

# Roger White

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Professor**, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California. Curator of Special Collections and Rare Books. 2009-Present. Azusa Pacific Seminary. 2009-2016. Study abroad faculty, Azusa Oxford Semester. 2007-2009. Collection development for university library. 2003-2007. Taught graduate Christian education courses, School of Theology 2002-2007. Interim Director of doctor of ministry program. 2005-2006. Taught research and design in the doctor of ministry program. 2002-2006. Project coordinator and instructional specialist for Lilly Foundation Grant addressing technology infusion in School of Theology. 2002-2003.

**Instructional Designer**, Reformed Theological Seminary, Charlotte, North Carolina. Designed and developed online virtual campus infrastructure and two distance education courses. 1998-1999 [Sabbatical Year].

**Associate Professor**, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California. Instructional specialist for first two years of Lilly grant. Also taught Christian Education and Educational Technology courses. 1996-2002.

**Assistant Professor**, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California. Educational technology program. Areas of teaching included history and philosophy of education, distance education, instructional design, and integration of faith and learning. 1992-1996.

**Instructor**, University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Undergraduate and graduate courses in instructional computing. 1990-1992.

**Adjunct Faculty**, Tennessee Wesleyan College, Athens. Instructional methods course. 1991.

**Graduate Assistant**, Curriculum Laboratory, University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Responsibilities included coordinating the operation of Curriculum Library, maintaining textbook and software collections, and supervising student workers. 1989-1992.

**Teacher**, Eastlake Jr. and Tyner High School, Chattanooga, Tennessee. Taught Bible History as a public school elective in grades 7 through 12. 1983-87.

## EDUCATION

M.A.	<b>Johns Hopkins University</b> , Washington, DC Museum Studies	August 2016
Ed. D.	<b>University of Tennessee</b> , Knoxville Curriculum and Instruction Major: Instructional Technology      Minor: Instructional Design Collateral: Computer Enhanced Graphic Design Dissertation: Instructional Computer Uses Among Accomplished Computer Using Teachers: A Tennessee Sample	August 1992
M.Ed.	<b>Graduate School of Education, Reformed Theological Seminary</b> , Jackson, Mississippi Secondary Education: Bible	August 1986
	<b>University of Tennessee</b> , Chattanooga Courses required for teacher certification	1982-1983
M.C.E.	<b>Reformed Theological Seminary</b> , Jackson, Mississippi	June 1982
B.S.	<b>East Tennessee State University</b> , Johnson City Majors: English and Speech/Broadcasting Minor: Art Cum Laude	December 1978

## PUBLICATIONS

- White, R. (2015, July 8). *C. S. Lewis and his circle: 7 surprising discoveries about the beloved author*. [Web article]. *Bookish*. Retrieved from <https://www.bookish.com/articles/c-s-lewis-and-his-circle-7-surprising-discoveries-about-the-beloved-author/>.
- White, R., Wolfe, J., & Wolfe, B. (2015). *C. S. Lewis and his circle: Essays and memoirs from the Oxford University C. S. Lewis Society*. New York: Oxford University Press.
- White, R. (2014). From Azusa to Oxford and back again: Developing an Inklings Collection through global collaboration. In *The 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Azusa Pacific University Special Collections: A collection of essays*. Azusa: Azusa Pacific University.
- White, R. (2014, Spring). The modern library: Learning in community. *APU Life* 27(1), 21.
- White, R. (2014). On becoming a pearl merchant and learning to please God. In D. Thorsen (Ed.) *Strength to be Holy*. Lexington, KY: Emeth Press.
- Estep, J., White R., & Estep, K. (2012). *Mapping out curriculum in your church: Cartography for Christian pilgrims*. Nashville, TN: B&H Academic.
- White, R. (2011, June). "C. S. Lewis' Personal Library: History and Review" in *Summary of Proceedings: Sixty-Fifth Annual Conference of the American Theological Library Association*. Edited by Sara Corkery. June 8-11, 2011, Chicago, IL, ATLA, American Theological Library Association, 159–165.
- White, R. (2009). Baruch the scribe: Preserver of knowledge and model for librarians. *The Christian Librarian* 52(1&2), 6-9.
- White, R. (2009). C. S. Lewis' poem 'Nearly They Stood': A variorum and research notes. *The Chronicle of the Oxford University C. S. Lewis Society, Vol. 6(2)*, 30-36.
- White, R. (2009). [Review of books *Teaching C. S. Lewis* and *Irrigating deserts: C. S. Lewis on education*]. *The Chronicle of the Oxford University C. S. Lewis Society, Vol. 6(2)*, 37-39.
- White, R. (2008). [Review of the book *Irrigating deserts: C. S. Lewis on education*]. *Christian Education Journal*, 5(2), 440-444.
- White, R. (2006). Promoting spiritual formation in distance education. *Christian Education Journal*, 3(2). 303-315.
- White, R. (2004, December 23). Thank you for being a teacher. *The Christian Herald USA*, p. 14.
- White, R. (2004, November 11). Creation and education. *The Christian Herald USA*, p. 12.
- White, R. (2003). [Review of the book *God our teacher: Theological basics in Christian education*]. *Christian Scholar's Review*, 32(2), 250-252.
- White, R. (2002). [Review of the book *With all your mind: A Christian philosophy of education*]. *Christian Scholar's Review*, 32(1), 150-152.
- White, R. (2002, Summer/Fall). [Review of the book *Caring for souls: Counseling under the authority of scripture*]. *North American Professors of Christian Education (NAPCE) Newsletter*, p. 6.
- White, R. (2001). Philosophy of education. In M. J. Anthony (Ed.), *Evangelical dictionary of Christian education*. Grand Rapids, IL: Baker Books.
- White, R. (2001). Home schooling. In M. J. Anthony (Ed.), *Evangelical dictionary of Christian education*. Grand Rapids, IL: Baker Books.

