

THE REV. DR. ELIZABETH L. HINSON-HASTY

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Present appointment	Professor of Theology and Ethics Union Presbyterian Seminary, Charlotte Campus 5141 Sharon Road Charlotte, NC 28210 ehinsonhasty@upsem.edu www.elizabethhinsonhasty.com
Presbytery membership	Minister of Word and Sacrament (ordained 2002) Mid-Kentucky Presbytery Presbyterian Church (USA)

EDUCATION

2002	Ph.D.	Union Theological Seminary and Presbyterian School of Christian Education
1995	M.Div.	Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary (LPTS)
1990	B.A.	William Jewell College (WJC)

LEADERSHIP POSITIONS (SUMMARY)

Bellarmine University: Administrative Service

2021-2022	Co-Chair of University-wide Council Task Force along with Provost Paul Gore and Staff Council President Emily Brock
Spring 2022-August 2022	Faculty Leadership Representative on Academic Visioning Committee
Spring 2022	Faculty Representative on Board of Trustees ad hoc Compensation Committee
2021-2022	Faculty Representative to the Board of Trustees
2021-2022	Faculty Council President
2021-2023	Co-Chair of the Mission Council with Laura Kline, Director of Campus Ministry, and Fr. John Pozhathuparambil, Campus Minister
2020-2022	Faculty Representative on Resource Management Advisory Council
2020-2021	Co-Chair of the Mission Task Force with Laura Kline, Director of Campus Ministry
2020-2021	Faculty Council President Elect
2020	Chair, Faculty Hearing Committee
2018	Co-Chair Strategic Planning Workgroup on Feasibility of New and Existing Schools

2017	Presidential Transition Team
2016-2017	Member of Grievance Committee
2013-2022	Co-Advisor for Women's and Gender Studies Minor
2013-2015	Elected Faculty Advisor to the Board of Trustees
2013-2014	Chair, Constructive Theology Search Committee
2013-2014	Chair, World Christianity Search Committee
2012-2020	Chair, Department of Theology
2008-2010	Elected Chair, Undergraduate Educational Affairs 2008-2010
2008-2009	Co-Director of Master of Arts in Spirituality Program 2008-2009
2008-2022	Member Gender Studies Program Task Force, 2008-present
2007-2008	Acting Chair of Theology Department Academic Year
2007-2008	Chair, Historical Theology Search Committee
2006-Fall 2007	IDC Review Committee
2005-2023	Co-Director, Peace Studies Minor

St. Andrews Presbyterian College: Administrative Service

2002-2004	Co-chair and Co-founder of the Women's Studies Program
2001-2004	Chair, Department of Religious Studies
2002	General Education Review Committee
2001-2004	Member of CORE Teaching Team

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2023-present	Professor of Theology and Ethics (tenured), Union Presbyterian Seminary
2014-2023	Professor of Theology and Religious Studies (tenured), Bellarmine University
2008-2014	Associate Professor of Theology (tenured), Bellarmine University
2004-2008	Assistant Professor of Theology, Bellarmine University
2001-2004	Assistant Professor of Religious Studies, St. Andrews Presbyterian College
1998-1999	Teaching Assistant, Union Presbyterian Seminary

MEMBERSHIP AND INVOLVEMENT IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Waldensian Society (Board Member)
Salaam Network
Society of Christian Ethics
Social Ethics Network (Co-Convenor)

