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CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

The Institute for Priestly Formation

Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska (Summer 2009)

***Focus:** Participant in the thirty day silent retreat of the Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius Loyola offered to seminary faculty and men preparing for priestly ordination. The retreat theme: *The Deepening of the Identity of the Diocesan Priesthood.**

Institute for the Psychological Sciences – Oxford Summer Institute

Arlington, VA (2007)

***Focus:** Philosophical critique and examination of the foundational principles of the empirical sciences, their application to the historical development and exercise within the discipline of psychology, and their negative/positive effects on the Catholic understanding of the ontology of the human person.*

Epiphany Academy of Formative Spirituality

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (2006)

***Focus:** Introduction to the systemic approach of theology, anthropology, and the science of formation as pioneered by Father Adrian van Kaam, C.S.Sp., Ph.D. utilizing a systematic approach to foster human maturation and transformation, spiritual development, Christian character, and personality.*

The Institute for Priestly Formation

Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska (2006)

Focus: A three week course and practicum emphasizing a contemplative approach to spiritual direction. Topics examined: prayer and discernment, psychological and spiritual affective development, fostering a contemplative attitude, and issues in seminary spiritual direction. In addition, a two week course on “The Spirituality of Diocesan Priesthood” taught by Father George Aschenbrenner, S.J. was attended.

The Metropolitan Andrey Sheptytsky Institute of Eastern Christian Studies
Saint Paul University, Ottawa, Canada (2005)

Focus: *Maladies of the Soul: Patristic and Modern Approaches to Psychotherapy based on the Desert Tradition and the Eight Evil Thoughts.*

14th International Course for Seminary Formators (Certification 2004)
Pontifical Athenaeum Regina Apostolorum
Rome, Italy

Focus: International clergy gathering of seminary formators to analyze the directives of Pope John Paul II in his Apostolic Exhortation entitled: *Pastores Dabo Vobis*, and its application to the four-fold academic, human, spiritual, and ministry formation. Additional study on the appropriate use and application of psychology in formation was presented and discussed.

Masters of Arts in Catholic Studies (currently accepted)
Center for Catholic Studies
University of Saint Thomas, Saint Paul, Minnesota

Focus: An interdisciplinary program of studies designed to broaden and deepen an understanding of the rich patrimony and influence of Catholicism on world cultures over its 2000 year history, while simultaneously engaging and critiquing our contemporary cultural setting.

Masters of Divinity, 2000
Saint Paul Seminary School of Divinity
University of Saint Thomas, Saint Paul, Minnesota

Masters of Arts: Theology and Christian Ministry, 1996
Franciscan University of Steubenville, Steubenville, Ohio

Bachelor of Science: Marketing, 1986
Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona
Emphasis: International Business/Economics/Political Science

International Business Certification, 1986

Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona

Emphasis: Latin American Studies

Institute on Comparative Political and Economic Systems, 1985

Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

Ecclesial Employment

Saint Paul Seminary School of Divinity

Assistant Director of Spiritual Formation (2009-present)

Spiritual Advisor to the MAPM/MDiv Lay Formation Programs

2260 Summit Avenue, Saint Paul, Minnesota

Saint John Vianney College Seminary

Spiritual Director/Formation Advisor (2003-2009)

2115 Summit Avenue #5024, Saint Paul, Minnesota

Director of Team Vianney (2003-present): Team Vianney is a Catholic high school men's vocation and leadership program. With additional outreach initiatives, Team Vianney has grown within the past five years to be one of the largest vocation recruitment programs in the country and currently has 40-60 regular attendees.

Director of the Vianney Cup (2005-present): Initiated with four laymen, this golf fundraising event has, over the past four years, raised over \$325,000.00 for Saint John Vianney College Seminary.

Saint Olaf Catholic Church

Parochial Vicar (2000-2003)

215 South 8th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Generation Cross Television Outreach (2001-2003): A regular participant and periodic advisor to this two-time Emmy award winning program directed by Lino Rulli. Generation Cross is designed as a cable access evangelization tool to reach out to a principle target market group of young adults by presenting the Catholic faith with humor, creative spotlights and teachings, along with regular guests.

Director of Saint Olaf Young Adults Group (2001-2003): A catechesis and social outreach program meant to assist young adults in the knowledge of the faith and maturation in Christian discipleship. The program grew to over 50-65 regular attendees.