- White, R. (1999). Teaching in the world: Christian considerations on school purposes. In D. C. Elliot & S. D. Holtrop (Eds.) *Nurturing and reflective teachers: A Christian Approach for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*. Washington, DC: Coalition of Christian Colleges and Universities.
- White, R. (1998). Gary E. Miller's 'The meaning of general education.' In D. Glycer & D. L. Weeks (Eds.), *The liberal arts in higher education: Challenging assumptions, exploring possibilities*. Lanham, MD: University Press of America.
- White, R. (1997). Nurturing reflective Christians to teach: The role of theological literacy. In D. C. Elliot & H. Van Brummelen (Eds.) *Nurturing Christians as reflective educators*. Washington, DC: Coalition of Christian Colleges and Universities.
- White, R. (1996). Considerations and resources for teaching the Bible in Public Schools. In D. C. Elliot & R. L. Hodge (Eds.), *The gift of teaching: A handbook for Christians who serve in schools* (pp V-1 - V-20). Pasadena, CA: Christian Educators Association.
- White, R. (1993, Fall). Instructional Computer Uses Among Accomplished Computer Using Teachers: A Tennessee Sample. *Tennessee Education, Vol. 23*(2).

## EXHIBITS

- White, R. (2017, February). *The Great Divorce* [exhibit]. Blackbox Theatre, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, CA.
- White, R. and Zakharov, L. (2012-2013, September-January). "*I am in fact a Hobbit*": Celebrating the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of J.R.R. Tolkien's Classic [exhibition]. Darling Library, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, CA.
- White, R. (2010-2011, September-June). *C. S. Lewis and the Inklings* [exhibition]. Darling Library, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, CA.
- White, R., Andrews, T., Zakharov, L. & Gray, J. (2011-2012, September-February). *African American Women Authors* [exhibition]. Darling Library, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, CA.

## PRESENTATIONS

- "From the Oxford C. S. Lewis Society Archives: A Treasure Trove of Essays and Memoirs." Presenter at the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual C. S. Lewis and Inklings Society Conference. Oral Roberts University, Tulsa, OK. April 6-8, 2017.
- "On Publishing Essay Collections: Lessons Learned and Tips to Follow." Presenter at the Annual Conference of the American Theological Library Association. Long Beach, CA. June 15-18, 2016.
- "Voices of Friendship from within the C. S. Lewis Circle." Presenter at the 10<sup>th</sup> Frances White Ewbank Colloquium on C. S. Lewis and Friends. Taylor University, Upland, IN. June 2-5, 2016.
- "65 Years of Narnia." Invited co-panelist with Mark Edwards, Judith Wolfe, and Brendan N. Wolfe at The Story Museum. Oxford, England, October 21, 2015.
- "Oxford Book Launch: *C. S. Lewis and His Circle: Essays and Memoirs from the Oxford C. S. Lewis Society*." Co-presenter with Judith Wolfe and Brendan N. Wolfe at the Oxford C. S. Lewis Society. Oxford, England, October 20, 2015.
- "Tennessee Book Launch: An Introduction to *C. S. Lewis and His Circle: Essays and Memoirs of the Oxford C. S. Lewis Society*." Presenter at the C. S. Lewis Society of Chattanooga. Chattanooga, TN. June 13, 2015.
- "Creating Edited Volumes: An Archival Case Study." Presenter at the Annual Conference of the Association of Christian Librarians. Carson Newman University, Jefferson City, TN. June 8-11, 2015.
- "C. S. Lewis' Personal Library: History and Review." Presenter at the Annual Conference of the American Theological Library Association. Chicago, IL. June 9-11, 2011.

