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Education

2015 (January)	 PhD Candidate, Systematic Theology New College, University of Edinburgh Supervisors: Dr. James Eglinton and Prof. David Fergusson
2013-14	M.A. Religion (Theological Studies) Westminster Theological Seminary
2009-12	B.A. (Philosophy) B.A. (Biblical and Theological Studies) Biola University Graduated Magna Cum Laude

Academic Awards and Nominations

George Puchinger Prize, Kuyper Conference (Princeton Theological Seminary)	2017
Advanced Theological Studies Fellowship (Kampen Theological University)	2016 (June)
Elected, Lausanne Young Leader Gathering	2016
Language Bursary (L'institut Catholique de Paris)	2015
Humanities and Social Science Scholarship (University of Edinburgh)	2015 -
Divinity Scholarship (University of Edinburgh)	2015 -
Presidential Scholarship (Westminster Theological Seminary)	2013
International Student Scholarship (Westminster Theological Seminary)	2013-14
Epsilon Kappa Epsilon (Biola University Honors Society)	2012 -

Areas of Competency: Dutch neo-Calvinism; Herman Bavinck; Reformed Theology; Prolegomena; Theological Epistemology; The Relationship of Philosophy and Theology.

Academic Publications

1. Articles in Journals

- a. "Herman Bavinck and Thomas Reid on Perception and Knowing God." *Harvard Theological Review* (Forthcoming, 2017).
- b. "Herman Bavinck's Reformed Eclecticism: On Catholicity, Consciousness, and Theological Epistemology." *Scottish Journal of Theology* (Forthcoming, 2017). Co-authored with Cory Brock.
- c. "Herman Bavinck Bavinck on the Image of God and Original Sin." International Journal of Systematic Theology 18 (2016): 174-90.
- d. "Two Theological Accounts of Logic: Theistic Conceptual Realism and a Reformed Archetype-Ectype Model." *International Journal for the Philosophy of Religion* 79 (2016): 239-60

- e. "From Antithesis to Synthesis: A Neo-Calvinistic Theological Methodology in Herman Bavinck and Cornelius Van Til." *Journal of Reformed Theology* 9 (2015): 348-74.
- f. "On the Theological Interpretation of Scripture Trinitarian Considerations, The Indirect Identity Thesis, and Reformed Orthodoxy." Westminster Theological Journal (2015): 337-54.
- g. "Covenantal Apologetics and Common Sense Realism: Recalibrating the Argument from Consciousness as a Test-Case." *Journal of the Evangelical Theological Society* 57. 4 (2014): 773-91.
- h. "Toward a Reformed Theological Interpretation of Scripture." *Indonesian Journal of Theology* 1 no. 1 (July 2013): 103-121.
- i. "Reforming Reason: Jonathan Edwards as an Exemplary Model." *Jurnal Teologi Reformed Indonesia* 3 no. 2 (July 2013): 103-112.

2. Select Reviews

- a. Review of *The Problem of Perception and the Experience of God: Toward a Theological Empiricism* by Sameer Yadav (Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2015). *Journal of Theological Studies*. Oxford University Press.
- b. Review of Jonathan Edwards Among the Theologians by Oliver Crisp (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2015). International Journal of Systematic Theology. Blackwell.
- c. Review of *Kierkegaard and the Task of Hope* by Mark Bernier (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2015). *Reviews in Religion and Theology*. Blackwell.
- d. Review of *The Theological Project of Modernism: Faith and the Conditions of Mineness* by Kevin Hector (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2015). *The Expository Times.* Sage.
- e. Review of *Christian Philosophy: A Narrative and Systematic Introduction* by Michael Goheen and Craig Bartholomew (Grand Rapids: BakerAcademic, 2013). *Westminster Theological Journal.*
- f. Review of *Shalom and the Ethics of Belief: Nicholas Wolterstorff's Theory of Situated Rationality* by Nathan D. Shannon. (Eugene: Wipf & Stock, 2015). *Journal of Theological Studies*. Oxford University Press.
- g. Review of Reformed Catholicity: The Promise of Retrieval for Theology and Biblical Interpretation by Michael Allen and Scott R. Swain. (BakerAcademic, 2015). Journal of Reformed Theology. Brill.
- h. Review of *Neo-Calvinism and the French Revolution*. James Eglinton and George Harinck, Editors. (Bloomsbury, 2014). *Journal of Theological Studies*. Oxford University Press, 2015
- i. Review of The Trinity and the Vindication of Christian Paradox: An Interpretation and Refinement of Cornelius Van Til's Theological Apologetic by Brant Bosserman. (Eugene, Pickwick, 2014) in Westminster Theological Journal 77. 1 (Spring 2015): 171-4.
- j. Review of *The Golden Cord: A Short Book on the Secular and Sacred* by Charles Taliaferro (University of Notre Dame Press, 2012) in *Westminster Theological Journal* 76.2 (Fall 2014): 494-6.

Academic Work Experience

1. Teaching

- a. University of Edinburgh, Academic Tutor (2016-7). Responsibilities: teach and moderate undergraduate seminars, grade papers and assignments, administration and correspondence with students. Courses:
 - i. <u>THET08017 Christian Theology: Doctrines and Debates.</u> Professor Jolyon Mitchell.
 - ii. THET08010 God in Philosophy. Dr. James Collin

2. Administration and Evaluation

- a. Research and Teaching Assistant for K. Scott Oliphint, Westminster Theological Seminary (2013-14). <u>Responsibilities:</u> Review manuscripts, grade student exams, administration and correspondence with students. Courses:
 - a. ST113 Doctrine of God.
 - b. AP101 Introduction to Apologetics.
- b. Traveling Admissions Counselor for Westminster Theological Seminary (2013-14). <u>Responsibilities</u>: Travel to universities and events to recruit and correspond with potential students.

