist Middle Infinitives and Future Middle Verbs” at McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada. Class: “Beginning Greek 1” for Dr. Lois Dow (Nov 13, 2012).

PUBLICATIONS

Authored Books and Monographs

- 1–2 *Peter and Jude*, New Testament Discourse Analysis Commentary Series (Eugene, OR: MDC Press/Wipf & Stock, **contracted**).
- Hebrews: A Handbook on the Greek Text*, co-author with Cynthia Long Westfall, Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (Waco, TX: Baylor University Press, **forthcoming 2026**).
- Romans: A Handbook on the Greek Text*, co-author with Stanley E. Porter, Baylor Handbook on the Greek New Testament (Waco, TX: Baylor University Press, 2023).
- A Discourse Analysis of Galatians and the New Perspective on Paul*, Linguistic Biblical Studies 17 (Leiden: Brill, 2019).

Edited Books

- The Pauline Mind*, co-editor with Stanley E. Porter, Routledge Religious Minds (New York: Routledge, **contracted/in progress**).
- Christian Origins and the Formation of the Early Church*, co-editor with Stanley E. Porter, Early Christianity in its Hellenistic Context 5, Texts and Editions for New Testament Study (Leiden: Brill, **in progress**).
- Pauline Ethics*, co-editor with Stanley E. Porter, Pauline Studies 11 (Leiden: Brill, **forthcoming 2026**).

The Johannine Prologue and Its Resonances, co-editor with Stanley E. Porter, *Johannine Studies* 4 (Leiden: Brill, 2024).

Studies on the Paratextual Features of Early New Testament Manuscripts, co-editor with Stanley E. Porter and Chris S. Stevens, *Texts and Editions of the New Testament* 16 (Leiden: Brill, 2023).

Paul and Gnosis, co-editor with Stanley E. Porter, *Pauline Studies* 9 (Leiden: Brill, 2016).

Journal Articles

“Markedness and Prominence: Galatians 3:15–25 as the Peak of the Letter,” *Filología Neotestamentaria*, (forthcoming 2026).

“Annihilationism under Fire: The Semantic and Logical Fallacies of Conditional Immortality,” *Theophila* 1 (2026): 57–76.

“The Perfect Tense-Form in Application: 1 Corinthians 7:14 as a Test-Case in Light of Verbal Aspect,” *Journal of Biblical Text Research* 46 (2020): 305–24.

“The Transitivity Network and Koine Greek: The (Ideational) Meaning of Galatians 3:1–5:12,” *Biblical and Ancient Greek Linguistics* 8 (2019): 79–110.

“Ancient Letters of Recommendation and 2 Corinthians 3:1–3: A Literary Analysis,” *Journal of Greco-Roman Christianity and Judaism* 12 (2016): 45–72.

“Identifying the End of Paul’s Speech to Peter in Galatians 2: Register Analysis as a Heuristic Tool,” *Filología Neotestamentaria* 28–29 (2015–2016): 57–79.

“Discourse Analysis and the Textual Metafunction: Analyzing the Texture of Galatians 4,12–20,” *Filología Neotestamentaria* 27 (2014): 83–109.

“The Antioch Incident and a Textual Variant: ἦλθον or ἦλθεν in Galatians 2:12,” *The Expository Times* 125 (2014): 432–39.

“Prominence in New Testament Discourse: Galatians 1,11–2,10 as a Test Case,” *Filología Neotestamentaria* 26 (2013): 3–26.

“The Ideological Inception of Intertextuality and its Current Dissonance in Biblical Studies,” *Currents in Biblical Research* 12 (2013): 58–76.

“The Life and Career of Spinoza: A Lesson on Biblical Interpretation,” *McMaster Journal of Theology and Ministry* 14 (2012–2013): 171–99.

Book Chapters

“Antilanguage in the New Testament: Inclusion and Exclusion through Relexicalization,” in *Sociolinguistics and the New Testament*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and Sung Min Park, *Linguistic Biblical Studies* (Leiden: Brill, forthcoming).

“Revisiting the Function of the Paraenesis in Light of the Body of Paul’s Letter to the Galatians,” in *Pauline Ethics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and David I. Yoon, *Pauline Studies* 11 (Leiden: Brill, 2026).

