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Professor of Community Psychology

Full-time

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MA Courses taught regularly:

- Marriage Counseling and Human Sexuality
- Social Justice in Pentecostal Perspective
- Relational Dynamics in Leadership
- Discipleship
- Family Ministry and Soul Care
- Helping Techniques and Ministering to Diverse Populations

Doctoral level courses taught regularly

- Relief and Development in missiological context (D.Miss/PhD)
- Contemporary issues in Social Justice (D.Miss/PhD)

Former courses taught in the MA Counseling program (until 2014):

- Human Sexuality
- Counseling Diverse Populations
- Psychological Tests and Measurements
- Child and Adolescent Psychopathology
- Research Methods

Degrees and Graduate Certificates (highest to lowest)

D.Phil. (Psychology) (University of Pretoria, South Africa) 1992

MA (Psychology) (University of South Africa) 1982

BA (Hons) (Stellenbosch University, South Africa) 1977

BA (SW) (University of South Africa) 1986

BS (Pre-Seminary) (Bethany University, Santa Cruz, CA) 1972

Senior Management Programme (University of Pretoria Business School) 1994

Marriage Guidance and Counseling Certificate (UNISA) 1986

Teaching Experience and/or Employment Background:

2001 to 2002 Adjunct Professor, Regent University, Center for Leadership Studies Doctoral Program

2002 to 2004 Adjunct Professor, AGTS

2003 Adjunct Professor, Regent University, PhD Counseling Education Program

2004 to present, Professor at Assemblies of God Theological Seminary

Full-Time Experience Other Than Teaching:

1972 to 1981 Local pastor serving congregations in Sandton/Johannesburg, Pretoria and Cape Town, South Africa

1977 to 1981 Pastoral Counselor, Villa Lubet Children's Village, Johannesburg, South Africa

1981 to 1989 Deputy Director Social Services, Apostolic Faith Mission Welfare Department (South Africa)

1989 to 2000 National Director of Apostolic Faith Mission Welfare Department (South Africa)
2000 to 2004 Independent Development Consultant to International NGOs and Churches (South Africa and US)

