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EDUCATION

Australian Catholic University **2009**
Ph.D –Theological Practice
Dissertation: "Legitimacy, Authority and Transition in the Public Office of the Ministry in the Lutheran Church of Australia"

University of Southern Queensland **2009**
M.Ed – Lifelong Learning

Australian Catholic University **2000**
M.A. –Theological Practice /Leadership
Thesis: "Legitimation, Authority and Tradition in Israel's Transition to Monarchy"

Luther Seminary **2000**
Grad Dip Ministry

University of Southern Queensland **1998**
Grad Dip Further Education and Training

Luther Seminary **1988**
B.Th
Pastoral Theology Research Papers: "God and Human Suffering", "Exorcism and Pastoral Care"

ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Undertake Basic Procurement, **July 2007**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Training Developer - Trade Manager, **March 2005**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Training Developer - Evaluation and Validation, **October 2004**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Registered Trainer - Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training, **September 2004**
Living Works Australia

Training Developer – Design and Develop, **August 2004**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Trainer - Critical Incident Mental Health Support Training, **August 2003**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Alcohol and Other Drugs Service, **November 2003**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Chaplain Intermediate Course, **July 2003**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Pastoral Care in Trauma, Westmead Hospital, Sydney, **November 2001**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Basic Parachute Course, **May 2001**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Certificate IV in Assessment and Workplace Training - BSZ40198, **October 2000**
University of Southern Queensland, Australia

Chaplain Basic Course, **August 2000**
Dept of Defence, Australia

Specialist Service Officer Course, **November 1999**
Dept of Defence, Australia

AWARDS AND SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

Defence Long Service Medal **November 2008**

The Australian Defence Medal **November 2007**

Australian Active Service Medal – Timor Leste (East Timor) **October 2002**

United Nations Medal – East Timor **October 2002**

Operational Service, Australian Army – East Timor **April 2002**
October 2002

Commissioned Officer – Australian Army **July 1999**

Ordained Pastor– Lutheran Church of Australia **July 1990**

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Army Logistic Training Centre **2007**

Coordinating Chaplain / Chaplain Instructor

Design, develop and deliver Character development for Initial Logistic Trade Employment Training; Design, develop and deliver ongoing career and professional development Army Logistic Corps; Deliver and manage Suicide first aid training; Mentor and supervise junior Chaplains; Teach Chaplaincy specific training Defence Force Chaplaincy College.

Land Warfare Centre NSW – Australian Army **2004**

SW Sydney Area Supervising Chaplain / Chaplain Instructor

Design, develop and deliver Character Leadership development for the All Corps Soldier Training Continuum; Deliver and manage Suicide first aid training; Mentor and train spiritual development within Defence Character (Faith) leadership training.

Army Recruit Training Centre **1999**

Chaplain Instructor

Taught, developed, and administered Character development program with Army recruits; deliver ongoing professional development of Recruit instructors.

Immanuel Lutheran College, Maroochydore, QLD **1997**

Head of Campus, Mt Binga Outdoor Education Centre

Administration and Curriculum development for Outdoor Education Program; Manage, mentor, and develop staff and interns.

St Peter's Lutheran College, Indooroopilly, QLD **1995**

Chaplain, Teacher, Housemaster

Taught Religious Studies yrs 7-12; Mentored, developed, and supervised ongoing Lutheran theological training and teacher development; Developed School Australian Rules Teams.

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Lutheran Church of Australia, New South Wales District **September 2015 -**

Regional Pastor - Riverina

Regional Pastor providing pastoral care, oversight, support and mentoring to Pastors and congregations within the Riverina Region of New South Wales.

St Luke's Lutheran Church, Albury, NSW **April 2014 -**

Lead Pastor

Lead pastor for emerging model of single church with multiple worshipping community's model.

Lutheran Church of Australia, New South Wales District **September 2013**

Assistant Bishop **– March 2015**

Support of Bishop, acting Bishop when Bishop away.

Head Quarters Royal Military College, Duntroon, ACT **January 2013 –**
Senior Chaplain (LTCOL) **June 2014**
Team Leader across multiple teams – Royal Military College, Duntroon - ACT, Army Recruit Training Centre, Kapooka - NSW, Land Warfare Centre, Canungra – QLD.
Oversight, management, leadership of Chaplaincy delivery and training support.
Management and oversight of Character development across All Corps Officer and Soldier Training Continuums.

Land Warfare Development Centre, VIC **January 2011 –**
Senior Chaplain (LTCOL) **January 2013**
Development, Research, Subject Matter Expertise, Policy, Procedures, and Practice within Army; Oversee area Chaplaincy team; Manage and oversee maintenance of area Chapel and chaplaincy assets; Provide Pastoral support.