“Martin Hengel: Contrarian German New Testament Historian,” in *Paul, Milestones in New Testament Scholarship*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and Ron C. Fay (Grand Rapids: Kregel, forthcoming).

“Linguistic Schools,” co-authored with Stanley E. Porter, in *The Cambridge Companion to the Bible and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, forthcoming).

“Greek Syntax,” in *The Cambridge Companion to the Bible and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, forthcoming).

- “Reflections on Screwtape,” in *An Afternoon with C.S. Lewis: Modern Perspectives on Lewis’s Life, Work, and Legacy*, ed. Stanley E. Porter, McMaster General Studies Series 20 (Hamilton, ON: MDC Press/Pickwick, 2025), 128–46.
- “Spiritual but Not Religious: Engaging with an Emerging Demographic,” in *Secularism and the Pursuit of Transcendence*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and Wendy J. Porter, 2 vols., McMaster General Studies 17 (Hamilton, ON: MDC Press/Pickwick, 2025), 78–88.
- “A Method for Identifying Speech Functions in Koine Greek: Galatians 2:11–21 as a Test Case,” in *Putting the Pieces Together: Formalizing Units and Structures in the Biblical Languages*, ed. Stanley E. Porter, Christopher D. Land, and James D. Dvorak, McMaster New Testament Studies 11 (Eugene, OR: MDC Press/Pickwick, 2024), 148–65.
- “The Meaning and Use of λόγος in John’s Prologue: A Lexical Semantic Approach,” in *The Johannine Prologue and Its Resonances*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and David I. Yoon, *Johannine Studies* 4 (Leiden: Brill, 2024), 263–78.
- “Introduction to The Johannine Prologue and Its Resonances,” co-author with Stanley E. Porter, in *The Johannine Prologue and Its Resonances*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and David I. Yoon, *Johannine Studies* 4 (Leiden: Brill, 2024), 1–13.
- “Is Contemporary Worship Music Void of Theology? A Discourse Analysis of Modern Church Music,” in *The Arts and the Bible*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and Wendy J. Porter, McMaster New Testament Studies Series 10 (Eugene, OR: MDC Press/Pickwick, 2024), 376–98.
- “Introduction to Galatians” in *Tyndale House Greek New Testament Annotated*, ed. Douglas O’Donnell and Daniel K. Eng (Wheaton: Crossway, 2023), 801–807.
- “Another Look at Galatians 6:16: A Grammatical and Syntactic Analysis of Paul’s Enigmatic Benediction,” in *The Future of Israel: A Response to Supersessionism*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and Alan E. Kurschner, McMaster Biblical Studies Series 10 (Eugene, OR: Pickwick/MDC Press, 2023), 300–310.
- “The Scribal Use of Ekthesis as a Paragraph Marker? The Galatians Text of Sinaiticus as a Test Case,” in *Studies on the Paratextual Features of Early New Testament Manuscripts*, ed. Stanley E. Porter, Chris S. Stevens, and David I. Yoon, *Texts and Editions of the New Testament* 16 (Leiden: Brill, 2023), 288–309.
- “James Barr and Erroneous Method in Biblical Theology: *Paul and the Gift* as a Test Case,” in *James Barr Assessed: Evaluating His Legacy over the Last Sixty Years*, ed. Stanley E. Porter, *Biblical Interpretation* 192 (Leiden: Brill, 2021), 278–94.
- “Paul’s Thorn and His Gnosis: Epistemic Considerations,” in *Paul and Gnosis*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and David I. Yoon, *Pauline Studies* 9 (Leiden: Brill, 2016), 23–43.
- “Introduction to Paul and Gnosis,” co-author with Stanley E. Porter, in *Paul and Gnosis*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and David I. Yoon, *Pauline Studies* 9 (Leiden: Brill, 2016), 1–6.
- “The Question of Aporiai or Cohesion in the Fourth Gospel: A Response to Urban C. von Wahlde,” in *The Origins of John’s Gospel*, ed. Stanley E. Porter and Hughson T. Ong, *Johannine Studies* 2 (Leiden: Brill, 2015), 219–38.

Dictionary Articles and Entries

- “Greek, Ancient, Translation of” in *Encyclopedia of Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter et al. (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2026).

