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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2022–Pres **McDonald Fellow in Christian Ethics and Public Life** University of Oxford
Faculty of Theology and Religion, affiliated with Christ Church
- Publishing in responsible business, law and religion, and theology, 4-year postdoc funded by the McDonald Agape Foundation
- 2014–Pres **Academic Consultant** Goldman Sachs International
10,000 Small Businesses UK, Saïd Business School
- Lead curriculum designer for management education initiative, adding £2.8bn annually to UK economy through 2,000+ alumni firms
- 2020–2022 **Research Fellow** University of Oxford
Faculty of Theology and Religion
- Researching culture and character development in finance, 3-year group project, John Templeton Foundation, £2.6m
- 2020–2022 **Junior Research Fellow** University of Oxford
Blackfriars Hall

EDUCATION

- 2019 **DPhil Theology and Religion** University of Oxford
- Thesis: Corporate religious liberty and Christian ethics
 - Advisor: N. Biggar; Examiners: P. Yowell (Oxford), J. Capizzi (CUA)
- 2014 **MSt Theology, Christian Ethics** University of Oxford
- Thesis: Do for-profit corporations have conscience rights?
 - Advisor: Nigel Biggar
- 2013 **PfC Budget and Finance** Georgetown University
- 2010 **MA Philosophy** Mount St Mary's Seminary
- Thesis: The metaphysics of conversion in Augustine's *Confessions*
 - Advisor: Paige Hochschild
- 2008 **BM Music and Business** New York University
- Tuition Scholarship, Steinhardt School
 - Founder's Day Award for top scholastic achievement

SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS

Books

- 2020 (5) **David, E. A.**, *A Christian Approach to Corporate Religious Liberty*, Palgrave Frontiers in Philosophy of Religion, Palgrave Macmillan, September 2020. Softcover 2021.
- Included in the 2020 Law and Religion bibliography of the Association of American Law Schools
 - Reviews include:
 1. Hodge, D. *Journal of Religion & Spirituality in Social Work* (May 2022).
 2. Calhoun, A. *Studies in Christian Ethics* 35, no. 2 (May 2022): 375–378.
 3. Pietrzyk, P. *New Blackfriars* 103, no. 1103 (Jan 2022): 156–159.
 4. Potts, G. *Journal of Markets & Morality* 24, no. 2 (Nov 2021): 462–463.

Refereed Journal Articles

- 2023 (4) **David, E. A.**, ‘Should we admire the shrewd steward (Luke 16:1–9)? Moral exemplarism and Christian ethics’, *Theology*, forthcoming.
- 2022 (3) Lee, M. and **E. A. David**, ‘Religious deviance and psychological medicine in the Second Great Awakening: the asylum narratives of Elizabeth T. Stone (b. 1811)’, *Journal of Church and State* 64, no. 3 (Summer 2022): 413–436.
- 2021 (2) **David, E. A.**, ‘Narrative and truthfulness through the body: interpreting Mark Wynn’, *Studies in Christian Ethics* 35, no. 1 (Jan 2022): 36–40, first published online Nov 2021.
- 2019 (1) **David, E. A.**, ‘Is group ontology morally distracting? A natural law approach to corporate religious liberty’, *Oxford Journal of Law and Religion* 8, no. 3 (Oct 2019): 641–667.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Books

- (4) *The Collected Works of Elizabeth T. Stone (b. 1811)*, with Mark W. Lee.

Book Chapters

- (3) ‘Can AI foundation models replace human creativity?’ in *Emerging Technologies, Converging Theologies*, Springer, editor Jessica Giles, **invited**.

Refereed Journal Articles

- (2) ‘Modelling virtue in finance: a thematic analysis of moral exemplars in UK finance’.
- (1) ‘Religious freedom and a Thomist theory of religious organization’, *Religions*, editor Tsurriel Rashi, **invited**.

MANAGEMENT COURSES

- 2022 (3) *Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses UK*, ed. **E. A. David**, Goldman Sachs International, January 2016, 1st ed., recurring, now in 17th ed.
- 2020 (2) **David, E. A.** et al., *Reimagining Business*, Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses UK, Goldman Sachs International, April 2020.
- 2018 (1) **David, E. A.**, *Fundamentals of sales and marketing, with Goldman Sachs 10,000 Women*, Coursera, July 2018, 1st ed., recurring, reissued 2020 in Spanish and Portuguese.