United States Speaking Engagements and Lectureships

- 2002 Workshop presenter, "Prescription for Hope Conference", Samaritan's Purse, Washington DC
- 2003 Plenary Speaker, Policy Forum and Advocacy Conference of the National Association of Evangelicals, Consultation on Global AIDS, Washington DC.
- 2004 Responder to Prof. Alan Donald's lecture on HIV and the Church. Overseas Ministries Study Group (OMSC), New Haven, CT.
- 2005 Plenary Speaker, "A Strategy for the Church to Combat HIV/AIDS". Wheaton College Student Global AIDS Campaign Conference
- 2005 April, Workshop Presenter, "Pentecostals and Social Action: The Pentecostal non-response to AIDS in Southern Africa". Society for Pentecostal Studies, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2005 Plenary Speaker, "What has religion got to do with health?". Wayne State University School of Medicine.
- 2006 Plenary Speaker, "History of Race Relations in the AFM Church in South Africa". King/Seymour Leadership Forum, Chicago, IL
- 2006 to 2009 Speaker at Compassion Ministries Forum of the Assemblies of God World Missions (Dallas, TX and St. Louis, MO).
- 2007 February, Visiting Professor, "Cross-Cultural Ministry", 3-credit hour course presented to Northwest University MA ministry students
- 2008 August, Visiting Professor, "Cross-Cultural Ministry", 3-credit hour course presented at American Indian College, Phoenix, AZ.
- 2008 August, Keynote Speaker, Faculty Retreat, Northwest University, Seattle, WA
- 2008 November, Workshop Presenter, Midwest Christian Psychology Conference, Branson, MO
- 2009 April, Presentation to the Mayor's Commission on Children, Research on Role of Faith Communities in Red Wagon Promises, Springfield, MO
- 2009 August, Workshop Presenter, AG Higher Education Faculty Seminar, Springfield, MO
- 2009 November, Guest Lecturer on HIV, Evangel University, Springfield, MO
- 2010 April, CAPS International Conference, Workshop Co-Presenter, Kansas City, "The role of community care and counseling in achieving abundant life in post-apartheid South Africa"
- 2010 September, Visiting Professor, 3-credit hour course, "Pastors and Advanced Human Development" Graduate School, Northwestern University, Seattle, WA
- 2010 September, Keynote Speaker, Community Foundation of the Ozarks, "Racism and the role of the FBO"
- 2010 October, Keynote speaker Youth Philanthropy Conference, "Our Youth as Social Entrepreneurs", at Drury University, Springfield, MO
- 2010 November, Guest Lecturer, College of the Ozarks, History Department, Point Lookout, Branson, MO, "South African History"
- 2010 November, Guest Lecturer, Missouri State University, Sociology Department, Springfield, MO
- 2011 April, CAPS International Conference, Workshop Presenter, Indianapolis, IN
- 2011 May, Ozarks Area Psychological Association, Workshop Presenter (HIV/AIDS), Springfield, MO
- 2011 May, Visiting Professor, 3-credit hour course, NW University MA in Pastoral Care and Human Development, Kirkland, WA
- 2011 June, Visiting Professor, 3-credit hour course, DMin CLR Cohort, Social Justice and International Development
- 2011 July, Guest Lecturer, first PhD in Bible and Theology cohort, AGTS
- 2011 July, Plenary Speaker, National AG Seminarians Conference, AGTS
- 2011 August, Plenary Speaker, National Compassion Ministries Conference, Kansas City, AGWM, "Social Justice and Scriptures"
- 2011 August, Workshop Presenter, Ozarks Area Psychological Association, "How to become HIV+"
- 2011 October, Guest Lecturer, DMin Women's Cohort, AGTS
- 2011 October, Plenary Speaker, Ohio Hispanic Pastors Conference, "Social Justice and the Scriptures"
- 2011 November, Guest Speaker at Evangel Conference Day
