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## **Education**

Ph D, University of California, 2006  
Major: Near Eastern Languages and Cultures  
Dissertation Title: The Social Location of the Visions of Amram (4Q543-547)

MA, University of California, 2003  
Major: Near Eastern Languages and Cultures

Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar, Hebrew University, 2001

MA, Jerusalem University College, 1999  
Major: Hebrew Bible

BA, Multnomah Bible College, 1996  
Major: Theology

## **Professional Positions**

### **Academic - Post-Secondary**

Professor, Azusa Pacific University. (2007 - Present)

Visiting Assistant Professor, Azusa Pacific University. (2006 - 2007)

Adjunct Professor, Fuller Seminary. (February 2006 - June 2006)

Adjunct Professor, University of California. (February 2006 - June 2006)

Adjunct, University of Judaism. (January 2006 - May 2006)

Instructor, University of California. (2004 - 2005)

Teaching Associate, University of California. (2004)

Teaching Assistant, University of California. (2002 - 2003)

Adjunct, Azusa Pacific University. (August 2002 - December 2002)

Junior High School Teacher. (1998 - 2000)

Teaching Assistant, Jerusalem University College. (1997 - 1998)

### **Other**

Western Regional Director, Green Scholars Initiative. (October 2013 - Present)

## **Professional Memberships**

Principal Investigator of Dead Sea Scrolls, Green Scholars Initiative

Azusa Rotary Club

Society of Biblical Literature

International Association for Research on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement

American Schools of Oriental Research

## **Development Activities Attended**

Conference Attendance, "LOGOS conference," Green Scholars Initiative, Oxford. (July 6, 2014 - July 11, 2014)

Conference Attendance, "Dating Early Papyri and Manuscripts," Green Scholars Initiative, Oklahoma City, OK. (March 27, 2014 - March 29, 2014)

Conference Attendance, "UC Irvine: Public Scholarship Conference." (April 25, 2011)

Conference Attendance, "National Faith Based Service-Learning Conference," Messiah College, Grantham, PA. (June 10, 2010 - June 12, 2010)

## **Awards and Honors**

APU Men's Basketball Faculty Recognition, Faculty Athletic Council. (April 23, 2014)

Undergraduate Scholarly Achievement Faculty Award (Nominee), Azusa Pacific University. (May 2013)

Distinguished Scholar, Hebrew Texts, Green Scholars Initiative. (November 2012)

Cornerstones Award 2012, Azusa Pacific University. (May 2012)

Chase A. Sawtell Inspirational Faculty Award (Nominee), Azusa Pacific University. (May 2009)

Center for Research in Ethics and Values Seminar Fellow, Azusa Pacific University. (September 2007)

Albright Fellow, Albright Institute of Archaeological Research. (2005)

Dissertation Year Fellowship (UCLA), University of California, Los Angeles. (September 2005)

Distinguished Teaching Assistant Award (UCLA), University of California, Los Angeles (Near Eastern Languages and Cultures Department). (2004)

Research Mentorship (UCLA), University of California, Los Angeles. (September 2003)

Excellence in Hebrew Award, Bnai Zion: The American Zionist Fraternal Organization. (2002)

Rotary Ambassadorial Scholarship, Rotary International. (August 2000)

President's Scholar, Jerusalem University College. (1997)

## RESEARCH

### Published Intellectual Contributions

#### Books

Duke, R. R. (2010). *The Social Location of the Visions of Amram (4Q543-547)* (pp. 174). New York: Peter Lang.

#### Book Chapters

Duke, R. R. (2008). Peacemaking Left Behind: Can Orthopathy Help Evangelicals Promote Peace? In Carole J. Lambert (Ed.), *Doing Good, Departing from Evil: Research Findings in the Twenty-First Century* (pp. 177-95). New York: Peter Lang.

#### Refereed Journal Articles

Duke, R. R. (2013). The Interjection he' in Biblical and Inscriptional Texts (forthcoming). *Scandinavian Journal of the Old Testament*, 27(2), 219-225.  
<http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/09018328.2013.839113#preview>

#### Journal Articles

Duke, R. R. (2007). Parchment or Papyrus: Wiping Out False Evidence. *Scandinavian Journal of the Old Testament*, 21(1).

