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**EDUCATION**

**Doctor of Philosophy.** Marriage, Family and Human Development, Brigham Young University, 2004.

**Masters of Science.** Education/Information Technology, Western Oregon University, 1995.

**Bachelors of Arts.** Journalism/Public Relations, University of Oregon, 1989.

**Associates Degree.**  Business Administration Emphasis, Cypress College, 1985.

**PROFESSIONAL**

**Associate Professor.** Department of Church History and Doctrine, College of Religion, Brigham Young University,2007 – Present.

**Key Contributor.** American Families of Faith Project, 2004 – Present. An ongoing qualitative research project involving 470 subjects, 200 families and over 50 peer reviewed publications

**Investigator.** Family Foundations of Youth Development – 2017 – Present. A 10 year longitudinal mixed methods research project which will involve 3000 individuals from several states

Courses Taught – Marriage and Family

* Religion 200 – The Eternal Family
* Religion 234: LDS Marriage and Family

Courses Taught - Theology

* Religion 121: Book of Mormon – 1st Half
* Religion 122: Book of Mormon – 2nd Half
* Religion 130: Missionary Preparation
* Religion 212: New Testament – 2nd Half
* Religion 301: Old Testament – 1st Half
* Religion 325: Doctrine and Covenants – 2nd Half
* Religion 325: The Living Prophets
* Religion 327: Pearl of Great Price

**Current Citizenship Responsibilities**

* Associate Publications Director – Religious Studies Center / Chief Editor of the Religious Educator
* Post-Chair – Religion, Spirituality and Family Section of National Council of Family Relations

**Past Citizenship Responsibilities**

* Chair – The Eternal Family Inservice Committee
* Chair – The Eternal Family On-Line Course creation committee
* Member – National Program Committee - NCFR
* Chair-Religion, Spirituality and the Family section of the National Council of Family Relations
* Chair-Elect – Religion, Spirituality and Family Section of National Council of Family Relations
* Reviewer – National Conference Planning Committee – National Council of Family Relations
* Chair – Department Search Committee
* Member – Department Search Committee
* Co-Chair – The Eternal Family creation committee
* Chair – Church History Symposim
* Chair – Prospective Missionary Fireside
* Co-Chair – Prospective Missionary Fireside
* Member – University Academic Evaluation Committee
* Chairman – Church History and Doctrine In-service
* Chairman – Friday Faculty Committee
* Member – Friday Faculty Committee
* Member – Curriculum Committee
* Member – BYU Studies Academy

**Manager of College Curriculum**. Church Educational System of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 2004-2007.

* Responsibility for all college curricular material produced by the Church Educational System.
* Directed the production of Institute manuals used in the Church Educational System, including the revised Family History manual, the Missionary Preparation manual, The Book of Mormon manual.
* Served on the editorial committee responsible for the CES edited issue of the scholarly journal Religious Educator.

**Religion Instructor.** Departments of Church History and Doctrine and Ancient Scripture, Brigham Young University, 2001-2006.

* Over twenty classes taught.

**Institute Instructor and Faculty Advisor.** Orem Institute of Religion, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 2000-2001.

* Eight classes each semester.
* Served as faculty advisor for the missionary preparation program.

**Mission President.** Bangkok Thailand Mission (Leave of Absence), 1997-2000.

* Responsibility for 500 plus proselyting and humanitarian missionaries throughout Thailand.
* Ecclesiastic responsibility for over 10,000 Thai members in five districts.
* Extensive responsibilities for interacting with government officials including the Prime Minister/Deputy Prime Ministers/Foreign Ministers / Ambassadors and others.

***Church Educational System Coordinator*.** Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints,Salem, Oregon, 1995-1997.

* Administrative and faculty responsibilities for 40 volunteer faculty members and over 1000 students.
* Teaching load of approximately 50 college students.

**Seminary Principal / Insitute Instructor.** Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Salem, Oregon, 1989-1995.

