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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND QUALIFICATIONS

Jesus College, Cambridge University (1989–1997)
1991 Part I Classics: First Class
1993 Part I Oriental Studies (Hebrew and Aramaic): First Class
26 June 1993 BA
15 October 1994 MPhil (Hebrew Studies)
11 May 1996 MA
13 December 1997 PhD (‘Studies in the Syntax of the Peshitta of 1 Kings’)

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES

Society of Biblical Literature
Society for Old Testament Study
Tyndale Fellowship for Biblical Research

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Warden, Tyndale House, Cambridge, 1 November 2007–present.
Aberdeen University: Senior Lecturer in New Testament, 1 October 2005–31 October 2007.
Aberdeen University: Lecturer in New Testament, 1 September 2003–30 September 2005.
Tyndale House, Cambridge: Research Fellow in Old Testament, 1 September 1998–31 August 2003.
Faculty of Oriental Studies, Cambridge University: Affiliated Lecturer in Hebrew and Aramaic, 1 September 1998–31 August 2003.
Faculty of Divinity, Cambridge University: Research Assistant, the Semantics of Ancient Hebrew Database Project, 1 October 1997–31 August 1998.

TEACHING AND UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION

Aberdeen University

Deputy Head of School of Divinity, History and Philosophy (1 September 2005–30 June 2007)

Member of College Council (October 2005–30 June 2007)
Member of College Governance Working Group (2005–2006)
Member of Executive Committee of the School of Divinity, History and Philosophy
(2005–30 June 2007)
Member of Teaching and Learning Committee for the School of Divinity, History and
Philosophy (2004–30 June 2007)
Member of Research Committee for the School of Divinity, History and Philosophy
(2005–30 June 2007)
Undergraduate Programme Co-ordinator, Divinity and Religious Studies (1 September
2004–31 August 2005)
Co-ordinator for MTh in Biblical Theology (2004–2007)
Adviser of Studies, BD and BTh (2004–2007)
Examination of 7 PhD theses
Supervision of 5 PhD theses at various stages
Course Co-ordinator for eight different courses
Courses taught:
Level 1 Greek (elementary 1 and 2); Historical Jesus
Level 2: John’s Gospel and Letters (Greek and English); Paul; Galatians
Level 3: Galatians; New Testament Background, including Philo; New Testament
Theology
Level 4: Advanced Greek (Matthew or Pastoral Epistles)
Level 5: Textual Criticism of John

Cambridge University

1998–2002: Introduction to Hebrew (1st year)
2002–2003: Hebrew grammar class (1st year)
1999–2000, 2003: Habakkuk and the Habakkuk Commentary from Qumran (2nd or 3rd
year, or MPhil)
1998–1999, 2001–2002: Psalms 120–134 (2nd or 3rd year)
2001: Amos 6–7 (3rd year and MPhil)
2001: Job 28 (3rd year and MPhil)
1998–2003: Undergraduate supervision for 10 colleges on Hebrew language or the
History and Literature of Israel
2007–present: supervision of 2 PhD theses

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Articles in Refereed Journals

‘TMR in 1 Kings ix 18’, *Vetus Testamentum* 47 (1997) 262–65.
‘The LXX of 1 Chronicles 5:1–2 as an Exposition of Genesis 48–49’, *Tyndale Bulletin* 49
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“‘According to All’ in MT and the Peshitta’, *Zeitschrift für Althebraistik* 12 (1999) 107–
109.

