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#### **Education**

- PhD, Systematic Theology, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL, 2009–2016
  - Identity and Ecclesiology: Their Relationship among Select Theologians in Africa Supervisor: Daniel J. Treier, Wheaton College
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Reader: Tite Tiénou, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School
- M.Div., Missio Seminary (formerly Biblical Theological Seminary), Philadelphia, PA, 2004–2008
- B.A., Christian Thought, Grove City College, Grove City, PA, 1999–2003

   Graduated Magna Cum Laude

### **Books and Book Chapters**

- "Tuvoye Let Us Pray" in A Praying People: Essays on Prayer in Honor of D. L. Moody. Eds. Ashish Varma and James Spencer. Wipf & Stock, forthcoming 2023.
- "Perceptions of the Holy Spirit's Deliverance in Ghanaian Charismatic Ministries: Assessing the Work of J. Kwabena Asamoah-Gyadu," co-authored with Danson Ottawa Wafula, ASET series vol. 7, Carlisle, UK: Langham Global Library, 2022.
- "The Forgiven and Forgiving Body of Christ: Musekura's Communal Perspective on Forgiveness in Dialogue with African Wisdom," in *Who Do You Say That I am? Christology in Africa*, ASET series vol. 6, eds. Rodney L. Reed and David K. Ngaruiya, Carlisle, UK: Langham Global Library, 2021.
- "Missio Dei: A Way to Value the Present and Future World," in God and Creation, ASET series vol. 4, eds. Rodney L. Reed and David K. Ngaruiya, Carlisle, UK: Langham Global Library, 2019.
- "Ecclesiology in Africa: Apprentices on a Mission" in *The Church from Every Tribe and Tongue: Ecclesiology in the Majority World*, Majority World Theology Series, Volume 5, eds. Gene L. Green, Stephen Pardue, and K. K. Yeo, Eerdmans, 2018. Also appears as an article by the same title in *AJET* 37, no. 1 (2018), pp. 3-17.
- *Identity and Ecclesiology: Their Relationship Among Select African Theologians*, Eugene, OR: Pickwick Publications, 2017.

#### **Articles**

"African Theologies of Identity and Community: The Contributions of John Mbiti, Jesse Mugambi, Vincent Mulago, and Kwame Bediako," David K. Tarus and Stephanie Lowery, *Open Theology* 2017, 3:305-320, DOI 10.1515/opth-2017-0024

#### **Presentations**

- "Missio Dei and God's World," Africa Society of Evangelical Society, Limuru, 10 Mar. 2018
- "Ecclesiological Developments in Africa," Evangelical Theological Society, San Antonio, TX, 17 Nov. 2016
- "Family Feud? A. E. Orobator and Titre Ande on the Family Model in African Ecclesiologies," Evangelical Theological Society Midwest, Chicago, IL, 30 Mar. 2012
- "Postmodernism and the Church," Africa Inland Mission, Pearl River, NY, 8 Oct. 2008

### **Additional Academic Experience**

Academic advisor and programme leader for undergraduate theology students, Africa International University

Lecturer, Africa International University, Karen, Kenya, 2019-present

Subscriptions officer, Africa Journal of Evangelical Theology, 2017-2018

Lecturer, Kalamba School of Leadership, Kalamba, Kenya, 2018-present

- Doctrine of the Holy Spirit
- Doctrine of God
- New Testament Survey

Lecturer, Scott Christian University, Machakos, Kenya, 2016-2018

- Theology 1 (diploma)
- Theology 2 (diploma)
- Developing Mission Vision (diploma and bachelors)
- Theology Proper (bachelors)
- Anthropology and Christology (bachelors)
- African Christian Theology (bachelors)
- Missionary Life and Work (bachelors, independent study)

Adjunct instructor, Biblical Theological Seminary, Hatfield, PA, 2013–2014

- Counseling and Theology 1: Cultural Issues
- Theology 1

PhD Fellow, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL 2009–2012

- Guest Lecturer:
  - "Survey of Sub-Saharan African Theology," (grad, 9 Oct 2012)
  - "Survey of Sub-Saharan African Theology," (grad, 4 Oct 2011)
  - "Bonhoeffer's Theological Anthropology," (grad, 15 Sept 2010)
- Preceptor for "BITH 111: Gospel, Church, and Culture" (undergrad, Fall 2009, Fall 2011)
- TA/Research Assistant (grad, Spring 2010–Spring 2011, Spring 2012)

Adjunct instructor, Biblical Theological Seminary, Hatfield, PA, Fall 2008—Fall 2009

- Missional Theology 1
- Missional Theology 2

Teacher's Assistant, Biblical Theological Seminary, Summer 2007—Spring 2008

### **Research and Teaching Interests**

Theologies in Africa
Majority world theologies
Ecclesiology
Doctrine of the Trinity
Social identity theory applied to biblical studies and theology

### **Professional Affiliations**

Evangelical Theological Society Africa Society of Evangelical Theology

## **Pastoral Experience**

Preaching, teaching, and administration

### **Honors and Awards**

Eugene and Margaret Logan Fellowship, Wheaton College, 2009–2012 Hebrew Exegesis and M.Div. Academic Achievement Awards, Biblical Seminary, 2008