Academic Presentations

- "Confessional, International, and Cosmopolitan': A Neo-Calvinistic and Protestant Vision of the Church." Kuyper Conference, April 2017. <u>Princeton Theological Seminary</u>, USA
- "Retrieval and Re-interpretation: Herman Bavinck's Eclectic Catholicity and the Organic Motif in His Theological Epistemology." <u>American Academy of Religion</u>, Annual Conference, 2016. Reformed Theology and History Group.
- 3. "Herman Bavinck and Critical Realism." <u>Kampen Theological University</u>, The Netherlands. Advanced Theological Studies Fellowship, 2016.
- "The Debate Between Objective Journalism and a Journalism of Attachment: A Neo-Calvinistic Approach" Kuyper Conference, April 2016. <u>Princeton Theological Seminary</u>. USA.
- 5. Respondent Papers
 - a. Response to Judith Wolfe, "The Shape of 19th Century Eschatology", Theology and Ethics Research Seminar. <u>University of Edinburgh</u>, November 2015.

Select Popular Publications and Interviews

- a. Interview for *Reformed Forum* on "Two Theological Accounts of Logic: Theistic Conceptual Realism and a Reformed Archetype-Ectype Model.' Located at: http://reformedforum.org/ctc416/
- b. "Bavinck and Charitable Reading," for *Reformed Forum*. Located at: http://reformedforum.org/bavinck-charitable-reading/
- c. "Theology and Philosophy." for *Reformed Forum*. Located at: <u>http://reformedforum.org/theology-philosophy/</u>
- d. "The Paradox of Authority: Confucianism in Indonesia" for *Think Nusantara*. Located at: <u>http://thinknusantara.com/the-paradox-of-authority-confucianism-in-indonesia/</u>
- e. Interview for *Reformed Forum* on "Covenantal Apologetics and Common Sense Realism". Located at: <u>http://reformedforum.org/ctc368/</u>
- f. Review of *The Chrsitian Doctrine of God* by T.F. Torrance (Edinburgh, T&T Clark, 1996). Logos Product Review. August 2014. Located at: https://reformed.logos.com/2014/08/07/a-review-of-the-christian-doctrine-of-god/
- g. "Business and Worldview." For Christian Teachers Journal (issue 48). Australia.

Select Invited Lectures and Ministry Experience

- 1. Co-Founder of *Gathering Jakarta*: A para-church organization that forms classes, events and ecclesial conferences that raise theological awareness in Jakarta, Indonesia. 2014
 - *a*. Responsibilities: teaching organized seminars and classes on systematic theology, hermeneutics, and philosophy.
- 2. Guest Preaching for International Presbyterian Church (Ealing, London, Oct. 2016)
- 3. Studies on *Common Grace, Work, Religion, and Race*, delivered in Universitas Pelita Harapan, Medan, Indonesia. Organized by *Harvestrs*. July 2015
- 4. "Models of Christian Education." Lecture delivered to a Society of Christian teachers in Sekolah Dian Harapan, Tangerang, Indonesia. January 2015.
- 5. Retreat Speaker, *Living in a Secular Age*, for the East Coast Reformed Evangelical Convention Retreat. January 2014.
- 6. Retreat Speaker, *The Sufficiency of Christ*, for New Life Baptist Church (CA), Thanksgiving Retreat. November 2013.
- 7. "The Creator-Creature Distinction." Lecture delivered at the National Reformed Evangelical Convention in the United States. September 2013.
- 8. Retreat Speaker, *God and Redemption*, for young professionals in Bandung, Indonesia. June 2013.
- 9. "The Gospel and Humility." Lecture delivered at the National Reformed Evangelical Convention in the United States. September 2012.
- 10. Retreat Speaker, *The Holy Spirit*, for New Life Baptist Church (CA), Thanksgiving Retreat, November 2012.
- 11. "Can One Stay a Christian in College?" Chapel Service at Universitas Petra, Surabaya, Indonesia.
- 12. "The Sovereignty of God and Mission." Lecture delivered at Jakarta International Christian Fellowship, July 2012.
- 13. Pulpit Supply at New Life Baptist Church (CA), 2010-12.
 - *a.* Preach in the English services twice a month.
 - b. Taught Sunday school (ages 11-14 and 15-18).
- 14. Worship Team Guitar Player Biola University (2011-12).
- 15. Pastoral Internship, at International English Service (June-July 2010, June-July 2011).

Research Languages

Indonesian (Fluency in Reading and Conversational Speech) Dutch (Reading Proficiency) Koine Greek (Reading Proficiency) Biblical Hebrew (Reading Proficiency) French (Reading Proficiency)

Professional Memberships

American Academy of Religion Evangelical Theological Society

Academic References

James Eglinton Meldrum Lecturer of Reformed Theology University of Edinburgh, James.eglinton@ed.ac.uk

Carl R. Trueman Paul Wooley Professor of Church History Westminster Theological Seminary, PA. <u>ctrueman@wts.edu</u>

David Fergusson Professor of Divinity University of Edinburgh David.Fergusson@ed.ac.uk Richard B. Gaffin, Jr. Emeritus Professor of Systematic Theology and Biblical Interpretation, Westminster Theological Seminary, PA. rgaffin@verizon.net

K. Scott Oliphint Professor of Apologetics and Systematic Theology, Westminster Theological Seminary, PA. <u>solphint@wts.edu</u>