- 2011 November, Featured Guest Speaker, Fundraiser for Kerus Global Education, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2012 MBTI Workshop, New Life Church, Springfield, MO

- 2012 February, Workshop Presenter, Society for Pentecostal Studies, Virginia Beach, VA “A white collaborator with the regime finds peace and justice in post-apartheid South Africa: A personal narrative”
- 2012 July, Guest Lecturer, PhD in Bible and Theology cohort, AGTS
- 2012 September, Skype Conference, AFM Welfare National Conference, Johannesburg, “The church and HIV/AIDS”
- 2012 November, Co-presenter, Kern Foundation Research roundtable, Waxahachie TX, Texas Districts group
- 2012 December, Co-presenter, Kern Foundation Research roundtable, Seattle, WA with Northwest Ministry Network group
- 2013 January, Co-presenter, Kern Foundation Research roundtable, Philadelphia, PA with Valley Forge College focus group
- 2013 February, Visiting Professor, DMin Women’s Cohort, “Kingdom Ethics in Contemporary Society”
- 2013 March, Workshop Presenter, Society for Pentecostal Studies, Seattle, WA “Holiness as a function of psychobehavioral monitoring”
- 2013 April, Co-presenter, Kern Foundation Research roundtable, Springfield, MO with national representatives and research cooperating partners
- 2013 April, Workshop Presenter, Christian Association of Psychological Studies, Portland, OR “Evangelical resistance to ‘social justice’ as a function of Western cultural programming: Cultural competency and socio-missional entrepreneurship”
- 2013 June, Keynote Speaker, Discipleship Task Force of the Global Council of Empowered21, Atlanta, GA
- 2013 July, Guest Lecturer, PhD in Bible and Theology cohort, AGTS
- 2013 Lead Researcher for Kern Foundation Discipleship grant (\$160,000)
- 2014 March, Workshop Presenter, Society for Pentecostal Studies, Springfield, MO “*Outcomes-based Research on Spirit-filled Discipleship: Progress Report (Year II)*”
- 2014 July, Guest Speaker (series of four lectures) at Evangel Temple Young-Marrieds Sunday School Class, “*Beyond the Birds and the Bees: Authentic Sexuality for Parents*”
- 2014 Lead researcher for Kern Foundation Discipleship grant (\$200,000)
- 2014 November, DMin Women’s Cohort Professor, “*The Church and Contemporary Moral Issues*”
- 2015 January, Workshop Presenter, “*Strategies for self-care*”, District Women’s Ministries Directors, National Conference, Branson, MO
- 2015 January, Plenary Speaker, Kern Foundation sponsored launch of Discipleship Dynamics, Springfield, MO
- 2015 February, DMin Cohort, “*Social Justice, Ministry and Community Transformation*”
- 2015 March, Workshop Respondent to Diane Chandler’s “*Spiritual Formation*”, Regent Conference on the Holy Spirit and Christianity, Regent University, VA
- 2015 March, Plenary Speaker, Kern Foundation sponsored launch of Discipleship Dynamics, Washington, DC
- 2015 April, co-presenter with Geoff Sutton at Christian Association for Psychological Studies, Denver, CO. “*Assessing Spiritual Growth and Development in Christian Communities*”
- 2015 April, Plenary Speaker, Kern Foundation sponsored launch of Discipleship Dynamics, Seattle, WA
- 2015 September, co-presenter with Charlie Self, MPL Cohort at AGTS, “*Social Justice and Ethics*”
- 2015 September, Plenary Speaker, Kern Foundation sponsored launch of Discipleship Dynamics, Dallas/Ft. Worth
- 2015 September, workshop presenter on “*Discipleship Assessment to Promote Ethics*” at World Conference of American Association of Christian Counselors, Nashville
- 2015 October, Plenary Speaker, “*Social Justice*”, Compassion Ministries Conference, AGWM, Springfield
- 2015 November, Plenary Speaker, Kern Foundation sponsored launch of Discipleship Dynamics, Sacramento, CA
- 2015 December, Plenary Speaker, Pentecostal-Catholic Dialog, “*Discipleship*”, Springfield, MO.

