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EMPLOYMENT

2016—present Professor of History, Westmont College
2010-2016 Associate Professor of History, Westmont College
2004-2010 Assistant Professor of History, Westmont College

EDUCATION

2004 PhD, History, University of Cambridge
2001 MPhil, History, University of Cambridge
1995 BA, History, University of Cambridge (MA, 1999)

SELECT PUBLICATIONS

Godly Ambition: John Stott and the Evangelical Movement (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012) ISBN: 978-0199367924

Seeing Things Their Way: Intellectual History and Religious Belief, ed. Alister Chapman, John Coffey, and Brad S. Gregory (Notre Dame, Ind.: University of Notre Dame Press, 2009) ISBN: 978-0268022983

The Rest of the Iceberg blog (restoftheiceberg.org)

“Civil Religions in Derby, 1930-2000,” *The Historical Journal* 59 (2016), 817-43

“The International Context of Secularization in England: The End of Empire, Immigration, and the Decline of Christian National Identity, 1945-70,” *Journal of British Studies* 53 (2015): 163-89

“What Evangelical Anglicans Learned from the World, 1945-2000,” in *Evangelicalism and the Church of England in the Twentieth Century*, ed. Andrew Atherstone and John Maiden (Woodbridge: Boydell, 2014), 248-67

“Evangelical or Fundamentalist? The Case of John Stott,” in *Evangelicalism and Fundamentalism: The Experience of the United Kingdom during the Twentieth Century*, ed. David Ceri Jones and David W. Bebbington (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013), 192-208

“Evangelical International Relations in the Post-Colonial World: The Lausanne Movement and the Challenge of Diversity, 1974-89, *Missiology* 37 (2009), 355-68

“Intellectual History and Religion in Modern Britain”, in *Seeing Things Their Way: Intellectual History and Religious Belief*, eds. Alister Chapman, John Coffey, and Brad S. Gregory (Notre Dame, Ind.: University of Notre Dame Press, 2009), 226-39

“Anglican Evangelicals and Revival, 1945-59”, in *Revival and Resurgence in Christian History*, eds. Kate Cooper and Jeremy Gregory (Woodbridge: Boydell, 2008), 307-17

“Secularisation and the Ministry of John R. W. Stott at All Souls, Langham Place, 1950-70,” *The Journal of Ecclesiastical History* 56 (2005), 496-513

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2014-16 Secretary, Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies

SELECT PRESENTATIONS

“The Real Revolution in Margaret Thatcher's Britain: Religion and the Transformation of British Politics,” American Society for Church History, January 2024

“John Stott’s International Evangelicalism,” Baylor University, October 2023

“How the Conservative Party Lost Its Soul, 1923-2023,” Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, March 2023

“Margaret Thatcher, Secularization, and the Emergence of the Nasty Party,” Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, March 2022

“The Best Thing Since Sliced Bread? Immigration in Britain Since 1945,” Phi Kappa Phi Lecture, Westmont College, November 2016

Chair and Respondent, “Transatlantic English Religiosity: Four Centuries of Faith and Empire,” Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, Huntington Library, Pasadena, April 2016

Chair and Respondent, “New Approaches to the 1970s and 1980s,” Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, Las Vegas, April 2015

“Immigration and Religion in Derby, 1945-70,” with Rachel Hatcher, Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, Riverside, March 2014

Respondent, "Theological Inquiry in Christian Historiography," Conference on Faith and History, Pepperdine University, September 2014

"The Growth of Religious Plurality and its Impact on British Christianity: The Case of Derby, 1945-70," Ecclesiastical History Society, Chichester, July 2013

"The End of Christian Civilization: The Impact of Immigration on British National Identity, 1940-1968," Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, Huntington Library, Pasadena, March 2012

"'Where there is no vision, the people leave': The End of Empire and the Decline of Christianity in Britain, 1945-70," American Society for Church History, Chicago, January 2012

"Revival and Marginalization: The Paradox of English Evangelicalism, 1940-2000," Conference on Secularization and Revival: The Fate of Religion in Modern Intellectual History, Baylor University, Waco, Tex., October 2009

"John Stott and Fundamentalism in Britain," invited lecture, AHRC/ESRC Religion in Society Conference, London, June 2009

"Two Cheers for Populism? John Stott and the Limits of Educated Evangelicalism in England," Phi Kappa Phi Lecture, Westmont College, October 2008

"The World History Survey as a Missional Course", Conference on Faith and History Biennial Meeting, Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, Okla., September 2006

"Anglican Evangelicals and Revival, 1945-55," Ecclesiastical History Society Summer Conference, Cardiff, Wales, July 2006

"Evangelical International Relations in the Post-Colonial World: The Lausanne Movement and West-South Christian Communication, 1974-89," Global Christianity: Challenging Modernity and the West, Baylor University, Waco, Tex., November 2005

"John Stott's Programme of Social Concern, 1967-84: Contexts and Intentions," Christianity and History Forum, Offa House, Warwickshire, April 2003

"The Social Thought of John Stott and the Fortunes of Evangelicalism, 1921-2003," Church History Seminar, Institute of Historical Research, London, February 2003

"The Ministry of John Stott in the Parish Church of All Souls, Langham Place, London, 1950-70," Faculty of Divinity, University of Cambridge, November 2002

“John Stott and the Attempt to Create a Global Evangelical Movement, 1966-78,”
Currents in World Christianity Conference, Pretoria, South Africa, July 2001

SELECT INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE AT WESTMONT COLLEGE

2019-present Leader of Wayfinding (orientation for new faculty)
2021-23 Faculty Personnel Committee (Chair, 2021-22)
2017-20 Academic Senate (Vice-Chair, 2018, 2019-20)
2015-2019 Futures Committee
2012-16, 2023-24 Chair, Department of History
2013-15 Vice-Chair of the Faculty
2012-15 Faculty Council
2006-08 Chair, Professional Development Committee

AWARDS

Christianity Today Book Awards, 2013, for *Godly Ambition: John Stott and the Evangelical Movement*
Faculty Research Award, Westmont College, 2013
Teacher of the Year, Social Sciences, Westmont College, 2008
Faculty Development Grant, Westmont College, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2013, 2015, 2019, 2022
George Macaulay Trevelyan Grant, Faculty of History, University of Cambridge, 2003
J. B. Lightfoot Prize Scholarship, University of Cambridge, 2002

MEMBERSHIP

North American Conference on British Studies, 2004-present