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2. Personal details

Name Jeremy S. Begbie

Date of birth 15th June, 1957

Current positions Thomas A. Langford Distinguished Research Professor of
Theology, Duke Divinity School, Duke University
McDonald Agape Director, Duke Initiatives in Theology and the
Arts (DITA)
Senior Member, Wolfson College, University of Cambridge
Affiliated Lecturer, Faculty of Music, University of Cambridge

Marital status Married; four children

3. Education and career

Education

1987	PhD	University of Aberdeen <i>Dissertation:</i> "Theology, Ontology and the Philosophy of Art, with Special Reference to Paul Tillich and the Dutch Neo- Calvinists"
1982		Ridley Hall, Cambridge (Cambridge Federation of Theological Colleges Examination in Theology)
1981	LRAM	Royal Academy of Music (London) (piano teaching)
1980	BD	University of Aberdeen (Systematic Theology, 1 st class honours)
1977	ARCM	Royal College of Music (London) (piano performance)
1977	BA	University of Edinburgh (major: philosophy; minor: music)

Career

Duke Divinity School

2021–	McDonald Agape Director, Duke Initiatives in Theology and the Arts
2018–	Thomas A. Langford Distinguished Research Professor of Theology
2009–2021	Director, Duke Initiatives in Theology and the Arts (DITA)
2009–2018	Thomas A. Langford Research Professor of Theology

University of St Andrews

2003–2008	Honorary Professor, School of Divinity
2000–2003	Honorary Reader, School of Divinity Director, Theology Through the Arts (TTA) Associate Director, Institute of Theology, Imagination and the Arts (ITIA)

University of Cambridge

2007–	Affiliated Lecturer, Faculty of Music
1997–2000	Director, Theology Through the Arts, Centre for Advanced Religious and Theological Studies, Faculty of Divinity
1994–2008	Affiliated Lecturer, Faculty of Divinity

Ridley Hall, Cambridge

2000–2008	Associate Principal, Lecturer in Christian Doctrine
1993–2000	Vice Principal, Lecturer in Christian Doctrine
1987–1993	Director of Studies, Lecturer in Christian Doctrine
1985–1987	Chaplain and Tutor

Church of England

1983	Ordained priest
1982–1985	Assistant Curate, St John's, Egham (Church of England, Diocese of Guildford)
1982–1985	Honorary Chaplain, Royal Holloway College, University of London

4. Teaching

Duke Divinity School, Duke University

2010–	A wide range of masters courses taught in systematic theology (Christology, pneumatology, eschatology, Reformed theology); and in theology and the arts.
2010–	Doctoral Seminars: Karl Barth and the Reformed Doctrine of Creation

Major Themes and Theologians in Roman Catholic Theology
The Theology of T. F. Torrance
Readings in Theology and the Arts

Doctoral advising:

2010– Principal Advisor to six ThD students in theology and the arts
2009– On dissertation committee for four PhD students in the
Department of Religion
2012– On dissertation committee for two PhD students in the Music
Department

Directed or independent study:

2010– Dissertation supervision of ThM, MTS, and MDiv students in
various topics in systematic theology, theology and the arts
2010– Various independent and directed studies with individual ThM,
MTS, and MDiv students
2010–2011 Co-supervision of undergraduate dissertation (Music
Department)

Ridley Hall, Cambridge and the Cambridge Theological Federation

Courses taught:

1985–2008 Systematic theology, philosophy of religion,
Christianity and science, philosophical theology

University of Cambridge, Faculty of Divinity

1995–2007 Christology since 1918 (co-taught with Regius Professor of
Divinity; Theology and Religious Studies Tripos)
1994–2002 The Eucharistic Theology of John Calvin (Theology and
Religious Studies Tripos)
1993– Supervision of four doctoral students, four masters dissertations,
c. 40 BA candidates for various papers in the Theology and
Religious Studies Tripos

University of Cambridge, Faculty of Music

New course co-developed and taught:

2010–2020 MMus in Choral Studies

Courses taught:

2004–2009 Choral Studies: Words and Music in 20th-Century Sacred Music
(Music Tripos)

Directed study:

2004–2009 Supervision of three honours dissertations

University of St Andrews

Course development:

- 2000–2008 Co-designed and co-taught three new modules
Assisted in the conception and planning of a new part-time distance-based Postgraduate Diploma/MLitt scheme
Extensive involvement in discussions concerning the shape of teaching in ITIA in relation to the curriculum as a whole