International Lectureships and Consulting

- 2000 Samaritan’s Purse invited consultant on HIV and Development to their first international workers conference
- 2002 Presenter at World Summit for Social Development, **Johannesburg, South Africa**: “NDISWE Agri-Village: A Renewable Energy Based, Sustainable Development Model”

- 2003 Speaker, "HIV/AIDS and the Church" at the Turn the Tide National Conference, Bruce Wilkinson, **Swaziland**
- 2004 Consultant on Cross-Cultural Ministry Dynamics and International AIDS Strategies, **Samaritan's Purse International Head Office, Boone, NC**
- 2005 Speaker, "It Takes Courage: Youth Curriculum" Seminar in **Mozambique**, sponsored by PEPFAR (US State Department)
- 2006 February, Visiting Professor, "Ministry across cultures", CINCEL, San Jose, **Costa Rica**
- 2006 July, Featured Speaker, Community AIDS Seminar, Soshanguve, **South Africa**
- 2006 Speaker, "Pastor's Training Seminar". USAID sponsored educational program in **Swaziland**.
- 2007 Visiting professor, "AIDS and the Church". Weeklong seminar at AG Seminary, Jos, **Nigeria**
- 2008 Visiting professor, "*Integration of Theology and Psychology*", 3-credit hour course presented at Providence Theological Seminary, Winnipeg, Manitoba, **Canada**
- 2008 February, Visiting Professor, "Ministry across cultures", CINCEL, San Jose, **Costa Rica**
- 2009 Visiting professor, "Pentecostal Perspectives on Compassion Ministry". Asia Theological Center for Evangelism and Missions, **Singapore**
- 2009 February, Visiting Professor, "Ministry across cultures", CINCEL, San Jose, **Costa Rica**
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- 2011 Co-presenter, "It Takes Courage" Character education course for Gauteng school teachers, pastors and youth leaders, Pretoria, **South Africa**
- 2012 May, Organizational Restructuring Consultation for Kerus Global Education, Soshanguve, Gauteng, **South Africa**
- 2012 June, Consultant to AG Malawi Bible College for the establishment of a Graduate Program in Counseling for Southern African pastors, Lilongwe, **Malawi**
- 2013 May, Visiting professor, "Community psychology" course, and program consultant for new MA in Community Psychology course in Lilongwe, **Malawi**
- 2013 May, Financial Management and Leadership Consultation for Kerus Global Education, Kerus House of Encouragement, Soshanguve, Gauteng, **South Africa**
- 2013 August, Keynote Speaker, Word for the World, biennial International Conference, Pretoria, **South Africa**
- 2014 March, Mediator in International dispute between funders and local South African NGO, Soshanguve, Gauteng, **South Africa**
- 2014 May, Financial Management and Leadership Consultation for Kerus Global Education, Kerus House of Encouragement, Soshanguve, Gauteng, **South Africa**
- 2014 June, Visiting professor, "Community psychology" course, and program consultant for new MA in Community Psychology course in Lilongwe, **Malawi**
- 2014 October, Visiting professor, Introduction to Psychology and Pastoral Counseling at ATC in **Singapore**
- 2015 May, Workshop Presenter "*Global Discipleship Crisis*", Empowered21 Global Conference on the Holy Spirit, Jerusalem, **Israel**
- 2015 June, Visiting professor, "Community psychology" course, and program consultant for MA in Community Psychology course in Lilongwe, **Malawi**
- 2015 June, Pastoral Workshop, "*Discipleship Dynamics*", AFM Doxa Deo District, Pretoria, **South Africa**
- 2015 June, Pastoral Workshop, "*Discipleship Dynamics*", Acts Church Mission Group, Pretoria, **South Africa**
- 2015 October, National Pastors Conference plenary ("*Discipleship*") and workshop ("*Theology of Work*") speaker, Pentecostal Assemblies of Newfoundland and Labrador, **Canada**
- 2015 September, Campus Crusade for Christ consultation on Whole Life Discipleship, London, **England**

Doctoral Students

- 2007 Kircher, Nina, PsyD (Forest School of Psychology) "Exploring the relationship between manipulateness and Christian identity"
- 2007 Powers, B. D.Min. "An interdependence model for mission: Alliance between the Oregon Ministry Network and the Malawi Assemblies of God"
- 2007 Strickland, Barbara DMin Project Chair, "Equipping the Assemblies of God in Honduras to raise awareness of child sexual abuse"

- 2007 Wobbema, Peggy, DMin Project Chair, "The development of an integrated pastoral care response system to illness, crisis, and grief at North Point Church, Springfield, Missouri"
- 2008 Powers, Tim, DMin statistical advisor
- 2008 Moyers, Tim, DMin Project Chair, "Emotional Intelligence: A biblically integrated course for a Master's of Science in Clinical Psychology"
- 2009 Johns, Emily, PhD Outside Reader for Stellenbosch University, Cape Town, "Investigating factors relevant to a multicultural HIV/AIDS curriculum for Assemblies of God pastors in South Africa"
- 2011 Taylor, Clisia, DMin Project Advisor
- 2011 Shrader, Bill, Project Chair, "*Alignment of mission and method in Latin American Child Care in Peru*"
- 2012 Thomassen, Harry, DMin Project Chair, "*Fulfilling the mandate to care for the poor and fatherless: A call to action for Texas Assemblies of God*"
- 2012 Dahlager, John, DMin Project Chair, "*Ministry to PKs in Latin America*"
- 2013 Papazov, Svetlana (DMin Project Advisor)
- 2013 Smith, Sharon (DMin project statistical advisor)
- 2013 Drost, Paul (DMin project statistical advisor)
- 2013 Clark, Lanny (DMin project statistical advisor)
- 2014 Steve Pulis, PhD Dissertation Chair, "*Spiritual Vitality of Assemblies of God Post-High School Young Adults*"
- 2014 Roberts, Terry (DMin) project advisor "*Bridging the racial and political divide in a local church*"
- 2015 Duncan, Kent (DMin) Project Chair, "*The Holy Spirit Goes to Work: Facilitating Marketplace Ministry in a Blue-collar Context*"

