

## CURRICULUM VITAE

a) NAME:

**HYUNG JIN (PABLO) KIM SUN**

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### b) EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Theological Studies – Emmanuel College, University of Toronto (May, 2022)

Thesis: “Toward a Critical Intercultural Ecclesiology for Mennonite Church Canada: Theological Guidelines for Becoming an Intercultural Church”

Th.M., Emphasis in Christian Ethics – Boston College (May 2016) Thesis: “Jesus Eats Kimchi: Seeking for an Inculturated Christology in the South Korean Context”

M.Div., Emphasis in Christian Ethics – Fuller Theological Seminary (May, 2013)

M.A. Intercultural Studies – Fuller Theological Seminary (May, 2010) Thesis: “The Blossom of Pali-Mañana Church: Finding the Contextualized Missional Ecclesiology for 1.5 and 2 Generation Korean in Paraguay”

### c) TEACHING

Instructor Spring 2024: Theologies from the Global South – Conrad Grebel University College, Waterloo, ON

### d) SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND AWARDS

Louisville Postdoctoral Fellowship (2021-2023)

The Bloor Lands Scholarship (2019-2020)

The Billes Advanced Degree Fund (2017-2019)

The McKinley Assistantship (2017-2019)

Louisville Doctoral Fellowship (2017-2019)

Emmanuel College Research Fellowship (2017-2020)

### e) BOOKS

Kim Sun, Hyung Jin (Pablo). *Building Mennonite Belonging: Toward an Intercultural Church*. McGill-Queen University's Press, 2025.

*Who Are Our Enemies and How Do We Love Them?* Harrisonburg, VA: Herald Press, 2020.

Chapters in Books

"Response," in *CONCERN: A Pamphlet Series for Questions of Christian Renewal*, Laura Schmidt Roberts. Eugene, Oregon: Wipf and Stock, 2021.

"An Asian Man," in *Peaceful at Heart: Embracing Healthy Masculinity*, Don Neufeld and Steve Thomas, eds. Eugene, Oregon: Wipf and Stock, 2018.

#### Editor:

Guest co-editor with Sarah Bixler] "Mission and Formation," issue, *Anabaptist Witness* 9, No. 1 (April 2022).

#### Refereed Journal Articles

"A Mennonite Perspective of Hospitality in times of Migrations," *Science et Esprit* 72, no.3 (2020): 297- 309.

"Forging an Intercultural Mennonite Identity: Personal Reflections on Ethnoreligion in a Global Context," *The Mennonite Quarterly Review* no. 94 (April 2020): 221-232.

"Toward an Intercultural Global Theology," *Vision: A Journal for Church and Theology* 19, no.2 (Fall 2018): 81-89.

#### Presentations at Conferences

February 2024: "Cultivating Belonging in Organizations," Tyndale Intercultural Leadership Conference, Tyndale University, Toronto, Ontario.

March 2023: "Culture and Theology," Facilitated for Engage Difference! Deepening Understanding for Intercultural Ministry, The Five Oaks Centre, Paris, Ontario

Presentation/Panel November 2022: Respondent: "Intercultural Worship and Decolonialization: Insights from the Book of Psalms," 2022 Mennonite Scholars and Friends at the AAR/SBL Forum, Denver, Colorado.

October 2019: "Making an Intercultural Mennonite Ethnoreligion in a Global Context," Mennonites and Anthropology: Ethnography, Religion and Global Entanglements, A Centre for Transnational Mennonite Studies Conference, University of Winnipeg, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

#### Invited/Keynote Addresses

"Gospel, Discipleship, and Hospitality Through the Lens of a Theology of Peace," Keynote address, 2024 Annual Symposium by the Graduate School of Practical Theology, Seoul, South Korea, April 15, 2024.

April 2021: "Church, Discipleship, Differences, and Kimchi," Plenary speaker for Annual Church Gathering of Mennonite Church Eastern Canada, Virtually.

“Participating in God’s Shalom holistically: And necessary tools for our praxis,” Keynote address, Mennonite Church South Korea Annual Gathering, Seoul, South Korea, February 19, 2021.

### Other Presentations

Workshop March 2024: “Intercultural Development Learning,” Willowdale Christian Reformed Church, Toronto, Ontario.

February 2023: “Christian Nonviolence and Peacebuilding during Russian Invasion of Ukraine,” Shenandoah District Pastors for Peace, Church of the Brethren in US, Virtually.

April 2018: “Following Jesus Together While Having Very Different Beliefs,” Anabaptist Learning Workshop, Preston Mennonite Church, Cambridge, Ontario.

### Professional Experience

Position Intercultural Leadership Program Consultant, Tyndale Intercultural Ministries Centre, Toronto, Ontario (November 2023 – Present)

Academic Mentor – Northwest Baptist College & Seminary, Langley, British Columbia (Jan 2023 – Present)

Louisville Scholar – Louisville Institute, Louisville, Kentucky (Sept 2021 – August 2023)  
Research & Teaching Fellow for Professional Ethics for Spiritual Care and Psycho-Spiritual Therapy – Emmanuel College, Toronto, ON (Winter, 2020)

Research & Teaching Fellow for Christian Ethics in a Historical Perspective – Emmanuel College, Toronto, ON (Winter, 2020)

Research & Teaching Fellow for Christian Ethics in Context – Emmanuel College, Toronto, ON (Fall, 2019)

Teaching Assistant for Intercultural Leadership and Learning: Engaging Ministry in Diverse Contexts. Rev. Jonathan Schmidt, Wycliffe College, Toronto, ON (Summer, 2019)

Research Fellow with the Centre for Religion and Its Context at Emmanuel College, Toronto, ON (2017 – 2019)

Intercultural Liaison at the Presbyterian Church in Canada, Toronto, ON (Aug. 1st – Present)

Senior Leader for Anti-racism and Intercultural Conciliation at Christian Reformed Church within Canada, Burlington, ON (June 2021 – July 2024)

Teaching, Research, and Program Assistant at Forum for Intercultural Leadership and Learning, a reference group of the Canadian Council of Churches, Toronto, ON (April 2019 – May 2021)

Updated: January 2025