

T.K. Dunn, PhD



Bio

British-born historian and theologian for Columbia International University and Pastor for Tabernacle Baptist Church.



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EXPERIENCE

August 2025 – Present

Associate Director for the PhD (Theological Studies) Program • Columbia International University • Columbia, SC

May 2023 – Present

Lead Pastor • Tabernacle Baptist Church • Union, SC

July 2021 – Present

Professor of Church History and Systematic Theology • Columbia International University • Columbia, SC

August 2020 – April 2021

Adjunct Lecturer • Columbia International University • Columbia, SC

Highly motivated individual who has attained a broad base of academic training and ministry experience across the UK and USA. Currently teaching numerous history and theology courses at Columbia International University from undergraduate to doctoral level, providing holistic education and mentoring discipleship to students. Also serve as Lead Pastor in a Southern Baptist Church in Union, SC, which is an economically depressed region of the state. Speaking engagements include podcasts, sermons, guest lectures, and am open to other methods of communicating history and theology.

Research interests: Complementarianism and the local church; the Doctrine of God; the Reformation movements in their historical context; progressive covenantalism; Biblical Theology; Systematic Theology; and Anglo-Saxon wars.

EDUCATION

University of Aberdeen (2018-2021)

PhD Divinity: *May 2021*

Southern Baptist Theological Seminary (2014-2016)

M.Div. Christian Ministry: *3.83 GPA*

University of Nottingham (2013-2014)

MA Church History: *Merit*

Cornhill Bible College, London (2012-2014)

Diploma in Expository Preaching: *Certified Pass*

Queen's University Belfast (2008 – 2012)

BA (hons) History and Ancient History: *2:1*

REFERENCES

Prof. Tom Greggs

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PUBLICATIONS

Completed:

Book Review: "Always Reforming: Reflections on Martin Luther & Biblical Studies" for the Journal of Evangelical Theological Society. 2022

Conference Paper (since published in CIU's online Journal):

"The Holy Love of PT Forsyth's Christological Dispute with Liberalism and Its Implications", delivered in November 2022, at the Evangelical Theological Society Annual Meeting

Book: *Prophet, Priest, Prince and the Already, Not Yet: A Theology of the Kingdom of God in Dialogue with Dispensationalism and P.T. Forsyth* (Pickwick Publications: Eugene, OR, 2023).

Book: *"Take and Eat": From Fall To Feast A Biblical Theology* (Energion, Cantonment, FL: 2024)

Book Review: "Paul Through the Eyes of the Reformers: Living Under Grace" for the Journal of Evangelical Theological Society. 2025.

Book: *...Because of Jesus* (Energion: Cantonment, FL, 2025).

Journal Article: Guest Editor and Contributor for *Perichoresis Journal of Theology*. "'Holy Love': Rediscovering, Reclaiming, and Repurposing P.T. Forsyth's Hermeneutic for the Modern Era" *Perichoresis*, vol. 23, no. 4, Emanuel University Press, 2025, pp. 64-82. <https://doi.org/10.2478/perc-2025-0023>

Upcoming but drafted/outlined:

Book: *Heroes and Heretics* (TBD)

Book: *The Fatherhood of the Father* (Energion: Cantonment, FL, 2026)

Book: *Exploring the Reformation(s)* (IVP, 2029)

Series: *Disputing Dispensationalism* (TBD)

Series: *The Secret History Club* (Kids fiction) (TBD)

Radio/TV/Podcast appearances:

Context is King Podcast: Rediscovering the Church Fathers with TK Dunn ([Recovering the Church Fathers With TK Dunn - Context is King | Podcast on Spotify](#))

Voices of Renewal Podcast: Dr. TK Dunn on P.T. Forsyth ([Dr. TK Dunn on P. T. Forsyth \(podomatic.com\)](#))

Columbia International University Podcast: Because of the Resurrection ([Columbia International University: Dr. TK Dunn: Because of the Resurrection on Apple Podcasts](#)) (and others)

Hymnody and Music:

Album: *Echoes of Eden* (January, 2026) ([Celtic Ceys - Echoes of Eden](#))

Album: *Come As You Are* (May, 2009)

Hymns:

Crucifixion Hymn

Hymn for the Sorrows

Jesus You Reign

Resurrection Hymn

Reformation Hymn

Trinity Hymn