Duke, R. R. (2007). Moses' Hebrew Name: The Evidence of the Vision of Amram. *Dead Sea Discoveries*, 14(1), 34-48.

#### Periodicals

Duke, R. R. (2011). *New DSS Fragments at Azusa Pacific University*. Jerusalem: Orion Center for the Study of the Dead Sea Scrolls and Associated Literature Newsletter.

#### Other

Duke, R. R. (2011). z.w.b. (to flow). In Heinz-Josef Fabry and Ulrich Dahmen (Ed.), *Theologisches Wörterbuch zu den Qumrantexten, Band I*. Stuttgart: Kohlhammer.

Duke, R. R. (2009). *Peacemaking Left Behind: Can Orthopathy Help Evangelicals Promote Peace* (Spring 2009 ed.). APULife magazine.

Duke, R. R. (2009). Notes for 1 Samuel. *Wesley Study Bible*. Nashville: Abingdon Press.

Duke, R. R. (2009). Notes for 2 Samuel. *Wesley Study Bible*. Nashville: Abingdon Press.

Duke, R. R. (2008). The Visions of Amram. *Online Critical Pseudepigrapha*. Online Critical Pseudepigrapha. <http://ocp.acadiau.ca/>

Duke, R. R. (2006). *An Aramaic Wisdom Text from Qumran: A New Interpretation of the Levi Document by Henryk Drawnel (Book Review)*. *Religious Studies Review* 32/1.

Duke, R. R. (2003). *Wealth in the Dead Sea Scrolls and the Qumran Community by Catherine M. Murphy (Book Review)*. Religious Studies Review 28/4.

Duke, R. R. (2000). *The Dead Sea Scrolls Bible by Martin G. Abegg, Peter Flint, and Eugene Ulrich (Book Review)*. Orion Center for the Study of the Dead Sea Scrolls and Associated Literature Newsletter.

## Presentations Given

Duke, R. R. (Presenter), Society of Biblical Literature: Pacific Coast Region, "The Green Scholars Initiative: Introduction and Possibilities for Pedagogy," Azusa, CA. (March 8, 2015).

Duke, R. R. (Moderator), Society of Biblical Literature, "Teaching the Bible in an Undergraduate Liberal Arts Context." (November 24, 2014).

Duke, R. R., Passages Springfield (MO) Exhibit Lectures (Green Scholars Initiative), "The Impact of the Bible on Jewish Literature of the Second Temple Period." (June 24, 2014).

Duke, R. R. (Author & Presenter), "Can Archaeology 'Prove' the Bible? The Use and Abuse of Scientific Tools," Center for Research in Science, Azusa Pacific University. (January 21, 2014).

Duke, R. R. (Author & Presenter), "The History of the Second Temple Period," George Fox University Seminary, George Fox University (Portland, OR). (January 16, 2014).

Duke, R. R. (Author & Presenter), "A Journey from Multnomah to Qumran: My Research on the Dead Sea Scrolls," Multnomah University Alumni Association, Multnomah University (Portland, Oregon). (January 15, 2014).

Duke, R. R. (Presenter), Society of Biblical Literature, "Biblical Studies and the Honors Program: The Case of a Student Film about the Dead Sea Scrolls." (November 24, 2013).

Duke, R. R., Passages Colorado Springs Exhibit Lectures (Green Scholars Initiative), "Understanding Old Testament books from Non-biblical Texts: The Qumran Caves and Modern Translations." (October 29, 2013).

Duke, R. R. (Presenter), Russell, S. (Presenter), Holt, D. (Presenter), LOGOS in Oxford/Green Scholars Initiative, "The Green Scholars Initiative Project at Azusa Pacific University." (June 19, 2013).

Duke, R. R. (Presenter), LOGOS in Oxford/Green Scholars Initiative, "Hebrew Texts and Paleography," Wycliffe Hall, Oxford University. (June 18, 2013).