Courses taught:

- 2000–2008 Supervision of eight doctoral students, two honours dissertations, one masters dissertation
2004–2005 The Holy Spirit Today – distance-learning module (masters)
2004 The Theology of Karl Barth (senior honours)
2001, 2004 Holy Spirit: An Exploration through the Arts (senior honours and masters)
2000, 2002 Beyond the Image: Theological Encounters with Literature and the Arts (senior honours and masters)

Teaching at other institutions

University of Cape Town, South Africa

“Art and Transformation”, a week-long series of lectures and seminars given at the Research Institute on Christianity in South Africa, University of Cape Town, September 1999

School of Theology, Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, California

Intensive courses in music and worship, theology and the arts (1992, 1994, 1998)

Regent College, Vancouver, Canada

Intensive courses in theology and the arts (1994, 1997, 1998, 2001, 2003, 2006, 2010, 2014)

External examining

- 2001–2005 External Examiner in Systematic Theology, University of Edinburgh
2001–2004 External Examiner for BA in Theology, Music and Worship, Brunel University
1996–2008 Examiner for various BA degree papers, Faculty of Divinity, University of Cambridge
1990–1994 External Examiner in Systematic Theology, University of Aberdeen
1990–1993 Examiner in the Philosophy of Religion, University of Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate

Postgraduate degrees

- Examiner for doctoral and masters dissertations at the Universities of Cambridge, Edinburgh, Aberdeen, St Andrews, London (King's College), Cardiff, Leeds, Hull, Durham, Exeter
- Assessor for various PhD registrations, Faculty of Divinity, University of Cambridge

5. Research

Since 1997, my academic research has been principally at the interface between systematic theology and the arts, especially music. I have sought to undertake and promote work in two main areas: first, the bearing of the riches of Christian theology, past and present, upon music and the other arts; second, the bearing of artistic practices and their associated theoretical disciplines upon the disciplines of theology.

Duke University

2009– Founder and Director of Duke Initiatives in Theology and the Arts (DITA), a program of Duke Divinity School

As Director of Duke Initiatives in Theology and the Arts:

- 2022 Brought 40+ top performers from across the US to Duke Divinity School to perform as the *New Caritas Orchestra* for a concert performance benefitting Refugee Ministries, September 2022
- Collaborated with scholars and artists from Duke and counterparts in the UK to produce and perform “Betrayal and Devotion” and *Art of New Creation* Book Launch for the “Easter at King’s” Festival of Music and Services at King’s College Chapel, Cambridge, April 2022
- 2021 Established group of “emerging scholars” in theology and the arts, first meeting at Laity Lodge, Texas, March, 2022
- 2020 Produced “Meeting our Moment” digital program, a series of interviews conducted with leading theologians and artists of faith amidst the pandemic
- 2019 Marked DITA’s 10-year anniversary with a 3-day Symposium (“DITA 10”) for 280 registered guests to discuss the future of Theology and the Arts. Events included a colloquium of emerging scholars, workshops for artists, scholars and lay people, and a concert event featuring 30+ top performers from across the US
- Collaborated with Duke Department of Music, the Department of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, and the Asian Pacific Studies Institute to mount “Performing Faithfully: Music & Martyrdom”, which featured the world premiere of *Elegy*, March 2019
- 2018 Collaborated with Duke University Chapel to host an exhibition of acclaimed Japanese artist Sadao Watanabe’s prints

