

Aaron Brian Davis

Curriculum Vitae

Union Presbyterian Seminary
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Education

Union Presbyterian Seminary (Richmond, VA)

Degree: Master of Theology

Thesis: *"What Must I do to be Saved?" A Study in Soteriological Necessity and Sufficiency* (tentative title)

Thesis Adviser: Dawn DeVries, PhD

Received: May 2021 (Anticipated)

Union Presbyterian Seminary (Richmond, VA)

Degree: Master of Divinity

Received: May 2020

North Carolina State University (Raleigh, NC)

Degree: Bachelor of Arts

Major: Religious Studies

Minor: Journalism

Received: May 2017

Academic Interests

General: Systematic theology, philosophical theology, historical theology.

Topics: Christology, soteriology, eschatology.

Experience

Grace & Holy Trinity Episcopal Church (Richmond, VA)

Coordinator of Children, Youth, and Family Ministries, August 2017 – Present

Responsible for overseeing Christian education/formation programs for all parishioners aged birth through twelfth grade and their families including, but not limited to: Sunday School, Confirmation classes, Children's Chapel, nursery, and youth activities. Additionally, responsible for recruiting and managing relevant volunteers and paid staff, developing/managing program budgets, and generally serving as the parish's Christian educator and educational administrator.

Union Presbyterian Seminary (Richmond, VA)

Grant Project Assistant, August 2020 – Present

Responsible for administrative assistance to the Rev. Richard W. Voelz, PhD in the completion of a project funded by the Calvin Institute of Christian Worship through a Teacher-Scholar Grant. Primary duties include feedback collection, data recording and aggregation, and software support.

North Carolina State University (Raleigh, NC)

Lead Audio-Visual Technician, December 2015 – July 2017

Audio-Visual Technician, July 2015 – December 2015

Publications

Articles

Davis, Aaron. "Compassionate Exclusivism: Relational Atonement and Post-Mortem Salvation"

Forthcoming in Journal of Analytic Theology

Reviews

"Oliver D. Crisp, *Analyzing Doctrine: Toward a Systematic Theology*"

Forthcoming in Anglican Theological Review

"Eleonore Stump, *Atonement*." *McMaster Journal of Theology & Ministry* 21 (2019-2020): R31-36.

In Progress

Davis, Aaron. "Hypertime and Relational Soteriology: Further Applying a Novel Proposal."

Davis, Aaron. "'Draw Me After You:' Toward an Erotic Theosis."

Presentations

Davis, Aaron. "The Moderated Ecumenical Interpretation: A Mashup Account of the Atonement." Paper presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, Florida State University, online due to COVID-19, March 12-14, 2020.

Davis, Aaron. "No Longer through a Glass Dimly: Conciliar Orthodoxy and Foundational Propositional Knowledge." Paper presentation at the Christ Among the Disciplines Conference, online due to COVID-19, November 18-25, 2020.

Davis, Aaron. "'Draw Me After You:' Toward an Erotic Theosis." Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, online due to COVID-19, November 29-December 10, 2020.

Davis, Aaron. "Loving Self, Neighbor, and God: A Hybrid Approach to Mission and Relationality." Lightning Talk at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Missiology, St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, IN, June 19-21, 2020.

Cancelled due to COVID-19 outbreak

Davis, Aaron. "Making Our Selves: Flourishing through Narrative and Fellowship." Paper presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-Atlantic Region of the American Academy of Religion, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ, March 9-10, 2020.

Cancelled due to COVID-19 outbreak

Davis, Aaron. "Orthodoxy and Family: Addressing Cultural Change Contra-Dreher." Paper presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Commission for the Study of Religion, University of Georgia, Athens, GA, February 28-March 1, 2020.

Davis, Aaron. "Compassionate Exclusivism: Toward a Broader Soteriology through the Relationality of Grace." Paper presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, San Diego, CA, November 23-26, 2019.

Honors and Awards

Union Presbyterian Seminary (Richmond, VA)

Master of Theology Merit Scholarship, September 2020 – Present

Wade and Lou Boggs Scholarship for Excellence in Christian Theology, April 2019

Ida, Susan, Matilda, and Joseph Chesnutt Merit Scholarship, August 2017 – May 2020

Professional and Community Service

American Academy of Religion – Southeast Region

Co-Chair of the Constructive Theologies Section, February 2020 – Present

Society of Christian Philosophers

Member of the Eastern Region Committee, January 2021 – Present

Union Presbyterian Seminary (Richmond, VA)

Volunteer for the Community Life First Year Student Program, June 2019 – Present

Volunteer for the Admissions Visitor Program, October 2018 – Present

Richmond Student Representative to the Committee on Academic Programs, May 2019 – September 2020

Moderator of the Richmond Student Government Assembly, October 2019 – April 2020

Christ Episcopal Church (Raleigh, NC)

Lay Eucharistic Minister, June 2015 – July 2017

Lector, June 2015 – July 2017

North Carolina State University (Raleigh, NC)

Vice President of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences Student Council, May 2016 – May 2017

President of Academic Study of Religions Club, May 2015 – June 2016

Organizational Memberships

American Academy of Religion (AAR), January 2018 – Present

American Society of Church History (ASCH), January 2018 – Present

American Society of Missiology (ASM), January 2019 – Present

Society of Christian Philosophers (SCP), February 2019 – Present

References

Available upon request.