BOOK REVIEWS

- 2022 (4) **David, E. A.**, 'Work as a Calling: from Meaningful Work to Good Work. By Garrett W. Potts', *Business Ethics Quarterly*, forthcoming.
- 2022 (3) **David, E. A.**, 'Wealth, Virtue, and Moral Luck: Christian Ethics in an Age of Inequality. By Kate Ward', *Journal of Moral Theology*, forthcoming.
- 2021 (2) **David, E. A.**, 'Post-Liberal Religious Liberty: Forming Communities of Charity. By Joel Harrison', *Studies in Christian Ethics* 34, no. 4 (Nov 2021): 555–557.
- 2017 (1) **David, E. A.**, 'The Ethics of Discernment: Lonergan's Foundations for Ethics. By Patrick H. Byrne', *The Journal of Theological Studies* 68, no. 2 (Oct 2017): 870–873.

ONLINE PUBLICATIONS

- 2022 (9) **David, E. A.**, 'The crucifixion of Christ', radio interview, *Voice of Islam UK*, 15 July.
- 2021 (8) **David, E. A.**, 'Fasting', radio interview, *Voice of Islam UK*, 14 May.
- 2021 (7) **David, E. A.**, 'Church autonomy and the *corpus mysticum* tradition', *Canopy Forum*, Emory University, 6 May.
- Response: Pennell, J., 'The *corpus mysticum* and church freedom: a response to Edward David', *Canopy Forum*, Emory University, 25 May.
- 2021 (6) **David, E. A.**, 'Why do restrictions on religious attendance cause "irreparable harm"? A Catholic reflection on *Diocese of Brooklyn v. Cuomo*', *Canopy Forum*, 19 April.
- 2021 (5) **David, E. A.**, 'Philosophy, psychology, and the significance of prayer', live radio interview, *Voice of Islam UK*, 30 March.
- 2021 (4) **David, E. A.**, 'A Christian Approach to Corporate Religious Liberty: an interview with Edward A. David', podcast, *New Books in Christian Studies*, 12 March.
- 2021 (3) **David, E. A.**, 'Extracting our abstractions: why we need a Christian approach to corporate religious liberty', *Canopy Forum*, Emory University, 5 March.

- 2021 (2) **David, E. A.**, 'UN World Interfaith Harmony Week', live radio interview, *Voice of Islam UK*, 29 January.
- 2021 (1) **David, E. A.**, 'The virtue of religion: rethinking America's approach to international religious freedom', *Berkeley Center*, Georgetown University, 12 January.

