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Publications:

Books:

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“Hellenism in the Commentary ad mentem Platonis of Giles of Viterbo (1469 – 1532).” *Journal of Ecclesiastical History* 66.1 (2015), 19-46.

“Personal, Societal and Literary Reform in John Colet’s *Ecclesiastical Hierarchy*.” *Church History* 83.3 (2014), 547–570.

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“Conciliatory Reflections on the Procession of the Holy Spirit in Giles of Viterbo’s *Sentences* Commentary,” *Scottish Journal of Theology* 64.2 (2011), 140-160.

“A Witness to *Theosis* Effected: Maximus Confessor on the Lord’s Prayer,” *Saint Vladimir’s Theological Quarterly*, 54 (2010): 69-83.

“The Organization of Augustine’s *Psalmus contra partem Donati*,” *Vigiliae Christianae* 63(2009), 390- 408.

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Edited Proceedings:

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Works in Progress:

Books at Press

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Florence, Nerbini International, 2021.

Frater Petrus. Collationes de tempore (14th Century): Critical Edition with Translation and Introductory Essays. 2
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Book in Preparation

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Articles

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NEH Fellowship, 1995 (\$48,000).

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Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, University of California, Los Angeles, Research Fellowship, summer, 1987 (\$3,000).

Medieval Platonism. NEH Summer Institute, University of Notre Dame, 1986 (\$3,600).

Founders of Western Culture: St Augustine. Funded by the Nevada Humanities Committee (Lecture series, 1987) (\$5,000).

Founders of Western Culture: Origen of Alexandria. Funded by the Nevada Humanities Committee (Lecture series, 1986) (\$5,000).

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The Greek Encounter with Judaism in the Hellenistic Period. NEH Summer Seminar, Yeshiva University, New York, 1985 (\$4,000).

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The Popes as Patrons of the Arts: A Look at the Vatican Collection. Funded by the Nevada Humanities Committee. (Lecture series, 1984) (\$5,000).

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Evaluator, Fathers of the Church Mediaeval Continuation translated texts, Catholic University of America, 2020.

Member, research group, "Ethics and the religious dimension in the European and extra-European world.". University of Salerno 2019- present.

Founding member, *Groupe de recherche sur la poésie taroantique et médiévale*, commissioned by the University of Strasbourg, 2018 – present.

Member, editorial Board, *Institutiones e Traditiones*, Città Nuova, Rome. 2015 – present.

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