

## **FORMAL EDUCATION**

2000-2004	Ph.D. Divinity, Humanities and Social Sciences Centre for the Study of Christianity in the Non Western World New College, University of Edinburgh, Scotland
1999-2000	Masters of Science by Research Center for the Study of Christianity in the Non Western World New College, University of Edinburgh, Scotland
1992-1994	Doctor of Ministry in Missions Reformed Theological Seminary, Orlando, FL
1984-1987	Masters of Divinity Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ
1980-1984	Bachelor of Arts Furman University, Greenville, SC

## **AWARDS AND PUBLICATIONS**

TEDx Talk: *Your Mission and Appropriate Technology*, 2019  
*Moment for Mission*, Podcast series 2019-2022  
*Perspectives from Kenya: Time to Reconsider the Missionary Moratorium?* *American Society of Missiology*, 2016  
*Challenges and Growth in Maasai Christian Worship*, Yale-Edinburgh Conference, 2016  
*Maasai Life and Christian Practice: A Photographic Portfolio*, 2010  
Faculty Lecturer, King College, Fall 2006  
"African Praise Music," *Global Prayer Digest*, 2005  
Featured Presenter, "Maasai Christian Worship" Yale-Edinburgh Conference, Scotland, 2005  
MSc Degree Awarded *with Distinction* (University of Edinburgh)  
Omicron Delta Kappa  
Who's Who Among Colleges & Universities  
*Maasai Oral Literature*, 1983  
"Living with the Maasai," *Furman Magazine*, 1982

## **PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND ASSOCIATIONS**

Ordained Minister of the Word and Sacrament, Presbyterian Church (USA)  
Interim Minister Training Certification  
Walk Thru the Bible Certified Instructor (Old & New Testament)  
Certified *ChristCare* leader (Stephen's Ministry)  
Presbyterian College Chaplains Association  
Yale-Edinburgh Missions Study Association  
Association of Professors of Mission  
American Society of Missiology  
Evangelical Missiological Society  
Gospel Music Association  
Maasai Special Projects Fund, Inc. (President, mission agency)  
Professional Association of Diving Instructors (PADI, Divemaster)

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2023-present	Interim Senior Minister, Head of Staff, North Avenue Presbyterian Church Atlanta, GA
2021-2023	Interim Pastor, Head of Staff, Eastminster Presbyterian Church

	Indialantic, FL	
2021-present	Adjunct Professor Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary Hamilton, MA.	
2019-2021	Interim Pastor, Palmdale Presbyterian Church Melbourne, FL	
2019- 2021	Minister of Congregational Care, First Presbyterian Church Vero Beach, FL	
2019-2021	Adjunct Professor Indian River State College Ft. Pierce, FL	
2016-2021	Adjunct Professor Fuller Theological Seminary and School of Intercultural Studies Pasadena, CA	
2015-present	Adjunct Professor King University Bristol, TN	
2014-2019	East African Partner The Antioch Partners Kenya, East Africa	
2005-2014	Dean, Peeke School of Christian Mission Professor of Missions Professor of Philosophy and Religion Chaplain King University, Bristol, TN	
2007-2014	<i>Worship Arts Coordinator</i> First Presbyterian Church, Bristol, TN	
2000- 2005	<i>Parish Associate</i> First Presbyterian Church, Vero Beach, FL	
1995-1999	<i>Associate Pastor</i> The Community Church, Vero Beach, FL	
1992-1995	<i>Associate Pastor</i> Reid Memorial Presbyterian Church, Augusta, GA	
1990-1992	<i>Pastor</i> First Presbyterian Church, Fort Meade, FL	
1987-1989	<i>Missionary</i> Presbyterian Church of East Africa, KENYA	
1984-1987	<i>Assistant Pastor</i> Kirkpatrick Memorial Presbyterian Church, Ringoes, NJ	
1985	<i>Assistant Pastor</i> Union Evangelical Church, Mexico City, Mexico	
1982-1983	<i>Assistant Chaplain</i> Greenville Memorial Hospital, Greenville, SC	
1980-1982	<i>Assistant Chaplain</i> Perry Correctional Institute, Greenville, SC	
1980-1984	<i>Assistant University Photographer</i> Furman University, Greenville, SC	
1976-1980	<i>Harvesting and Marketing Director</i> Strang Brother's Fruit Company, Winter Haven, FL	

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

African Culture & Christianity  
Missiology and Cross-Cultural Contextualization  
Global Leadership Training  
Theological Education by Extension (TEE)  
Historic and current missionary photography  
Worship, Ethnodoxology, and Ethnomusicology

## **TEACHING INTERESTS**

Intercultural Studies / Cultural Anthropology  
Missions  
Worship  
Global Leadership  
Homiletics  
Biblical Studies

## **OTHER**

Founder and President, Maasai Special Projects Fund, Inc.  
Conduct/lead annual mission trips for leadership training of indigenous Christian clergy and laity  
Walk Thru the Bible Instructor (Old & New Testament)  
Working knowledge of *Spanish* and *Maa*; *some Swahili*  
Trained contemporary worship leader  
International Travel in Europe, Russia, Ukraine, Romania, the Holy Land, Mexico, the Caribbean, and Africa  
Continuing education in leadership, theology, Biblical studies, worship, African Christianity  
Master Scuba Diver with PADI Divemaster Certification

## **LINKS**

*Moment for Mission* Podcast:

This podcast examines how we connect our gifts and passions with God's purposes to achieve both personal fulfillment and to make a difference for good in the world.

[www.momentformission.com](http://www.momentformission.com)

Drs. Fred Foy & Cecily Strang TEDx Talk:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ySRYncZdQq0>

Sabbath Keeping: A Rhythm of Rest, Dr. Fred Foy Strang

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RNJeF4IaPZA>

Sermon: God is Good Even When We Can't See It

<https://youtu.be/Y7JSC5zT3dQ?feature=shared>

Sermon: He Knows My Name (at 33:10 ff)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gea1Q2YnppM>

Sermon: God is Good (at 29:31)

<https://www.youtube.com/live/3lxMwyUPHJs?feature=share>