In progress

- Johnson, Rick (DMiss) project advisor, "Attitudes toward social justice"
- Kamasse, Sidibe (PhD Dissertation Chair) "Reconciliation Ministry in Togo, West Africa"
- Rance, Valerie (PhD Dissertation Chair) "Missionary attrition"
- Polk, Shannon (DMin) project advisor, "Creating Pathways of Leadership for Women of Color in the Assemblies of God"
- Shortridge, Wes (DMin) project advisor, "Codependency in Church Systems"

Professional Memberships and Service

- Appointed as Member of Discipleship Task Force for the Global Council for Empowered21 (2013 to present)
- Advisory Board Member, Kerus Global Education, Harrisonburg, VA and Pretoria, South Africa (since 2001)
- Advisory Board Member, Victory Trade School, Springfield, MO (2011 to 2015)
- Ordained minister Apostolic Faith Mission, South Africa from 1974 to present
- Ordained minister Assemblies of God, US from 2005 to present
- Registered Counseling Psychologist, South African Medical and Dental Council from 1981 to 2004
- Registered Social Worker with South African Health and Allied Workers Council, 1986 to 2004
- Lead Researcher, Kern Family Foundation sponsored research grant on Whole Life Discipleship 2012-2015

Principal Writings and Publications

- Mostert, Johan and Mostert, Andrea (1995). "*Kinders, tieners en soortgelyke rampe*" ("Children teenagers and similar catastrophes). PsychoTheta, Johannesburg
- Mostert, Johan (1998). "*South African Manual for the Taylor-Johnson Temperament Analysis.*" Jopie van Rooyen and Associates, Johannesburg.
- Mostert, Johan (1998). "*70 Ways to Serve.*" National Development Initiative for Social Welfare (NDISWE): Johannesburg.
- Mostert, Johan (1999). "*NPO (Not-for-Profit) Operations Manual.*" National Development Initiative for Social Welfare (NDISWE): Johannesburg.

- Mostert, Johan (1999). *“Registering as NPO.”* National Development Initiative for Social Welfare (NDISWE): Johannesburg.
- Mostert, J., Tshabalala, S., and Mostert, O. (2003). *“Agri-refineries and Sustainable Rural Development for the Great Limpopo TBNRM Initiative: A Confidential Feasibility Study for USAID”*
- Van Zyl, R., Mostert, J. and Mostert, O. (2004). *“Partnership to Enhance Agricultural-related Employment Opportunities in the Community of Bapong, North West Province”*. University of Louisville, Kentucky and Rand Afrikaans University joint research project.
- Ball, M., Cerullo, J and Mostert, J. (2004). *“It Takes Courage: Youth Curriculum”*. Kerus Global Education: PEPFAR funded training curriculum for Mozambique, Uganda, Ethiopia and Kenya.
- Mostert, J. (2005). *“Evangelicals and Social Justice”*. (Syllabus) Semi-finalist in Yale Divinity School’s “Theological Education Renewal Awards Program”
- Mostert, J. (2005). *“The Evangelical Response to AIDS in South Africa”*. Article in “Changing our Response: Mission in the era of HIV/AIDS”, International Bulletin of Missionary Research: Overseas Ministries Studies Center (OMSC).
- Ball, M., Cerullo, J and Mostert, J. (2006). *“It Takes Courage: Pastor’s Vision Conference”*. Kerus Global Education: USAID funded character training curriculum for Swaziland pastors.
- Mostert, J. (2007). *“Lessons from our struggle to overcome racial segregation: A brief history of the Apostolic Faith Mission of South Africa”* in “We’ve Come This Far: Reflections on the Pentecostal Tradition and Racial Reconciliation”, Klaus, B (Ed.). AGTS: Springfield, MO.
- Mostert, J. (2009). “The psycho-social implications for the Pentecostal academy in a destabilized world”. *Encounter*, Vol. 6. (Inaugural lecture as Professor of Community Psychology).
<http://www.agts.edu/encounter/articles/2009summer/mostert.htm>
- Mostert, J and van der Spuy, M. (2010). *“Truth and Reconciliation: A South African Perspective”*. Chapter in Mittelstat, M. and Sutton, G. (Eds.) “Forgiveness, Reconciliation, and Restoration: Multidisciplinary Studies from a Pentecostal Perspective. Pickwick Publications.
- Mostert, J., Ball, M. and Cerullo, J (2011). *“How to become HIV+: Guidelines for the Local Church”*. Kerus Global Education, Harrisonburg, VA.
- Mostert, J. (2011). Book review of *“From the roots up: A closer look at compassion and justice in missions”* by JoAnn Butrin. *Encounter: Journal for Pentecostal Ministry*, Summer 2011, Vol. 8(1).
http://www.agts.edu/encounter/book_reviews/2011summer/review_Mostert.pdf
- Gilbert, Marvin, and Alan Johnson,Eds. (2011). *Missiological Research*. Social science draft ed. Cape Town: Privately printed. Authored five chapters on “Evaluation Research”, “Research Ethics”, “Survey Research”, “Creating Good Questionnaires” and “Validity and Reliability”.
- Mostert, J. (2012). “Community Psychology as Socio-Missional Entrepreneurship”. *Journal of Psychology & Christianity*, Vol. 30(3), 239-242.
- Mostert, J. (2012). “Addressing Poverty in Today’s Africa”. *Embrace: Together for Christ, Compassion, and Africa*. Vol. 3 (Winter), 6-8.
- Mostert, J. (2012). Book review of *“Kingdom Calling: Vocational Stewardship for the Common Good”* by Amy L. Sherman. *Encounter: Journal for Pentecostal Ministry*, Summer 2012, Vol. 9

