

Congratulations, PhD Graduates!

Clay Carter (Christian education), “The Relationship between Mentoring and Spiritual Formation of Adolescents”

Jessie Charpentier (biblical exposition), “A Critical Examination of D. Martyn Lloyd-Jones’s Objection to the Public Invitation”

Tommy Doughty (theology), “Christus Dominus: Reconciling Supralapsarian Christology and Penal Substitutionary Atonement”

Lisa Kellogg (counselor education and supervision), “Self-Esteem, God Image, and Their Effect on the Relationship between Attachment to Significant Persons and Attachment to God”

Ju Heun Park (New Testament), “Codex Monacensis”

Jerry Welch (Christian education), “A Collective Case Study of Multicultural Small-Group Discipleship in Selected Southern Baptist Churches”



Qualifying Exams

Qualifying Exams will be held Wednesday, January 5 through Friday, January 7, 2022, 1-4 pm for students who applied by the November 1, 2021 deadline.

On Wednesday, January 5 students should arrive at the ITC by 12:45 pm to receive instructions and set up their computers for the exam.

Exam results are due to the ReDOC office by noon on Thursday, January 13.

Congratulations, ThM Graduates!

Congratulations to the following students who received the Master of Theology degree on December 11, 2021:

Heather Allen (counselor education & supervision)

Gary Alley (biblical exposition)

Brad Baxter (biblical exposition)

Brett Dickson (Old Testament)

Randy Edwards (Christian leadership)

Trent Fleener (missions)

David Gamble (Christian apologetics)

Larry Johnson (Christian leadership)

Bohye Kim (biblical interpretation)

Andy Nance (Old Testament)

Ryan Ralston (Christian leadership)

Ben Rhodes (Christian education)

Bo Smith (evangelism)

Seth Stanley (biblical exposition)

Field Thigpen (biblical interpretation)

DeAron Washington (counselor education and supervision)

Jody Wolf (biblical exposition)

Oral Exam

Congratulations to the following students for passing the Oral Comprehensive Examination.

Zach Johnson (biblical interpretation)

Russell Zwerner (biblical exposition)

Prospectus Approvals

Les Hughes (New Testament), “An Integrated Methodological Approach to the Interpretation of Mark 1:40-45”

UPCOMING EVENTS!

- ◆ **December 20-January 2:** Christmas break; no classes, offices closed (noon, Dec. 23)
- ◆ **January 3-7:** Prospectus Development
- ◆ **January 5-7:** Qualifying Exams
- ◆ **January 11-13:** Introduction to Doctoral Research and Writing
- ◆ **January 11-14:** Teaching in Higher Education
- ◆ **January 13:** Qualifying Exam results due to ReDOC office by noon
- ◆ **January 17:** Martin Luther King Day; offices closed, no classes
- ◆ **January 18:** Spring semester begins



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PROGRAM DATES AND DEADLINES

- ◆ **January 11:** Deadline for incoming students to submit proof of completion of prerequisites
- ◆ **January 18:** Spring semester begins
- ◆ **February 1:** PhD application submission deadline
- ◆ **March 2:** Dissertation submission deadline



Library Acquisitions

Check out the recent acquisitions in the library:

- [February 2021](#)
- [April 2021](#)
- [May 2021](#)
- [June 2021](#)
- [October 2021](#)
- [November 2021](#)

ReDOC Schedule for 2021-2022

The following are the ReDOC meetings for 2021–2022 and the IRB request deadlines:

- January 19** (no prospectuses)
- February 9 (1/10 IRB)**
- March 9 (2/9 IRB)**
- March 28** (Doctoral Admissions)
- April 6 (3/7 IRB)**
- May 11 (4/11 IRB)**
- June 1 (5/2 IRB)**

and **7 copies** (double-sided printing is allowed) submitted through your chairperson to the Office of Research Doctoral Programs no later than one week before the scheduled ReDOC meeting. Prospectuses for research involving human subjects must be received one month before the meeting.

Likewise, matters such as directed study proposals and requests to take courses at other institutions must be submitted one week before the ReDOC meeting at which they will be considered. Also e-mail a **pdf** of the prospectus or directed study proposal to phd@nobts.edu. Indicate the appropriate professors on the directed study approval page.

If your research involves human subjects, you must go through the Institutional Review Board approval process.

Your guidance committee cannot approve your prospectus until (1) the IRB assesses the risk to and protection of the participants; (2) you submit your revised prospectus, consent form, and IRB request; and (3) the IRB approves your treatment of human subjects as reflected in these documents. You cannot contact study participants before approval of both the IRB and your guidance committee. IRB approval is valid for two years.

The maximum length for the prospectus is 30 pages of text plus the selected bibliography. Documents with text longer than 30 pages will not be accepted.

An IRB request and a pdf of a prospectus for research using human subjects must be **submitted to the guidance committee chair**, who must forward them to phd@nobts.edu, indicating permission to proceed, no later than one month prior to the meeting at which the prospectus will be considered. See the Program Materials page for the form and details.

A prospectus to be considered by ReDOC must be reviewed by your guidance committee

NOTE: If you think your guidance committee approved your prospectus but you have not seen it in the *ReDOC News*, contact the ReDOC office. **You cannot contact human subjects before approval.**

IF YOU HAVE MOVED OR CHANGED YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER, PLEASE NOTIFY THE REDOC OFFICE AND UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION IN CAMPUSNEXUS.

2022 Meetings



American Society of Church History Annual Meeting

“Crossings”

January 6-9, 2022

New Orleans, LA

SE ETS Regional Meeting

“John 3:16 and Biblical Theology”

March 25-26, 2022

Call for Papers: January 31

Bob Jones University
Greenville, SC

SW ETS Regional Meeting

“Who Am I? Christian Reflections on the Universal Struggle for Identity”

April 1-2, 2022

Call for Papers: January 31

NOBTS
New Orleans, LA

Baptist History & Heritage Society

“Baptists and Science”

May 26-27, 2022

Paper proposals: January 15

Samford University
Birmingham, AL

Baptist Scholars International Roundtable

“Baptists & Higher Education”

August 7-10, 2022

University of Oxford

Evangelical Homiletics Society

“Engaging a World Homiletic”

October 13-15, 2022

Moody Bible Institute
Chicago, IL