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EDUCATION

- 2021 **Higher School of Economics. National Research University (Moscow)**
Certification: Towards language universals through lexical semantics:
introduction to lexical and semantic typology. Mentor: Dr. Ekaterina Rakhilina.
- 2005-2010 **Doctorate in Biblical Theology (S.T.D.)**
Pontifical Gregorian University (Rome - Italy). *Thesis Topic*: “El espíritu del Señor en el libro de los Jueces. Estudio exegético y teológico de rûah Yhwh bajo la perspectiva deuteronomista.” Mentor: Santiago Bretón, SJ.
- 2000-2004 **Master (Licenza Pontificia) in Science in Sacred Scripture (S.S.L.)**
Pontifical Biblicum Institute (Rome - Italy). *Thesis Topic*: “Jesús nos enseña el camino de la vida que no es terminada por las manos de los Hombres. Análisis semántico-narrativo de Mc 9,30-32.” Mentor: Klemens Stock, SJ.
- 1994-1998 **Pontifical Baccalaureatus in Theology (S.T.B.)**
Pontifical Gregorian University (Rome - Italy).
- 1989-1994 **Bachelor and Licensure of Arts in Philosophy and Education (BA - Phil)**
Catholic University Cecilio Acosta University (UNICA: Venezuela). *Thesis Topic*: “La educación: el medio de la formación del ideal de realización del hombre en Aristóteles.”

LANGUAGES

Research Languages

- Greek (Biblical Koiné): advanced reading and writing
- Latin (Classic and Ecclesiastic): advanced reading and writing
- Biblical Hebrew: advanced reading and writing
- Biblical Aramaic: advanced reading and writing

These languages are an obligatory requirement to obtain the S.S.L. and the S.T.D. at the Biblicum and Pontifical Gregorian University.

Modern Languages

- Spanish: fluent: native language
- English: fluent: reading, writing, speaking. Required to obtain the S.S.L. and the S.T. D. at the Biblicum and Pontifical Gregorian University.
- Italian: fluent: reading, writing, speaking. Required to obtain the S.S.L. and the S.T. D. at the Biblicum and Pontifical Gregorian University.
- French: advanced reading fluency, intermediate speaking competency. Required to obtain the S.S.L. and the S.T. D. at the Biblicum and Pontifical Gregorian University.
- Portuguese: advance reading fluency, intermediate speaking competency.
- German: reading fluency and research competency, intermediate speaking competency (Zertifikat von Kreuzberg Internationale Schulungs – Bonn, Germany). Required to obtain the S.S.L. and the S.T. D. at the Biblicum and Pontifical Gregorian University.

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2022-present Director of the Center Semillero for the Hispanic/Latino Theology: Graduate Programs in Theology
- 2021-present Professor of the Master of Arts in Sacred Scripture (MASE in Spanish): Biblical Languages.
- 2020-present Professor of NT theology and Spirituality at St. Catherine Convent. Dominican Sisters of Mary Immaculate Province.
- 2019-present Professor of the Master of Arts in Pastoral Theology (MATP Spanish program at UST).
- 2018-present Collaborator and consultant for the Pané Foundation
- 2016-2018 Interim Chair of the Theology Department (UST).
- 2016-present Professor of NT: Instituto Bíblico Católico Loyola Marymount University.
- 2015-present Collaborator and consultant for the USCCB.
- 2008-present Collaborator and consultant for the American Bible Society

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught at UST

- THEO 1301: Introduction to the Sacred Scripture at UST since 2010.
- THEO 3354: Synoptic Gospels at UST since 2010.
- THEO 3352: Paul: his Letters and Theology at UST since 2011. • THEO 4320: Luke and Acts / MLTHE 6320 at UST since 2011.
- THEO 3365 / MLTHE 5365: Gospel and Letters of John at UST since 2011.
- THEO 4321: Catholic Epistles.

- THEO 3351: Prophets of Ancient Israel.
- UNIV 1111: Freshman Symposium: Educating Leaders of Faith & Character (Fall 2013 and Fall 2014).
- THEO 4393 / FC 6393: Faith and Culture in Biblical texts. This is a core course for the Masters in Faith and Culture (cross listed with Theology).
- HNRS 4395: Contemporary Problems Seminar (Honors Program: Spring 2014).
- HNRS 3391: Community Service Project (Seminar)/ Foundations of Service (Fall 2016present)
- UNIV 1293 - ROM Special Topics: FYESA (Spring 2015).
- THEO 3332: Sacraments: Theology and Introduction
- SPTHEO 5310: Synoptic Gospels and Acts of the Apostles: Spanish Graduate program of MASE.
- SPTHEO 5322: Canonical Gospels: Spanish Graduate program of MATP.
- SPTHEO 5324: History of the Church: Spanish Graduate level course for MATP. Online Course
- SPTHEO 5303: Biblical Greek: Spanish Graduate level course for MASE.
- SPTHEO 5325: Themes of the Old and New Testament: Spanish Graduate level course for MATP.
- SPTHEO 5326: Trinity and Incarnation: Spanish Graduate level course for MATP.
- SPTHEO 5302: Biblical Hebrew. Spanish Graduate level course for MASE.
- THEOC 1301: Faith, Reason, and Revelation: Spanish Pilot Course for the New Core of UST 2022.
- SPTHEO 5311 and SPTHEO 5328: Paul: Theology and Letters (Spanish)

Courses Taught in other institutions.

- Introduction to the Old Testament: Online Course developed for St. Meinrad Seminary and Seton Hall University: Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology.
- Webinars for Pastoral and Homiletic for the priests and deacons of the Diocese of San Bernardino. Online courses from 2014 until present.
- BSLX-906-05 / BSLX-906-04: Introduction to the New Testament (Spanish Course): Loyola Marymount University (LMU): Instituto Bíblico Católico.
- University of Notre Dame: McGrath Institute for Church Life: STEP/Caminos. Course online: The NT Gospels (Spanish version). Created and Designed by Dempsey Rosales Acosta. Recorded during the Fall 2016. Access to Nationwide students on September 2018. Webpage: <https://mcgrath.nd.edu/online-courses/camino/course-catalog/introduccion-alos-cuatro-evangelios/>

- American Bible Society (ABS): A Bilingual Video Seminar on the Patristic Use of Lectio Divina. Sponsored and produced by the American Bible Society. These video seminars are used by the ABS in association with Catholic Ministries nationwide.

English

Part 1: <https://vimeo.com/188868772/078214256b>

Part 2: <https://vimeo.com/190720884/c6d7561c2c>

Spanish

Part 1: <https://vimeo.com/189204661/82b7a7b440>

Part 2: <https://vimeo.com/194054752/d25ad0ea06>

- Introduction to Sacred Scripture: Academic, theological, and spiritual approach. Course for the Dominican Sisters (OP): St. Catherine Convent.
- Introduction to Catholicism: “Response of Faith” (Spanish): Video recorded classes for the Pontifical Institute Josephinum; Classes for the Pre-candidate of the Diaconate. Sponsored by Josephinum and Foundation Pané: 2021.
- Introduction to Catholicism: “Creed” (Spanish): Video recorded classes for the Pontifical Institute Josephinum; Classes for the Pre-candidate of the Diaconate. Sponsored by Josephinum and Foundation Pané: 2021.
- Introduction to Catholicism: “Trinity” (Spanish): Video recorded classes for the Pontifical Institute Josephinum; Classes for the Pre-candidate of the Diaconate. Sponsored by Josephinum and Foundation Pané: 2021.
- Introduction to The Gospel according to John: Academic, theological, and spiritual approach. Course for the Dominican Sisters (OP): St. Catherine Convent: 2021-present.
- Paul’s letters and theology: Academic, theological, and spiritual approach. Course for the Dominican Sisters (OP): St. Catherine Convent: 2021-present.
- Synoptic Gospels: Exegesis, theology, and spirituality. Course for the Dominican Sisters (OP): St. Catherine Convent: 2021-present.

Collaborative Courses

- Collaborative teaching with Sr. Damien Savino, Department of Environmental Science and Studies (ESS): Spring 2013: THEO 3322 Theology of Creation.
- Collaborative teaching with Dirk Steffens M.Div.: Teachings of the Catholic Church (THEO 1300/3300, Fall 2012).
- Collaborative teaching in the study abroad course, THEO 4393/CS 4393 Mapping the Holy Land, is an interdisciplinary study of the Holy Land’s archeological, historical, cultural, and theological core (May 22-June 1, 2013 / June 3-14, 2020/ June 10-21, 2023). Sponsored by the Hertzstein Foundation since 2020 until present.