- 2017 Brought 30+ top performers from across the US to Duke Divinity School to perform as the *New Caritas Orchestra* for a concert performance benefitting the Corner House of Reality Ministries, September 2017
- 2017 Mounted “Secretaries of Praise: Poetry, Song and Theology”; a conversation with David Ford, Tom Greggs, Jennie Grillo, and Micheal O’Siadhail held at Duke Divinity School
- 2017 Collaborated with Nasher Museum of Art to bring Scholars Ben Quash and Chloë Reddaway to lecture on “The Patience to See: the Sights and Sounds of Carlo Dolci,” an event that included the premiere of *Blue Madonna* (see below), August 2017
- 2017 Composed *Blue Madonna*; premiered with professional musicians from across the US to celebrate the opening of the Carlo Dolci exhibit at the Nasher Museum of Art, August 2017
- 2017 Collaborated with Duke Chapel to bring an exhibit of Georges Rouault's “Miserere et guerre” and a tandem Rouault exhibit to the Nasher Museum of Art, Spring 2017
- 2017 Collaborated with the Nasher Museum of Art to bring art collector Sandra Bowden, Nicholas Wolterstorff, and Philippe Rouault to Duke to lecture in conjunction with the Rouault exhibit, March 2017
- 2016 Brought several top performers from across the US to Duke Divinity School for “Call & Response” Concert as part of Two Days of Theology and the Arts in conjunction with Opening Convocation, August 2016
- 2016 Brought poet Micheal O’Siadhail and pianist Cordelia Williams to Duke Divinity School for “Futures Spring Alive” event as part of Two Days of Theology and the Arts in conjunction with Opening Convocation, August 2016
- 2016 Brought painter Bruce Herman to Duke Divinity School as Artist-in-Residence
- 2016 Brought Ailey II Dance Company to Duke Performance in collaboration with the Office of Black Church Studies at Duke Divinity School, and the Department of African & African American Studies, March 2016
- 2015 Completed second phase of the Duke-Cambridge Collaboration with UK premiere of Duke-commissioned *St Luke Passion* by James MacMillan in King's College Chapel, April 2015
- 2015 Brought Malcolm Guite to Duke Divinity School as Artist-in-Residence
- 2014 Completed first phase of the Duke-Cambridge Collaboration (see below) with US premiere of Duke-commissioned *St Luke Passion* by James MacMillan in Duke Chapel, April 2014
- 2013 Established a Postdoctoral Associate for Duke Initiatives in Theology and the Arts
- 2013 Brought visual artists Makoto Fujimura and Bruce Herman and composer Christopher Theofanidis to Duke Divinity School for a two-day residency

- 2011 Brought Makoto Fujimura to Duke Divinity School as visiting artist; the visit was co-hosted with the Department of Art, Art History and Visual Studies
- 2011 Collaborated with Duke Chapel to co-sponsor a performance of Mendelssohn's *St Paul*, with pre-concert panel discussion "St Paul's Conversion: from Word to Music" with presentations from Richard Hays (Divinity School), Larry Todd (Music Department) and Siegwart Reichwald (musicologist)
- 2010– Established a series of "Distinguished Lectures in Theology and the Arts," with lecturers Nicholas Wolterstorff, Roger Lundin (Wheaton), Robin Jensen (Vanderbilt), James K. A. Smith (Calvin College), David Lyle Jeffrey (Baylor), Christina Bieber-Lake (Wheaton), and Natalie Carnes (Baylor)
- 2010– Established a symposium of Duke and Cambridge scholars (the Duke-Cambridge Collaboration), which met in Cambridge during Holy Week in 2010 and 2012, and in Duke in September 2011 and April 2014 (see above)
- 2010– In conjunction with the Duke-Cambridge Consultation (see above), organised two week-long programmes in Cambridge during Holy Week in 2010 and 2012; scholars and artists from Duke and counterparts in the UK collaborated with the "Easter at King's" Festival of Music and Services at King's College Chapel, Cambridge
- 2010 In partnership with Duke University Music Department, presented two performances of Benjamin Britten's *The Holy Sonnets of John Donne* with an introduction by Richard B. Hays

University of Cambridge

- 1997–2000 Founder and Director of Theology Through the Arts* (TTA), Centre for Advanced Religious and Theological Studies, Faculty of Divinity, University of Cambridge

* TTA, a research project with a budget of £400,000, was designed to enrich and re-invigorate theology through a rigorous engagement with the arts. It initiated a programme of scholarly research, publication, colloquia of theologians and artists, and courses. Involving distinguished members of the artistic and theological communities, it culminated in an international Arts Festival in September 2000, drawing c. 3000 visitors, at which commissioned artworks were displayed and performed. Artists and theologians commissioned included James MacMillan and Rowan Williams.

University of St Andrews

As Associate Director of the Institute for Theology, Imagination and the Arts (ITIA):

- With Professor Hart, planned, oversaw and executed the ongoing teaching and research programme of the Institute;
- Supervised doctoral students;

- Engaged in several publishing projects (see below);
- Established and co-taught two new modules in the School of Divinity, demonstrating the potential impact of the arts upon theology;
- Successfully obtained funding (c. £75,000) for a post-doctoral Research Fellow for the Institute;
- With Professor Hart, successfully applied for a five-year research and teaching fellowship for ITIA under the UKRC Academic Fellowship Scheme – this was filled, and became a permanent academic position;
- With Professor Hart, conceived and planned the annual inter-disciplinary Research Colloquium of the Institute (March 2001, March 2002, April 2003, April 2004, March 2006, September 2007);
- Successfully recruited doctoral research students from abroad, especially from the United States and Canada;
- Established and fostered links for the Institute with other academic institutions that are undertaking research initiatives at the theology/arts interface – I visited the Universities of Glasgow, Hull, Leeds, London, Iowa, Berkeley, Heidelberg, Baylor, Stanford, Trinity Western, Seattle Pacific, British Columbia and Cape Town.