* Administrative and faculty responsibilities for 4 volunteer faculty members.
* Teaching load of approximately 100 seminary students.
* Teaching load of approximately 20 adults at Oregon State Penitentiary.

**PUBLICATIONS**

Submitted

* **A quantitative study of the influence of LDS Family Home Evening.** Phillips, T., Marks, L., Long, A., Wheeler, B., Goodman, M., Hatch, T., Wall, S. K., & Smith, J. R. (submission pending). Religions.
* **Family Structure Paper,** Tommy M. Phillips, Ph.D.; Loren D. Marks, Ph.D.; Alice C. Long, Ph.D.; Brandan E. Wheeler, Ph.D.; Michael A. Goodman, Ph.D.; Trevan G. Hatch, Ph.D.; Sterling K. Wall, Ph.D.; Jennifer R. Smith, M.S**.** (under review) *Review of Religious Research*
* **First Comes Love…** Goodman, Michael, (under review), *Ensign*
* **Our Heavenly Parents…**Goodman, Michael, (under review), Ensign

Accepted for Publication

### Published

* **Religion and Sexual Orientation as Predictors of Utah Youth Suicidality,** Dyer, Justin W., Goodman, Michael A., Wood, David S., BYU Studies Quarterly, Volume 61, Issue 3 2022,
* **Oh Say What is Truth: Approaches to Doctrine,** Goodman, Mike, *BYU Studies Quarterly, Volume 60, Number 3, 2021*, p 13-38.
* **Adolescent Religious Motivation: A Self-Determination Theory Approach.** Hardy, S.A., Nelson, J. M., Frandsen, S, Goodman, M.A. *International Journal for the Psychology of Religion.*
* **Religiosity from age 12 to 20: Stability, change, and bidirectional effects of attendance, prayer, and salience***.* Dyer, W. J., Hardy, S., Goodman, M. *The International Journal for the Psychology of Religion. Nov 2020*
* **The real Book of Mormon Musical: LDS Family Home Evening as a weekly ritual.**Marks, L. D., Dollahite, D. C., Hatch, T. G., Goodman, M., & Phillips, T. Kelly, H. H (2020) *Marriage & Family Review, 56:5, 425-448.*
* **Adolescent suicide ideation in Utah: The role of religion and family.** Dyer, W. J., Goodman, M. A., & Hardy. S. A.**Psychology of Religion and Spirituality,** Advanced Publication: April 2020.
* **From parent to child: Family factors that influence faith transmission.** Goodman, M. A., & Dyer, W. J. Psychology of Religion and Spirituality. Vol 12(2), May 2020, 178-190
* **“Thomas S. Monson.”** in *Presidents of the Church: The Lives and Teachings of the Modern Prophets.* Second Edition. eds. Craig Manscill, Robert Freeman, and Dennis Wright (Springville Utah: Cedar Fort, 2019), 447-472.
* **Depression, Religiosity, and Parenting Styles among Young Latter-Day Saint Adolescents. Religions** Ogletree, M.D.; Dyer, W.J.; Goodman, M.A.; Kinneard, C.; McCormick, B.W. *Religions 10:3*, 2019, 227.
* **"Line upon Line": Joseph Smith's Growing Understanding of the Eternal Family,** Jensen, Devan, Goodman, Mike, Morgan, Barbara;*Religious Educator,* 20:1, 2019, 35-60.
* **Teaching the Doctrine of the Family: A South African Example.** Khumbulani D. Mdletshe and Michael A. Goodman. *Religious Educator*, 19, no. 2 (2018)
* **Goodman, Michael A.** “Beginning, in, from the,” “Book of Remembrance,” “Mahan, Master Mahan,” “Murder,” “Secret Combinations,” “Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil,” “Tree of Life,” (7 credited entries) in *Pearl of Great Price Reference Companion*, edited by Dennis L. Largey. Salt Lake City:  
  Deseret Book, 2017.
* **Inquire Well to Marry Well**, Michael Goodman, Ensign, August 2017, 16-19.
  + **How religion influences coping with stress and challenges in families.** Skipper, A., Marks, L. D., & Dollahite, D. C., & Goodman, M. A. (2017). In L. D. Marks & D. C. Dollahite, Religion and families (pp. 215-233). New York: Routledge/Taylor & Francis.
  + **The influence of religious beliefs in marriage.** Marks, L. D., Dollahite, D. C., & Goodman, M. A. (2017). In L. D. Marks & D. C. Dollahite, *Religion and families*(pp. 78-110). New York: Routledge/Taylor & Francis.
* **Taking the Fear Out of Dating**, Michael Goodman, Ensign, April 2016, 18-21.
* **The World Wide Church**, eds. Michael Goodman and Mauro Properzi, Salt Lake City: Religious Study Center/Deseret Book, (2016).
* **The World Wide Reach of Mormonism.** in *The World Wide Church*, eds. Michael Goodman and Mauro Properzi, Salt Lake City: Religious Study Center/Deseret Book, (2016).
* **Religious and Cultural Influences Faced by the First LDS Missionary in Thailand,** Michael Goodman.in *The World Wide Church*, eds. Michael Goodman and Mauro Properzi, Salt Lake City: Religious Study Center/Deseret Book, (2016).
* **By Divine Design: Best Practices for Family Success and Happiness**, eds. Brent Top and Michael Goodman, Salt Lake City: Religious Study Center/Deseret Book, 2014).
* **“The Influence of Faith on Family Life”** in *By Divine Design: Best Practices for Family Success and Happiness,* eds. Brent Top and Michael Goodman, Salt Lake City: Religious Study Center/Deseret Book, 2014), 23-50.
* **“Religious Faith and Transformational Processes in Marriage."** (co-authored with David C. Dollahite, Loren D. Marks, and Emily Layton). *Family Relations* 62 (December 2013), 808 – 823.
* **“Faith, Conversion, and Challenge: A Qualitative Study of Chinese Immigrant Christian Marriage (in the USA).”** (co-authored with Y Lu, Loren D. Marks and Olena Nestaruk). *Journal of Comparative Family Studies, 44* (March/April 2013)*: 227-247*.