INVITED TALKS

- 2023 (14) 'Corporate personhood in theology and law', Recollections Lectures, Pusey House, Oxford, 23 February.
- 2022 (13) 'The role models that middle managers want and want to become', Financial Conduct Authority, 23 November.
- 2022 (12) 'Religious deviance and psychological medicine in the Second Great Awakening', with M. W. Lee, Oxford Centre for Life Writing, 31 May.
- 2022 (11) 'Practical wisdom and the law', two short video lectures for 'Law, Religion, and Public Policy', a Juris Doctor elective at Trinity Law School, California, 13 March.
- 2021 (10) 'A Christian approach to corporate religious liberty', Taunton Talks, Grandpont House, Oxford, 1 December.
- 2021 (9) 'Beyond the academy: connecting and contributing to professional life', Postgraduate session, Annual Conference, Society for the Study of Christian Ethics, 10 September.
- 2021 (8) 'Beyond corporate personhood: how to think ethically about corporate religious liberty', Institute of Economic Affairs, 28 July.
- 2021 (7) 'Business ethics: saving grace or oxymoron?', panellist, Free Speech Project, Georgetown University, 19 July.
- 2021 (6) 'Themes from *A Christian Approach to Corporate Religious Liberty*', book event, Canterbury Institute, 12 May.
- 2021 (5) 'Character at work: why character matters for work, the workplace and civil society', policy seminar, The Centre for Social Justice, 19 March.
- 2021 (4) 'Responsible corporate leadership: integrating leadership and corporate responsibility', guest lecture, Institute of Technology Sligo, Ireland, 9 March.
- 2020 (3) '*A Christian Approach to Corporate Religious Liberty*: an introduction', book event, The Las Casas Institute, Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford, 3 December.
- 2019 (2) 'Corporate religious liberty: group-agential action as legal subject', Making Social Groups Visible to Law Seminar, School of Law, University College Cork, 1 March.
- 2018 (1) 'Do family firms want to grow? Fostering virtue and productivity', Respondent to KJ Barnes's *Redeeming Capitalism*, Symposium on Enterprise, Ethics & Development, 23 May.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2022 (14) 'The power of good examples', Exploring the Social Licence for Financial Markets, The Oxford Character Project, 28 October.
- 2022 (13) 'Should we admire the shrewd steward (Luke 16:1–9)? Moral exemplarism and Christian ethics', Annual Conference, Society for the Study of Christian Ethics, 9 September.
- 2022 (12) 'Beyond MacIntyre: an ethics model of the firm', Annual Conference, Society for Business Ethics, peer reviewed, 4 August.
- 2022 (11) 'Response to *Longing for the Good Life: Virtue Ethics after Protestantism* by Pietre Vos', European Academy of Religion, Bologna, **invited**, 20 June.
- 2022 (10) 'Augustine and Finland's Freedom of Religion Act: a "dialogue on theology of law"', Research Conference in Theology and Religion, University of Helsinki, 19 May.
- 2021 (9) 'Response to "Truth, lies & Christian ethics: a narratival perspective" by Mark Wynn', Society for the Study of Christian Ethics, **invited**, 10 September.
- 2021 (8) 'Transformative learning and moral character education', The Role of Philosophy of Education in Teacher Training and Practice, Philippine Normal University, 18 August.
- 2021 (7) 'From household to nation: the Wisdom Literature and practical moral reason', Early Career Conference, Centre for Catholic Studies, Durham University, 14 June.
- 2019 (6) 'A tale of two Thomases: the moral theology of Piketty's *Capital in the Twenty-First Century*', Annual Conference, Society for the Study of Christian Ethics, 6 September.
- 2019 (5) 'A sacramental model of church autonomy doctrine', Graduate Conference, Society for the Study of Theology, 13 July.
- 2019 (4) 'To whom or to what does corporate religious liberty apply?', Early Career Conference, Centre for Catholic Studies, Durham University, 12 June.
- 2016 (3) 'What is corporate conscience, and whose conscience rights win?', Oxford-Jerusalem Conference, University of Oxford and Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 27 March.
- 2014 (2) 'The first principle(s) of morality: comparing Thomas Aquinas and Germain Grisez', Catholicism and Critical Theory, Durham University, 28 April.
- 2014 (1) 'The Affordable Care Act, corporate conscience and theological ethics', Futures of Capitalism, University of Winchester, 9 April.

INVITED CAMPUS AND DEPARTMENTAL TALKS

- 2022 (11) 'The social character of business: an ethics model of the firm', The Common Good

Project, Faculty of Law, Oxford, 7 June.

- 2022 (10) 'Integration of faith, work, and research', Graduate Christian Forum, University of Oxford, 18 May.
- 2022 (9) 'Insight into consultancy: new trends in the sector', Oxford Women in Business, University of Oxford, 5 May.
- 2022 (8) 'Theology and character education', Social Sciences Stream, Developing a Christian Mind, University of Oxford, 19 March.
- 2021 (7) 'Transformative learning theory and Aristotelian character education', Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford, 28 October.
- 2021 (6) 'The church in law, ethics, and theology', Graduate Theological Society, University of Oxford, 18 October.
- 2021 (5) 'From household to nation: the Wisdom Literature and practical moral reason', Oxford Scriptural Reasoning Group, 16 February.
- 2019 (4) 'Corporate religious liberty: a Christian ethical approach', Christian Ethics Postgraduate Research Seminar, University of Oxford, 8 May.
- 2018 (3) 'Introduction to New Natural Law: Finnis, Boyle and Grisez', Foundations of Natural Law, The Anscombe Bioethics Centre, 7 March.
- 2016 (2) '*Burwell v Hobby Lobby, Inc*: an economic analysis of corporate religious liberty', Las Casas Institute Graduate Seminar, Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford, 31 October.
- 2016 (1) 'Corporate religious liberty: what it is, and why it matters', The Newman Society, University of Oxford, 27 October.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Faculty of Theology and Religion, University of Oxford

