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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Harding University

Searcy, Arkansas

2008 to present

2013 to present

- Associate Professor of Bible
 - Courses taught:
 - Life and Teachings of Jesus (Fall 2011 to present)
 - Faith and Mission of the Church (Spring 2012 to present)
 - Theology, Music, and Culture (Spring 2018; Fall 2020 to present)
 - New Testament Story and Vision (Spring 2024)
 - Lecturer for Christian View of Science and Scripture on the topic of “Pain, Suffering, and God’s Providence” (Spring 2012 to Spring 2015)
 - Lecturer for Harding University Department of Communication’s honors symposium on the topic of “The Delta Paradox” (Summer 2014 to Summer 2016)

2008-2013

- Assistant professor of Kinesiology
- Adjunct Bible professor
- Assistant football coach

Committees, Sponsorships, and Service to the University

- Wellness Committee
- Diversity Services
- Task Force for African American Accomplishment
- Volunteer football coach (2013-2015)

Murray High School

Murray, Kentucky

2004-2008

- World Geography Teacher
- US History Teacher
- Head football coach

Lipscomb Academy

Nashville, Tennessee

1997-2004

- Bible & World Geography Teacher
- Assistant football, track, strength coach

Ezell-Harding Christian School

Antioch, Tennessee

1996-1997

- World History Teacher
- US History Teacher
- Assistant football, basketball, track coach

EDUCATION**Doctorate of Philosophy**

Dissertation: "Jesus, Popular Culture, and the Politics of the Margins"

Arkansas State University

Jonesboro, Arkansas

2019

Master of Arts in Systematic Theology

Thesis: "Recovering the Lament: The Psalter, the Blues, and Postmodern Faith"

Harding School of Theology

Memphis, Tennessee

2014

Master of Education

Lipscomb University

Nashville, Tennessee

2000

Bachelor of Arts in Social Science (with Licensure) and a Kinesiology Minor

Harding University

Searcy, Arkansas

1995

CURRENT PROJECTS

- Dissertation publication
- Crafting a new course titled Theology, Music, and Popular Culture
- Article on Elijah Anthony, Harding's first Black undergraduate alumnus
- Invited to speak at the 2021 Christian Scholars Conference