Duke, R. R. (Presenter), Green Scholars Initiative Introduction, "Introduction of the Green Scholars Initiative Dead Sea Scrolls Project," Green Scholars Initiative, Oklahoma City University. (February 21, 2013).

Duke, R. R. (Presenter), Wall, A. (Presenter), Baker, L. (Presenter), Society of Biblical Literature, "Ancient Amulets and the Shema (Deuteronomy 6:4-8): A Comparative Study." (November 17, 2012).

Duke, R. R., N. A., M. P., V. L., P. A., *Imagining America: Artists and Scholars in Public Life, "Religious Studies as Engaged Methodology,"* New York University, New York. (October 6, 2012).

- Duke, R. R., N. A., M. P., *Imagining America: Artists and Scholars in Public Life, "Working in Harmony? Striking a Balance among Multiple Voices in Civic Engagement,"* New York University, New York. (October 5, 2012).
- Hutchinson, J., Duke, R. R., Helm-Stevens, R., McPhee, C., Rawlings, M., *Common Day of Learning, "Factors that motivate and deter faculty use of service-learning,"* Azusa Pacific University. (March 7, 2012).
- Duke, R. R., *Passages Atlanta Exhibit Lectures (Green Scholars Initiative), "A Response to Emanuel Tov."* (February 7, 2012).
- Duke, R. R., *Biblical Archaeology Society: Los Angeles, "APU Dead Sea Scrolls and the Green Scholars Initiative."* (January 13, 2012).
- Duke, R. R. (Coordinator/Organizer), *Society of Biblical Literature, "Service-Learning and Biblical Literature."* (November 21, 2011).
- Hutchinson, J., Duke, R. R., *Continuums of Service, "Strengthening Community, Maximizing Resources: The Community Scholars Program at APU,"* San Diego. (April 28, 2011).
- Hutchinson, J., Duke, R. R., *Common Day of Learning, "Strengthening Community, Maximizing Resources: The Community Scholars Program at APU,"* Azusa Pacific University. (March 2, 2011).
- Yarchin, W. (Presenter), Duke, R. R. (Presenter), Oropeza, B.J. (Presenter), Finlay, T. D. (Presenter), Winslow, K. S. (Presenter), Anderson, C. (Presenter), Smoak, J. (Presenter), *Society of Biblical Literature, "Five Unpublished Dead Sea Scroll Fragments Acquired by Azusa Pacific University,"* Atlanta. (November 22, 2010).
- Yarchin, W. (Presenter), Duke, R. R. (Presenter), Oropeza, B.J. (Presenter), Finlay, T. D. (Presenter), Winslow, K. S. (Presenter), Anderson, C. (Presenter), Smoak, J. (Presenter), *Society of Biblical Literature, "Five Unpublished Dead Sea Scroll Fragments Acquired by Azusa Pacific University,"* Atlanta. (November 22, 2010).
- Duke, R. R. (Coordinator/Organizer), *Society of Biblical Literature, "Service-Learning and Biblical Literature."* (November 21, 2010).
- Hutchinson, J. (Presenter), Duke, R. R. (Presenter), Tsai, A. (Presenter), Strother, S., Lamkin, B., Lemaster, G., Lang, K. S., *International Association for Research on Service-Learning and Community Engagement, "Assessing the impact of geographic location on student perception of service-learning."* (October 30, 2010).
- Duke, R. R., Smith, M. S., *Continuums of Service, "Strengthening community partnerships during tough economic times."* (April 1, 2010).
- Duke, R. R., *Continuums of Service, "Faculty strengths and service-learning,"* Portland. (March 31, 2010).
- Yarchin, W., Duke, R. R., Winslow, K. S., Finlay, T. D., Anderson, C., *Wesleyan Theological Society, "Five Unpublished Dead Sea Scroll Fragments Acquired by Azusa Pacific University."* (March 6, 2010).
- Duke, R. R., *"Peacemaking Left Behind: Can Orthopathy Help Evangelicals Promote Peace?,"* Society for the Study of Psychology and Wesleyan Thought/Wesleyan Philosophical Society. (March 4, 2010).