- Collaborative teaching with Dr. Michalos in Freshman Symposium: lecture of Catholic Intellectual Tradition (Fall 2016).
- Kakehashi Project: International exchange program established between the Government of Japan and the Department of International Studies. The program was developed during Spring 2017 which included three instructional sections, two special activities with Japanese students, the trip to Japan, and final presentations of the core values of Kakehashi project: diversity, character, service, and diplomacy.
- Collaborative teaching with Dr. Coscio in advance level of Spanish: lecture on Eutanasia (Fall 2018).

Creation and Development of curricula and programs

- (2022) Creator and developer of the Spanish course of Faith Reason and Revelation: THEOC 1301: asynchronous online course.
- (2022) Creator and developer of the Spanish course on Biblical Greek: SPTHEO 5303: Spanish Graduate level course for MASE. Online course
- (2022) Creator and developer of the Spanish course on History of the Church: Graduate program of MATP: SPTHEO 5324.
- (2022) Creator and developer of the Spanish course on the Canonical Gospels in the Holy Land: Graduate program of MASE: SPTHEO 5322: Gospels
- (2022) Creator and developer of the Spanish course “Synoptic Gospels and Acts” in the Holy Land: Graduate program of MASE: SPTHEO 5310: Synoptic Gospels and Acts of the Apostles.
- (2021) Creator and developer of the Spanish course on Biblical Hebrew: SPTHEO 5302: Spanish Graduate level course for MASE. Online course
- (2021) Creator and developer of the Graduate Program in Spanish of the Master in Sacred Scripture (MASE) at UST in collaboration with Dr. Salazar. Status: Approved by UST in 2021.
- (2019) Creator and developer of the Graduate Program in Spanish of the Master of Arts in Pastoral Theology in Spanish at UST in collaboration with Dr. Salazar.
- (2018) Introduction to the Old Testament: Online Course created and developed by Dempsey Rosales Acosta for St. Meinrad Seminary and Seton Hall University: Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology.
- (2017) American Bible Society (ABS): Patristic praxis of Lectio Divina: created and developed by Dempsey Rosales Acosta. Sponsored and produced by the American Bible Society.
- (2016) University of Notre Dame: McGrath Institute for Church Life: STEP/Caminos. Course online: The NT Gospels (Spanish version). Created and designed by Dempsey Rosales Acosta. Recorded during the Fall 2016. Webpage:

SCHOLARSHIP AND PUBLICATIONS

Published Books

- (2023) Gonzalez Emiliano, Dempsey Rosales Acosta, and Maire Faubert. *A Meditation on Jesus as Role Model for Catholic Christian Education*. Santiago de Chile – Barcelona – Madrid: RIL, 2023. International dissemination. Publication date: November 2023.
- (2022) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. *Speirō: Sembrando senderos de teología hispana en los Estados Unidos. Colección de ensayos teológicos morales, bíblicos y pastorales*. General Editor Dempsey Rosales Acosta. Santiago de Chile – Barcelona – Madrid: RIL Editores, 2022. ISBN: 978-84-19372-35-2 / 2nd edition: 2023.
- (2019) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. *Lectio Divina: A Ladder Towards God. A Patristic Approach to the Scripture*. Santiago de Chile – Barcelona – Madrid: RIL Editores, 2019. ISBN: 978-956-01-0694-0
- (2019) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. *Introducción a los evangelios canónicos. Un manual instructivo para la formación bíblica de adultos*. Peer Reviewed. Estella, Navarra: Editorial Verbo Divino, 2019. ISBN: 978-849073-482-7
- (2014) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. *From John of Apamea to Mark's Gospel. Two Dialogues with Thomasios: a Hermeneutical reading of Horao, Blepō, and Theoreo*. Studies in Biblical Literature (volume 160). Publisher: Peter Lang International Academic Publishers, 2014. ISBN-10: 1433126168 / ISBN-13: 978-1433126161. Peer-reviewed.
- (2012) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. *El Modus operandi lucano y paulino: Modelo teológico pastoral para una nueva evangelización. Una propuesta hermenéutica para la evangelización en las comunidades hispanas de los EE.UU.* Berlín - Madrid: Editorial Académica Española, 2012. ISBN 978-3-659-05768-7. Monograph.
- (2012) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. *La victoria sobre el poder de la muerte. Ensayo semántico y narrativo del texto griego de Marcos 9:30-32*. Sevilla: Editorial Círculo Rojo, 2012. ISBN 978-84-9030-136-4. Thesis of Graduation from the Pontifical Biblicum Institute of Rome (Peer-reviewed). Indicated review in *New Testament Abstracts* 57/1 (2013) by Daniel Harrington SJ.¹
- (2010) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. *El espíritu del Señor en el libro de los Jueces. Estudio exegetico y teológico del rūah Yhwh bajo la perspectiva deuteronomista*. Excerpta ex Dissertatione ad Doctoratum in Facultate Theologiae Pontificiae Universitatis Gregoriana. Roma: PUG, 2010 (Nº 5896).

¹ Reviews of this book have been published in the *Journal of Reviews in Religion & Theology*, Volume 21, Issue 1, (2014): 122–124, by A. Bowden of Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München and in the *Journal of Theological Studies*, 72, no. 2 (2014): 407-408, by I. A. Morales.

Published Peer-reviewed Articles and Essays

- (2021) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. In 2021, “When Racial Profiling Becomes an Abuse of Power: A Hermeneutical Reading of Acts 21:27-40a and 22:23-29,” *Journal of Hispanic / Latino Theology*: Vol. 23: No. 1, Article 6 (2021): 61-92. Available at: <https://repository.usfca.edu/jhlt/vol23/iss1/6> A shorter version-excerpted modified version of 10,000 words of article . “Black and Brown Pauls” reprinted due to the event of George Floyd who died May 25, 2020.
- (2021) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “From racial profiling to condemnation and abuse of power. A biblical case of hermeneutics from the minorities in the United States.” *Teología y cultura*², año 18, vol. 23, número 1 (May 2021), pp. 9-33. ISSN 16686233. A shorter version-excerpted modified version of 10,000 words of article . “Black and Brown Pauls” reprinted due to the event of George Floyd who died May 25, 2020.
- (2021) Rosales Acosta, Dempsey. “The Right to Oxygen: Universal Right. Theologizing an Experience of COVID-19 from a Latinx Point of View.” *Academia Letters. Article 1540*. <https://doi.org/10.20935/AL1540>
- (2017) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Recovering the semantic connotations of the verb ’āman (אָמַן) in Qal.” In *Helmantica* LXVII no. 198 (2016):123-159. Pontifical University of Salamanca (Spain). The same article was revised and reprinted by *Theologica Xaveriana* from the Pontifical University Javeriana de Colombia, under the title of “Re-discovering the semantics of אָמַן in Qal.” *Theologica Xaveriana* 67, no. 184 (2017): 431-460.
- (2017) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Black and Brown Pauls: A Pauline case of racial profiling: a hermeneutical reading of Acts 21:27-40a and 22:23-29 and the reality of the African American and Hispanic communities in United States.” *Journal of the Black Catholic Theological Symposium X* (2017): 63-109. Published the long version of 18,000 words.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Dimensión parental e histórica de la fe. Ensayo filológico y semántico de la raíz אָמַן.” *Scripta Theologica*, Vol. XLVII, no. 1 (2015): 41-70.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Eliab, Son of Toah (בן יִתְחַזוּ אֶלְיָהוּא) ’elīhū’ ben Toḥû), the great grandfather of Samuel.” In *Lexham Bible Dictionary*. Edited by John D. Barry and Lazarus Wentz. Bellingham, Wa.: Logos Corporation, 2015.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Tannur (תַּנּוּר) Tannûr), an oven or furnace.” In *Lexham Bible Dictionary*. Edited by John D. Barry and Lazarus Wentz. Bellingham, Wa.: Logos Corporation, 2015.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Oboda (עֲבֹדָה Avdat/Abda or Ovdad), the name of a city and three Nabatean kings.” In *Lexham Bible Dictionary*. Edited by John D. Barry and Lazarus Wentz. Bellingham, Wa.: Logos Corporation, 2015.