* **“Elam Luddington: First Missionary to Thailand”** in *Go Ye Into All the World: The Growth and Development of Mormon Missionary Work*, eds. Reid Neilson and Fred Woods, (Salt Lake City: Deseret Book/Religious Studies Center, 2012), 111-129.
* **“Eden, The Garden of,” “Great and Marvelous Work,” “Man, Creation of,” “Section 33,” “Section 34,” “Section 35,” “Section 36.”** Seven articles included in the *Doctrine and Covenants Reference Companion*, ed. Dennis L. Largey (Salt Lake City: Deseret Book, 2012).
* **“Exploring Transformational Processes and Meaning in LDS Marriages.”** (co-authored with David C. Dollahite, Loren D. Marks), *Marriage and Family Review* *46, 6* (August 2012), 555-582.
* **“Eternal Marriage: Principles, Possibilities, and Promises.”** in *Voice(s) of Hope: Latter-day Saint Perspectives on Same-Gender Attraction.* ed. Ty Mansfield(Salt Lake City:Deseret Book, 2011), 299-315.
* **“Correlation, The Turning Point (1960s).”** in *Salt Lake City: The Place Which God* Prepared. eds. Scott C. Esplin and Kenneth L. Alford (Salt Lake City: Deseret Book/Religious Studies Center, 2011), 259-284.
* **“Correlation: The Early Years.”** in *A Firm Foundation: Church Organization and Administration.* eds. David J Whittaker and Arnold Garr (Salt Lake City: Deseret Book/Religious Studies Center, 2011), 319-338.
* **“Eternal Marriage and Family in the Old Testament.”** in *The Gospel of Jesus Christ in the Old Testament*: *The 28th Annual Sidney B. Sperry Symposium*. eds. D. Kelly Ogden, Jared W. Ludlow, and Kerry Muhlestein (Salt Lake City: Deseret Book/Religious Studies Center, 2009), 17-31.
* **“Thomas S. Monson.”** in *Presidents of the Church: The Lives and Teachings of the Modern Prophets.* eds. Craig Manscill, Robert Freeman, and Dennis Wright (Springville Utah: Cedar Fort, 2008), 443-461.
* **“Church Growth in Tonga: Historical and Cultural Connections.”** in *Regional Studies in Latter-day Saint Church History: The Pacific Islands.* eds. Reid L Neilson, Steven C. Harper, Mary Jane Woodger, and Craig K. Manscill (Provo Utah: Religious Studies Center, 2008), 43-59.
* **“Laman and Lemuel: A Case Study in ‘Not Becoming.’”** in *Living the Book of Mormon: Abiding By Its Precepts: The 36th Annual Sidney B. Sperry Symposium*, eds. Gaye Strathearn and Charles Swift (Salt Lake City: Deseret Book/Religious Studies Center, 2007), 100-112.
* **“The Creation: An Introduction to Our Relationship to God.”** *The Religious Educator* 8, no. 3 (Fall 2007), 15-29.
* **“How Religious Couples Perceive the Influence of God in Their Marriage.”** (co-authored with David C. Dollahite), *Review of Religious Research* 48, no. 2 (December 2006), 141-155.
* **“Families and religious beliefs, practices, and communities:  Linkages in a diverse and dynamic cultural context.”** (co-authored with David C. Dollahite, Loren D. Marks), in *The Handbook of Contemporary Families: Considering the past, contemplating the future,* eds*.* M. J. Coleman & L. H. Ganong, (Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage, 2004), 411-431.
* **“The Abrahamic Covenant: A Foundational Theme for the Old Testament.”** *The Religious Educator* 4, no. 3 (Fall 2003), 42-53.