- ‘Bread and the Peshitta in Matthew 16:11–12 and 12:4’, *Novum Testamentum* 48 (2001) 331–33.
- ‘Some Problems in Determining the *Vorlage* of Early Syriac Versions of the NT’, *New Testament Studies* 47 (2001) 537–43.
- ‘The Difference between the Roots ܐܘܪܝܫܐ and ܐܘܪܝܝܐ ’, *Zeitschrift für die alttestamentliche Wissenschaft* 114 (2002) 438–42.
- Peter M. Head and P.J. Williams, ‘Q Review’, *Tyndale Bulletin* 54.1 (2003) 119–44.
- ‘A Study on Translation Technique in the Peshitta to Jeremiah’, *Aramaic Studies* 1.2 (2003) 289–98.
- ‘On the Representation of Sahidic within the Apparatus of the Nestle-Aland *Novum Testamentum Graece*’, *Journal of Coptic Studies* 8 (2006) 123–25.
- ‘P¹¹⁵ and the Number of the Beast’, *Tyndale Bulletin* 58 (2007) 151–53.
- ‘An Evaluation of the Use of the Peshitta as a Textual Witness to Romans’, *TC: A Journal of Biblical Textual Criticism*, Volume 13 (2008).
- ‘Alleged Syriac Catchwords in the Gospel of Thomas’, *Vigiliae Christianae* 63 (2009) 71–82.

Other Articles

- Article for Semantics of Ancient Hebrew Database [<http://www.divinity.cam.ac.uk/CARTS/SAHD/words.htm>], 1998–2006.
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- ‘Israel outside the Land: The Transjordanian Tribes in 1 Chronicles 5’, in V. Philips Long, D.W. Baker and G.J. Wenham, eds, *Windows into Old Testament History* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2002) 147–60.
- ‘Lying Spirits Sent by God? The Case of Micaiah’s Prophecy’, in P. Helm and C. Trueman, eds, *The Trustworthiness of God: Perspectives on the Nature of Scripture* (Leicester: Apollos, 2002) 58–66.
- ‘Textual Criticism’, in T.D. Alexander and D.W. Baker, eds, *Dictionary of the Old Testament: Pentateuch* (Downers Grove, Illinois: IVP, 2003) 834–41.
- ‘Beginning to Study the Old Testament’, in P. Duce and D. Strange, eds, *Encountering God’s Word: Beginning Biblical Studies* (Leicester: Apollos, 2003) 13–64.

- ‘The Linguistic Background to Jesus’ Dereliction Cry (Matthew 27:46; Mark 15:34)’, in P.J. Williams et al., eds, *The New Testament in Its First Century Setting* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2004) 1–12.
- ‘Are the Biblical Rephaim and the Ugaritic *RPUM* Healers?’, in R.P. Gordon and J. de Moor, eds, *The Old Testament in Its World* (OTS 52; Leiden: Brill, 2005) 266–75.
- ‘On Matching Syriac Words with Their Greek *Vorlage*’, in A. Dean Forbes and David G.K. Taylor, eds, *Foundations for Syriac Lexicography I* (Piscataway: Gorgias Press, 2005) 157–66.
- ‘Is God Moral? On the Saul Narratives as Tragedy’, in R.P. Gordon, ed., *The God of Israel* (Cambridge: CUP, 2007) 175–89.
- ‘The Translation of Greek *alpha*-privatives in the Syriac Epistles’, in P.J. Williams, ed., *Syriac Word Sources, Senses and Functions* (Piscataway: Gorgias Press, 2009) 35–43.
- ‘Accent, Galilean’, in the *New Interpreter’s Dictionary of the Bible* (Nashville: Abingdon Press, forthcoming).
- ‘Versions, Ancient’, in the *New Interpreter’s Dictionary of the Bible* (Nashville: Abingdon Press, forthcoming).
- ‘Versions, Armenian’, in the *New Interpreter’s Dictionary of the Bible* (Nashville: Abingdon Press, forthcoming).
- ‘Versions, Syriac’, in the *New Interpreter’s Dictionary of the Bible* (Nashville: Abingdon Press, forthcoming).
- ‘Expressing Definiteness in Aramaic: A Response to Casey’s Theory concerning the Son of Man Sayings’, in P. Owen, ed., “*Who is this son of man?*”: *The Latest Scholarship on a Puzzling Expression of the Historical Jesus* (London: Continuum, forthcoming, 2010).
- ‘Syriac Versions of the Bible’ in J. Carleton Paget and J. Schaper, eds., *Cambridge History of the Bible* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, forthcoming).