² *Teología y Cultura*: An international Journal: www.latindex.org, ATLA Religion Database®, a product of the American Theological Library Association, 300 S. Wacker Dr., Suite 2100, Chicago, IL 60606, e-mail: atla@atla.com – www.atla.com; Dialnet, www.dialnet.unirioja.es

- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Lehun. The location also known as Al-Lahun, Khirbet Lahun, or the biblical land of Moab.” In *Lexham Bible Dictionary*. Edited by John D. Barry and Lazarus Wentz. Bellingham, Wa.: Logos Corporation, 2015.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Tamar (תָּמָר Tāmār), The name of the dwelling place of the Amorites.” In *Lexham Bible Dictionary*. Edited by John D. Barry and Lazarus Wentz. Bellingham, Wa.: Logos Corporation, 2015.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Lord of Hosts (יְהוָה צְבָאוֹת).” In *Lexham Bible Dictionary*. Edited by John D. Barry and Lazarus Wentz. Bellingham, Wa.: Logos Corporation, 2015.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Good and Evil, ancient conceptions of.” In *Lexham Bible Dictionary*. Edited by John D. Barry and Lazarus Wentz. Bellingham, Wa.: Logos Corporation, 2015.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Mary, the Mother of Jesus (Μαρία)” In *Lexham Bible Dictionary*. Edited by John D. Barry and Lazarus Wentz. Bellingham, Wa.: Logos Corporation, 2015.
- (2014) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “John of Apamea: His Identity and his dualistic anthropological conception.” *Teología y Cultura*³ 11, vol. 16 (2014). Digital format: ISSN 1668-6233.
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “John of Apamea. A Framework of the Problem of his Identity and Assessment of different theories.” *JECH* 5, no. 1 (2015): 4-25.
- (2013) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Jesus and the Demons: Portraits of the spiritual Seeing in Mark's Gospel. Origen, Bonaventure, and Ignatius as hermeneutic reading key of the Gospel.” *Teología y Vida* 54, no. 2 (2013): 307-337. Pontifical University of Santiago de Chile, a Jesuit University.⁴

Published Chapters in Books

- (2022) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Caminando por el ‘huerto’ de la Escritura: Encuentro con una tradición rabínica de lectura bíblica con ojos cristianos.” In *Speiro: Sembrando senderos de teología hispana en los Estados Unidos*. Santiago de Chile – Madrid: RIL Editores, 2022. ISBN: 978-84-1937235-2
- (2022) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “El arresto de Pablo en Jerusalén. Un caso paulino de perfil racial: una lectura hermenéutica de Hechos 21:27-40a y 22:23-29 bajo la óptica de la realidad de las comunidades afroamericanas e hispanas en los Estados Unidos.” In *Speiro: Sembrando*

³ *Teología y Cultura*: An international Journal: www.latindex.org, ATLA Religion Database®, a product of the American Theological Library Association, 300 S. Wacker Dr., Suite 2100, Chicago, IL 60606, e-mail: atla@atla.com – www.atla.com; Dialnet, www.dialnet.unirioja.es

⁴ *Teología y Vida* is indexed in the ATLA Religion Database> See <https://dl.atla.com/concern/works/xd07gx338?locale=en>

senderos de teología hispana en los Estados Unidos. Santiago de Chile – Madrid: RIL Editores, 2022. ISBN: 978-84-19372-35-2

- (2022) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Luchando por Respirar. Una reflexión bíblica y teológica de un paciente de COVID-19.” In *Speiro: Sembrando senderos de teología hispana en los Estados Unidos*. Santiago de Chile – Madrid: RIL Editores, 2022. ISBN: 978-84-19372-35-2
- (2022) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Interpretando la semántica del verbo ’āman (אָמַן) en qal. Una hermenéutica teológica a partir de la experiencia de los inmigrantes latinos en los Estados Unidos.” In *Speiro: Sembrando senderos de teología hispana en los Estados Unidos*. Santiago de Chile – Madrid: RIL Editores, 2022. ISBN: 978-84-19372-35-2

Published Biblical Translations from the original languages

(2020-2021) “*Traducción del Nuevo Evangelizador*”. Translated by Dempsey Rosales Acosta from the Greek text (Nestle-Aland 28th edition). Imprimatur: Cardinal Rodríguez Maradiaga and Archbishop José Gómez. December 2021. See: <https://bibletowatch.com/> This translation includes only the Canonical Gospels from Greek (Nestle-Aland 28th edition) into Spanish: a translation for the millennials. An audio book and video book. Sponsored by Fundación Pané. Publication, 2020-2021.

(2023) Fundación Pané and Project Harmony. Dios con nosotros: La historia de Jesús que cambia vidas contada para nuestro tiempo. Project Harmony: 2023. Printed Biblical Text of *Traducción del Nuevo Evangelizador*. <https://www.diosconnosotros.live/es>

Published Peer Reviewed Translations and Contributions in the World History Encyclopedia (Index - World History Encyclopedia)

- (2023) “Sargón y Ur-Zababa.” Translated by Dempsey Rosales Acosta from the original “Sargon and Ur-Zababa” by Joshua J. Mark. Translation published by WHE in February 2023. [Sargón y Ur-Zababa - Enciclopedia de la Historia del Mundo \(worldhistory.org\)](https://www.worldhistory.org/article/1000000/sargon-y-ur-zababa/)
- (2023) “Eos.” translated by Dempsey Rosales Acosta from the original “Eos” by Liana Miate. Translation published by WHE in February 2023. [Eos - Enciclopedia de la Historia del Mundo \(worldhistory.org\)](https://www.worldhistory.org/article/1000000/eos/)
- (2022) “Agni.” Translated by Dempsey Rosales Acosta from the original “Agni” by Mark Cartwright. Translation published by WHE on January 2022. [Agni - Enciclopedia de la Historia del Mundo \(worldhistory.org\)](https://www.worldhistory.org/article/1000000/agni/)
- (2021) “Solomón.” Translated by Dempsey Rosales Acosta from the original “Solomon” by John S. Knox. Translation published by the WHE on February 2021: [Salomón - Enciclopedia de la Historia del Mundo \(worldhistory.org\)](https://www.worldhistory.org/article/1000000/salomon/)
- (2021) “Egeo.” Translated by Dempsey Rosales Acosta from the original “Aegean” by Joshua J. Mark. Translation published by the WHE on February 2021: [Egeo - Enciclopedia de la Historia del Mundo \(worldhistory.org\)](https://www.worldhistory.org/article/1000000/egeo/)

- (2021) “Homo Sapiens.” Translated by Dempsey Rosales Acosta from the original “Homo Sapiens” by Emma Groeneveld. Translation published WHE on 4/24/2021. [Homo Sapiens - Enciclopedia de la Historia del Mundo \(worldhistory.org\)](https://www.worldhistory.org/Homo-Sapiens-Enciclopedia-de-la-Historia-del-Mundo/)
- (2021) “Entrevista: Los últimos días de los Incas (Kim MacQuarrie).” Translated by Dempsey Rosales Acosta from the original “Interview: The Last Days of the Incas (Kim MacQuarrie).” Translation published by WHE on June 2021. [Entrevista: Los últimos días de los Incas \(Kim MacQuarrie\) - Enciclopedia de la Historia del Mundo \(worldhistory.org\)](https://www.worldhistory.org/Entrevista-Los-ultimos-dias-de-los-Incas-Kim-MacQuarrie-Enciclopedia-de-la-Historia-del-Mundo/)

Instructional Material: peer-reviewed publication of modules and units

- (2020) “El Evangelio de Marcos”: Video pedagogical segments on the Gospel of Mark published in audio-video formats published by FORMED and the American Bible Society. Publication: July, 31st 2020. The material and the presentations of 5 segments are created by Dempsey Rosales Acosta. Link:

<https://catholic.americanbible.org/marcos/segmento-1>

<https://watch.heroicmen.com/el-evangelio-de-marcos-con-fr-dempsey-rosales-acosta-s-s-l-s-t-d>

The video production is sponsored by the American Bible Society. The segments are the following:

Segment 1: La importancia del Evangelio según Marcos en la Tradición Católica

Segment 2: División del contenido del Evangelio según Marcos

Segment 3: Ministerio público en Galilea

Segment 4: El camino hacia Jerusalén

Segment 5: Jesús en Jerusalén: capítulos de 11 al 16 de Marcos

- (2019) “El Texto del Antiguo Testamento”, Módulo 1. Instructional material. St. Meinrad Seminary and the School of Theology at Seton Hall University. Online manual: May 2019. Bilingual material (Spanish and English). Peer Reviewed.
- (2019) “El Pentateuco”, Módulo 2. Instructional material. St. Meinrad Seminary and the School of Theology at Seton Hall University. Online manual: May 2019. Bilingual material (Spanish and English). Peer Reviewed.
- (2019) “La Historia Deuteronomística”, Módulo 3. Instructional material. St. Meinrad Seminary and the School of Theology at Seton Hall University. Online manual: May 2019. Bilingual material (Spanish and English). Peer Reviewed.
- (2019) “Los Profetas”, Módulo 4. Instructional material. St. Meinrad Seminary and the School of Theology at Seton Hall University. Online manual: May 2019. Bilingual material (Spanish and English). Peer Reviewed.
- (2019) “Ketuvim y la Literatura Sapiencial”, Módulo 5. Instructional material. St. Meinrad Seminary and the School of Theology at Seton Hall University. Online manual: May 2019. Bilingual material (Spanish and English). Peer Reviewed.
- (2016-2018) “Introducción a los Evangelios Canónicos. Unidad 1.” Instructional material: Booklet (8,414 words) published online and copyrighted by McGrath Institute for Church Life:

