

## CURRICULUM VITA

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Historical and Cultural Study of Religions  
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### EDUCATION

Ph.D. Graduate Theological Union (GTU), Berkeley, CA, October 2005  
M.A.T.S. Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, Hamilton, MA, 1995  
B.A. Connecticut College, New London, CT, 1989

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor of Interfaith Studies, Andover Newton Theological School (ANTS), 2015 – present  
Assistant Professor of Interfaith Studies, Andover Newton Theological School (ANTS), 2010 – 2015  
Director, CIRCLE (Center for Interreligious and Communal Leadership Education), ANTS, 2008 – present  
Coordinator, Interreligious Center on Public Life (ICPL), 2010 – 2011  
Adjunct Faculty, ANTS, 2007- 2010  
Evaluation Consultant, *Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard*; Undergraduate Minority Summer Research Program 2007- 2008  
Curriculum Development, Online Facilitation, EdTech Leaders Online, *Education Development Center (EDC)*, 2005 – 2008  
Educational Researcher, Assessing Student Achievement Project, *EDC*, 2000 – 2005  
Curriculum Coordinator, *Center for Women and Religion (CWR)*, *GTU*, 1997 – 1999

### SELECT PRESENTATIONS

- “Where there is Love...’ Beyond Valentine’s Day,” Community Worship leader, Wilson Chapel, ANTS. February 15, 2012
- “Contours of Common Ground,” Panel sponsored by the Center for the Study of World Religions and the Pluralism Project at Harvard University. February 7, 2012.
- “Writing about your Faith Journey,” Panel for the ANTS admissions day. 20011-2015.
- “Institutionalizing Interfaith: Emerging Models for Educating Religious Leaders in a Multireligious Context.” Designed, convened and moderated a Wildcard Panel presentation for the November 2012 American Academy of Religions meeting (AAR). November 20, 2011.
- “Best Practices for Teaching about the Holocaust in Multifaith Context,” panel participant.2011 AAR. November 19, 2011.
- Christian Scholars Group panel, “Competing Discourses: Jewish-Christian Dialogue in a Multifaith World,” Boston College. April 8, 2011.
- Women, Faith and Interfaith – Plenary Panel Presentation, Women to Women Peacemaking Conference. Islamic Society of Boston Cultural Center (ISBCC). Roxbury, MA. August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2010.

### SELECT PUBLICATIONS

*Religious Resources for Interreligious Engagement*, co-edited with Or Rose, Homaryra Ziad, Forthcoming from Orbis 2015.  
*My Neighbor’s Faith: Stories of Interreligious Encounter, Growth, and Transformation*, Jennifer Howe Peace, Or Rose and Gregory Mobley, eds., New York: Orbis, 2012.

- “Co-Formation through Interreligious Learning.” *Colloquy*, the magazine of the Association of Theological Schools, Fall 2011.
- “The Role of Theological Seminaries in Increasing Interfaith Cooperation in the United States: The CIRCLE Program of Andover Newton Theological School and Hebrew College.” *Journal of College & Character*. (2011). Volume 12, No. 1, February.
- “An Evangelical Interfaith Imperative?” BTI magazine (Spring 2010) *Training Religious Leaders*, <http://www.bostontheological.org/pub/Main.php?MagID=2&MagNo=2>
- “A Liberating Model of Teaching and Learning: The CWR Curriculum Project,” *Journal of Women and Religion*, Volume 17, 2000. Berkeley, CA: Graduate Theological Union. Co-authored with Dr. Cheryl Kirk-Duggan.
- “A Spiritual Autobiography,” in Richard Peace, *Spiritual Storytelling: Discovering and Sharing your Spiritual Biography*. Colorado Springs, CO: NavPress/Pilgrimage Publications, 1996.

#### **MEMBERSHIP ON RELATED BOARDS AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

- Journal of Interreligious Dialogue (online journal), Publishing editor, 2012- present
- State of Formation (online blog site), Publishing editor 2012 - present
- Interfaith Observer (online journal) advisory group member 2012 - present
- Education as Transformation, Board of Directors, 2011 – present
- IFYC Higher Education Advisory Council, 2011- present
- Interreligious Center on Public Life (ICPL) 2010 – present
- White House Interfaith and Community Service Campus Challenge participant 2010 – 2013
- American Academy of Religions member since 1996 (intermittently) 2008 - present
- Daughters of Abraham Steering Committee, Leadership Committee, member 2002 - 2012
- United Religions Initiative Board Member, 1995-1999

#### **FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

Travel Grant: *Asian Pacific Society*, 1998 (for travel to Bali to research Gamelan music)  
 Newhall Fellowship, *GTU*, 1999 (for research on the Women’s Curriculum Project)  
 Phi Alpha Chi, 1995  
 Phi Beta Kappa, 1989

#### **DISSERTATION**

*Sound Rituals: A Comparative Study of Chanting and Communal Identity in a Hindu Temple and a Christian Abbey*  
 Dissertation Committee: Dr. Judith Berling, GTU (chair), Dr. Mary McGann, GTU, Dr. Guy Beck, Tulane University

#### **COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION AREAS**

Tradition of Specialization: History of Christian Spirituality  
 Methodology Exam: History of Religions & Feminist Hermeneutics  
 Preparation for Teaching an Introductory Course: Introduction to Feminist Theologies  
 Examination of a particular instance of interreligious, intercultural or contextual religious experience: *Dimensions of Sacred Gamelan: Sound and Meaning in Bali*

#### **AREAS OF TEACHING INTEREST**

**Primary:** Interfaith Studies, History of Christian Spirituality,  
**Secondary:** Benedictine Spirituality, Feminist Spirituality, Comparative Religion