

Benjamin L. Suriano

EDUCATION

- Ph.D., Religious Studies, Interdisciplinary Religion and Society Program with specialization in Social Philosophy, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI. (2008–2016)
 - Dissertation: *From Modes of Production to the Resurrection of the Body: A Labor Theory of Revolutionary Subjectivity and Religious Ideas.*
- Garrett-Evangelical Seminary/Northwestern University, Evanston, IL. (2006–2007)
- M.A., Regent College, Vancouver, B.C. (2001–2005)
 - Master's Thesis: *Beyond the Rabbi and the Poet: A Critical Analysis of the Appropriation of Deconstruction in Derrida and Kierkegaard.*
- B.A. in Communications Studies, Taylor University, Upland, IN. (1994–1997)

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

- Critical Social Theory, Virtue Ethics, Political Philosophy, Philosophy of Labor, Ontology, Philosophy of Religion, Nineteenth Century Continental Philosophy (Hegel, Marx, Kierkegaard),

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

- Ancient and Medieval Philosophy, Modern Philosophy, Postmodern Theory, History of Ethics, History of Religion

PUBLICATIONS

- Book Review, Anthony Mansueto's "The Death of Secular Messianism: Religion and Politics in an Age of Civilizational Crisis," *Journal of Political Theology*, vol. 13, no. 4, (Sep. 2012): 516–519.
- "Gifts of Death or Subjects of Grace: Thinking the Ontological Conditions of Subjective Constitution with Kierkegaard and Badiou," in *Gift and Economy: Ethics, Hospitality and the Market*, ed. Eric R. Severson (Newcastle, UK: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2012), pp. 170–187.
- "On What Could Quite Rightly Pass for a Fetish," in *God is Dead and I Don't Feel So Good Myself: Theological Engagements with the New Atheism*, eds. Andrew David, Christopher J. Keller and Jon Stanley (Eugene, OR: Wipf & Stock, 2009), pp. 26–44.
- "Three Questions on Modern Atheism: An Interview with John Milbank," in *God is Dead and I Don't Feel So Good Myself*, pp. 58–66.
- "The Nation State Project, Schizophrenic Globalization, and the Eucharist: An Interview with William T. Cavanaugh," in *Remembering the Future: A Collection of Essays, Interviews, and Poetry at the Intersection of Theology and Culture*, eds. Andrew David and Christopher J. Keller (Eugene, OR: Wipf & Stock, 2009), pp. 181–190.

- “Theology and Capitalism: An Interview with John Milbank,” in *Remembering the Future*, pp. 109–122.

PRESENTATIONS

- “Post-Marxist Philosophies of Religion: Lessons from Negri, Badiou and Bulgakov,” Wesleyan Theology Society, Seattle Pacific University, March, 2013.
- “The Other Half of Hegel’s Halfwayness: A response to Mark Morelli’s *Meeting Hegel Halfway*,” Marquette Philosophical Theology Colloquium, March 3, 2012.
- “Thinking Ethics beyond the Neoliberal Empire of the Global Market,” Wesleyan Theological Society, Southern Methodist University, March 4, 2011.
- “Resurrection of the Body and Emancipatory Ethics,” Marquette Political Theologies Seminar, Marquette University, December 8, 2011.
- “Who is the Subject of Self-Appropriation: a Response to Paul St. Amour,” Lonergan on the Edge Conference, Marquette University, September 2010.
- “Gift and Grace Beyond the Market Ontology: Constituting the Subject Otherwise,” Wesleyan Philosophical Society, Asuza Pacific University, March 2010.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Instructor, PUBM 5600: Ethics and Society. Seattle University
 - Summer 2018
- Instructor, UCOR 2910: Ethical Reasoning in Business. Seattle University:
 - Fall 2017
- Instructor, UCOR 2500: Philosophy of the Human Person. Seattle University:
 - Fall 2016
 - Winter 2017
 - Spring 2017
 - Fall 2017
 - Spring 2018 (2 sections)

ACADEMIC AWARDS

- Religious Studies Dissertation Fellowship, Marquette University (2012)
- Teaching Assistantship, Marquette University (2008–2011)
- Allyn Sutton Fellowship, Garrett-Evangelical Seminary (2006–2008)

Past Work Experience

- Debate Judge, NASA Astrobiology Debates Western Championship (University Division), University of Washington (Oct. 2015)
- Journal Editor, *The Other Journal*, <http://www.theotherjournal.com> (2004–2008)
- Youth Development Coordinator, Ballard Boys and Girls Club, Seattle, WA. (January 2005–2006)
- Volunteer Services Coordinator, YMCA of Greater Seattle, Sammamish, WA. (2004–2005)

- Assistant Day Camp Director, YMCA of Greater Seattle, Sammamish, WA. (Summer 2004)
- Sales Clerk, Regent College Bookstore, Vancouver, B.C. (2001–2003)
- Sales Coordinator, Jenkins Restoration, Sterling, VA. (1998–1999)
- Sales Coordinator, Hertz Equipment Rental, Indianapolis, IN. (1997–1998)