ACADEMIC HONORS, AWARDS, AND GRANTS RECEIVED

2023	BUKnighited Ally Award
2022	Faculty Chosen for Faculty/Staff Field Hockey Appreciation Game

- 2022 Awarded grant for faculty development across the university, “Reflecting the Rays of Truth by Embracing Religious Diversity,” Institute for Interfaith Excellence
- 2022 Nominated by Honors Students for Honors Faculty Member of the Year
- 2021 Student Government Association Employee of the Month Award
- 2021 Faculty Chosen for Faculty/Staff Field Hockey Appreciation Game
- 2019 *The Problem of Wealth* featured among the Top 50 best books of 2018 by Spirituality and Practice
- 2018 Catholic Press Association First Place Award for *The Problem of Wealth: A Christian Response to a Culture of Affluence* as the Best Book Related to Catholic Social Teaching
- 2018 Louisville Institute Sabbatical Grant for Researchers, “Seeking More than Dutiful Love: God’s Healing in the Context of Families with Mental Illness.”
- 2016 Certificate Awarded for Participating in the Global Ecumenical School on Governance, Finance, and Management sponsored by the WCC and WCRC, Tao Fong Shan Center in Hong Kong,.
- 2016 Distinguished Alum Award, Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary.
- 2015 Award of Excellence from the Associated Church Press in the Bible Resource Category for *Reconciling Paul: A Contemporary Study of 2 Corinthians* and the Companion DVD.
- 2014-2016 NetVue Grant for “The Little Way Learning Community,” co-authored with Dr. Melanie-Prejean Sullivan, Director of Campus Ministry.
- Summer 2013 Named Coolidge Fellow for Cross Currents and Auburn Seminary Summer Colloquium, New York, New York
- Fall 2010 Awarded Bellarmine “Faith and Reason” Bellie
- Spring 2010 Awarded Wilson Wyatt Faculty Fellowship for Excellence in Teaching and Scholarship
- Fall 2010 Fulbright Scholar, Debreceni Református Hittudományi Egyetem (Debrecen Reformed Theological University), Debrecen, Hungary

2008	Awarded Kentuckiana Metroversity Instructional Development Award for Course Entitled “Theology from the Margins”
2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016	Recipient of President’s Faculty Merit Award
2008	Selected by Bellarmine Students as a Faculty “Superhero”
August 2007	Opening Convocation Speaker for Bellarmine University
2006	Recipient of Provost’s Faculty Merit Award
Spring 2006	Awarded Grant for Consultation with Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning, Grant Used by Theology Department to Begin Review of Theology 200
January 2003-August 2004	Project Director for Valparaiso Project to Study “Christian Practices and Persons with Disabilities”
July 2002	Jessie Ball DuPont Summer Fellowship, National Humanities Center, Research Triangle Park
2002	Awarded Honorable Mention by Associated Church Press for Biographical Profile in <i>Horizons</i>
1988	National Mortar Board Society, U of L and WJC
1987	Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society, WJC

SELECT PUBLICATIONS (2011-PRESENT)

Authored Books

Dutiful Love: Empowering Individuals and Families Affected by Serious Mental Illness. Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2021.

The Problem of Wealth: A Christian Response to a Culture of Affluence. Maryknoll: Orbis Books, 2017.

Dorothy Day for Armchair Theologians. Louisville: Westminster John Knox, 2014.

Beyond the Social Maze: Exploring Vida Dutton Scudder’s Theological Ethics. New York: Continuum, 2006.

Edited Books

Prayers for a New Social Awakening, co-edited with Christian Iosso. Louisville: Westminster John Knox Press, 2008.

To Do Justice: Engaging Progressive Christians in Social Action, co-edited with Rebecca Todd Peters. Louisville, Westminster John Knox Press: 2008.

Articles in Refereed Journals

“God’s Grace is Good Enough for All of Us,” *American Baptist Quarterly* Volume 37 (Fall 2019) Number 3: 367-374.

“Solidarity and the Social Gospel: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives.” *The American Journal of Theology and Philosophy* Vol. 37, No. 2 (May 2016): 137-150

“The Problem of Wealth,” *Cross Currents* Volume 64 #1 (March 2014): 39-58.

“The Significance of Valerie Saiving’s ‘Human Situation: A Feminine View,’” co-edited with Mark Douglas. This co-edited work includes a co-authored introduction and eight essays written by different scholars in honor of the 50th anniversary of Valerie Saiving’s “Human Situation: A Feminine View.” *Journal of Feminist Studies in Religion* Volume 28 #1 (Spring 2012): 75-134.

“A Feminist Claiming Humility as the Means to Embrace and Empower Women around the Globe,” a contribution to the roundtable discussion honoring Valerie Saiving’s article. *Journal of Feminist Studies in Religion* Volume 28 #1 (Spring 2012): 108-114.

“Finding the Little Gate: A U.S. Theologian’s Reflections on the Public Role of the Church in Hungary.” *Studia Theologica Debrecinensis* (Spring 2011).