- “Coordination” in *Encyclopedia of Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter et al. (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2026).
- “Circumstantial Clauses” in *Encyclopedia of Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter et al. (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2026).
- “Linguistic Exegesis” in *Encyclopedia of Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter et al. (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2026).
- “Continental Discourse Analysis” in *Encyclopedia of Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter et al. (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2026).
- “Frederick William Danker” in *Encyclopedia of Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter et al. (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2026).
- “Albert Debrunner” in *Encyclopedia of Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter et al. (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2026).
- “Stanley E. Porter” in *Encyclopedia of Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics*, ed. Stanley E. Porter et al. (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2026).

Book Reviews

- Frank Thielman, *Paul, Apostle of Grace* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2025) in *Review of Biblical Literature* (forthcoming).
- David Alan Black and Benjamin L. Merkle (eds.), *Linguistics and New Testament Greek: Key Issues in the Current Debate* (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2020) in *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 34 (2024): 410–413.
- Susan E. Hylen, *Women in the New Testament World, Essentials of Biblical Studies* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2018) in *Bulletin for Biblical Research* 30 (2020): 625–27.
- Anthony C. Thiselton, *Life after Death: A New Approach to the Last Things* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2012) in *Journal of Greco-Roman Christianity and Judaism* 12 (2016): R18–R23.
- John M.G. Barclay, *Paul and the Gift* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2015) in *Journal of Greco-Roman Christianity and Judaism* 12 (2016): R13–R17.
- G.K. Beale, *Handbook on the New Testament Use of the Old Testament: Exegesis and Interpretation* (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2012) in *Journal of Greco-Roman Christianity and Judaism* 10 (2014): R11–R14.
- Gary S. Shogren, *1–2 Thessalonians, ZECNT* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2012) in *McMaster Journal of Theology and Ministry* 15 (2013–2014): R1–R4.
- J. Scott Duvall and Verlyn D. Verbrugge (eds.), *Devotions on the Greek New Testament: 52 Reflections to Inspire and Instruct* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2012) in *McMaster Journal of Theology and Ministry* 14 (2013–2014): R1–R5.
- Richard Bauckham, *The Jewish World Around the New Testament*, WUNT 233 (Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2008) in *Journal of Greco-Roman Christianity and Judaism* 9 (2013): R72–R75.
- Mark Harding and Alanna Hobbs (eds.), *The Content and Setting of the Gospel Tradition* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2010) in *Journal of Greco-Roman Christianity and Judaism* 9 (2013): R66–R71.
- Frank Thielman, *Ephesians, BECNT* (Grand Rapids: Baker, 2010) in *Journal of Greco-Roman Christianity and Judaism* 9 (2013): R61–R65.

Devotional and Popular Articles

- “And Finally... Head vs Heart Knowledge,” *The Expository Times* 127 (2016): 520.

Blog posts on biblical scholarship, higher education, church and culture, and related issues at domainthirtythree.com with Stanley E. Porter (2015–present).

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

Respondent in the “Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics” section at the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual Meeting, Denver, MA, USA (Nov 2026). The theme is Linguistics and New Testament Ethics, with panelists Cornelis Bennema, Constantine Campbell, Cynthia Long Westfall, and Laura Hunt.

“The Antioch Incident and a Lesson in Evangelism: Critical Discourse Analysis as a Lens.” To be presented at the Evangelical Theological Society, Far West Regional Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, USA (Mar 27, 2026).

“Register, Idiolect, and the New Testament Writings.” Presented in the “Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics” section at the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, USA (Nov 23, 2025).

Moderator for the “New Testament: Studies in Paul” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, USA (Nov 20, 2025).

“Martin Hengel and His Historical-Critical Method for Pauline Studies.” Presented at the Evangelical Theological Society, Ontario/Quebec Regional Meeting, Ancaster, ON, Canada (Oct 3, 2025).

“Antilanguage and Its Application to New Testament Studies: Some Proposals.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Jan 23, 2025).

“Letters to Bradus.” Presented at “Faith, Fantasy, and Philosophy: An Afternoon of C.S. Lewis” at McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Dec 4, 2024).

“Antilanguage in the New Testament: Inclusion and Exclusion through Lexicalization.” Presented in the “Psychology and Biblical Studies” seminar at the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, USA (Nov 26, 2024).