As Director of Theology Through the Arts (within ITLA):

- Established and oversaw two international research colloquia of distinguished scholars, with the aim of developing a ten-year research agenda and generating high-level publications (monographs and edited collections) – funding of \$90,000 secured from the Calvin Institute of Christian Worship, Calvin College, Michigan:
 - Colloquium 1:* Theology and Music, chaired by Jeremy Begbie. 12 scholars working at the interface of theology and music. First meeting, Cambridge, January 2002; second meeting, Cambridge, January 2004.
 - Colloquium 2:* Theology and the Built Environment, chaired by Dr Murray Rae, University of Otago, New Zealand, and Professor Alan Torrance, University of St Andrews. 12 scholars working at the interface between theology and architecture/built environment. First meeting, September 2002; second meeting, May 2004.
- Obtained funding of £50,000 in 2001 from the Mercers' Company (London) to fund research into the way young people appropriate popular art, with a view to producing educational material for youth leaders in training – project completed 2003; teaching material produced and distributed;
- Supervised doctoral research;
- Wrote and contributed to a range of publications (see below).

The Center of Theological Inquiry (CTI), Princeton, New Jersey

May–August 1995, April–August 2001, June–Sept 2003, June–Sept 2005: Resident member of the community of scholars at CTI, engaging in research leading to publication.

6. Grants

Grants secured since appointment to Duke:

- \$3 Million Endowment Grant from the McDonald Agape Foundation, to assure and maintain Duke Divinity School as a premier place for study at the intersection of Christian theology and the arts.
- \$25,000 Grant from the McDonald Agape Foundation, to fund “Theology, Modernity, and Literature” (as part of the research project, “Theology, Modernity, and the Arts”)
- \$150,000 Grant from the McDonald Agape Foundation, to fund DITA’s 10-year anniversary Symposium
- \$50,000 Grant from the William R. Kenan, Jr. Charitable Trust, to further the work of DITA.
- \$260,000 Grant from the McDonald Agape Foundation, to fund “Theology, Modernity, and the Visual Arts” (as part of the research project, “Theology, Modernity, and the Arts”)
- \$60,000 Grant from St George’s Nashville Church, to establish a mutually beneficial Church-oriented partnership in theology and the arts
- \$150,000 Grant from the McDonald Agape Foundation, to fund “Theology, Modernity, and Music” (as part of the research project, “Theology, Modernity, and the Arts”)
- \$150,000 Grant from H. E. Butt Family Foundation to fund establishment of the research project, “Theology, Modernity, and the Arts”
- \$30,000 Grant from Walter and Darlene Hansen, to fund painting by Bruce Herman for York Room, Duke Divinity School
- \$22,000 Visiting Artist Award from the Duke Council for the Arts, to fund the visit of composer James MacMillan in April 2014
- Funding secured from a private source to fund a part-time Administrator for DITA, a visiting scholar for Spring 2014, and a post-doctoral fellow for 2013–2014
- \$12,000 Visiting Artist Award from the Duke Council for the Arts and the Office of the Provost at Duke University, to fund the two-day residency of visual artists Makoto Fujimura and Bruce Herman at Duke Divinity School
- \$80,000 (four grants) from the Mary Duke Biddle Foundation, to fund the Duke-Cambridge Collaboration (2010–2012)
- \$7100 for the “Illuminating Messiaen” project – a photography competition and exhibition in connection with the Duke-Cambridge Collaboration – from a private donor and the Duke-Semans Fine Arts Foundation

- \$60,000 for a four-year ThD scholarship, from a private donor
- \$10,000 for the general fund for Duke Initiatives in Theology and the Arts, from a private donor
- \$15,000 Visiting Artist Award from the Duke Council for the Arts, to fund the visit of painter Makoto Fujimura to DDS and the Department of Art, Art History and Visual Studies
- \$25,000 for the “Christian Faith and Music Fund” from a private donor
- \$45,000 for tuition for a ThD student, from a private donor