- 2023 (21) **Christian Ethics: Classic Texts and Issues** (Seminar leader, co-designed, co-taught)
- Part of a three-person teaching team
 - 8x 120min seminars for 6 postgraduate students
 - Leader for sessions on Anscombe, virtue, economics
- 2022 (20) **Elements of a Christian Ethic** (Seminar leader, co-designed, co-taught)
- Part of a three-person teaching team
 - 8x 120min seminars for 6 postgraduate students
 - Leader for sessions on natural law, moral absolutes and proportionalism, virtue
- 2022 (19) **Wealth and Christian Ethics** (Lecturer)
- Invited lecturer

- 60min class for 20 postgraduate students
- 2019 (18) **Christian Moral Reasoning** (Tutor, Trinity College, Oxford)
 - 8x 60min tutorials, 8 essays on assigned texts for 1 undergraduate student
- (17) **Contraception in Roman Catholic Teaching** (Dissertation advisor, Trinity, Oxford)
 - 3x 60min tutorials for 1 undergraduate student
- 2018 (16) **Key Themes in Systematic Theology** (Teaching assistant)
 - Assistant to Dr. Darren Sarisky (currently, Australian Catholic University)
 - 2x 90min lectures with seminar discussion for 15 undergraduate students
- (15) **Thesis Writing Skills** (Teaching assistant)
 - 4x 60min classes for 4 undergraduate students

Saïd Business School, University of Oxford

- 2022 (14) **Role Models and Leadership** (Lecturer)
 - 1x 120min class for 60 visiting MBA students
 - Part of a Humanities and Leadership series
- 2021 (13) **Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses UK** (Cohort facilitator)
 - 16-week course for 70+ small business owners
 - 20x 60min online lectures, as facilitator for guest speakers
 - 2x in-person residencies
- 2022 (12) **MBA Plus** (Group facilitator)
 - 4-week course for 11 MBA alumni
 - 4x 60min online seminars on assigned leadership and humanities texts
- 2019 (11) **Increasing Social Impact through Partnerships** (Lecturer, co-designed, co-taught)
 - 1x 90min session for 70 small business owners, featuring lecture and group activities

Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford

- 2021 (10) **Business Ethics** (Tutor)
 - 8x 60min tutorials, 8 essays on assigned texts for 1 visiting student
- (9) **Theory of Politics** (Tutor)
 - 8x 60min tutorials, 6 essays on assigned texts for 1 visiting student

The Oxford Character Project, University of Oxford

- 2021 (8) **The Oxford Global Leadership Initiative** (Seminar leader, co-designed and co-taught)
 - 20-week extracurricular course for 20 Oxford postgraduate students

- 16x 60min seminars on assigned texts, personal mentoring, character-based practices
- Course won the Vice-Chancellor's Education Award, Oxford University, 2022

Department of Theology, Religion, and Philosophy, University of Winchester

- 2019 (7) **Contemporary Christian Theology** (Lecturer, designed and sole-taught)
- Senior-level course for 20 undergraduate students
 - 14x 90min weekly lectures, 7 seminars, ad hoc personalized essay tutoring
 - Examination by final essay (4,000 words)
- (6) **Religion & Ethics** (Lecturer, designed and sole-taught)
- First-year course for 70 undergraduates across the humanities and social sciences
 - 14x 90min weekly lectures with case studies and debates
 - Examination by oral exam (analysis of a moral dilemma)
- (5) **Animal Ethics & Religion** (Independent study advisor)
- 2x 60min tutorials for 1 undergraduate student
- (4) **Just War Theory** (Independent study advisor)
- 2x 60min tutorials for 1 undergraduate student
- (3) **Buddhism, Virtue Ethics and Metaphysics** (Dissertation advisor)
- 4x 60min tutorials for 1 undergraduate student
 - Panellist for dissertation presentations

