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Education:

University of Saint Thomas Graduate School of Theology; Houston, Texas

Master of Divinity in Theology
Awarded August 2008

Texas A&M University; College Station, Texas

B.A. in Philosophy
Minor in Psychology
Awarded December 2003

Certifications:

Certification in Health Care Ethics

National Catholic Bioethics Center; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Awarded July 2008

Affiliations:

2009 - Currently	Fellowship of Catholic Scholars
2008 - Currently	Catholic Medical Association- Associate Member
2008 - Currently	International Association of Catholic Bioethicists
2007 - Currently	National Catholic Bioethics Center- Associate Member
2006 - 2011	National Catholic Education Association- Member

Articles, Abstracts, and Reviews Published in Magazines and Journals: 2008-2012

- “Experiencing the Culture of Life and Love.”
 - *Homiletic and Pastoral Review*; November, 2009
- “Can the Culture of Life and Love Prevail at the End of Life?”
 - *Homiletic and Pastoral Review*; April, 2010
- Abstract of “The Ethics of Prophylactic Mastectomy”
 - *Linacre Quarterly*; November, 2009
- Book Review of *Life Issues Medical Choices: Questions and Answers for Catholics*
 - *Linacre Quarterly*; August, 2010

- Book Review of *Affirming Love, Avoiding Aids*
 - *Fellowship of Catholic Scholars Quarterly*; Fall, 2010
- “Betrayal or Integrity”
 - *New Oxford Review*; December, 2010
- Book Review of *Neither Beast Nor God*
 - *Fellowship of Catholic Scholars Quarterly*; Spring, 2011
- Book Review of the Virtues of Holiness
 - *Homiletic and Pastoral Review*; August/September, 2011
- Letter on Nutrition and Hydration: “A response to Father Lavastida”
 - *Homiletic and Pastoral Review*; August/September, 2011
- “Promised Objectivity: Americans Receive Planned Parenthood Ideology”
 - *The Public Discourse*; September 2011 and *The Human Life Review*; Fall 2011
- “The Primetime Blues: America Ain’t got Virtue”
 - *New Oxford Review*, November 2011
- Book Review of *The Loser Letters*
 - *New Oxford Review*, December 2011
- “Pope Benedict on Authentic Human Progress and Bioethics”
 - *National Catholic Bioethics Quarterly*; December, 2011
- “Colloquy: Prenatal Adoption – A letter in response to William May”
 - *National Catholic Bioethics Quarterly*; December, 2011
- “Prenatal Adoption: Did the CDF Close the Door on Debate?”
 - *Fellowship of Catholic Scholars Quarterly*; Winter, 2011
- Book Review of *Handbook of Critical Life Issues*
 - *Linacre Quarterly*; February 2012
- “In vitro fertilization and the Commodification of Human Life”
 - *Lay Witness*, January/February 2012
- Misleading Leadership: The Deliberate Deception of Recommendation 5.5
 - *Linacre Quarterly*; May 2012

Diocesan Newspaper and Zenit.net Columns 2008-2012

- “Physician Assisted Suicide: Are we aware of the culture of death at our gates?”
- “Tactics of Pro-suicide Movement Manipulative.”
- “In the Face of Suffering and Death: Be Not Afraid.”
- “Plan B and our Teenage Daughters: Setting the Record Straight.”
- “My Walking I love You”
- “In vitro fertilization is dehumanizing”
- “Health Risk in ‘Reproductive Health’: New Studies on the Pill”
- “Happy and Healthy”
- “Abortion Inducing Drugs and the International Scene”

Television and Radio Shows 2009- 2011

- “The Culture of Death and Suicide”
 - Guest on “Catholicism Live”

- 1 hour long Television and radio program in Central and South Texas
- “Physician Assisted Suicide and the Dignity of the Dying Person”
 - Guest on “Catholicism Live”
 - 1 hour long Television and radio program in Central and South Texas
- “Recent Developments in Stem Cell Research”
 - Guest on “Catholicism Live”
 - 1 hour long Television and radio program in Central and South Texas
- “Witnesses to Love and Truth: Pope John Paul II and Benedict XVI”
 - Host for “Catholicism Live”
 - 1 hour long Television and radio program in Central and South Texas
- “Inklings of the Garden of Eden – in vitro fertilization”
 - Host for “Catholicism Live”
 - 1 hour long Television and radio program in Central and South Texas
- “Moral and legal concerns at the End of Life – DNR, Advanced Directives, Living Wills”
 - Host for “Catholicism Live”
 - 1 hour long television and radio program in Central and South Texas
- “Formation in Universities”
 - Host for “Catholicism Live”
 - 1 hour long television and radio program in Central and South Texas
- “Sterilization reversal and NaPro Technology”
 - Host for “Catholicism Live”
 - 1 hour long Television and radio program in Central and South Texas