7. Invited lectures and papers (selected)

North America

2022, November	Respondent as member of panel on David Ford’s <i>The Gospel of John: A Theological Commentary</i>
2022, October	“Art Seeking Understanding,” Baylor Symposium on Faith and Culture
2022, August	Calvin Institute for Christian Worship Seminar “An Awkward Marriage? Music and Language in Worship”
2022, March	The Drama of Evangelical Hermeneutics Conference in honor of Kevin J. Vanhoozer, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, Deerfield, IL “Scripture in Sound”
2021, April	Wheaton Theology Conference, Wheaton, IL “Making the Familiar Unfamiliar: The Art of New Creation”
2020, November	Christ Among the Disciplines Online Christology Conference Respondent: Rowan Williams’ <i>Christ the Heart of Creation</i> Book Panel https://www.christamongthedisciplines.com/book-panels
2020, January	The Robert Webber Institute for Worship Studies Seminar, Jacksonville, FL “Hearing Afresh: The Christian Resonances of Music in Worship and Culture”
2019, March	Union University Scholar-in-Residence, Jackson, TN “Hearing Afresh: The Christian Resonances of Music”
2018, November	Inaugural Bower Lecture, Department of Music, University of Notre Dame, IN “Circling around the Triduum: James MacMillan’s Musico-Theological Vision”
2018, November	Thomas F. Torrance Theological Fellowship Keynote, Denver, CO “Incarnation, Creation and New Creation: What T. F. Torrance offers to a Theological Re-visioning of the Arts”
2018, January	North Carolina Study Center, UNC-Chapel Hill “Why the Arts Matter to Faith in a Culture that Flattens Our Vision”

- 2017, April Asbury University SEARCH Symposium, Wilmore, KY
 “Hearing a music that you never would have known to listen for:
 Why the arts matter to a Christian vision of scholarly research”
- 2017, April Alonzo L. McDonald Distinguished Scholar Series, Emory University,
 Atlanta, GA
 “Created Order and Verbal Order: Reflections on the Reformation
 and the Arts”
- 2016, November The Christian Century Lecture, Chicago, IL
 “The Holy Spirit and Christianity’s Upside-Down Future”
- 2016, April Northcutt Lecture, Baylor University, Waco, TX
 “Desiring God in Worship: A Musical Perspective on a Contemporary
 Theme”
- 2016, February Ryan Lectures, Asbury Theological Seminary, Wilmore, KY
 “Fighting over the same space? What Music can Bring to Trinitarian
 Theology”
- 2015, November Staley Lecture, Whitworth University
 “‘Out of this World?’ Why the Arts Matter to Faith”
- 2015, January Duke Intersections: Arts, Medicine, & Theology, Duke Forward in Dallas
 2015, January University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
 “The Sound of Freedom: The Music of Liberation”
- 2014, November Henry Stob Lectures, Calvin College, Michigan
 “What’s Transcendent About the Arts? Musical and Reformed
 Reflections on a Contemporary Trend”
- 2014, August Paper delivered to Music Department, Duke University
 “Disquieting Conversations: Bach, Modernity and God”
- 2014, January January Lecture Series, Calvin College, Michigan
 “Reshaping Lament: Music and the Way to Joy”
- 2013, November George Fox University, Newberg, Oregon
 “Retuned by God: The Future of Worship”
 “The Sound of Freedom: Music of Liberation”
- 2013, March Wycliffe College, Toronto
 “The Sound of Freedom: The Music of Liberation”
- 2013, February The Tangeman Lecture, Society for Christian Scholarship in Music,
 Institute of Sacred Music, Yale Divinity School, New Haven,
 Connecticut
 “Music, Theology, and the ‘Natural’: Learning from Rameau and
 Rousseau”
- 2012, November Hope College, Holland, Michigan, The World Christian Lecture Series
 “Reshaping Lament: Music and the Way to Joy”

