

# Andrew C. Pack, Ed.D

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## Summary

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Professor, pastor, Bible teacher, and Christian educator with experience in post-secondary theological education, executive leadership, and congregational ministry. Serving on the core faculty of Western Seminary, as the Assistant Professor of Christian Formation and as the Associate Dean of Academics. Research areas of interest include: spiritual theology, Christian formation, Western Philosophy, and doxological studies.

## Education

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### **Doctor of Education – The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary**

Research Focus: Spiritual Formation in the Context of Theological Education

### **Master of Theology, 2016 – Western Seminary**

Concentrations: Old Testament & New Testament

### **Master of Biblical and Theological Studies, 2014 – Western Seminary**

### **Bachelor of Arts, 2009 – Seattle University**

Major: Theology and Religious Studies

## Academic and Executive Experience

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### **Western Seminary, Portland, OR**

Assistant Professor, Christian Formation – 05/20-Present

Associate Dean, Academic Affairs – 03/23-Present

Director, Master of Arts in Ministry and Leadership – 06/23-Present

Director, Online Learning – 5/20-2/23

As an assistant professor, teaching in areas across the seminary, focusing on spiritual formation and adjacent disciplines (e.g., theology of worship, history of philosophy). Offering instruction in core classes and creating electives and ThM seminars. As an administrator, redeveloping the Master of Arts in Ministry Leadership, overseeing the seminary's online efforts, and overseeing adjuncts. Serving on various committees, including the Academic Policies Committee, the Admissions Committee, and the Dean's Council.

### **Cascade School of Theology, Bellingham, WA**

Academic Director & Senior Instructional Designer — 05/17-12/20

Led a multi-congregational, church-based, seminary-level theological education program in the Pacific Northwest. Designed curricula for this school's M.Div and M.A. programs, adapting Sioux Falls Seminary's competency-based paradigm for gospel-centered theology and Pacific Northwest missiology. Oversaw the admissions, academic advising, and administration of the program. Taught theology, biblical studies, and the original languages.

### **3Strand Network, Snohomish, WA**

Executive Director — 11/16-04/19

Oversaw a network of ten churches in Western Washington. Cared for pastors through consulting, coaching, and soul care. Organized and publicized events and conferences. Preached regularly for member churches and like-minded organizations. Taught classes, seminars, and leadership training for the network.

## **Pastoral Experience**

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### **Trinity Church of Portland, Portland, OR**

Pastor of Preaching and Leadership Development — 1/22 - 10/22

Responsible for half of the primary preaching load, typically preaching twice a month. Developed discipleship ministries and elder training processes. Redeveloped the church's community groups ministry. Served on the elder board, and functioned in pastoral, soul care, and sacerdotal duties.

### **Legacy Church, Bellingham, WA**

Pastor of Church Planting — 1/19-4/20

Preached for the congregation at least once a month. Created a 2-year church planting residency in which candidates, upon completion, would earn an M.A. from Sioux Falls Seminary. Developed educational and discipleship curricula. Served on the elder board and functioned in pastoral, soul care, and sacerdotal duties.

## **Restoration Road Church, Snohomish, WA**

Pastor of Discipleship – 06/17-12/18

Created and oversaw discipleship and adult education ministries. Reimagined and reorganized the church's community group ministry. Preached regularly, typically at least once a month. Taught classes, seminars, and leadership training. Served on the elder board and functioned in pastoral, soul care, and sacerdotal duties.

## **Anchor Church, Seattle, WA**

Lead Pastor – 07/09 -10/16

Served as the primary preaching and teaching pastor. Developed vision and direction for an urban church plant in Seattle. Gathered a core group and launched the church in a six-month period and led the church to a weekly attendance of approximately 125 people a week. Established and oversaw the essential ministries of the church, including community groups, biblical training, discipleship, and soul care ministries.

## Other Academic Experience

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**Kairos Affiliate Professor**, Sioux Falls Seminary, Sioux Falls, SD – 08/18-4/21

**Adjunct Professor**, Western Seminary, Portland, OR – 08/18-5/20

**Graduate Fellow**, Western Seminary, Portland, OR – 09/15-10/17

## Activities and Awards

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**Vice President**, ETS Northwest Chapter, Portland, OR – Current

**Hiller Fellow**, Sioux Falls Seminary, Sioux Falls, SD – 2018

**Highest Honors – Th.M. Program**, Western Seminary, Portland, OR 2016

**William F. Kerr Award in Theology**, Western Seminary, Portland, OR 2016

**Distinction – Th.M. Oral Examination**, Western Seminary, Portland, OR, 2016

**High Honors – MA(BTS) Program**, Western Seminary, Portland, OR 2014

## Membership & Associations in Scholarly Societies

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**The Society of Professors In Christian Ministry**

**The Evangelical Theological Society**

## Seminary-Level Courses Created and Taught

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### **Video Courses Created**

CS 501	Introduction to Christian Spirituality
CS 502	Practicing Christian Spirituality
MF 501	Foundations of Ministry Formation
TH 531	Philosophy for Public Theology

### **Courses Taught**

BL 507	New Testament for Counselors
BT 501	Hermeneutics
BT 502	Understanding Biblical Theology
CH 502	Insights and Inspiration from Church History
CS 501	Introduction to Christian Spirituality
CS 502	Practicing Christian Spirituality
NT 511	Foundation for Greek Exegesis
NT 512	Greek Reading and Syntax
NT 521	Greek 1: Grammar
NT 524	Greek Exegesis/Philemon
TH 502	Glorifying the Word of Life: Theology II
TH 503	Living as the Community of the Spirit: Theology III
TH 506	Theology I for Counselors
TH 507	Theology II for Counselors
TH 570	Theology and Practice of Congregational Worship
TH 660	ThM Seminar: Philosophy for Public Theology

\*References Available Upon Request