Office of Marriage & Family Life
Seminary Internship (Summer 1999)

Pilgrimages/Conferences:

Our Lady of Guadalupe Pilgrimage, 1992
Saint Anne Catholic Church
Gilbert, Arizona

Holy Land Pilgrimage, 1993
Franciscan University of Steubenville
Steubenville, Ohio

Holy Land - Egypt Semester Study Abroad, 1998
Saint Paul Seminary School of Divinity
Saint Paul, Minnesota

Rome Pilgrimage for the Great Jubilee, 2000
Personal Pilgrimage

Footsteps of Saint Paul Pilgrimage – Greece & Turkey, 2001
Saint Anne Catholic Church
Gilbert, Arizona

Rome – Italy Pilgrimage, 2002
Saint Olaf Catholic Church Young Adults
Minneapolis – Saint Paul, Minnesota

Saint John Bosco Catechetical Conference, Summer 2003
Breakout Session Speaker
Franciscan University of Steubenville

Holy Land Pilgrimage, 2007
John Paul II Institute – Jeff Cavins Tours
Minneapolis, Minnesota

Into the Desert Men’s Conference, February 2009
Conference Speaker to over 800 attendees
Diocese of Phoenix

Publications: contributed an essay to the publication

Cavins, Emily; Armstrong, Patti; Cavins, Jeff; & Pinto, Matthew, *Amazing Grace for Mothers: 101 Stories of Faith, Hope, Inspiration, and Humor*, Ascension Press, West Chester, PA, 2004, pp. 68-72.

Volunteer Experience/Diocesan Committees

Team Vianney, Director (2003-2009)

Men's High School Recruitment Program
Saint John Vianney College Seminary, Saint Paul, MN

Partnership for Youth, Board Member (October 2005-present)

High School Youth Ministry Outreach
Partnership for Youth is associated with Steubenville North High School Summer Conference, which attracts over 2000 students to the University of Saint Thomas, Saint Paul, MN

Archdiocesan Presbyteral Council Member (2002-2005)

Corpus Christi Catechism Fund Advisory Committee (2003-present)

Catechism Apostolate for Confirmation Candidates

All in God's Plan Presenter (2003-present)

Catholic teaching on human sexuality to teens and parents

Archdiocesan Evangelization Initiative Advisory Committee (2003)

Reviewed Documents: Evangelli Nuntiandi; Redemptoris Missio;
Go and Make Disciples; Ecclesia in America; Novo Millennio Ineunte.

Living God's Love Marriage Preparation Presenter (2002-2006)

Newly Married Advisory Board Member (2002-2005)

Saint Olaf Young Adult Spiritual Advisor & Teacher (2001-2003)

Saint Olaf's "Life's a Ball" Pro-life Fundraiser (2001 & 2002)

Saint Olaf Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults Teacher (2000-2001)

Croatia & Bosnia Church Humanitarian Aid Mission Coordinator (1993)

Life Teen Ministry Core Member (1991-1993)

Phoenix Futures Forum Member (1988)

City Planning Advisory/Public Promotion Involvement

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ICI Fiberite Composite Materials (FCM)

Associate Engineer/Program Manager (Nov. 1988 – Oct. 1992)
Tempe, Arizona

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Mechanical Test Lab Expeditor (Jan. 1988 – Nov. 1992)
Tempe, Arizona

IMPRA, Inc.

Quality Control Technician/Marketing Support (Jan. 1986 - Jan. 1988)
Tempe, Arizona

Embassy of Guatemala

Embassy Intern/International Trade (Summer 1985)

Institute of Comparative Political and Economic Systems Program

Georgetown, University
Washington, D.C.

HONORS & AWARDS

Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem (2009-present)
Invested member of the Northern Lieutenancy
Invested September 20, 2009, Saint Louis, Missouri

Who's Who Among American Universities & Colleges (1986 edition)
Supreme Court Justice, Arizona State University (1985-1986)

President, Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity
Executive Board Chairman, Officer Committee Chairman, and
Recruitment Officer

Outstanding Young Men of America

D.K. Smith Marketing Scholarship Recipient

Goldwater Scholar Recipient (awarded by the Institute on Comparative
Political & Economic Systems, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.)