Lamkin, B. (Panelist), Lemaster, G. (Panelist), Duke, R. R. (Panelist), Tsai, A. (Panelist), Lang, K. S. (Panelist), Strother, S. (Panelist), CDL, "Research on Service-Learning: Gender and Service-Learning Experience," APU, APU. (March 3, 2010).

Duke, R. R., "Evangelicals and Middle East Peace," Pasadena Jewish Temple. (December 2009).

Duke, R. R. (Coordinator/Organizer), Society of Biblical Literature, "Service-Learning and Biblical Literature." (November 23, 2009).

Duke, R. R., Biblical Archaeology Society: Los Angeles, "The Dead Sea Scrolls: From Caves to the San Gabriel Valley." (November 6, 2009).

Duke, R. R., Faith, Justice and Civic Learning Conference (DePaul University), "Finding Freedom: How Sukkot and Passover service-learning projects encourage interfaith awareness," DePaul University. (June 25, 2009).

Duke, R. R. (Moderator), "Service-Learning and Biblical Studies," Society of Biblical Literature. (November 2008).

Duke, R. R., "Service-Learning: History and Theory," Society of Biblical Literature. (November 2008).

Hutchinson, J., Duke, R. R., "Using Service-Learning for Interfaith Competence," Continuums of Service Conference, Portland, OR. (April 2008).

Duke, R. R., Pacific Region Society of Biblical Literature, "The Chronological Discussion in 4Q543-547 (Visions of Amram) and other Second Temple Works." (March 2008).

Duke, R. R., "The Online Critical Pseudepigrapha," Society of Biblical Literature. (November 2007).

Duke, R. R. (Moderator), "Computer Assisted Research," Society of Biblical Literature. (November 18, 2007).

Duke, R. R., "4Q543-547 (Vision of Amram) and Moses' Hebrew Name," Southwest Region American School of Oriental Research. (November 2005).

Duke, R. R., "The Interjection aEh in Biblical and Inscriptional," Society of Biblical Literature. (November 2005).

Duke, R. R., Southwest Region American School of Oriental Research, "Parchment or Papyrus: Wiping Out False Evidence." (March 2004).

Duke, R. R., "The Provenance of 4Q543-547," Pacific Region Society of Biblical Literature. (March 2004).

Duke, R. R., "Qumran and False Prophecy," Pacific Region Society of Biblical Literature Meeting Presenter. (March 2003).

Duke, R. R., "Wisdom to Torah: An Exegetical Reason," Pacific Region Society of Biblical Literature Meeting Presenter. (March 2002).

Duke, R. R., "Megillat Mordechai: Rethinking the Main Character of the Book of Esther," Pacific Region Society of Biblical Literature Meeting Presenter. (April 2000).

## **Contracts, Grants and Sponsored Research**

### **Sponsored Research**

Duke, R. R., "Service-Learning Lead Scholar," Sponsored by Center for Academic Service-Learning and Research, Azusa Pacific University (e.g., Faculty Research Grant). (September 2009 - May 2012).

## **Intellectual Contributions in Submission**

### **Refereed Journal Articles**

Rawlings, M., Tsai, A., Helm-Stevens, R., Hutchinson, J., McPhee, C., Duke, R. R. Examining faculty motivation for engagement in service learning at a faith-based institution. *Michigan Journal of Community Service Learning*.

## **Research in Progress**

"1-2 Chronicles" (On-Going)  
Commentary on 1-2 Chronicles for the Teach the Text series published by Baker Books

## **SERVICE**

### **Department Service**

Department Chair, New Student Orientation--How to Major in Biblical Studies. (August 30, 2014)

Department Chair, New Student Orientation--Cougar Walk. (August 29, 2014)

### **University Service**

Vocation Think Tank. (September 2014 - May 2015)

Rotaract Faculty Advisor. (2011 - 2014)

Member, Participant, Midnight Breakfast. (December 7, 2014)

Speaker, 2014 Worship Arts Kickoff: Serving Our Community. (September 15, 2014)