Moderator for the “New Testament: Studies in Paul III” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, USA (Nov 22, 2024).

“Critical Discourse Analysis and the Antioch Incident: A Power Shift through Language.” Presented in the “Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics” section at the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, USA (Nov 19, 2023).

“Conditional Immorality under Fire: Identifying the Semantic Fallacies of Annihilationism.” Presented in the “New Testament: Studies in Greek Language and Exegesis” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, USA (Nov 14, 2023).

“Spiritual but Not Religious: A New Kind of Secularism.” Presented at “Secularism and the Pursuit of Transcendence: A Church and Culture Conference” at McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Apr 27, 2023).

“The Meaning and Use of λόγος in John’s Prologue: A Lexical Semantic Approach.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Dec 1, 2022).

“Honor-Shame, Hierarchy, and the Antioch Incident: How Paul’s Conviction Subverts Cultural Norms.” Invited presenter in the “Asian/Asian-American Theology” Study Group of the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, USA (Nov 16, 2022). Other invited presenters were Andrew H. Kim, Jerry Hwang, Gregg A. Ten Elshof, and Benjamin Shin.

- “Vagueness, Remoteness, and Verbal Aspect: Another Look at the Doxology in Revelation.” Presented (virtually) at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Mar 17, 2022).
- “‘Who Is and Who Was and Who Is to Come’: Another Look at the Doxological Opening of John’s Apocalypse in Light of Verbal Aspect.” Presented (virtually/pre-recorded) in the “John’s Apocalypse and Cultural Contexts Ancient and Modern” section at the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, USA (Nov 20, 2021).
- “Paul’s Ethics in Galatians: Revisiting the Function of the Paraenesis in Light of the Body.” Invited presenter in the “Pauline Studies” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, Fort Worth, TX, USA (Nov 17, 2021). Presented (virtually with the help of Chris Stevens due to Covid-19 restrictions). Other invited presenters were Linda Belleville, Bruce Longenecker, and Jeffrey Weima.
- “The Scribal Use of Ekthesis as Discourse Markers: Galatians in Codex Sinaiticus as an Example.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Mar 5, 2020).
- “The Documentary Papyri and Lexical Semantics: A Study of δικαιοσύνη in the Non-Biblical Literature.” Presented in the “Papyrology and Early Christian Backgrounds” section at the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, USA (Nov 24, 2019).
- “Galatians 3:15-25 as the Peak of the Letter: A Study in Prominence.” Presented in the “Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics” section at the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, USA (Nov 23, 2019).
- “The Register of Paul in 1 Timothy: Why the Pastorals May Differ in ‘Style’ than the *Hauptbriefe*.” Invited presenter in the “Pastoral Epistles” study group at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, USA (Nov 20, 2019).
- “The Semantic Fallacies of James Barr: Barclay’s *Paul and the Gift* as a Test Case.” Presented at the Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society (SBL Regional), Akron, OH, USA (Mar 14, 2019).
- “Transitivity Network and Greek: Galatians 3:1–5:12 as a Test Case.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Mar 7, 2019).
- “Speech Functions and Speech Acts: An Examination of the Tenor of Galatians 1:6-12.” Presented in the “New Testament Greek Language and Exegesis” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, USA (Nov 14, 2018).
- “Another Look at Galatians 6:16: Its Meaning and Relevance to Supersessionism.” Presented at the Evangelical Theological Society, Ontario/Quebec Regional Meeting, Cambridge, ON, Canada (Sep 15, 2018).
- “A Method for Identifying Speech Functions in Koine Greek: Galatians 2:11–21 as a Test Case.” Presented at Bingham Colloquium, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Jun 15, 2018).
- “The Semantics of the Perfect Tense-Form: 1 Corinthians 7:14 as a Test Case.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Nov 30, 2017).
- “‘The Unbelieving Husband Has Been Sanctified’? The Perfect Tense-Form and 1 Corinthians 7:14” Presented in the “New Testament Greek Language and Exegesis” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, Providence, RI, USA (Nov 16, 2017).
- “The Antioch Incident Revisited: A Brief Application of Register Analysis.” Presented at the Evangelical Theological Society, Ontario/Quebec Regional Meeting, Cambridge, ON, Canada (Sep 30, 2017).