- STEP/Caminos: McGrath Institute for Church Life: University of Notre Dame (2016/2018). Peer Reviewed.
- (2016-2018) “Introducción al Problema Sinóptico y al Evangelio según Marcos. Unidad 2.” Instructional material: Booklet (8,789 words) published online and copyrighted by McGrath Institute for Church Life: STEP/Caminos: McGrath Institute for Church Life: University of Notre Dame (2016/2018). Peer Reviewed.
 - (2016-2018) “Introducción al evangelio según Mateo. Unidad 3.” Instructional material: Booklet (9,691 words) published online and copyrighted by McGrath Institute for Church Life: STEP/Caminos: McGrath Institute for Church Life: University of Notre Dame (2016/2018). Peer Reviewed.
 - (2016-2018) “Introducción al evangelio según Lucas. Unidad 4.” Instructional material: Booklet (6,495 words) published online and copyrighted by McGrath Institute for Church Life: STEP/Caminos: McGrath Institute for Church Life: University of Notre Dame (2016/2018). Peer Reviewed.
 - (2016-2018) “Introducción al evangelio según Juan. Unidad 5.” Instructional material: Booklet (8,091 words) published online and copyrighted by McGrath Institute for Church Life: STEP/Caminos: McGrath Institute for Church Life: University of Notre Dame (2016-18). Peer Reviewed.

Publications in Homiletic and Pastoral Review (<https://www.hprweb.com/>)

- (2022) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Walking Through the ‘Orchard’ of Scripture. Encountering a Rabbinical Tradition of Biblical Reading with Christian Eyes.” In *Homiletic and Pastoral Review: HPR* (December, 2022). Digital Publication: <https://www.hprweb.com/2022/12/walking-through-theorchard-of-scripture/>
- (2016) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Re-assessing the role of the Pharisees in the NT.” In *Homiletic and Pastoral Review: HPR* (October, 2016). Digital Publication: <http://www.hprweb.com/2016/10/re-assessing-the-role-of-the-pharisees-in-the-new-testament/>
- (2015) Dempsey Rosales Acosta. “Jesus: the flowing and living water of Yhwh. Biblical Reflection of the relation between Ez 47:1-12 and Jn 5:1-16.” *Homiletic and Pastoral Review: HPR* (2015). Digital Publication: <https://www.hprweb.com/2015/03/jesus-the-flowing-and-living-water-of-yhwh/>

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- (2014) Pesce, Mauro, *Da Gesù al cristianesimo* (Morcelliana: Brescia, 2011). Published by *Cuestiones Teológicas*, Vol 41, No 96 (2014). The Theological Journal of the Pontifical University of Medellín, Colombia.

- (2014) Pesce, Mauro, *Da Gesù al cristianesimo* (Morcelliana: Brescia, 2011). Published by the *Journal of Early Christian History* (JECH), Volume 4, Number 2 (2014): 189-193. ISSN 2222-582X © Unisa Press.
- (2012) Garbini, Giovanni, *Letteratura e politica nell'Israele antico* (Brescia: Paideia 2010). Published by The Review of Biblical Literature which is a publication of the Society of Biblical Literature (<http://www.sbl-site.org>), on November 23rd, 2012.

Consultant Work

- (2019-2025) Reviser and consultant for the Spanish translation BIA: Biblia de la Iglesia en America. Work under contract with USCCB. Translation and Revision of the BIA text according to the Nestle-Aland 28th edition and the criteria of Liturgicam Authenticam. Commissioned and sponsored by USCCB (2019-2025).
- (2022) Peer Reviewer under contract by CUA Press for the book: “Una Luz para Las Naciones,” by Luis Sanchez. Review needed for a publication assessment of the CUA, under John Martino, Acquisitions Editor: The Catholic University of America Press. Submitted March 4th, 2022.
- (2019) Reviser and consultant for the English project of the English version of the Bible, entitled “Radiate. International Youth Version” with the Greek text of Nestle-Aland 28th edition. Commissioned and sponsored by Fundación Ramón Pané Inc. and the International Bible Society: Biblica (2019). National approval for Catholic use in the United States with the Nihil Obstat of Cardinal Oscar Rodríguez Maradiaga (Cardinal of Tegucigalpa) and Imprimatur of Archbishop Wenski.
- (2017) Collaboration in the per-reviewed article entitled “Advocacy for English Language Learners and the Role of Interpreters to Assist Counselors.” In VISTAS, online publication of American Counseling Association Knowledge Center. Article 23. Published in February 2017. My contribution is explicitly mentioned in pages 4-6.8.
- (2016) Reviser and consultant on matters of Biblical theology and Catholic hermeneutics and tradition for the book: *Hispanic Ministry in the 21st Century*. Edited by Hosffman Ospino, Elsie Miranda, and Brett Hoover. Published in Miami, FL: Convivium Press, 2016. the acknowledgment of my work is attested in page 19 of the aforementioned book.
- (2014) Reviser, consultant, and member of the Task Force of the US Conference of Catholic Bishops for the translation of the Gospels of the Bible in the Americas from the original texts (Greek into Spanish) since January 2014. Members of the task Force: Archbishop José Gómez, president of the task force (Los Angeles), Bishop Anthony Taylor (AR), and Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta (UST).
- (2013) Reviser and consultant for the Spanish translation of the Bible: “Santa Biblia. Nueva Traducción Viviente (NTV).” Commissioned and sponsored by Fundación Ramón Pané Inc. (2013).
- (2013) Reviser and consultant for the Spanish translation of the “Evangelios de la Biblia” (The Gospels of the Bible). Commissioned and sponsored by American Bible Society (New York) and CELAM: Conferencia Episcopal Latinoamericana (Colombia) (2013).

- (2013) Collaboration with the Museum of Fine Arts of Houston: Dr. George Ramirez Manager of Digital Media of the MFAH (www.mfah.org). The collaboration was the analysis and summary of seven paintings of the artist *Henry Ossawa Tanner* under the aspect of Biblical theology. The Exhibition's title: Henry Ossawa Tanner: Modern Spirit (Oct 21, 2012 - Jan 13, 2013).

CONFERENCES, LECTURES, AND PAPERS

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTIONS AND SETTINGS

- (2023): Three main presentations from the [Cristonautas Park](#) in the Praça Martim Moniz part of Lisbon during World Youth Day:
 - a) August 2 (2023), at 6 p.m.: “Youth in the Bible” (Main Scenario)
 - b) August 3 (2023), at 8 p.m.: “La Juventud en la Biblia” (Main Scenario)
 - c) August 4 (2023), at 6 p.m.: “Mary and Sinodality” / “Maria y la Sinodalidad” (Small Tent)
- (2021): Conference: “Fuerteres en la Esperanza. Caminando en el jardín de la Esperanza bíblica”. VII International Congress for the Knights of St. Michael. Monterrey, Mexico. Date: 03/19-20 of 2021. Online Conference.
- (2020): Conference: “Quemados por el Espíritu Santo. La aventura del llamado de Dios.” International Congress for the Knights of St. Michael. Monterrey, Mexico. Date: 09/22/2020. Online Conference.
- (2018): Two lectures on “Theology of the Prophets” in the international convention of the Knights of St. Michael. Place: Monterrey (México). Date: September 21-23, 2018.
- (2018): Seminar on the Jewish background and Theology of John 9. Seminar taught for the religious Congregation of CAMSVI. Location: Monterrey (México). Date: January 13-28, 2018.
- (2018): Three Conferences on the “Theology of Exodus and the Divine Covenant”. Fourth International Convention of the Knights of St. Michael. Location: Montemorelos (México). Date: 16-18 March 2018.
- (2015): Presenter at the World Meeting of the Family in Philadelphia, September 22-24, 2015. Title of the presentation: “Lectio Divina: Praying with Scripture to Connect with the Living God (English).” Date of the presentation: September 23rd. Time 4:15-5:15 pm. Location: Pennsylvania Convention Center, Philadelphia, PA.
- (2013): Workshop/presentation of Lectio Divina: *A Patristic Exegesis* (Spanish) at the Pontifical Catholic University of Santo Domingo: Madre y Maestra. Sponsored by the American Bible Society and Campus Ministry of the Pontifical University. Place: Pontificia Universidad Católica Madre y Maestra (Santo Domingo, RD). *Dates*: March 18-19, 2013.
- (2013): *Congreso Teológico Pastoral: El año de la Fe*. Place: Pontifical Seminary St. Thomas Aquinas, Santo Domingo (República Dominicana). *Dates*: 15-17 of March, 2013. Sponsored by the Pontifical Seminary and the Archdiocese of Santo Domingo. Two Presentations (papers):