“C. S. Lewis and the 400<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the King James Bible.” Invited presenter at the Southern California C. S. Lewis Society. Azusa, CA. March 16, 2011.

“Treasures from the APU Libraries Special Collections.” Co-presenter with Thomas Andrews, Ken Otto and Liz Leahy at Common Day of Learning. Azusa Pacific University, CA. March 2, 2011.

“A Historical Look at the Personal Library of C. S. Lewis.” Invited presenter at the Westmont College Librarians’ Faculty Staff Fall Retreat. Santa Barbara, CA. August 25, 2010.

“A Historical Look at the Personal Library of C. S. Lewis.” Presenter at the Annual Conference of the Association of Christian Librarians. St. Paul, MN. June 7-10, 2010.

“C. S. Lewis’ Love of Books: A Peek Inside His Library.” Invited presenter at the Southern California C. S. Lewis Society. Azusa, CA. May 19, 2010.

“The Acquisition of Books and Their Pedagogical Role in the Life of C. S. Lewis.” Invited presenter at the Oxford University C. S. Lewis Society. Oxford, England, June 9, 2009.

“The Acquisition of Books and Their Pedagogical Role: C. S. Lewis for Librarians, Educators, and Other Book Lovers.” Presenter at the C. S. Lewis Summer Institute, Oxbridge 2008, Oxford, England, July 30, 2008.

“Spiritual Formation and Distance Education.” Invited webcast presenter for International Community of Christian Teacher Educators (ICCTE). Internet webconference conducted January 25, 2007.

“Technologically Savvy Teaching.” Invited co-workshop leader with Daryl Eldridge at the Annual Conference of North American Professors of Christian Education. Denver, CO. October 19-21, 2006.

“Help With Organizing Research.” Co-presenter with Elesha Keen and Lynette Sorenson at the Annual Conference of the Association of Christian Librarians. Columbia, SC. June 13-16, 2005.

“Dewey and Dickens: Partnership for Information Literacy Across the Curriculum.” Co-presenter with Debra Quast and Thomas Allbaugh at the Annual Conference of the Association of Christian Librarians. Columbia, SC. June 13-16, 2005.

“Using Library Resources to Enrich Faith Integration.” Presenter at the May Faith Integration Symposium. Azusa Pacific University, CA. May 19-20, 2005.

“Introducing Endnote Bibliographic Software and Its Utilization with Library Databases.” Co-presenter with Debra Quast at TechEd. Pasadena, CA. April 4-6, 2005.

“Open Forum: A University Press at APU.” Chaired symposium at Common Day of Learning. Azusa Pacific University, CA. March 2, 2005.

“Using New DVD Technology as an Instructional Tool.” Presenter at the Annual Conference of North American Professors of Christian Education. San Diego, CA. October 24-26, 2002.

“Spiritual Formation and Distance Education.” Presenter at the Annual Technology Conference of the Council of Christian Colleges and Universities. Azusa Pacific University, CA. June 20-23, 2000.

“Spiritual Formation and Distance Education.” Presenter at Symposium 2000: Nurturing Teachers for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (Education Faculty from the Council of Christian Colleges and Universities). Covenant College, GA. May 18-20, 2000.

“Teaching in the World: Christian Considerations on School Purposes.” Presenter at the Third Biennial Symposium of Education Faculty from the Council of Christian Colleges and Universities. Wheaton, IL. April, 1998.

“Ivory Towers to the Watts Towers: Building Intercommunity Bridges.” Co-presenter at Azusa Pacific Universities’ Common Day of Learning, ‘Unity Through Technology.’ Azusa, CA. March 5, 1997.