Essays in Books

“Christian Social Witness Towards Polarization, Markets, and Money—Pivotal Moments from the U.S. Context, Contextual Theologies of Diakonia, edited by Godwin Ampony, Beate Hofmann, Martin Büscher, Félicité Ngingtedem, Dennis Solon, and Dietrich Werner. Spring 2021, 563-567.

“Feminism,” *The Oxford Handbook of Reinhold Niebuhr*, edited by Robin Lovin and Joshua Mauldin. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2021, 411-426.

Afterword for *Hope in Disarray: Piecing Our Lives Together in Faith* by Grace Ji-Sun Kim. Cleveland: The Pilgrim Press, 2020.

“Girl-Talk (Gossip)” for *Encountering the Sacred*, co-edited by Rebecca Todd Peters and Grace Y. Kao. New York: Bloomsbury, 2018, 105-118.

“Mentoring Toward a Humane Disposition, Attitude, and Imagination,” co-authored with Douglas F. Ottati in book edited by Cameron Murchison and Dean Thompson. Grand Rapids: William B. Eerdmans, 2018, 195-210.

“Paying a Visit to Zaccheus’ House” in *Calvinism on the Peripheries*, ed. by Ábrahám KOVÁCS, co-edited by Béla BARÁTH. Budapest: L’Harmattan, 2016.

“ ‘In Each the Work of All and in All the Work of Each’: Sin and Salvation in Schleiermacher and Rauschenbusch,” in *Schleiermacher’s Influence on American Thought and Religious Life, 1835-1920. Volume I*, edited by Jeffrey Wilcox, Terrence N. Tice, and Catherine Kelsey. Wipf and Stock 2014, 370-392.

“The African Growth and Opportunity Act: A US Perspective on Who Benefits,” *The European Union, the United States, and China in Africa*, edited by Rogate R. Mshana. Geneva: WCC Publications, 2013, 89-106.

“ ‘As Any Might Have Need’: Envisioning Communities of Shared Partnership” in *Poverty, Wealth, and Ecology: Ecumenical Perspectives from North America*, edited by Joy Kennedy. World Council of Churches, 2012, 101-130.

Video Series

“Expanding the Narrative—Women and the Reformation, Then and Now.” Producer and part of production team for a Theoacademy series along with Landon Whitsitt, Synod Executive for the Synod of Mid-America, Beth Olker, Field Staff for Racial Ethnic and Women’s Intercultural Ministries of the PC(USA). Available online at <http://www.theoacademy.com/expanding-the-narrative-women-and-the-reformation>

Textbooks and Other Adult Study Curriculum

“Make Peace.” For *Follow Me* Curriculum. Presbyterian Publishing Corporation, 2022.

“Cultivating Consciousness as You Reflect on Dorothy Day’s Life: A Guide for Individual and Group Devotion,” For Journey Films Documentary of Dorothy Day Website, 2019.

"Entering Life--Through the Eye of the Needle, By Moving the Molasses Quickly in January, and Finding the Little Gate." A Reflection and Study Guide for *Just Faith Ministries* 2019-2018.

Reconciling Paul. A nine-session adult study curriculum for Presbyterian Women. *Horizons* 2014-2015.

SELECT NAMED LECTURESHIPS AND PRESENTATIONS (2012-PRESENT)

William Johnson Lectures, Preacher for “For the Love of God: Honoring the Life and Work of E. Glenn Hinson,” March 29-31, 2019. Title: “God’s Grace is Good Enough for All of Us.” S

Sister Mary Keenan Lecture, “Insights from the World’s Religions for an Alternative Social Logic,” Spaulding University, Louisville, Kentucky, March 27, 2018.

Cunningham Lectures, “Why the Problem is Wealth, Not Poverty,” “More than Money, Math, and Markets: Considering Alternative Approaches to Economics,” and “Insights from the World’s Religions for an Alternative Social Logic,” Austin College, Sherman, Texas, February 20, 2018.

Tollefson Lectures, Buena Vista University, Storm Lake, Iowa, November 9, 2015. Topics: “Introducing the Problem of Wealth” and “Sola Caritate, Love Alone: A Serious Call for a Cultural Conversion.”