- a) Porta Fidei and the New Evangelization: Problem and Biblical Pastoral Proposal: “Abrir las Puertas a la Fe”
 - b) Biblical Vocabulary of Faith: divided in three parts:
 - i. Confianza y Fidelidad: La raíz ’mn: Vocabulario veterotestamentario de la Fe
 - ii. Pístis y la Fe de Jesús: Vocabulario neotestamentario de la Fe
 - iii. Teología católica de la Fe
- (2013): Biblical Convention of the Diocese of San Pedro de Macorís (Dominican Republic). Sponsored by the American Bible Society and Bishop Francisco Ozoria Acosta. Place: San Pedro de Macorís. Date: 18-21 of April 2013. My participation consists of two Workshops and a Conference.

Conference:

 - a) “Abrir las Puertas a la Fe”: Porta Fidei and the New Evangelization: Problem and a Biblical Pastoral Proposal. Thursday April 18th, 2013 at 7:00 pm.

Workshops:

 - a) Workshop of Lectio Divina: *A Patristic Exegesis* (Spanish) for all the priests and Monsignors of the Diocese (From 9am-5 pm: 7 hours): Friday April 19th, 2013.
 - b) Workshop of Lectio Divina: *A Patristic Exegesis* (Spanish) for all the diocesan departments of Catechesis, Youth Ministries, and Pastoral Departments of the parishes of the Diocese: (From 9am-5 pm: 7 hours): Saturday April 20th, 2013.

NATIONAL CONVENTIONS AND SETTINGS

- (2023): Video Lecture ““What parts of the Bible are also read by our Jewish and Protestant friends?/ ¿Qué partes de la Biblia también leen nuestros hermanos judíos y protestantes?”. Material created and written by Dempsey Rosales Acosta. Reviewed by the office of the Doctrine of the Faith of the USCCB. Published on [Catholic.Bible](https://catholic.bible) on 1/20/2023. See: <https://catholic.bible/sunday-of-the-word-of-god/>
- (2022): Webinar Lecture: “Caminar con los excluidos.” The Universal Apostolic Preferences of the Society of Jesus: Walking with the Excluded. Presentation sponsored by Loyola Marymount University (LMU in LA) during the current Ignatian Year, through the Loyola Institute for Spirituality and the LMU Center for Religion and Spirituality. Presented at 10:30 am on March 12th, 2022. <https://cal.lmu.edu/event/lis-lmu-uap-webinar-series-3-es>
- (2021): Presentation of the paper: “Fighting to Breathe. A Biblical Journey as Latinos/as amidst the contemporary pandemics –COVID-19 and Racism– that shape our lives in the United States.” At 2021 ACHTUS Colloquium Conversations: Latinx Practical Theology in a Time of Pandemic. Organized by The Academy of Catholic Hispanic Theologians of the United States (ACHTUS). Dates: May 14-15, 2021. Online National Colloquium. Forth coming publication.
- (2021): New York Bible Summit. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of NY. Date: June 21, 2021. Presentation of conferences:

- a) Encontrando la Esperanza en la Práctica de Contemplación y la Oración Activa (Spanish).
 - b) Finding Hope in the Practice of Contemplative and Active Prayer (English)
- (2019): Keynote Speaker (Spanish) in the Newark Biblical Congress: “Plurality of Ethnicities in the Hybrid Christian Existence/ Pluralidad de etnicidades en una existencia Cristiana híbrida”. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Newark (NJ) and Seton Hall University. Date: June 22, 2019.
 - (2019): Seminar/Lectures on the Pontifical Document *Christus Vivit* for the Leaders and Catechists of the Spanish Apostolate of the Diocese of Arlington, VA. Place: Diocese of Arlington, VA. Date: November 1-3, 2019.
 - (2018): New York Bible Summit. A bilingual Lecture entitled: “From Contrition to the Joy of the Lord: a Biblical Path” / “De la contrición a la alegría del Señor: un camino bíblico”. Sponsored by the American Bible Society and the Archdiocese of New York. Place: Archdiocese of NY Headquarters. Date: June 16th, 2018.
 - (2017): Keynote Speaker of the Southwest Liturgical Conference. Theme: “Breaking Bread: The Eucharist and the Domestic Church.” SWLC 55th annual study week: January 18-21, 2017. Location; Convention Center, El Paso TX.
 - (2017): Presentation of the paper entitled: “Scripture and the Domestic Church. Center and Periphery: Lukan Paradigm of Catechesis.” SWLC 55th annual study week: January 18-21, 2017. Location; Convention Center, El Paso TX.
 - (2017): Presentation of the paper entitled: “Black and Brown Pauls: A Pauline case of racial profiling: a hermeneutical reading of Acts 21:27-40a and 22:23-29 and the reality of the African American and Hispanic communities in United States.” Paper presented at the joint ACHTUS-CBTS and CTSA colloquium. Albuquerque, New Mexico; June 4-7, and 8-11, 2017. CTS Proceedings 72/2017.
 - (2017): Participation in the New York Bible Summit sponsored by the American Bible Society and the Archdiocese of New York. The presentation’s title: “Pablo, un modelo intercultural” / “Paul, an intercultural model.” Date June 17, 2017. Location: Archdiocese of New York.
 - (2017): Lecture-Seminar on the “Gospel according to Mark” and the Hispanic Biblical Education at Loyola Marymount University (LMU). Sponsored by LMU and the Catholic Biblical Institute of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles (CA). Place: LMU. Date: September 8-10, 2017.
 - (2017): “Paul, a Christian sign in a multicultural setting” / “Pablo, un signo cristiano en un contexto multicultural” (Bilingual Conference) in the Bronx Symposium: “Called to be Signs of God’s Presence”. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of New York. Place: New York, NY. Date: October 14, 2017.
 - (2016): Participation in the New York Bible Summit sponsored by the American Bible Society and the Archdiocese of New York. The presentation’s title: “The Biblical Notion of Mercy” / “La noción bíblica de Misericordia.” Date June 18, 2016. Location: Archdiocese of New York.

- (2015): Participation with a bilingual conference in the New York Bible Summit sponsored by the American Bible Society and the Archdiocese of New York. The presentation is entitled: “Mary and Jesus’ Siblings in the NT: Patristic and Modern Approach to the Problem” / “María y los hermanos de Jesús en el NT: Opiniones Patrísticas y Modernas sobre el Problema.” Date June 20, 2015. Location: Archdiocese of New York.
- (2014): Presentation of the paper: “Segunda y tercera carta de Juan: Paradigmas del problema de la unidad de los cristianos”. “Second and Third Letter of John: Paradigms of the problem of Christian Unity”. Saturday, June 21, 2014 New York Catholic Center. 350 East 56th Street, New York City.
- (2014): Participation in the 2014 National Symposium on Catholic Hispanic Ministry organized by Loyola Marymount University (LMU). Date: June 23-25, 2014. Place: Mater Dolorosa. Sierra Madre CA.
- (2014): Presentation of the paper: “Jesús: Un ministerio alegre para los demás en la teología Paulina”. “Jesus: A joyous ministry for others in Pauline Theology”. In National Convention of the Association for Hispanic Priests in U.S.A. (ANSH). Date October 2nd, 2014. Place: Crowne Plaza Hotel, Houston, TX.
- (2014): Keynote Speaker of 36th Annual Catechetical Conference: Missionary Disciples of Hope: Setting Hearts on Fire. Invited by Archbishop Thomas Wensky of Miami. Location: Archdiocese of Miami. date: October 25th, 2014.
 - a) *Title of the keynote Conference:* “Biblical Dimension of the Catechesis: From the prospective of Verbum Domini” / “Dimensión Bíblica de la Catequesis: Desde la prospectiva de la Verbum Domini”.
 - b) *Title of the conference/Workshop presented:* “Luke 24:13-35 and Acts 21:37–22:21: Two Biblical Paradigms of Catechesis.”
- (2013): New York Catholic Bible Summit 2013/Conferencia Cumbre Encuentro Bíblico Católico de Nueva York 2013. Paper/Workshop presented: “La crisis de los dos Evangelios en la carta a los Gálatas” / “The Crisis of the two Gospels in Galatians”. Place New York Catholic Center (350 East 56th Street, New York City). Date: Saturday, June 22, 2013.
- (2012): Two presentations in Spanish in the Eucharistic Congress of 2012 sponsored by the ABS and the Archdiocese of Milwaukee: Congreso Eucarístico Arquidiocesano 2012.