- 2012, October National Worship Leaders' Conference, San Diego, California
"Remembering the Future"
- 2012, March Athens and Jerusalem Seminar, Indiana Wesleyan University, Indiana
"Sound Mix: What can Music Tell us About Freedom?"
- 2011, October Gray Lectures, Convocation and Pastors School, Duke Divinity School, North Carolina
"Re-Shaping Lament: Music and the Psalms of Sorrow"
"Joy in the Morning: The Music of Resurrection"
- 2011, February Wheaton Distinguished Lecture, Wheaton College, Illinois
"The Future of Theology amidst the Arts: Why Reformed Protestants Need to Get Over Their Embarrassment"
- 2010, September University of Calgary, Alberta, Canada (Craigie Memorial Lecture)
"The Sound of Freedom: Music of Liberation"
- 2010, May Wheaton College, Illinois ("Jesus, Paul and the People of God: A Theological Dialogue with N. T. Wright" conference)
"The Shape of Things to Come? Wright Amidst Emerging Ecclesiologies"
- 2010, January Calvin Institute of Christian Worship, Grand Rapids, Michigan (Worship Symposium)
"Re-Timed by God: The Rhythms of Worship"
"Re-Tuned by God: The Future of Worship"
- 2010, January University of Michigan, Michigan (Veritas Forum)
"The Sound of Freedom: How Music Makes us Re-think What it Means to be Free"
- 2009, November Taylor University, Upland, Indiana
"Subversive Hope: Embodying and Re-Imagining God's New World through the Arts"
"Sound Mix: Live the Difference"
- 2009, November Richmond University, Virginia
"Music and Emotion in Worship: Have we Anything to Fear?"
- 2009, November Asbury College and Asbury Theological Seminary, Kentucky
"Subversive Hope: Embodying and Re-Imagining God's New World through the Arts"
"Sound Mix"
- 2009, November Emory University, Georgia (McDowell Lectures in Music)
"Sound Mix: Musical Spatiality and the Ways of God"
- 2008, November Augustana College, Sioux Falls, South Dakota (Staley Lectures)
- 2007, April University of Dubuque Seminary, Iowa (Woods and Berger Lectures)
"Created Beauty: The Witness of J. S. Bach"
"Beauty, Sentimentality and the Arts"

- 2007, February International Arts Movement, New York City (annual conference)
 “Artists as Agents of the New World: the Shock of the New”
 “Artists as Agents of the New World: the Shape of the New”
- 2006, April Wheaton College, Illinois (“The Beauty of God: Theology and the Arts,”
 international conference)
 “Created Beauty: The Witness of J. S. Bach”
 “Beauty, Sentimentality and the Arts”
- 2005, June Center of Theological Inquiry, Princeton (Pastor-Theologian Conference,
 Santa Fe, New Mexico)
 Two addresses
- 2005, April University of Ouachita, Arkansas (Burkett Williams Lecture)
 “So Much From So Little: The Exploration of a Masterpiece”
- 2004, April Baylor University, Texas (Art and Soul Conference)
 “Between Tears and Laughter: Music, Sentimentality and the Three
 Days of Easter”
- 2004, January Calvin College, Michigan (January Series lecture)
 “Music, Emotion and Worship”
- 2004, January Calvin Seminary, Calvin College, Michigan
 “Why the Arts Need Theology and Theology Needs the Arts”
- 2003, June Center of Theological Inquiry, Princeton (Pastor-Theologian Conference,
 Santa Fe, New Mexico)
 “Music, Words and the Word”
 “Tensions, Resolutions and Worship”
- 2003, March Baylor University, Texas (Art and Soul Conference)
 “Music, Meaning and the Mystery of God”
- 2002, October University of Iowa, School of Music and Department of Religious Studies
 “The Music of God and the God of Music”
- 2002, October Trinity Western University, Langley, British Columbia, Canada
 (Lamblight Lecture)
 “The Powers of Music in Worship: A British Perspective”
- 2001, October Seattle Pacific University, Seattle, Washington (Staley Lectures)
 “The Powers of Music in Worship”
 “Sounding Hopeful: An Exploration of Hope Through Music”
- 2001, June Center of Theological Inquiry, Princeton, Illinois
 “Bach, the Word and Words”
- 2001, June Center of Theological Inquiry, Princeton (Pastor-Theologian Conference,
 Utah)
 “Being Human in Worship: A Musical Perspective”
- 2001, May Institute of Christian Studies, Toronto, Canada
 “Does Music Talk? Music and Word in Theological Perspective”
- 1999, April Wheaton College, Illinois
 “Boulez meets Cage: Improvisation and Creativity”

- 1997, November Berkeley and Stanford Universities, California (The Lux et Veritas Forum)
 “Truth and Hope – Through Music and the Arts”
- 1996, January Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut (The Yale Lux et Veritas Forum)
 “The Sound of God”
- 1993, February University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada (The Murrin Lectures)
 “The Death of Art and the Art of Life: Reflections on the Postmodern Imagination”
 “The Music of God and the God of Music”