McClendon Scholar in Residence, New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, Washington, DC, September 18-20, 2015. Weekend theme: “The Challenge of Dorothy Day for 21st Christians.”

Annual Cardinal Ritter Lecturer on “Dorothy Day’s Impact in the Louisville Area” for Lecture and Irish Coffee Night at Cardinal Ritter Home, New Albany, Indiana, March 12, 2015.

The George and Jean Edwards Lecturer in Peace and Justice, Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky, November 14, 2013.

The Thomas White Currie Lecturer at Austin Theological Seminary, February 5-6, 2013. Topic: “Grace-filled Economy: The Way around an Ethic of Scarcity toward an Ethic of Enough.”

SELECT SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION (2012-PRESENT)

2022-2024 Faculty Mentor for Louisville Institute’s Vocation of the Theological Educator (VTE) Initiative

2011-2022 English Editor for *Theológiai Fórum* (Theological Forum), a journal of the Hungarian Reformed Church.

April 2019 Named Advisor to the McClendon Scholars Program at New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, Washington, DC

January 2019 Elected Board Member for Society of Christian Ethics

July 2017 Local Representative for 2019 Society of Christian Ethics Meeting

2012-2019 Member of Board of the Niebuhr Society

January 2012 2020 Future of Christian Ethics Committee for the Society of Christian Ethics.

SELECT PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES AT UNIVERSITIES, FOR PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, AND OTHER GROUPS (2010 TO PRESENT)

International

“Your Body Can Be a Shield: Shifting Raced Bodily Values and Transforming the Corrupt Moral Imaginary of Anti-black Societies,” Ninth Annual Conference for Research in Diakonia and Christian Social Practice, VID Specialized University, Oslo, Norway, presented online on May 30, 2023.

“Madness, Polarization, and the Call to Embody God’s Grace.” International Reformed Theological Institute Biennial Gathering. Amsterdam, Netherlands, July 6, 2019.

Distinguished Guest Professor for international conference on “International Calvinism: A Unity in Diversity? Interactions between International and National Calvinism(s) during the Era of Liberalism and Totalitarianism,” Debrecen Reformed Theological Seminary, Bereksfürdő-Debrecen, Hungary, April 11-15, 2015.

Presenter on “The African Growth and Opportunity Act: A US Perspective on Who Benefits.” EU-USA-China-Africa Development Dialogue. The New Safari Hotel, Arusha, Tanzania, February 27-March 1, 2013.

Participant and Member of Listener’s Group and Drafting Team for Statement Coming From World Council of Churches Global Forum on Poverty, Wealth, and Ecology. Puri Avia Resort in Bogor, Indonesia. June 17-23, 2012. Follow-up meeting July 9-10, 2012 in Geneva, Switzerland.

Keynote Research Presentation on “*As Any Might Have Need: Envisioning Communities of Shared Partnership.*” North American Regional Forum and Hearings. November 9, 2011, Calgary, Canada.

“*As Any Might Have Need: Christian Resistance to Neoliberalism.*” A preliminary report of research conducted for the World Council of Churches AGAPE Reference Group, May 15, 2011, Kingston, Jamaica.

“Finding the Little Gate: A U.S. Theologian’s Reflections on the Public Role of the Church in Hungary.” Lecture for Ph.D. candidates, M.Div. students, and faculty at Debreceni Református Hittudományi Egyetem, Debrecen, Hungary, December 8, 2010.

National

“Being Church Amidst Madness: Supporting Caregivers of People with Serious Mental Illness,” Online Webinar for *The Presbyterian Outlook*, Tuesday, April 26, 2022.

“Everyday Sexism,” a workshop for the Clergywomen’s Gathering of the Presbytery of the Mid-South, Pinecrest Camp, Memphis, Tennessee, Saturday, March 5, 2022.

“The Moral Limits of Dutiful Love in Families Affected by Serious Mental Illness” Presentation for the Family and Social Responsibility Interest Group at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, Monday, January 4, 2021. Respondent: M.T. Davila, Merrimack College.