- Mostert, J. (2012). Book review of “*Christ at the Checkpoint: Theology in the Service of Justice and Peace*” by Paul Alexander (Editor). *Encounter: Journal for Pentecostal Ministry*, Summer 2012, Vol. 9(1)
- Mostert, J. and Gilbert, M. (2013). “Obtaining Informed Consent in Missiologically Sensitive Contexts”. *International Bulletin of Missionary Research*, Vol. 37(1), 3-8.
- Mostert, J. (2013). “White Cultural Identity Development in Post-Apartheid South Africa: A Personal Narrative”. *Canadian Journal of Pentecostal-Charismatic Christianity*, Vol 4, No 1, 44-60.
- Mostert, J. (2014). “Ministry of Mercy and Justice”, chapter in Ma, W., Karkkainen, V-M, and Asamoah-Gyadu, K. (Eds.), *Pentecostal Mission and Global Christianity, Edinburg Centenary Series on Pentecostalism*. Oxford, UK: Regnum Books.
- Mostert, J. (2014). “The Social Justice Debates in Psychology and Theology: Thoughts on ‘Turning the World Upside Down’”. *Journal of Psychology and Christianity*, Vol. 33, No 2, 127-138.
- Mostert, J. (2014). “Gays, Lesbians and Bisexuals (GLB): A Pastoral Reflection”. *Encounter: Journal for Pentecostal Ministry*, Summer 2014, Vol. 11.
- Mostert, J. (2015). “Don’t forget the poor”, in Lim, S (Ed), *Your Call to Work and Mission*, Springfield, MO: AGTS.
- Mostert, J. (2015). “*Cross-Cultural Counseling: An Independent-Study Textbook*”, Springfield, MO.: Global University

Honors

1988 Dorcas Medal (Silver Class) for Outstanding Community Service awarded by the AFM Church of South Africa
 1994 to 2003 Ministerial appointed member of the South African Welfare Council
 1994 to 1999 Member of the National Welfare Forum Management Committee (South Africa)
 1994 to 2002 National Office Bearer, CHRISNET, South Africa
 2009 Inaugurated as Professor of Community Psychology, AGTS

Immediate Family

Wife Andrea passed away in 2014, three married children (two in South Africa), 9 grandchildren (5 in South Africa).

Hobbies

- Since 2004 six annual “AIDS Safari’s” with students to South Africa
- Annual trips to Kruger National Park in South Africa for bird watching and safari
- Reading novels
- Gym