Conference Presentations and Invited Lectures

- ‘The Peshitta as a Text-critical Witness to 1 Kings’, Old Testament Seminar, Cambridge University, 13 November 1996.
- ‘Israel outside the Land: The Transjordanian Tribes in 1 Chronicles 5’, Tyndale Fellowship Old Testament Study Group, 9 July 1998.
- ‘Weapons in the Semantics of Ancient Hebrew Database’, International Organisation for the Study of the Old Testament Congress, 6 August 1998.
- ‘Retroversion from Ancient Versions in Critical Editions of the Bible’, Seminar for the Study of Judaism in Late Antiquity, Durham University, 18 November 1999.
- ‘Is God Moral? On the Saul Narrative as Tragedy’, Old Testament Seminar, Cambridge University, 27 November 2002.
- ‘Are the Biblical Rephaim and the Ugaritic *RPUM* Healers?’, Society for Old Testament Study, Birmingham, 8 January 2003.
- ‘On Matching Syriac Words with Their Greek *Vorlage*’, Society of Biblical Literature International Congress, 22 July 2003.

- ‘Pseudo-agreements between Codex Bezae, the Old Latin and Early Syriac Translations of the Gospels’, Society of Biblical Literature International Congress, 24 July 2003.
- ‘Galatians through Syriac Eyes’, Tyndale Fellowship New Testament Study Group, 29 June 2004.
- ‘The Semantics of the Epistles of the Peshitta’, Society of Biblical Literature International Congress, 27 July 2004.
- ‘*Lectio Difficilior*: The History of a Difficult Principle’, Westminster Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, 17 November 2005.
- ‘A Re-evaluation of the Role of the Early Versions in New Testament Textual Criticism’, Society of Biblical Literature, 19 November 2005.
- ‘Using the Versions’, International Greek New Testament Project Colloquium, Münster, 13 March 2006.
- ‘Farewell to the Prologue of John’, invited plenary session, British New Testament Conference, 1 September 2006.
- ‘Not the Prologue of John’, Society of Biblical Literature Congress, 17 November 2007.
- ‘The Relationship between Thomas and Tatian: Reflections on a Recent Hypothesis’, Society of Biblical Literature Congress, 18 November 2007.
- ‘The Syriac Diatessaron and Its Influence on the Syriac Bible’, 17 April 2008, invited lecture by Royal Dutch Academy.
- ‘Reflections on Professor Casey’s Theory concerning the Son of Man Sayings’, NT Seminar, University of Cambridge, 13 May 2008.

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- Studies in the Syntax of the Peshitta of 1 Kings* (Monographs of the Peshitta Institute, Leiden, 12; Leiden: E.J. Brill, 2001).
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Reviews

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- (2005) 172: H. Craig Melchert, ed., *The Luwians* (Leiden, 2003).
- (2007) 59–60: Carol A. Dray, *Translation and Interpretation in the Targum to the Books of Kings* (Leiden, 2006).
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Themelios

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29, 1 (2003) 60–61: Bill T. Arnold and Bryan E. Beyer, *Readings from the Ancient Near East* (Grand Rapids, MI, 2002).

29, 1 (2003) 67–68: Victor H. Matthews, *A Brief History of Ancient Israel* (Louisville, 2002).

29, 1 (2003) 69–70: K.L. Noll, *Canaan and Israel in Antiquity: An Introduction* (London, 2001).

29, 2 (2004) 73–74: G. Theissen, *The New Testament: History, Literature, Religion* (London, 2003).

29, 3 (2004) 66–67: B. Chilton, *Redeeming Time: The Wisdom of Ancient Jewish and Christian Festal Calendars* (Peabody, 2002).

30, 3 (2005) 87–88: I. Young, ed., *Biblical Hebrew: Studies in Chronology and Typology* (London, 2003).