Professional Presentations/Papers Given 2008-2011

- “The Goods of Marriage and *Humanae Vitae*”
 - Converging Roads; Christus Santa Rosa Hospital; San Antonio, TX
- “Contraceptives: The Secondary Action”
 - Texas Right to Life educational conference; University of St. Thomas; Houston, TX
- “In vitro Fertilization: A silent and clean Holocaust?”
 - Texas Right to Life educational conference; University of St. Thomas; Houston, TX
- “A Catholic Bioethic: Implications for Stem Cell Research”
 - Texas A&M University; Bioethics Forum Student Association; College Station, TX
- “In vitro fertilization: First Do No Harm?”
 - Converging Roads; Christus Santa Rosa Hospital; San Antonio, TX
- “Recent Developments in Stem Cell Research”
 - University of Texas School of Medicine; Pro-life Student Association, Houston, TX
- “Stem Cells and the Prospects of Regenerative Medicine: A Catholic and Scientific Analysis”
 - Converging Roads; Christus Santa Rosa Hospital; San Antonio, TX
- “Contraception as Anti-love and Anti-life”

- Converging Roads; Christus Santa Rosa Hospital; San Antonio, TX
- “Death in Catholic Teaching”
 - Converging Roads; Christus Santa Rosa Hospital; San Antonio, TX
- “Forgoing Aggressive Medical Treatment and Euthanasia”
 - Converging Roads; Christus Santa Rosa Hospital; San Antonio TX
- “Physician Assisted Suicide: Overcoming the Culture of Death within Medicine”
 - Converging Roads; Christus Santa Rosa Hospital; San Antonio, TX
- “The Ethics of Prophylactic Mastectomy”
 - Annual Conference of the Catholic Medical Association- Poster Session; Co-authored with Joshua Mammen, M.D, PhD.; Springfield, IL
- “The Magisterial Teaching of Pope Benedict XVI: Progress, Natural Law and Conscience”
 - Converging Roads; Christus Santa Rosa Hospital, San Antonio, TX
- “In Vitro Fertilization: A return to the Hippocratic Oath”
 - Address to “Health Care Physicians for Life; Houston, TX
- “The Magisterial Teaching of Pope Benedict XVI: Authentic Human Progress and Bioethics”
 - “Human Dignity and the Future of Health Care;” Baylor University, Waco, TX
- “The Commodification and Disregard for Human Life”
 - University of Texas School of Medicine; Houston, TX
- “The Bitter Reduction and Commodification of Human Life in *in vitro* Fertilization”
 - University of Texas School of Medicine (UTMB), Galveston, TX
- “The Culture of Death”
 - Texas Right to Life education conference; University of St. Thomas; Houston, TX
- “Death and the ethics of Organ Donation”
 - Texas Right to Life education conference; University of St. Thomas; Houston, TX
- “Abortifacient effect of Contraception”
 - Texas Right to Life education conference; University of St. Thomas; Houston, TX
- “The banalization of procreation *by in vitro* fertilization”
 - Texas Right to Life education conference; University of St. Thomas; Houston, TX
- “The Conscience Rights of Physicians and Medical Students”
 - University of Texas School of Medicine; Houston, TX
- “The Science and Ethics of Stem Cell Research”
 - “University of Texas School of Medicine (UTMB), Galveston, TX
- “Abortion Inducing Drugs: Destroying Life and Culture”
 - Celts for Life at the University of Saint Thomas; Houston, TX
- “Responding to Pro-Choice Arguments”
 - Baylor College of Medicine; Houston, TX

Pastoral Presentations Given 2008-2011:

- “Family as the Cornerstone of Society- An application of *Familiaris Consortio*”
 - St. Edith Stein Parish; Katy, TX
- “The Culture of Life and Culture of Death- Reflections on Culture Today”
 - St. Edith Stein Parish; Katy, TX
- “Recent Developments in Stem Cell Research: Induced Pluripotent Stem Cells”
 - St. Anthony Claret Parish; San Antonio, TX
- “Infertility and Reproduction Technologies: A Medical and Moral Analysis”
 - St. Edith Stein Parish; Katy, TX
- “Artificial Reproductive Technologies and Embryo Adoption”
 - St. Laurence Catholic Parish; Sugarland, TX
- “A Truly Holy and Fulfilling vision of Sexuality: Modern youth culture”
 - St. Edith Stein Parish; Katy, TX
- “Contraception and Natural Family Planning: God’s Plan for our Families”
 - St. Edith Stein Parish; Katy, TX
- “To build the culture of life and love”
 - San Antonio Men’s Conference; San Antonio, TX
- “Ethical Issues in Health Care Reform”
 - Saint Bart’s Parish; Katy, TX
- “*Dignitas Personae* – The Dialogue between Faith and Reason within Bioethics”
 - Saint Theresa’s Catholic Community; Sugar Land, TX
- “Stem Cell Research: Advances and promises”
 - Incarnate Word Academy; Houston, TX
- “The Cross of Infertility: A Catholic Approach”
 - Catholic Association of Latino Leaders; St. Ann Catholic Church, Houston, TX
- “Abortion-inducing drugs and the Right to Life”
 - REVEAL High school Pro-life Summer Camp; Texas
- “Stems Cells and Cloning – An affront to the Dignity of Man”
 - REVEAL High school Pro-life Summer Camp; Texas
- “Can Organs be Donated after Death?”
 - REVEAL High school Pro-life Summer Camp; Texas
- “The Dignity of the Person”
 - Incarnate Word Academy; Houston, TX
- “Youth: Ending the Culture of Death and Building a Culture of Life”
 - March of Surviving Youth, Houston, TX