- “A Diachronic Linguistic Analysis of Modern Church Music.” Presented at the Bingham Colloquium, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (May 27, 2017).
- “Lexical Semantics and Case Semantics: The Meaning of ἔργα νομοῦ and a Response to James D.G. Dunn.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Feb 9, 2017).
- “The Shepherd of Hermas, Codex Sinaiticus, and the New Testament Canon: A Review of Criteria for Canonicity.” Invited presenter in the “New Testament Canon, Textual Criticism, and Apocryphal Literature: The Disputed Books of the New Testament” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, USA (Nov 17, 2016). Other invited presenters were David Mathewson, Chris S. Stevens, and Phil Strickland.
- “Lexical Semantics and the Meaning of ἔργα τοῦ νομοῦ in the Pauline Corpus: A Response to Dunn.” Presented in the “Pauline Studies” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, USA (Nov 16, 2016).
- “Jesus’s Christology and the Samaritan Woman: A Contextual Discourse Analysis of John 4:1–42.” Presented at the Evangelical Theological Society, Ontario/Ouebec Regional Meeting, Cambridge, ON, Canada (Oct 1, 2016).
- “Discourse Analysis and New Testament Studies: Retrospect and Prospect.” Presented at the Bingham Colloquium, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Jun 17, 2016).
- “Where Does Paul Really End His Rebuke to Peter? The Context of Situation in Galatians 2.” Presented at the Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society (SBL Regional), Perrysville, OH, USA (Mar 10, 2016).
- “Identifying the End of Paul’s Speech to Peter in Galatians 2: Register Analysis as a Heuristic Tool.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Mar 3, 2016).
- “The Scribal Use of *Ekthesis* as Discourse Markers in the Galatians Text of Sinaiticus: Some Observations.” Presented in the “New Testament Canon, Textual Criticism, and Apocryphal Literature” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, USA (Nov 19, 2015).
- “Register Analysis and the So-Called Synoptic Problem: Addressing the Problem of Variation.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Apr 16, 2015).
- “Aporiai and the Third Edition of the Gospel of John: A Response Using Cohesive Devices.” Presented at the Evangelical Theological Society, Ontario/Quebec Regional Meeting, Toronto, ON, Canada (Mar 21, 2015).
- “The Relationship between the Antioch Incident and the Jerusalem Council: Another Look at the Situational Contexts of Acts 15 and Galatians 2.” Presented at the Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society (SBL Regional), Perrysville, OH, USA (Mar 12, 2015).
- Moderator for the “Ecclesiology: Baptism, the Lord’s Supper, and Church Discipline” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, USA (Nov 21, 2014).
- “The Gospel of Peter, Source Criticism, and Oral Tradition.” Invited presenter in the “New Testament Canon, Textual Criticism, and Apocryphal Literature: Implications of Canonical Formation on Interpretation” section of the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, USA (Nov 20, 2014). The section concluded with a panel discussion with the invited panelists: Stanley E. Porter, Nicholas Perrin, and David I. Yoon.