Coordinator, Manager, Organizer, APU Advancement Israel Trip 2014. (May 18, 2014 - May 31, 2014)

Speaker, Springdale Arkansas Rotary Presentation. (February 3, 2014)

Coordinator, Manager, Organizer, APU Alumni and Friends Israel Trip 2013. (May 19, 2013 - June 2, 2013)

Speaker, KBRT 740 Radio Interview. (May 31, 2013)

Chairperson, General Studies Assessment Sub-Committee. (September 2011 - May 2013)

Attendee, General Studies. (September 2008 - May 2013)

Speaker, Faith Matters (School of Theology). (March 14, 2013)

Speaker, Grandparents Day (Alumni and Parent Relations). (February 22, 2013)

Speaker, Coram Deo. (January 22, 2013)

Attendee, WASC Visit (Service Learning and Integration of Themes Meeting). (October 11, 2012)

Attendee, WASC Visit (Assessment of Student Learning Meeting). (October 10, 2012)

Speaker, APU Residence Life: Sabbath Emphasis. (September 23, 2012)

Speaker, Center for Teaching Learning and Assessment Symposium. (May 17, 2012)

Speaker, New Faculty Training (Service-Learning). (March 13, 2012)

Member, Participant, Center for Academic Service-Learning and Research, Search Committee for Assistant Director Position. (January 17, 2012)

Member, Participant, Alumni and Friends Israel Trip. (May 22, 2011 - June 5, 2011)

APU Dead Sea Scrolls (50th Reunion Alumni Event). (May 7, 2011)

Speaker, New Faculty Training (Service-Learning). (February 4, 2011)

Member, Participant, Carnegie Foundation Community Engagement Application. (May 2010 - August 2010)

Interviewee, KKLA Radio Interview promoting The Dead Sea Scrolls and Beyond Exhibit. (August 19, 2010)

Speaker, Dead Sea Scrolls Presentation for Friends Center. (June 4, 2010)

Interviewee, KKLA Radio Interview promoting The Dead Sea Scrolls and Beyond Exhibit. (May 11, 2010)

Interviewee, Rose Magazine Interview (Dead Sea Scrolls). (April 2010)

Member, Participant, School of Theology, Dean's Search. (January 2010 - April 2010)

Speaker, Bayside Church/APU Bible Exhibit. (April 22, 2010 - April 24, 2010)

Interviewee, Sacramento Bee Interview (Dead Sea Scrolls). (April 4, 2010)

Speaker, Middle East Students Association: Religions in the Middle East. (February 25, 2010)

Interviewee, Chronicle of Higher Education Interview (Dead Sea Scrolls). (February 9, 2010)

Speaker, Global Vision Week (Middle East Presentation). (October 29, 2009)

Interviewee, Redlands Daily Facts Interview (Dead Sea Scrolls). (September 30, 2009)

Speaker, New Faculty Training (Service-Learning). (September 16, 2009)

Speaker, KNX 1070 Radio Interview (Dead Sea Scrolls). (September 14, 2009)

Interviewee, Los Angeles Times Interview (Dead Sea Scrolls). (September 14, 2009)

Member, Participant, New Testament Faculty Search Committee. (October 2008 - March 2009)

Speaker, New Faculty Training (Service-Learning). (February 19, 2009)

## **Professional Service**

Committee Member, Teaching Biblical Literature in an Undergraduate Liberal Arts Context (Society of Biblical Literature). (November 2010 - Present)

Speaker, LOGOS conference, Oxford. (July 7, 2014)

Chairperson, Service-Learning and Biblical Studies (Society of Biblical Literature). (January 1, 2008 - December 31, 2011)

Committee Member, Conference Committee (International Association for Research on Service-learning and Community Engagement). (October 2010 - November 2011)

Project Team member, Azusa Pacific University, Community Scholars Program. (January 2011 - May 2011)

Committee Member, Faith, Justice, and Civic Learning Steering Committee. (August 1, 2010 - May 31, 2011)

Conference-Related, Campus Compact/Azusa Pacific University Colloquium. (January 31, 2011)

## **Public Service**

Foster Parent. (September 2011 - Present)