Theme: “La Palabra Hecha Carne.” Event Location: Archbishop Cousins Catholic Center 3501 South Lake Dr. Milwaukee, WI 53207. Date: March 10th, 2012.

The Papers-Conferences presented:

 - a) Biblical Formation for Christians from the prospective of the post-Synodal document Verbum Domini.
 - b) The Biblical grounds of the Catechesis from the prospective of the post-Synodal document Verbum Domini.
- (2012): New York Catholic Bible Summit: Joy and Hope in the Light of the Gospel. On the 50th Anniversary of the Second Vatican Council (June 16th, 2012). Paper-conference presented: “The

Meta-physical seeing in Mark's Gospel"/ "El ver metafísico en el evangelio de Marcos" (Bilingual).

- (2011): New York Catholic Bible Summit (2011) / La Cumbre Bíblica Católica De Nueva York: "Encounter Jesus - The Living Word" / "Encuentre a Jesús - La Palabra Viva". *Date*: Saturday, June 25th, 2011 / Sábado, 25th de Junio, 2011. New York Catholic Center: 350 East 56th Street, New York City. *Topic/ paper presented*: "Conociendo la persona de Jesús a través de las narraciones de la última Cena" / "Knowing Jesus through the Synoptic reading of the narrative of the Last Supper" (Bilingual Conferences).
- (2011): "Lectio Divina": an exegetical approach and the Patristic Tradition, at the Siena Forum for Faith and Culture in New York City. Sponsored by the American Bible Society (ABS). *Place*: St. Catherine of Siena: Dominican Friars. 411 E 68th St. New York, NY 10065. *Date*: 21st of May 2011.
- (2010): Member/speaker of the panel of interdenominational discussion for Q-Gathering Chicago 2010: The role of Scripture in Society: Inerrancy of the Scripture, Validity, and Interpretation. Representing the American Bible Society.
- (2010): New York Catholic Bible Summit: La Cumbre Bíblica Católica de Nueva York "Live the Word of God in Challenging Times" / "Viva la Palabra de Dios en Tiempos Difíciles" (Bilingual). *Date*: Saturday, June 26th, 2010. *Place*: Fordham University: Lincoln Center Campus, New York City. Paper presented: "Reading the New testament with the eyes of the Old Testament" / Leyendo el Nuevo Testamento con los ojos del Antiguo (Bilingual Conferences).

LOCAL CONVENTIONS AND SETTINGS

- (2022) Presenter speaker: "Faith and Leadership" during the Second Annual Leadership Summit. Organized and sponsored by UST: March 26th, 2022.
- (2021): Lecture "Tradition in a Changing World: A Journey." Sponsored by the Theology Department of UST. *Date*: May 26, 2021, at 7:00 pm.
<https://ar-ar.facebook.com/stthomtheology/videos/fr-dempsey-rosales-acosta-on-the-biblical-roots-of-tradition-and-its-relationships/759107984754359/>
- (2021): Lecture: "Leadership and Service." Sponsored by the SGA of UST. *Place*: Robertson 104. *Date*: 11/17/2021
- (2021): Lecture: "The Call to Holiness according to Gaudet et Exultate" (Spanish). Presented to the Knights of St. Michael: Houston (TX) and Monterrey (Mexico). Online conference.
Sponsored by the Knights of St. Michael. *Date*: 12/4/2021.
- (2020): Seminar/Lectures on the Patristic Approach of Lectio Divina and the Exegesis of Jn 9 for the Syro Malabar Community Catechists of Houston TX. *Location*: St. Joseph Syro Malabar Catholic Forane Church. 211 Present St, Missouri City TX, 77489. *Date*: 02/15/2020. *Time*: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm.

- (2018): Conference “The Old Testament and Hispanic Hermeneutics/ Antiguo Testamento: la biblia desde la realidad hispana”. *Diplomado Mater Dei* sponsored by the Archdioceses of Galveston-Houston for the National Certification of Catechetic Leadership and the USCCB. Date: 3/24/2018. Place St. Dominic, 2403 Holcombe Blvd. Houston, TX.
- (2017): Lecture on Ecumenism for the program of Fundamentos del Liderazgo Catequético. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. Location: St Dominic Chancery Auditorium, 2403 Holcombe Blvd, Houston, Tx 77021. Date: 4/21/2017.
- (2016): Workshop Seminar on the year of Mercy: Biblical and Moral Dimension of the notion of Mercy (Spanish). Diocese of Arlington, Virginia. Date: April 15-17 of 2016. Location: Diocese of Arlington, VA.
- (2016): Keynote Speaker of the Conference “In God’s Image”, A congress on Theology of the Disable. Sponsored by the Center of Faith and Culture and the Archdiocese Office of Evangelization and Catechesis of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. Date: 11/12/2016. Location: University of St. Thomas.
- (2016): Workshop Seminar on Moral Theology (12 hours) on Christ, Good Shepherd Catholic Church. Houston, TX. Dates 2/6/2016 and 2/20/2016.
- (2016): Lecture on Ecclesiology: Communion and Mission (Spanish). Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston as part of its Diplomado Mater Dei. Organized by the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis. Date: 1/23/2016. Place: St Dominic Chancery, Salon 140. 2403 Holcombe Blvd, Houston, Tx 77021.
- (2015): Participation at the Catechetical Conference in El Paso, TX with a bilingual presentation entitled: “Luke and Acts as Paradigms of Biblical Catechesis” / “Lucas y Hechos como Paradigmas de la Catequesis Bíblica.” Date: February, 21st, 2015. Location: Diocese of El Paso, TX.
- (2014): Seminar regarding the Patristic Exegesis and Lectio Divina. Historical and Jewish Background. Invited by the Biblical Institute of Mexican American Catholic College (MACC), San Antonio. Date 11/22/2014.
- (2014): Lenten Lecture entitled: “Pauline path of Discipleship: The Crisis of the two Gospels in the letter to Galatians”. 25th Lenten Lecture Series. Sponsored by the Theology Department of the University of St. Thomas. April 9, 2014 at Anderson Hall.
- (2013): Faith and Fertility Seminar (Fe y Fecundidad) May 4th, 2013. St. Dominic Center: 2403 Holcombe Blvd. Houston, TX 77021. Perspectiva Bíblica del Matrimonio. Sponsored by the Office of Family Life of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston.
- (2012): *Forum*: Adult Faith, Formation, and Evangelization Forum 2012: Light the Fire of Faith / Cumbre de Evangelización y Formación en la Fe de Adultos: Enciende el fuego de la Fe (Bilingual Forum. Date: November 10th, 2012. Place: New York Catholic Center 350 E 56th St. New York, NY 10022.

- (2012): Lecturer at the University of St. Thomas in the Conference entitled: Is Loving an Art or a Command? Trinitarian Love in the Spirituality and Thought of Chiara Lubich. Sponsored by the Office of Academic Affairs and the Center for Faith and Culture of the UST. *Place*: Cullen Hall: 4001 Mt. Vernon. *Date*: March 8th at 7:40 pm, Lecture and Discussion. Open for the public. Keynote speakers
 - a) Dr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta. Conference presented: The Trinitarian aspects in the vocabulary and theology of Luke's Gospel.
 - b) Dr. Thomas Norris. Conference presented: The Dogmatic aspects of the Trinity and the Focolare spirituality.