- “The Composition of the Gospel of John from a Linguistic Perspective: Single or Composite Document?” Presented at the Theological Research Seminar, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Oct 7, 2014).
- “The Quest for the Historical Pharisees: Another Look at the Primary Sources.” Presented in absentia (by Hughson T. Ong) at the Evangelical Theological Society, Ontario/Quebec Regional Meeting, Hamilton, ON, Canada (May 10, 2014).
- “Paul’s Thorn in the Flesh: Reviving a Neglected Proposal.” Presented at the Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society (SBL Regional), Erie, PA, USA (Mar 28, 2014).
- “Paul’s Thorn in the Flesh and the Messenger of Satan: Reviving the Discussion.” Presented at the Theological Research Seminar, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Jan 21, 2014).
- “Letters of Recommendation: A Literary Analysis of the Documentary Papyri and its Relation to the Corinthians.” Presented in the “Papyrology and Early Christian Backgrounds” section at the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, USA (Nov 25, 2013).
- “Prominence in Hellenistic Greek and Paul’s Post-Conversion Testimony: A Linguistic Analysis of Galatians 1:11–2:10.” Presented at the Theological Research Seminar, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Sep 24, 2013).
- “Annihilationism under Fire: Reconsidering the Semantics of Eternal Punishment.” Presented at the Evangelical Theological Society, Ontario/Quebec Regional Meeting, Cambridge, ON, Canada (Sep 14, 2013).
- “The Antioch Incident and a Textual Variant: ἦλθον or ἦλθεν in Galatians 2:12.” Presented at the Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society (SBL Regional), Erie, PA, USA (Apr 4, 2013).
- “Contemporary Culture’s Effect on Biblical Interpretation and Worldview: The Case of Baruch Spinoza.” Presented at the Theological Research Seminar, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Nov 27, 2012).
- “Canonical Criteria: A Diachronic Analysis of the Early Church’s Recognition of the New Testament Canon.” Invited presenter in the “New Testament Canon, Textual Criticism, and Apocryphal Literature: Implications of Canonical Formation on Interpretation” section of the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, WI, USA (Nov 15, 2012). The section concluded with a separate panel discussion with the invited panelists: Armin D. Baum, Tomas Bokedal, and David I. Yoon.
- “A Discourse Analysis of the Lukan Beatitudes: Cohesion and Prominence for Determining Theme.” Presented in the “New Testament: Gospels 1” section at the Evangelical Theological Society, Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, WI, USA (Nov 14, 2012).
- “Cohesion and Prominence as Discourse Features: A Reconsideration of the Socio-Economic Meta-Theme in Luke.” Presented at Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Oct 5, 2012).
- “Intertextuality: Methodology or Ideology?” Presented at the Theological Research Seminar, McMaster Divinity College, Hamilton, ON, Canada (Jan 10, 2012).

EDITORIAL AND REVIEW EXPERIENCE

Editorial Board, *Filología Neotestamentaria* (Ediciones el Almendro de Córdoba, 2026–present)
 Series Co-Editor with Stanley E. Porter, Early Christianity in Its Hellenistic Context series (EHC)
 (Leiden: Brill, 2024–present)

Series Co-Editor with Stanley E. Porter, Johannine Studies series (JOST) (Leiden: Brill, 2023–present)

Series Co-Editor with Stanley E. Porter, Pauline Studies series (PAST) (Leiden: Brill, 2023–present)

Associate Editor, *Journal for the Study of Paul and His Letters* (Penn State University Press, 2021–2022).

*PSUP decided to close this journal in 2022.

Occasional Reviewer, *Biblical and Ancient Greek Linguistics* (Pickwick/MDC Press, 2020–).

Graduate Assistant to Dr. Stanley E. Porter (2011–2018). The following are projects I worked on:

Stanley E. Porter, *Jesus as God's Divine Son: What Did He Know and When Did He Know It?*

(forthcoming). I edited and proofread the entire manuscript, and added Excursuses and several paragraphs to add cohesion to the manuscript.

Stanley E. Porter and Matthew Brook O'Donnell, *Discourse Analysis and the Greek New Testament:*

Text-Generating Resources, Library of New Testament Greek 2 (London: T&T Clark, 2023). I edited, updated, and proofread the entire manuscript.

Stanley E. Porter, *The Pastoral Epistles: A Commentary on the Greek Text* (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2023). Compiled an exhaustive annotated bibliography on related monographs, articles, and other works.

Stanley E. Porter, Christopher D. Land, and Francis G.H. Pang (eds.), *Linguistics and the Bible: Retrospect and Prospects*, McMaster New Testament Studies Series 9 (Eugene, OR: Wipf & Stock, 2019). I compiled the indexes for modern authors/editors and ancient sources.

Stanley E. Porter, *The Apostle Paul: His Life, Theology, and Letters* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2016).

In addition to editing, proofreading, and updating the manuscript, I wrote the initial synopsis sections for the second half of the book.

Stanley E. Porter, *When Paul Met Jesus: How an Idea Got Lost in History* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2016). I proofread the entire manuscript and made editorial suggestions.

Stanley E. Porter, *Sacred Tradition in the New Testament: Tracing Old Testament Themes in the Gospels and Epistles* (Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2016). I edited and proofread the entire manuscript, wrote a few paragraphs here and there to provide greater cohesion to the book, and compiled the indexes for modern authors/editors, ancient sources, and subject.

