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## EDUCATION

**PhD** Dallas Baptist University, Leadership Studies 2009
Dissertation: *Quality of Life for Texas Baptist Pastors*
Chair: Sue Kavli, Ph.D.

**MA** Hardin-Simmons University, Religion 2002
Thesis: *Sabbath to Lord's Day: A Response to the God who Creates, Redeems and Sustains*
Advisor: George Knight, Ph.D.

**BA** Hardin-Simmons University, Bible 2000
Summa Cum Laude
Minored in Psychology and Biblical Languages

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**East Texas Baptist University,** Marshall, TX Spring 2012-Present
GSTU 3103: Leadership Development II
GSTU 4102: Leadership Development III
GSTU 1111: Learning and Leading

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**East Texas Baptist University,** Marshall, TX
***Director, Leadership Development*** July 2012-Present
***Interim Director, Great Commission Center*** January 2012-July 2012

**Buckner International,** Marshall, TX 2010 –2011
***Director of Community Ministries, First Baptist Church Collaboration***

**Texas Baptists/BGCT,** Dallas, TX 2006 - 2010
***Associate Director, Center for Effective Leadership***
***Leadership Development, Young Leaders & Spiritual Formation Specialist, Congregational Leadership Team***

**Texas Baptists Committed**, San Angelo, TX 2004 - 2006
***Program Coordinator***

**Woman's Missionary Union of Texas,** Dallas, TX 2001- 2004
***Student Consultant***

**First Baptist Church,** Abilene, TX 1998 - 2001

***Youth and College Intern/Associate*** (part time)

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCES

**Coaching Skills Training – Core Skills Certificate of Completion**
Coaching for Clergy, April – December 2009
Completed Modules - Getting Started as a Coach, Deep Listening, Powerful Questioning, The Coaching Agreement, Developing a Strong Personal Foundation, Coaching Teams

**Certified Birkman Consultant, Level 1**, Birkman International, January 2008
Description: Ability to provide assessment and consultations utilizing the Birkman Method®

**Basic Mediation Training,** March 2008

**Use of QOLI (Quality of Life Instrument) in Coaching**, August 15-16, 2007.
Coaching for Quality of Life with Michael B. Frisch, Ph.D.

## PUBLICATIONS

Contributing Columnist, "Right or Wrong" Ethics Column, *Baptist Standard.*
"Background Checks," March 30, 2012
"The Greatest Among You," November 11, 2011
"Reclaim the Young as Leaders," June 3, 2011
"Baptist Controversy," November 5, 2010
"Christian Leadership," May 20, 2010
"The Sabbath," December 4, 2009
"The Call of God," July 9, 2009
"Ministerial Abuse," January 9, 2009
"Firing the Pastor," July 18, 2008
"A Spouse's Etiquette," January 4, 2008
"Baby Shower for Unwed Mother," July 6, 2007
"Geneva Conventions," January 19, 2007

Prevost, E. R., "Serving God, Not Men or Women," *Christian Reflection* (Winter 2009): 68-71.

## RECENT PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

**Workshop,** "Empowering Women to Lead in Your Church," July 2013, Baptist General Convention of Texas Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX

**Workshop,** "Embedding Leadership in the Liberal Arts Curriculum," August 2012, East Texas Baptist University Faculty Workshop

**Presentation,** "Leadership Styles Assessment," Fall and Spring Semesters 2008-2010**,** Baylor University, Waco, TX; Mary Hardin-Baylor University, Belton, TX; Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, TX; Houston Baptist University, Houston, TX; East Texas Baptist University, Marshall, TX; Howard Payne University, Brownwood, TX; Baptist University of the Americas, San Antonio, TX; Dallas Baptist University, Dallas, TX.

**Invited Lecture,** "Quality of Life for Pastors," Ministry Guidance Professors Annual Retreat, Dallas Baptist University, July 2009

**Workshop**, "Spiritual Formation in the Life of the Leader," Symphonia Student Music Leader Retreat, September 11-12, 2009.

**Workshop**, "Leadership without Titles," and "Multi-Generational Leadership," Koinonia Baptist Church, Arlington, TX, October 7, 2009.

**Workshop**, "Leaders Developing Leaders" Latina Leadership Institute, January 10, 2010.

**Workshop**, "Finding Rest When the Journey is Too Much," Statewide Preschool/Children's Minister Retreat, Tapatillo Springs, TX, January 11-12, 2010.

**Workshop**, "How is it with your Soul? Spiritual Depth of the Leader," Leadership Practice Chapel Series, South Texas School of Christian Studies, Corpus Christi, TX, February 25, 2010.

**Workshop**, "Creating an Environment of Opportunities for Women in Leadership," Women in Ministry Conference, Truett Seminary, Baylor University, March 1, 2010.

**Workshop**, "Reading for Leading," Church Librarian Conference, Conroe, TX, March 11-13, 2010.

**Workshop**, "Crossing the Generation Gap," Church Librarian Conference, Conroe, TX, March 11-13, 2010.

**Invited Lecture**, "Personality Development and Leadership," Leadership in the Ministry Class, Logsdon Seminary, Hardin-Simmons University, March 23, 2010

**Workshop**, "Authentic Leadership," Women in Ministry Conference, Hardin-Simmons University, April 1, 2011.

**Sermon**, "If you keep my Sabbaths: Isaiah 58:9-14," First Baptist Church, Kaufman, TX, January 2011.

**Retreat Speaker**, East Texas Baptist University Baptist Student Ministry Fall Retreat, Beavers Bend, OK, September 2011.

**Workshop**, "Rest for Busy Families," Faith and Home Conference, First Baptist Church, Richardson, TX, January 28, 2012.