Ascension Press Bible in a Year: Spanish Version Podcast

- “La Biblia en un año” (Bible in a Year: Spanish version), published by Ascension Press in audiovisual publications. Dempsey Rosales Acosta published **16 episodes** of Biblical Introduction and Context for the Podcast: [La Biblia en un año: Registrarse \(Sign Up\) – Ascension \(ascensionpress.com\)](https://www.ascensionpress.com/la-biblia-en-un-a%C3%B1o-registrarse-sign-up/)
 1. Los católicos y la Biblia. Published 1st of January 2022.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s-e52SvG4c>
 2. Introducción a la historia de los orígenes del mundo: Gen 1-11. Published 1st of January 2022. Episodo: day 1 <https://youtu.be/KDhZWHrwZhE>
 3. Introducción a los patriarcas de Israel: Gen 12-50. Published in February 2022. Episodo: day 6 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yXD1ZN4G5fs>
 4. Introducción al Egipto y al Éxodo. Published in March 2022. Episodo: day 27 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C_jEjblhtmU
 5. Introducción a la peregrinación en el desierto. Published in March 2022. Episodo: day 52 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FQe4BgGaBwA>
 6. Introducción a la Conquista de la tierra y los Jueces: April 2022. Episodo: day 81 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bX16amRyk6A>
 7. Introducción al Evangelio según Juan: May 2022. Episodo: day 99 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7HTw1_9tYtY
 8. Introudcción a la Monarquía Unida: May 2022. Episodo: day 106 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KN1fMbBSgAA>
 9. Introducción al Evangelio según Marcos: May 22. Episodo: day 154 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KrQmqStwkkc>
 10. El Reino Dividido: June 2022. Episodo: day 162 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GdBvIVvaT10>
 10. Introducción al Exilio: June 2022. Episodo: day 184 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iitYf65mP3g>
 11. Introducción al Evangelio según Mateo: 9/12/2022. Episodo: day 258 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MRcOi6HwLHU>
 12. Introducción al Retorno del Exilio: 9/12/2022. Episodo: day 267 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wlfmVqoLQz0>
 13. Introducción a la revuelta Macabea 9/30/2022. Episodo: day 282 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wlfmVqoLQz0>

14. Introducción al Evangelio según Lucas: 9/30/2022. Episodo: day 313
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x1M0NVxIS1Y>
15. La Iglesia: Episodo: day 322 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5xpD6vANIdE>

• “La Biblia en un año” (Bible in a Year: Spanish version), published by Ascension Press in audiovisual publications. Dempsey Rosales Acosta: Episodios de preguntas y respuestas (Q&A): Pedagogical Material:

1. Q&A: El mundo de los orígenes y Patriarcas: April 2022
2. Q&A: Egipto y el Éxodo: June 2022

Collaboration in Documentaries, Journal Columns, TV, and Radio programs

- (2023): “Leer la Biblia: Q&A”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guest: of Tan Cerca de Mí: Theology of the Body. Juan Diego Network (JDN): Published live 1/13/2023 4:30 pm. Link: <https://www.instagram.com/p/CnX4KyLBcCz/>
- (2023): “Es tiempo de desempolvar la biblia”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guest of “Las cosas católicas”. Juan Diego Network (JDN): Published live 1/13/2023 7:30 pm. Link: <https://www.instagram.com/tv/CnYOXzQD7t0/?igshid=MDJmNzVkMjY%3D>
- (2023): “Q&A Sagradas Escrituras”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guest of “Meditación del Día”. Juan Diego Network (JDN): Published live 1/16/2023 7:30 pm. Link: <https://www.instagram.com/tv/Cnf8gFMjSAH/?igshid=MDJmNzVkMjY%3D>
- (2023): “Descubriendo la palabra Jesed”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guest of “J”. Juan Diego Network (JDN): Published live 1/17/2023 4:30 pm. Link: <https://www.instagram.com/tv/CniO9hrDrgJ/?igshid=MDJmNzVkMjY%3D>
- (2023): “Live: dudas sobre la Biblia”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guest of “Judithbio90”. Juan Diego Network (JDN): Published live 1/17/2023 7:30 pm. Link: <https://www.instagram.com/tv/CnijcDwBg33/?igshid=MDJmNzVkMjY%3D>
- (2022): “Teología bíblica”: Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as special guess in the program “Hoy es tu Gran Día” con Carlos Canseco y Elsy Acatlita. EWTN Spanish podcast. Pulishedaired on 1/19/2022 at 9:00 am.
<https://www.listennotes.com/podcasts/hoy-es-tu-gran-d%C3%ADa/2022-01-19-teologiabiblica-nzve-SB0dfx/>
- (2022): “Escucha a Dios: la Biblia”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guess of the program-pod cast “La barba de Aarón” con Diego Carranza. Published on January, 26th, 2022. Digital format: <https://player.fm/series/series-2939801/ep-27-escucha-a-diosla-biblia-ft-padre-dempsey-rosales-de-la-universidad-de-santo-tomas-en-houston>
- (2022): June 20, 2022: Interview with EWTN: Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as special guess in the program “Hoy es tu Gran Día” con Carlos Canseco y Elsy Acatlita. EWTN Spanish podcast. Pulished-aired on 6/20/2022 at 9:00 am.

- (2022): July 30, 2022: Interview with EWTN: Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta: Vocation and Purpose. As a guest of the Napa Convention, July 27-31, 2022.
- (2022): “La noción bíblica de espíritus”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guest of Juan Diego Network (JDN) con Diego Carranza. Published on October, 31st, 2022.: See <https://www.instagram.com/tv/CkZSgdeJlrr/?igshid=YmMyMTA2M2Y%3D>
- (2022): “La educación cristiana católica”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guest of Radio Santísimo Sacramento (CA) con Lorena Albarrán. Published on December 8th, 2022.
- (2022): “El sentido de la Navidad en la Tradición católica”: featuring Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta as a special guest. Univisión: journalist Rodolfo Sanchez de “Ultimas Noticias”.
Date: 12/20/2022.
<https://www.univision.com/local/houston-kxln/significado-navidad-universidad-stthomas>
- (2021): “Cultivating Hope and Trusting God | Not Born to Hate.” A conversation with Fr. Dempsey. Produced by UST and UST MAX Studios. Published 5/25/2021.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EOow2IV0B_c
- (2021): “Bezos busca cómo prolongar la vida” Contribution to the TV section of the new Bezos’ program to elongate life. Coordinated with the Journalist Mr. Berlanga. Produced by Telemundo (Spanish TV). Published 9/8/2021.
<https://www.facebook.com/NoticiasTelemundo/videos/jeff-bezos-quiere-encontrar-la-formula-para-la-eterna-juventud-en-la-humanidad/55126195277734/>
- (2020): Published reflection for the Hispanic community on 3/27/2020 in the official Website of UST: “Libertad Interior” (“Inner Freedom”).
- (2020): Television interview in Univision: Catholic life amid Covid 19 during Lent 2020. Aired 4/5/2020 at 10 pm.
- (2020): Television interview in Noticias 45: The meaning of Holy Saturday and Covid 19. Aired 4/11/2020 at 3:30 pm.
- (2020): Written and audio meditations for the Diocese of El Paso: Libertad Interior en el medio de Covid 19. Published between April 5-12 of 2020.
- (2020): Written and audio meditations for the Diocese of El Paso: Re-examinando el ayuno espiritual. Published between April 5-12 of 2020.
- (2020): Pod-Cast published by the Center of Faith and Culture: “Cultural Contexts of the Bible with Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta”. Published 4/15/2020. See:
<https://anchor.fm/centerforfaithandculture/episodes/Cultural-Contexts-of-the-Bible-withFr-Dempsey-Rosales-Acosta-ecqp9a>
- (2020): “Breaking Open the Document - The Church and Racism (1988-2001). Conversation on Racism with Fr. Dempsey Rosales Acosta”. Published by the Center of Faith and Culture. Date August 19th, 2020.
- (2019): “The History of Christmas”: interviewed and collaboration with Houston Chronicle. Journalist Mrs. Pearl Cajoles. Published in November 2019.

- (2019): “The History of Christmas: origin, liturgical celebration and spirituality”: Radio Maria’s one hour program with Dcn. Al Vacek.
- (2016): Interview for Semana News with the journalist Marina Gil. Date: 2/8/216. Topic: History and Practices of Lent.
- (2016): Radio Interview with Joe McClane in Guadalupe Radio Network: KSHJ – 1430 AM – Houston, TX. Date: 2/8/216. Topic: The Year of Mercy.
- (2016): Special collaboration and appearance in a documentary entitled: “Hispanos al Islam” (Hispanics go to Islam), hosted by the Journalist Rodolfo Sánchez of Univision. Transmitted and sponsored by Univision.
- (2016): “The Exile and Return of Lectio Divina: a Catholic Treasure.” Published in Catholic Herald.
- (2015) May 6th, 2015: special guest speaker in a documentary entitled: “Sectas y Cultos” (Sects and Cults), hosted by the journalist Juan José Rodas of Telemundo. Transmitted by Telemundo on 5/6/2015 at 10 pm.
- (2014) Documentary series on the Human Dignity. Salt and Light TV. Recorded on the day of 5/8/2014. Topic: The Creation and Human dignity in the Hebrew narrative of Genesis.
- (2013) October 29, 2013: Recording for the opening of 3 documentaries program for the UST Worldview: the series “Panes of Glory”, Episode 1 through 3. They were presented on December 21 and 28 of 2013, and January 4 of 2014.
- (2013) Radio program: “Paul's Journey of Faith” in Radio Maria (English). It started on January 19th, 2013 lasted 4 months. It was one hour every Saturday from 2-3 pm (central time).
- (2012) Collaboration in the TV special documentary entitled: *Cazadores del Rebaño ¿A dónde se están yendo los católicos?* The documentary was presented in channel 41: Univision in Houston hosted by the journalist Armanado Rojas. The documentary was presented on the 30th of March (1st part) and the 1st of May (2nd part): [www.univisionhouston.com](http://univisionhouston.com). (<http://univisionhouston.com/noticias/videos-de-noticias/video/2012-0501/cazadores-del-rebano-por-que-del-exodo-catolico>).
- (2012) Collaboration with the Archdiocese of Galveston- Houston Audio reflections posted on the official website of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, in the space "The Daily Vine".
The audio reflections are
 - a) Thomas the Apostle (07/03/12).
 - b) Thomas More and John Fisher (06/22/12).
 - c) John the Baptist (06/24/12).