Stanley E. Porter, *The Letter to the Romans: A Linguistic and Literary Commentary*, New Testament Monographs 37 (Sheffield: Sheffield Phoenix, 2015). I did an initial and final proofread, provided bibliographic assistance, and created the indexes for the book.

Stanley E. Porter, *John, His Gospel, and Jesus: In Pursuit of the Johannine Voice* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2015). I edited and proofread the entire manuscript.

Gordon L. Heath and Steven M. Studebaker (eds.), *Globalization of Christianity*, Theological Studies 6 (Eugene, OR: Cascade, 2015). I did the final proofread for the entire manuscript, as well as the author, subject, and Scripture indexes.

Stanley E. Porter and Andrew W. Pitts (eds.), *The Language of the New Testament*, Linguistic Biblical Studies 6 (Leiden: Brill, 2013). I compiled comprehensive indexes of ancient sources, modern authors, and modern editors for pp. 222–467 of this volume.

Stanley E. Porter and Christopher D. Land (eds.), *Paul and His Social Relations*, Pauline Studies 7 (Leiden: Brill, 2013). I compiled the indexes of modern authors and editors for this volume.

Journal of Greco-Roman Christianity and Judaism. Vol. 8 (2011–12): 9–222. I compiled the ancient source index for this volume.

Stanley E. Porter, *Literary Readings: Ancient Texts and Modern Approaches* (not published yet). I provided bibliographic information and updated the manuscript.

Copy Editor, *McMaster Journal of Theology and Ministry* (MDC Press/Wipf & Stock, 2012–2013)

I edited the book review section for the journal. I was also responsible for typesetting the reviews, as well as editing and typesetting the articles that were assigned to me.

SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS AND OTHER ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

International Systemic Functional Linguistics Association (2018–present)

Centre for Biblical Linguistics, Translation, and Exegesis (2015–present)

Senior Fellow (2019–present)

Junior Fellow (2015–2019)

Institute for Biblical Research (2014–present)

McMaster New Testament Guild (2013–2019)

Co-chair with Zachary Dawson (2018)

Co-chair with Philip Strickland (2015–2017)

Co-chair with Joshua Walker (2014–2015)

Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society (SBL Regional; 2012–2020)

Student Advisory Board (2016–2017)

Linguistics Circle, McMaster Divinity College (2011–present)

Co-chair with Dr. Stanley E. Porter (2020–present)

Society of Biblical Literature (2011–present)

Co-chair, Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics program unit (2026–present)

Steering Committee, Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics program unit (2025–present)

Evangelical Theological Society (2005–present)

HONORS, PRIZES, SCHOLARSHIPS, BURSARIES, AND OTHER AWARDS

Research Fellowship, McMaster Divinity College (2023–present)

Ministerial Accreditation, Canadian Baptist of Ontario and Quebec (2024)

Graduate Assistant to Dr. Stanley E. Porter (6 total awards) (2011–2017)

McMaster Divinity College bursaries (6 total awards) (2011–2017)

Graduate Assistant to Dr. Lois Dow (2012–2013)

Student scholarship from Harvest Bible Chapel, Oakville (2012)

Student scholarship from Kum Ran United Methodist Church (1999)

Psi Chi (the Psychology Honors Society) at Biola University (1998–2000)

PROFESSIONAL MINISTRY POSITIONS

Interim Pastor, Redeeming Grace, Harbor City, CA (2026–present)

Interim Pastor, Humber Blvd Baptist Church, Toronto, ON (2024–2025)

Lead Pastor, Good News Church, Cambridge, ON (2021–2024)

Senior Pastor, Renforth Baptist Church, Toronto, ON (2019–2021)

Worship Pastor, Emmanuel Church of the Nazarene, Toronto, ON (Apr–Nov 2018)

Youth and Worship Pastor, The Sanctuary Church, Oakville, ON (2014–2018)

Interim Pastor, Humber Blvd Baptist Church, Toronto, ON (Summer 2013)