Department for Continuing Education, University of Oxford

- 2016 (2) **Introduction to Christian Theology** (Teaching assistant)
- Assistant to Dr. Sarah Boss
 - 2x 90min lectures for 15 adult students

Department of Mission, Diocese of Oxford, Church of England

- 2014 (1) **Christian Ethics** (Lecturer, co-designed and co-taught)
- 5x 90min lectures for 15 church ministry candidates

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2020–Pres **Research Fellow**, Virtues & Vocations research group
- Research lead for virtue in the financial services and technology sectors
 - Qualitative methods in social sciences (psychology): content analysis, thematic analysis, NVivo, semi-structured interviewing
- 2015–2018 **Economics Research Assistant**, McDonald Centre for Theology, Ethics & Public Life
- Literature review of empirical studies on UK income and wealth inequality

- Enrolment at the London School of Economics (2016):
Capitalism, Democracy and Equality, final mark: 70+

PEER REVIEWER

- 2022–Pres *Business Ethics Quarterly*, Cambridge University Press
 Sustainability, MDPI
- 2021–Pres *Religions*, MDPI

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

- 2023 **PhD Consultation**, Doctoral School of Social Sciences, University of Warsaw
- 2022–Pres **Treasurer**, Society for the Study of Christian Ethics UK
- 2022–Pres **Editorial Advisory Board Member**, *Journal of Christian Legal Thought*
- 2015–Pres **Admissions Panellist**, Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses UK, Oxford Saïd
- 2022 **Submission Reviewer**, Annual Conference of the Society for Business Ethics
- 2021 **College Advisor**, Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford
- 2015–2016 **Treasurer**, Graduate Theological Society, University of Oxford

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2015–2018 **Junior Dean**, Blackfriars Hall
 University of Oxford
- 2013–2016 **Events Manager**, The Power Shift Forum for Women in the World Economy
 University of Oxford and Georgetown University
- 2013 **Education Reform Fellow**, Parent and Community Engagement
 Center City Public Charter Schools and Education Pioneers, Washington, DC
- 2011–2013 **Humanities Teacher**, Latin, Medieval History, English, New Testament
 Trinity School at Meadowview, Falls Church, VA

EARLY CAREER RESEARCH GRANTS

- 2022 **Hayek Fund for Scholars**, Institute for Humane Studies
- Project name: ‘Religion, Asylums, and Contested Freedoms during the Second Great Awakening: The Collected Works of Elizabeth T. Stone’, with Mark W. Lee
 - Initial funding (transcription costs): \$1,500
- 2022 **Hayek Fund for Scholars**, Institute for Humane Studies

- Project name: ‘Theologies of Religious Freedom: Augustine and Finland’s Freedom of Religion Act 2003’
- Initial funding (conference presentation, University of Helsinki): \$750

AWARDS

2022	Dissertation Prize , runner up, Oxford DPhil thesis, Academy of Catholic Theology
2022	Travel Grant , Fondazione per le scienze religiose, European Academy of Religion, €300
2019	Early Career Travel Grant , Centre for Catholic Studies, Durham University, £200
2019	Calihan Travel Grant , Acton Institute, University College Cork, \$500
2018	Summer Fellow , Institute for Human Ecology, Catholic University of America
2017	Summer Fellow , Institute for Humane Studies, George Mason University
2014	Blackwell’s Postgraduate Scholarship , Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford, £2,000
2014	Travel Grant , Catholic Theological Association of GB, Durham University, £200
2014	Crewdson Trust Award , Harris Manchester College, Oxford, £1,000
2014	Postgraduate Scholarship , Sir Richard Stapley Educational Trust, London, £750
2013	Graduate Fellow , Education Pioneers, Center City Public Charter Schools, DC, \$8,000

PROFESSIONAL AND CHARITABLE MEMBERSHIPS

2021–Pres	Academy of Catholic Theology , Member
2020–Pres	Society for Business Ethics , Member
2020–Pres	International Consortium for Law and Religion Studies , Member
2019–Pres	Canterbury Institute, Oxford , Senior Reader
2019–Pres	Society for the Study of Christian Ethics UK , Member, Treasurer
2014–Pres	Companions of Malta, Oxford , Member, Soup Kitchen Leader