“Have You Ever Imagined a Society Free from Debt?” Presentation for Underpinnings of Systemic Poverty Online Course. Johnson C. Smith and Stony Point Center, Monday, October 12, 2020.

“What Would an Economy Look Like That is More in Line with our Theological Commitments?” Presentation for Underpinnings of Systemic Poverty Online Course. Johnson C. Smith and Stony Point Center, Monday, September 21, 2020.

“A Toast to a Peace Activist,” Center for Faith and Justice, Xavier University, Cincinnati, Ohio, Monday, November 11, 2019.

“The Context for Scholarly Activism in Kentucky,” Society of Christian Ethics Forum, Friday, January 4, 2019. Convened a panel of local leaders including Ms. Karina Barillas, the Rev. Dr. Kevin Cosby, and Senator Morgan McGarvey. The Rev. Dr. David Gushee served as respondent.

“God’s Mission, Christian Vocation, and Forming Religious Leaders in a Land of Contrasts,” Wake Forest Divinity School, Wednesday, October 10, 2018. In addition, preaching for Community Worship on Tuesday, October 9, 2018. Sermon text and title: Matthew 19:23-25; “Entering into Life—Through the Eye of the Needle, By Moving the Molasses Quickly, and By Finding the Little Gate.”

“Faculty Advocate and Middle Manager: Leveraging Privilege of Chairs for the Sake of the University Common Good,” Concurrent Session, Annual Meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, Portland, Oregon, January 6, 2018.

“Solidarity and the Social Gospel: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives,” Institute for American Religious Philosophical Thought, Asheville, North Carolina, June 17, 2015.

“Cultivating Consciousness,” Evergreen Center for Dialogue and Discernment, Dothan, Alabama, April 23, 2014.

Local

“ ‘Dangerous Unselfishness’: Reflections on the Problem of Wealth in Honor of Martin Luther King, Jr.” The Temple, Louisville, Kentucky, April 6, 2018.

“The History of the Sanctuary Movement” for a panel on “Compassionate City: Exploring Louisville’s Role and What it Means for Immigrants.” Society of Professional Journalists, Iroquois Library, Louisville, Kentucky, November 14, 2017.

“The Moral Imperative to Teach Interfaith Literacy for the Sake of the Commons,” Panelist with Samuel Marcossou, Edwin Segal, Joe Brenna, and Siddique Malik on the topic of “Teaching Religion in the Public Schools: Recent Changes in Kentucky Law. University of Louisville, KY, April 18, 2017.

“Interdisciplinary Approaches to Examining Whiteness,” Panelist with Dr. Conor Picken and Dr. Matisa Wilbon. Bellarmine University Student Success Conference, Louisville, KY, February 24, 2017.

“Cultivating Consciousness and Nurturing Authentic Love: Key Ingredients for Peace,” Presenter, Recipes for Peace Dinner, Sponsored by Interfaith Paths to Peace, Louisville, KY, October 2015.

SELECT BOARD RELATED PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE (2012-PRESENT)

2017-present	Board Member, American Waldensian Society
2019-2023	Board Member, Society of Christian Ethics
2017-2019	Elected Member of Site-based Decision-Making Committee,

2017-2019 Highland Middle School
President Board of Directors, Center for Women and Gender Studies, Inc.
2008-2014 Board Member, American Waldensian Society

SELECT SERVICE TO THE CHURCH (2010-PRESENT)

International

Represented the World Council of Churches at Meeting with World Bank President Jim Kim, The World Bank, Washington, DC, February 18, 2015.

Researcher for “Poverty, Wealth and Ecology” Report on North American Context, March 2010-November 2011.

PC(USA) Participant in World Council of Churches International Ecumenical Peace Convocation, University of West Indies, Kingston, Jamaica, May 2011.

PC(USA) Representative for World Council of Churches Consultation on “*Poverty, Wealth, and Ecology*,” Budapest, Hungary, November 8-12, 2010.

National Level

Planning Committee for New Directions in Social Witness Policy Consultation, which met on Zoom on November 2, 9, and 16, 2020.

Elected Member of Mission Responsibility Through Investment (PCUSA), Summer 2018-present.

Elected Member of the Advisory Committee on Women’s Concerns (ACWC), 2008-2014.

References available upon request.