Pastoral Research Assistant, Harvest Bible Chapel, Oakville, ON (Feb–Dec 2012)
 Theology Instructor, Hope Chapel Ministry Institute, Hermosa Beach, CA (2008–2011)
 English Ministry Pastor, Light and Salt Presbyterian Church, Harbor City, CA (2008–2011)
 Youth Pastor, Light and Salt Presbyterian Church, Harbor City, CA (2003–2008)
 Youth Pastor, West Presbyterian Church of America, Torrance, CA (2000–2003)

MINISTRY GUEST SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Church Retreat (4x), Milton Missionary Baptist Church, Hamilton, ON (July 2025)
 Youth Conference (2x), Life in Christ Ministries, Cambridge, ON (Feb 2023)
 Sunday Service, Mississauga Chinese Baptist Church, Mississauga, ON (Aug 2021)
 Sunday Service, Central Baptist Church, Oakville, ON (Oct 2019)
 Sunday Services (4x), Humber Blvd Baptist Church, Toronto, ON (Sep 2019)
 Student Senate Retreat (3x), Redeemer University, Hamilton, ON (Feb 2017)
 Outreach Night, Buffalo Chinese Christian Church, Buffalo, NY (Apr 2014)
 Outreach Night, Buffalo Chinese Christian Church, Buffalo, NY (Apr 2013)
 Sunday Youth Service, Rejoicing Presbyterian Church, Harbor City, CA (Jul 2012)
 Sunday Service, Westover Baptist Church, Hamilton, ON (Feb 2012)
 Sunday Service, Hamilton Korean United Church, Hamilton, ON (Jan 2012)
 Youth Rally, CM&A Youth Coalition, Whittier, CA (May 2011)
 Sunday Service, New Life Christian Alliance Church, Whittier, CA (May 2011)
 Sunday Services (2x), Podowon Baptist Church, Carson, CA (Jun 2011)
 Youth Retreat (3x), Nasung Church, Fullerton, CA (Jul 2010)
 Youth Retreat (4x), Joy Fellowship Church, Los Angeles, CA (Aug 2009)
 Youth Retreat (3x), Hope Chapel, Hermosa Beach, CA (Dec 2009)
 Youth Retreat (4x), Temecula Calvary Church, Temecula, CA (Dec 2008)
 Sunday Services (4x), Mijoo Peace Church, Los Angeles, CA (Jul-Aug 2008)
 Sunday Service, Torrance Good Shepherd Church, Torrance, CA (Jul 2008)
 Sunday Service, First Southern Baptist Church of Glendale, Glendale, CA (May 2008)
 Youth Retreat (4x), Living Hope Community Church, Rowland Heights, CA (Feb 2008)
 Sunday Service, Pillar Bible Church, Fullerton, CA (May 2007)
 Crossroads Christian Ministry, University of California, Irvine, CA (Apr 2006)
 Youth Retreat (4x), Torrance Good Shepherd Church, Torrance, CA (Jul 2005)

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY POSITIONS

Association Ministry Committee, South Central Association of Baptist Churches (regional association of the Canadian Baptists of Ontario and Quebec) (2021–2025)
 Worship Team guest, Central Baptist Church, Oakville, ON (Mar–Jul 2021)
 Worship Team drummer/guitarist, McMaster Divinity College Chapel, Hamilton, ON (2011–2020)
 Guest Worship Leader, The River International Church, Hamilton, ON (April 2019)
 Guest Worship Leader (3x), Erindale Bible Chapel, Mississauga, ON (Jan–Feb 2018)
 Young Adult Ministry Leadership Team, Harvest Bible Chapel, Oakville, ON (2012–2013)
 Harvest Kids Teacher, Harvest Bible Chapel, Oakville, ON (2012–2013)
 Worship Team electric guitarist, Harvest Bible Chapel, Oakville, ON (2011–2013)

Mexico Short-Term Missions Trip, Light and Salt Presbyterian Church, Harbor City, CA (July 2007)

Czech Republic Short-Term Missions Trip, Grace Community Church, Sun Valley, CA (July 2005)

Youth and Worship Leader, Kum Ran United Methodist Church, Gardena, CA (1999)

Utah Short-Term Missions Trip, Biola University, La Mirada, CA (April 1999)

Worship Leader, Biola Korean Student Association, Biola University, La Mirada, CA (1997–1998)

Youth Leader and Worship Leader, West Presbyterian Church of America, Torrance, CA (1994–1998)