**PRESENTATIONS**

* **LGBT Adolescent Suicide: Religious Salience and Family Flexibility** – Michael Goodman, Justin Dyer, Joseph Sheen, Kelsy Johnson, Mikel Cressman, Emily Pertschert – National Council of Family Relations, St. Louis Missouri, November 2020
* **LGBTQ Adolescent Depression and Suicidal Ideation – The Role of Family and Faith,** Michael Goodman & Justin Dyer, 2019 National Conference – National Council of Family Relations, Fort Worth, Texas, November 2019
* **Longitudinal Relational Research – Lessons Learned from the Family Foundations of Youth Development Project**. Invited Symposium, Michael Goodman, Justin Dyer, Mark Ogletree, 2019 APA Section 36 Midyear Conference, Bowling Green, Ohio, March 2019.
* **Religion, Sexual Orientation, an Adolescent Suicide**, Sam Hardy; Michael Goodman, Society for Research in Child Development 2019 National Conferenced, March 2019
* **Adolescent Suicidal Ideation: The Role of Family and Faith**, Michael Goodman, Justin Dyer, Jeremy Grubbs, Brian Phillips, Haley Smith, Holli Sperry, Alyssa Parsons, National Council of Family Relations
* **The LDS Church and Suicidality: A National Study.**, Goodman, M. Dyer, J., Grubbs, J., Phillips, B., Smith, H., Sperry, H. Presentation at the Mary Lou Fulton Mentored Research Conference, 2018.