Army Logistic Training Centre, VIC **January 2007 -**
Coordinating Chaplain (MAJ) **January 2010**
Oversee Chaplaincy team and provide Pastoral support.

Land Warfare Centre, NSW **January 2004 -**
Area Chaplain (MAJ) **December 2006**
Provide and coordinate chaplaincy coverage across military area.

3rd Bn Royal Australian Regiment (para), NSW **October 2001 -**
Chaplain (CAPT) **December 2003**
Provide pastoral support to military members and families – includes operational deployment Timor Leste.

Army Recruit Training Centre, NSW **July 1999 -**
Chaplain (CAPT) **October 2001**
Provide chaplaincy support to recruits and staff.

Lutheran Church of Australia, Burnie/Devonport parish, TAS **January 1998 -**
Parish Pastor **July 1999**
Provide pastoral care, religious instruction, and affiliated pastoral activities.

Immanuel Lutheran College, Maroochydore, QLD **January 1997 -**
Head of Campus, Mt Binga Outdoor Education Centre **December 1997**
Provide leadership and religious support to staff and students.

St Peter's Lutheran College, Indooroopilly, QLD **July 1995 -**
School Pastor/Housemaster **December 1996**
Provide pastoral care; deliver religious instruction.

Lutheran Church of Australia, Rockhampton parish, QLD **January 1990 -**
Parish Pastor **July 1995**

Provide pastoral care, religious instruction, and affiliated pastoral activities.

Includes Regional Pastor LCAQLD.

Lutheran Church of Australia, Brown's Plains parish, QLD **October 1989 -**
Pastor - Locum **December 1989**

Provide pastoral care, religious instruction, and affiliated pastoral activities.

Lutheran Church of Australia, Biloela parish, QLD **July 1989 -**
Pastor – Locum **October 1989**

Provide pastoral care, religious instruction, and affiliated pastoral activities.

PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

"Living in the Shadow: A Theological Discussion on the Place, Purpose, and Meaning of Australian Defence Force Chaplaincy"

Paper presented at the Australian Association for Mission Studies triennial conference, Sydney, Sept 2011. **2011**

"An Overview of Character Development within Army"

Paper written for Army as a review of its human resource development in terms of character, ethics, morality and leadership. **2011**

"The loneliness of ministry"

Paper/Sermon presented to the LCANSW Pastor's conference, and released through Lutheran Forum online at http://www.lutheranforum.org/categories/sermons. **2010**

"Initial Employment Training – Character Training: The nine qualities of an Australian Soldier – Concept Paper"

Paper presented for the ongoing development of Character training within the Australian Army. **2009**

"Journaling as a spiritual discipline"

Workshop presentation for Protestant Denominations Chaplains Retreat. **2009**

"Developing a sustainable critically reflective life-long learning within ADF Chaplaincy"

Paper presented as part of the curriculum review into Chaplaincy Training within the Australian Defence Force. **2008**

"The context of Ministry – 2013"
Paper presented to the Principal Chaplain – Army Symposium. **2008**

"Ecclesiastical Leadership in a Post-Industrial Age"
Paper presented to the Principal Chaplain – Army Symposium. **2008**

"Pastoral Leadership in an Ecumenical Age"
Paper presented to the Principal Chaplain – Army Symposium. **2008**

"Character Leadership and Moral Decision Making"
Training Program for the Australian Army's All Corps Training Continuum promotion stream (CPL/SGT/WO/RSM). **2007**

"Character and the Strategic Soldier: The Development of Moral Leadership for the All Corps Soldier Training Continuum"
Australian Army Journal, IV, 3, Summer. **2007**

"Legitimacy, Authority and Transition in the Public Office of the Ministry of the Lutheran Church of Australia"
Doctoral Dissertation (80,000 words), Australian Catholic University. **2007**

"Can a War be considered Just? Rethinking the Just War Theory"
Lutheran Theological Journal, 38, 3, December. **2004**

"Legitimation, Authority and Tradition in Israel's Transition to Monarchy"
Master Thesis (30,000 words), Australian Catholic University. **1999**

ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

Association of Practical Theology - Oceania

Australian Association for Mission Studies

British and Irish Association for Practical Theology

Association of Practical Theology

Academy for Religious Leadership

REFEREES

Dean Eaton – LCA New & Renewing Churches Department

Fr Dr. Brian J. Kelty – Australian Catholic University (emeriti)

Ps. Mark Lieschke – LCANSW District Bishop