

Curriculum Vitae

Robert S. Paul

CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Oxford Centre for Mission Studies: University of Wales
Concentration: Theology of mission for post-Christendom/postmodern contexts

D.Min., Fuller Theological Seminary
Concentration: Leadership development for Christian ministries

M.Div., Fuller Theological Seminary

B.A., University of Washington
Concentration: Economics

ECCLESIASTICAL

Ordained as Minister of Word and Sacrament by the Presbyterian Church in the USA
Minister of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, Westminster Presbytery

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2015 – present Dean of St. Andrew's Hall, Vancouver, B.C.

2012 – 2015 Pastor of Discipleship, Bel Air Presbyterian Church, Los Angeles

2009 - 2011 Senior Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Portland, Oregon

2005 - 2009 President/CEO, Medical Ambassadors International

1985 - 2005 Senior Pastor, West Side Church (PCUSA), Richland, Washington

2002 - 2005 Associate Pastor, Rose Hill Presbyterian Church, Kirkland, Washington

1976 - 2001 Associate Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Fresno, California

ADDITIONAL SERVICE

Teaching

Adjunct faculty or visiting instructor:

Fuller Theological Seminary

Theology, Theory and Practice of Leadership, taught annually in D.Min. program, 1991 – 2004.

Regent College, Vancouver, B.C.

Leadership and the Missional Church, courses taught in 2001, 2002, and 2004.

Carey Theological College, Vancouver, B.C.

Leadership and Mission, taught in D.Min. program 2002, 2005, 2008, 2010, and 2012.

Evangelical Theological Seminary, Osijek, Croatia

Gospel and Culture, taught 2006.

Mission Organizations

2016 – present Chair, Board of Directors, Ingalls Creek Enrichment Center

1984-99, 2002-04 President, Alongside Ministries International

1999 - 2005 Board Member, SIGN Fracture Care International

PRESENTATIONS

Theological Criteria for Transformational Development Praxis

Transformational Development Conference co-sponsored by Food for the Hungry and George Fox University, April 14-16, 2008, Newberg, Oregon.

Christian Community Development

Mission Perspectives courses 2005 - 2013

Issues of Gospel and Culture in the Gospel of Mark

Discovery Seminars sponsored by Alongside Ministries International, 2000, 2002, and 2004.

WRITING AND PUBLICATIONS

Challenging Constructions of the 'Religious Other': Introducing the Iconoclastic Work of Lamin Sanneh, 2016, Inter-religious Studies Conference on 'Encountering the Other', Vancouver School of Theology.

Towards a Theology of Mission in the United States, with special reference to Lesslie Newbigin and Lamin Sanneh, Ph.D. thesis, Oxford Centre for Mission Studies: University of Wales, 2010.

Growing Leaders: The Art of Nurturing Leaders for Christian Ministry, D.Min. dissertation, Fuller Theological Seminary, 1990.