“The Adventures of Learning Communities Using Live Interactive Television for Distance Education.” Co-presenter at Azusa Pacific Universities’ Common Day of Learning, ‘Unity Through Technology’. Azusa, CA. March 5, 1997.

“Distance Education Possibilities.” Presenter at East San Gabriel Valley Computer Using Educators Technology Fair Workshops. Azusa, CA. February 21, 1997.

“Teaching Bible in the Public School.” Presenter at the Christian Educators Association International’s Congress For Excellence in Education. Memphis, TN. August 1-4, 1996.

“Nurturing Reflective Christians to Teach: The Role of Theological Literacy.” Presenter at the Second Biennial Symposium of Education Faculty from the Coalition of Christian Colleges and Universities. Azusa, CA. May 22-25, 1996.

“World Wide Web for Beginners Using Netscape.” Presenter at East San Gabriel Valley Computer Using Educators Technology Fair Workshops. Azusa, CA. February 24, 1996.

“Design Guidelines for Developing Classroom Hypermedia Projects.” Presenter at the Computer Using Educators Conference, Palm Springs, CA. May 11-13, 1995.

“Computer Graphics for Beginners.” Presenter at East San Gabriel Valley Computer Using Educators Technology Fair Workshops. Azusa, CA. February 25, 1995.

“Instructional Computer Uses Among Accomplished Computer Using Teachers: A Tennessee Sample.” Presenter at the Computer Using Educators Conference, Palm Springs, CA. May 6-8, 1993.

“Introduction to the Course Builder Authoring Program for the Macintosh.” Presenter at the Computer Using Educators Conference, Palm Springs, CA. May 6-8, 1993.

“Multimedia.” Co-presenter to the University of Tennessee Multimedia Club. Knoxville, TN. July 12, 1991.

“Hyperstudio and the Classroom Teacher.” Co-presenter at the Tennessee Educational Computer Conference, Nashville, TN. March 12-13, 1991.

“Honoring and Dishonoring Caricatures of the Teaching Profession as Portrayed in Editorial Cartoons.” Paper presented at the Kappa Delta Pi Convocation, Indianapolis, IN. March 28-31, 1990.

## PROMOTIONAL EVENTS

(Interviewee) (2015, July). Through a new wardrobe: The NarniaFans interview series: Learning more about C.S. Lewis & His Circle, interviewed by Jonathon Svendsen. *NarniaFans.com*. <http://narniafans.com/2015/07/through-a-new-wardrobe-the-narniafans-interview-series-learning-more-about-c-s-lewis-his-circle/>

(Interviewee) (2015, August). interviewed by William O'Flaherty. *All About Jack: A C. S. Lewis Podcast*.

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2017-Present	Presidential appointee to the Professional Affairs Review Board
2009-Present	Special Collections and Rare Books Committee
2005-2006	Doctoral Studies Council
2005-2007	Institutional Review Board (IRB) alternate
2005	Task force member Vision 2014: Faith Integration
2004-2007	Faith integration mentor for university library faculty
2003-2005	Institutional Review Board (IRB)
1992-2007	Provide assistance to faculty in educational technology applications and distance education design and delivery

2000-2001 Member, Graduate Studies Program Review Committee  
1996-1997 Chair, Appointment, Rank and Contract Council (“Tenure Committee”)  
1995-1996 Secretary, Appointment, Rank and Contract Council  
1995-1996 Served as initial consultant and designer for university and departmental Internet web site  
1994-1995 Member, Appointment, Rank and Contract Council

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND MEMBERSHIPS

2015-Present Ad Hoc Reviewer for *The Journal of Inklings Studies*  
2012-2013 American Alliance of Museums  
1997-2012 North American Professors of Christian Education (NAPCE)  
Board Member (2000-2007)

## HONORS

2017 Finalist for the Rose Liegler Graduate Scholarly Achievement Award, Azusa Pacific University  
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2015 Finalist for the Rose Liegler Graduate Scholarly Achievement Award, Azusa Pacific University  
2014 Finalist for the Rose Liegler Graduate Scholarly Achievement Award, Azusa Pacific University  
2013 Finalist for the Rose Liegler Graduate Scholarly Achievement Award, Azusa Pacific University  
2012 (May-June) Temporary Senior Common Room Member, St. John’s College, Oxford University  
2008-2009 Visiting Member of the Senior Common Room, Regent’s Park College, Oxford University