31, 1 (2005) 93–95: David Norton, *A Textual History of the King James Bible and the New Cambridge Paragraph Bible* (Cambridge, 2005).

32, 1 (2006) 71–72: Charles Horton, ed., *The Earliest Gospels: The Origins and Transmission of the Earliest Christian Gospels – The Contribution of the Chester Beatty Gospel Codex P⁴⁵* (London, 2004).

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47, 2 (1997) 266–67: John Pairman Brown, *Israel and Hellas* (Berlin & New York, 1995).

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- 48, 1 (1998) 124–25: Friedrich Fechter, *Bewältigung der Katastrophe: Untersuchungen zu ausgewählten Fremdvölkersprüchen im Ezechielbuch* (Berlin & New York, 1992).
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- 48, 1 (1998) 134: Richard A. Taylor, *The Peshitta of Daniel* (Leiden, New York, & Köln, 1994).
- 48, 2 (1998) 274: M. Baldacci, *La Scoperta di Ugarit: La città-stato ai primordi della Bibbia* (Casale Monferrato, 1996).
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- 48, 4 (1998) 566–67: Kristin de Troyer, *Het einde van de Alpha-tekst van Ester: Vertaalen verhaaltechniek van MT 8,1–17, LXX 8,1–17 en AT 7,14–41* (Leuven, 1997).
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- 50, 1 (2000) 135: Martin J. Selman, *1 Chronicles and 2 Chronicles* (Leicester, 1994).
- 50, 2 (2000) 265: P. Buis, *Le Livre des Rois* (Paris, 1997).
- 50, 2 (2000) 278–79: Ulrike Schorn, *Ruben und das System der zwölf Stämme Israels* (Berlin, 1997).
- 50, 2 (2000) 279: Horacio Simian-Yofre, *La ‘Chiesa’ dell’Antico Testamento: Costituzione, crisi e speranza della comunità credente dell’Antico Testamento* (Bologna, 1996).
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- 52, 4 (2002) 573: W. Lee Humphreys, *The Character of God in the Book of Genesis* (Louisville, 2001).
- 53, 2 (2003) 281–82: Michael James Williams, *Deception in Genesis: An Investigation into the Morality of a Unique Biblical Phenomenon* (New York, 2001).

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Conference Report

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PRIZES AND AWARDS

Classics Faculty, Cambridge University: John Stewart of Rannoch (1991); Henry Arthur Thomas Travel Award (1991).

Jesus College, Cambridge University: Farrell Prize for Greek Studies (1991); Lambert Charles Shepherd Scholarship (1991); College Prize for Languages (1992); Foundation Scholarship (1992); Eliot Prize for Languages (1993); Foundation Scholarship (1993).

British Academy: Full scholarship for MPhil and PhD (1993–1997).

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Accreditation Validation Panel for International Christian College, Glasgow (2006).

External Examiner, University of Middlesex, 2008–present.

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External PhD Examiner, University of Reading (2000).

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Examiner up to MPhil level for Faculty of Oriental Studies, Cambridge University (1998–2004).

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Member of Subject Committee for Old Testament, Faculty of Divinity, Cambridge (1999–2003).

Member of the Cambridge Committee for Judaeo-Greek Studies (2000–2003).

Member of Committee of the International Syriac Language Project (2003–present).

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Sabbatical, Institut für Neutestamentliche Textforschung, Münster, April–July 2002.

‘The Biesenthal Collection and the Aberdeen Codex of the Hebrew Bible’, Interview with Gill Smith for BBC Greater Manchester Radio’s ‘It’s Kosher’, 13 May 2004.

‘Misquoting Jesus: Do We Have the Original Writings of the New Testament?’, debate with Bart Ehrman on Premier Christian Radio’s ‘Unbelievable’, 2 January 2009.

Co-chair of European Theologians Network (2005–present).

Lecturing: Croatia, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Norway, Romania, Slovakia, Sweden, UK, USA