* **Utah Suicidality: Faith, Family and Other Correlates**, Goodman, M. Dyer, J, Jeremy Grubbs, Brian Phillips, Haley Smith, Holli Sperry, Alyssa Parsons. Presentation at the 2018 Utah Council on Family Relations.
* **How Does Religion Impact Positive Adolescent Outcomes.** Goodman, M. Dyer, J, Hemmelgarn, E. Baker, H. Presentation at the 2017 National Council on Family Relations conference, Orlando, FL.
* **Depression, Religiosity, and Parenting Styles Among Young LDS Adolescents.** Ogletree, M. Dyer, J. Goodman, M. Kinneard, C. Mobley, S. Presentation at the 2017 National Council on Family Relations conference, Orlando, FL.
* **Adolescent Suicide: The Moderating and Mediating Role of Family and Faith.** Dyer, J. Goodman, M. Ogletree, C. Nauto, S. Presentation at the 2017 National Council on Family Relations conference, Orlando, FL.
* **Intergenerational Transmission of Religion and Familial Well-Being.** Goodman, M. Dyer, J, & Ogletree, M. Proposal accepted for presentation at the 2016 National Council on Family Relations conference, Minneapolis, MN.
* **Family Home Evening as a model for promoting healthy families.** Phillips, T. Marks, L., Long, A, Smith, J., Goodman, M., Wheeler, B., & Wall, S. Proposal accepted for presentation at the 2016 National Council on Family Relations conference, Minneapolis, MN.
* **“Bringing Christianity & the Gospel to Thailand**,” The World-Wide Church: The Global Reach of Mormonism. Church History Department and Brigham Young University, March 2014.
* **“Mormon Marriage: A ‘Curious Combination of Typicality and Peculiarity,”** Mormonism and the Exotic: Université Libre de Bruxelles and Brigham Young University, May 2013
* **“Transformational processes and religious faith in marriage and family: A qualitative exploration of a diverse, national sample.”** Annual conference of the National Council of Family Relations, Phoenix, Arizona, 2012.
* **“Transformational Processes and Meaning in LDS Marriages.”** Annual conference of the Utah Council on Family Relations in Ogden Utah, 2012.
* **“Elam Luddington: First Missionary to Thailand.”** Annual Church History Symposium, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, 2011.
* **“Faith in Marriage and Family.”** Annual Christian Scholars Conference: “The Path of Discovery: Science, Theology, and the Academy, Pepperdine University, Malibu, California, 2011.
* **“Marriage & Family: The Great Plan of Life.”** Annual Educational Conference, Southern Virginia University, Buena Vista, Virginia, 2011
* **“A Modern Latter-day Saint Approach to Marriage and Family.”** Annual conference of the Mormon Historical Association, Independence, Missouri, 2010.
* **“The Gospel of Jesus Christ in the Old Testament.”** Annual Sperry Symposium, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, 2009.
* **“Laman and Lemuel – A Case Study in Not Becoming.”** Annual Sperry Symposium, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, 2007.
* **“How is Marriage Different because of the Presence of God.”** Religion Faculty Forum, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, 2006.
* **“How Religious Couples Perceive God in their Marriage.”** Annual conference of the Utah Council on Family Relations, Utah State University, Logan, Utah, 2004.
* **“Families and Religious Beliefs, Practices, and Communities: Linkages in a Diverse and Dynamic Cultural Context.”** Annual conference of the Utah Council on Family Relations, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, 2003.
* **“Building the Kingdom at Home and Abroad.”** Religion Faculty Forum, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, 2002.

**PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC MEMBERSHIPS**

* National Council on Family Relations
* Utah Council on Family Relations
* LDS International Society

**PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC AWARDS**

* National Council on Family Relations: Religion and Family Life Section Professional Outstanding Paper Award for 2012.
* Robert J. Matthews Teaching Award – 2017. The Award recognizing the outstanding teacher in Religious Eduction.
* Charles Redd Center Award – 2018. The award for the best research poster dealing with issues in the Intermountain West at the Mary Lou Fulton Mentored Research Conference.

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* Family Foundations of Faith Study: Adolescent Religious Development in **Families.**($50,000). *Sorenson Legacy Foundation*(with Justin Dyer, Michael Goodman, and Mark Ogletree, College of Religious Education, Brigham Young University).