SERVICE

FACULTY SERVICE at UST

- Chair of the Faculty Senate 2023-2024

- Faculty's representatives to the Board of Directors: 2023-2024
- Faculty's representative on the Academic Affairs Committee Board: 2023-2024
- Chair of the Advisory Board 2023-2024.
- Member of the Retirement Committee: 2023-2024
- Chair of the Faculty Grievance Committee: 2022-2023.
- Vice Chair of the Faculty Senate: 2022-2023.
- Ex-officio voting member of the Faculty Awards Committee: 2022-2023
- Member of the Advisory Council: 2022-2024
- Member of the Faculty Development Committee at UST since 2011- 2013 / 2013-2016 / 2016-2019.
- Member of the Faculty Senate representing the Theology Department. Appointed time: 2013-2016 / 2016-2019.
- Member of the Faculty Grievance Committee at UST: 2019-2021 / 2022-2025.
- Member of the Faculty Compensation Committee: 2021-2024
- Member of the Faculty Grievance Committee: 2021-2024
- Member of the Gutenberg Bible Committee: 2020-present.
- Member of the Academic Affairs by election: 2020-2023.
- Member of the Spiritual Integration Committee of UST: 2020-2021.
- Member of the Task Force of oral assessment of UST for SACSCOC : 2019.
- Member of the Task Force regarding the assessment of the Goals for the “Call Towards Tomorrow”: 2018.
- Interim Chair of the Theology Department: 2016-2018.
- Member of the Task Force regarding Promotion and Tenure Policy: 2017.
- Member of the University Planning Committee: Spring and Summer 2016.
- Member of the Academic Affairs Policy Committee representing the Theology Department. Appointed time: 2013-2016.
- Member of the task Force for the Concurrent Enrolment and Summer Courses representing the Academic Affairs Policy Committee. Appointed time 2013-2014.
- Member of the Committee of the Angelicum Foundation for the organization of the International Symposium that will take place on 2015. Period of service: 2014-2015.
- Chair of the Task Force for the Graduate Student Association (GSA): 2015.
- Chair of the Task Force for the Open Syllabi Website: 2015.

FACULTY SERVICE IN SEARCH COMMITTEES

- Member of the Search Committee for the CFO position of UST: 2023-2024
- Chair of the Search Committee for the Associate Director of Center Semillero: 2022-2023.
- Member and Chair of the Search Committee for the Dean of A&S: 2019-2020.
- Member of the Search Committee for the Dean of Cameron School of Business: 2019.
- Member of the Search Committee for the Dean of A&S: 2018-2019.
- Member of the Search Committee for the Director of the Center of Faith and Culture: 2018.
- Member of the Search Committee for the VPIA: 2017.
- Member of the Search Committee for the Director of the Center of Faith and Culture: 2016.
- Member of the Search Committee for the Dean of Arts and Sciences: 2015-2016.

FACULTY SERVICE TO STUDENTS' CLUBS

- Faculty Advisor of Doctors without Borders: 2023-present
- Faculty Advisor of St. Basil Sacred Music School: 2020-present.
- Faculty Advisor of Chi-Rho Theology Club: Pax Christi at UST. Appointed time: 2011-2012 / 2015-2018
- Faculty Advisor and director of the Interfaith and Humanitarian Affairs Council at UST. Appointed time: 2011-Nov 2018.
- Faculty Advisor and director of Youth for a United World (Y4UW) at UST. Appointed time: 2013-2016.
- Faculty Advisor and director of Celts for Life at UST. Appointed time: 2016- Nov 2018.
- Faculty Academic Advisor of students. Number varies until the present time.

SERVICE TO THE PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

- (2023) Translator of the Speech of First Lady: Mrs. Ludwick for the 1st Generation Studnts at UST. Date: 5/8/2023. Location Jarebeck.
- Member of the committee for the reception of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulcher (EOHS) that will take place on September of 2022.
- Keynote speaker of the Eucharistic Miracles for the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulcher (EOHS) representing UST: 9/17/2022.
- Chaplain and spiritual director of the Travel with the President of UST to France and Germany with donors, benefactors, and members of UST Board. Sponsored and organized by the presidential office of UST. From July 1-14, 2022.
- Member of the UST leadership team in the Napa Convention: July 27-31, 2022.

SERVICE: TALKS AT UST

- (2023) Keynote Speaker: “Spiritual Dimension of a Person.” Annual Staff Development & Training. Date: Monday, June 5 | Time: 2 – 6 p.m. Location: Jones Hall | Academic Mall Lawn.
- (2023) Keynote Speaker: “Essential Elements of the Whole Person.” Annual Leadership Summit of UST. 3/25/2023.
- (2022) Keynote Speaker: “Faith and Leadership. The courage of the Blind Step.” Annual Leadership Summit of UST. 3/26/2022.
- (2021) Keynote speaker of the “Thom Talk” for the Staff Training and Development Day. Title of the talk: “Special Moments from the ordinary Time.” Sponsored by UST Staff Training and Development Committee. Date: 1/21/2021.

AWARDS and Nominations

- (2023): St. Thomas Aquinas Excellence in Teaching: Nomination.
- (2022): St. Thomas Aquinas Excellence in Teaching: Nomination.
- (2021): St. Thomas Aquinas Excellence in Teaching: Nomination.
- (2020): Recipient of St. Thomas Aquinas Excellence in Teaching Award.
- (2019): UST Professor of the Year: 2018-2019: Students Choice.
- (2019-2022 / 2023-2025): Recipient of Michael Miller Endowed Chair in Catholic Studies.
- (2017): Recipient of the Edith Stein Award for excellence in Research and Scholarship.
- (2015-2016): Recipient of Scanlan Endowed Chair
- (2012): Faculty Advisor of the Year.

GRANTS

- (2023) Koch Foundation Grant for the Center Semillero: grant of \$15,000
- (2022): UST FDC grant of \$2,450: Research and Writing Grant.
- (2022): USCCB grant of \$500: Writing pedagogical biblical material.
- (2020): Foundation Ramón Pané Inc.: grant of \$ 5,000: translation of the canonical gospels.
- (2020): USCCB: grant of \$7,500: revision of BIA with the original biblical texts.
- (2020): ABS grant of \$1,000: Creation of the segments of the Gospel of Mark.
- (2019): UST FDC grant of 2,500\$: Research and Publication of a Book.

- (2018): UST FDC grant of 2,500\$: Research and Publication of a Book.
- (2017): UST FDC grant of 1,200\$: Presentation of a paper at CTSA.
- (2014): UST FDC grant of \$2,500: Research and Publication of a Monograph.
- (2013): UST FDC grant of \$2,500: International Conference: Keynote Speaker in Sto. Domingo (Dominican Republic) at the Pontifical University.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- SBL: Society of Biblical Literature
- ABS: American Bible Society
- CTSA: Catholic Theological Society of America
- ACHTUS: Association of Catholic Hispanic Theologians of United States (Member of the Virgilio Elizondo Award Committee: ACHTUS: 2022-2023)
- CBA: Catholic Biblical Association

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Gospel of Mark
- Luke and Acts
- Deuteronomistic History
- Linguistics and Semantics of Hebrew and Greek
- Ruah Yhwh
- Letter to the Galatians
- Book of Judges and Deuteronomistic History
- Syriac Patrology: John of Apamea
- Cognitive Semantics and Diachronic Cognitive Semantics applied to the Masoretic Text
- Latinx/Hispanic and African-American Biblical Hermeneutics
- Social Justice from the biblical hermeneutics and Catholic social tradition.