Hanukkah Presentation (Stanton Elementary School). (December 17, 2014)

Hanukkah Presentation (Sutherland Elementary School). (December 17, 2014)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Community Church: Men's Breakfast. (October 25, 2014)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Ministers Alliance. (October 8, 2014)

Guest Speaker, El Segundo Rotary Club. (September 25, 2014)

Chairperson, The Interfaith Foster Care Summit. (May 14, 2014)

Committee Chair, Azusa Rotary Raffle. (September 1, 2013 - December 7, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Los Angeles County, Board of Supervisors. (December 3, 2013)

Discussant, American Christian Credit Union and Dave Thomas Foundation Adoption Roundtable. (July 31, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Restoration Covenant Church. (July 31, 2013)

Guest Speaker, LOGOS Workshop Chapel Speaker, Oxford. (June 20, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Community Church. (June 9, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Rotary Club. (April 30, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Pasadena Church of the Nazarene. (April 21, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Pasadena Church of the Nazarene. (April 14, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Los Angeles Antiquarian Society. (April 11, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Community Church. (April 7, 2013)

Guest Speaker, San Marino Rotary Club. (March 21, 2013)

Volunteer, Azusa Unified School District: 8th Grade Majors Fair. (March 14, 2013)

Guest Speaker, Azusa Unified School District: AVID Program. (March 12, 2013)

Committee Chair, Azusa Rotary Raffle. (September 1, 2012 - October 28, 2012)

Volunteer, Lead in Harmony Youth Conference (Azusa Rotary). (October 10, 2012)

Guest Speaker, San Fernando Valley Medical Auxiliary. (September 27, 2012)

Guest Speaker, Yucaipa Rotary Club. (September 18, 2012)

Guest Speaker, Azusa Rotary Club. (September 13, 2012)

Guest Speaker, Azusa Rotary Club. (June 21, 2012)

Guest Speaker, Azusa Mayor's Prayer Breakfast. (May 16, 2012)

Guest Speaker, Azusa Unified School District, 8th Grade College Orientation. (April 18, 2012)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Community Church, Senior Ministry. (February 19, 2012)

Project Team Member, Azusa Unified School District, 8th Grade Majors Fair. (November 9, 2011)

Guest Speaker, Upland Rotary Club. (November 9, 2011)

Volunteer, Lead in Harmony Youth Conference (Azusa Rotary). (October 12, 2011)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Community Church, Men's Ministry. (July 30, 2011)

Guest Speaker, Azusa Chamber of Commerce. (June 23, 2011)

Guest Speaker, Whittier Rotary Club. (May 10, 2011)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Community Church. (August 22, 2010)

Guest Speaker, Brethen in Christ Church (Upland, CA) Dead Sea Scrolls and Beyond exhibit tour. (July 1, 2010)

Guest Speaker, San Dimas Rotary Club, San Dimas, CA. (June 2, 2010)

Guest Speaker, Azusa Rotary Club. (May 13, 2010)

Guest Speaker, Pasadena Jewish Temple and Center. (May 5, 2010)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Public Library. (May 1, 2010)

Guest Speaker, The Well Church at Oak Valley. (February 21, 2010)

Guest Speaker, Yucaipa Rotary Club. (January 12, 2010)

Project Coordinator, Society of Biblical Literature (New Orleans)/Habitat for Humanity. (November 20, 2009)

Guest Speaker, Pasadena Jewish Temple and Center. (December 11, 2008)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Kiwanis Club. (December 13, 2007)

Guest Speaker, Glendora Public Library. (November 3, 2007)

Guest Speaker, Pasadena Jewish Temple and Center. (October 15, 2007)

Guest Speaker, First Baptist Church of Yucaipa. (August 30, 2007)

## **Consulting**

Academic, American Scientific Affiliation/Southern California Christians in Science, Azusa Pacific University. (February 7, 2015)

Center for Academic Service-Learning and Research (APU) & Bethlehem Tertiary Institute (New Zealand). (September 30, 2014)

Academic, Kochi University (Japan). (December 21, 2009)