Europe

- 2022, May “The Light of the World” conference commemorating the 150th anniversary of the donation of Holman Hunt’s painting to Keble College, Oxford
 “The Light of the World”: a Theological Interpretation”
- 2020, November Panel member, Bach in Italy International [Digital] Conference Roundtable: “Bach’s Sacred Works in a Catholic Country”
- 2019, June Oxford Centre for Christianity and Culture, Oxford University
 “Creative Theology: Music”
- 2018, October Bachfest Theological Symposium, Tübingen University, Germany
 “Bach Among the Theologians”
- 2018, June Respondent, N. T. Wright’s Gifford Lectures Conference, University of St Andrews
- 2017, October Research Seminar, Institute for Theology, Imagination and the Arts, University of St Andrews
 “An Awkward Witness in a Worded World: Reflections on Music and Language in Luther and Bach”
- 2017, July Christian Congregational Music: Local and Global Perspectives Conference, Oxford University
 “The Order of Creation and the Order of Words”
- 2017, March International Conference on Improvised Music and Evangelical Liturgy, Leipzig, Germany
 “Resounding Truth: Theology in the Mode of Jazz”
- 2016, June Pusey House Trinity Conference, Oxford University
 “Encountering the Trinity in Music”
- 2015, November McDonald Lecture, St. Mellitus College, London
 “The Spirit and Christianity’s Upside Down Future”
- 2015, June Panel Speaker, Divine Mystery and the Arts, Westminster Abbey, London

- 2014, June C.F.D. Moule Memorial Lecture, Ridley Hall Cambridge
“Worship and Mystery: Handling a Contemporary Fashion”
- 2013, July “Music and Spirituality,” Music and Philosophy Conference, Royal Musical Association Music and Philosophy Study Group, King’s College, London
- 2010, September Institute for Theology, Imagination and the Arts conference, St Andrews University (“Theology, the Arts and Music: Engagements with the work of David Brown” conference)
“David Brown on Music”
- 2008, June University of Oxford (International Conference on Natural Theology)
“On the ‘Naturalness’ of Natural Theology: Learning from Rameau and Rousseau”
- 2008, May The Institute for Theology, Imagination and the Arts, St Andrews University
“Beauty, Sentimentality and the Arts”
- 2008, April The Institute for Theology, Imagination and the Arts, St Andrews University (ITIA conference)
“Bach, Discovery and Invention”
- 2003, February Royal Holloway College, University of London (Chaplaincy Lecture)
“The Music of God and the God of Music”
- 2002, March Institute of Theology, Imagination and the Arts, University of St Andrews (annual colloquium)
“Music, Word and Theology Today”
- 2001, March University of St Andrews, School of Divinity
“Music, Words and the Word: An Exploration in Music and Theology”
- 1999, February London Bible College (Laing Lecture)
“Music, Words and the Word of God”
- 1998, March The Research Institute for Systematic Theology at King’s College London, University of London
“Boulez, Cage and Horne: Musical Improvisation and Creativity”
- 1997, April The Society for the Study of Theology, University of Canterbury (annual conference)
“Music, Theology and Divine Communication”
- 1994, February National conference on the thought of Michael Polanyi, Cambridge
“Improvisation, Embodiedness and Embeddedness”
- 1993, September The Research Institute for Systematic Theology at King’s College London, University of London
“Tavener, Time and Eternity”
- 1993, July University of Aberdeen (international conference on P. T. Forsyth)
“Art, Incarnation and Redemption in P. T. Forsyth”

- 1993, March The Centre for the Study of Christianity in the Non-Western World,
University of Edinburgh
“Postmodernism and the Arts”
- 1992, November Faculty of Divinity, University of Cambridge (The Systematic Theology
Seminar)
“The Sound of God: Some Resonances between Theology and Music”
- 1992, February The Centre for the Study of Theology, University of Essex
“The Spirituality of Renewal Music”
- 1990, April The Society for the Study of Theology, St Andrew’s (Trinity Seminar)
“Artistic Models of Divine Creation”
- 1990, January The Research Institute for Systematic Theology, King’s College, London
“The Alienation of Art”

Asia

- 2021, October Rayson Huang Lecture, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
“Messiaen’s *Quartet for the End of Time*”
- 2015, November Lecture at Hiroshima City University, Hiroshima, Japan
“Eliot at Ground Zero”
- 2014, September Paper at The Faith and Global Engagement Initiative, The University of
Hong Kong, Hong Kong
“‘Out of this World?’ Why the Arts Matter to People of Faith”
- 2012, November International Conference on Peace and Reconciliation, Jerusalem
“Reconciliation and Peacemaking: The Mixed Potential of Music”
- 2010, November The University of Hong Kong Department of Music, Hong Kong
(Research Colloquium)
“When Musicians Turn Theological: Some Reflections on the
Treatment of J. S. Bach in Recent Musicology”

Oceania

- 2018, April-May University of Otago, New Zealand (Thomas Burns Memorial Lecture
Series)
“What’s Transcendent about the Arts? Recovering the Power of a
Biblical Vision”
- 2010, September University of New South Wales, Australia (New College Lecture Series)
“Music, Modernity and God”

8. Invited consultation participation

2014, January	Music and Theology Consultation, Institute of Sacred Music, Yale Divinity School
2013, February	Music and Theology Consultation, Institute of Sacred Music, Yale Divinity School
2011, April	Invited Consultant to the Annual Meeting of the Institute of Sacred Music, Yale Divinity School
2010, May	“Exploring the Dialectic Between Revitalization and Church,” Edinburgh University
2008, September	“Music: Its Evolution, Cognitive Basis, and Spiritual Dimensions,” Templeton Foundation, University of Cambridge (paper entitled “Music and the Unsayable”)
2006, September	“Measuring the World and Beyond,” Templeton Foundation, University of Cambridge (paper entitled “Worldview, Measurement and ‘The Roots of Spirituality’”)
2002, May/June	“Towards a General Theory of Symbolic Forms,” Internationales Wissenschaftsforum der Universität Heidelberg, Heidelberg, Germany
2002, April	“Exploring the Neurological and Theological Basis of Ethical Choice,” Templeton Foundation, University of Cambridge

9. Preaching engagements (selected)

2019, April	Cathedral of All Saints, Albany, NY
2019, January	Clare College Chapel, Cambridge
2018, March	Duke University Chapel
2017, February	First Presbyterian Church, Lockport, NY
2016, November	Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary, Hamilton, MA
2016, October	St Catherine’s College, Cambridge
2016, May	Sidney Sussex, Cambridge
2015, November	Church of the Incarnation, Dallas
2015, October	St Catherine’s College, Cambridge
2015, October	Holy Trinity Church, Cambridge
2015, October	Great St Mary’s, Cambridge
2014, October	St John’s College Chapel, Cambridge
2013, June	St George’s Church, Berlin
2012, June	Gonville and Caius College Chapel, Cambridge
2011, September	Ripon Cathedral
2011, May	Trinity Hall Chapel, Cambridge
2010, December	Collegiate Church of St Salvator, University of St Andrews

2010, November	Union Church, Hong Kong
2008, July	Southwark Cathedral, London (at the Ordination and Consecration of The Reverend Canon Dr Christopher Cocksworth to be Bishop of Coventry, and The Venerable Dr David Thomson to be Bishop of Huntingdon)
2008, January	Holy Trinity Church, St Andrews

10. Publications

Books authored

- Abundantly More: Theology and the Arts in a Reductionist Culture* (Grand Rapids, Michigan: Baker Academic) (forthcoming).
- A Peculiar Orthodoxy: Reflections on Theology and the Arts* (Grand Rapids, Michigan: Baker Academic, 2018), 224pp.
- Redeeming Transcendence in the Arts: Critical Reflections on a Contemporary Theme* (Grand Rapids, Michigan: Eerdmans, and London: SCM, 2018), 224pp.
- Music, Modernity and God: Essays in Listening* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013), 272pp.
- † *Resounding Truth: Christian Wisdom in the World of Music* (Grand Rapids, Michigan: Baker Books, and London: SPCK, 2007), 412pp.
- ‡ *Theology, Music and Time* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2000), 317pp. (9th printing, 2010.)
- Voicing Creation's Praise: Towards a Theology of the Arts* (Edinburgh: T & T Clark, 1991), 286pp. (3rd printing, 2006.)
- Music in God's Purposes* (Edinburgh: Handsel Press, 1988), 22pp.

† *Resounding Truth: Christian Wisdom in the World of Music* (2007) was voted one of the top ten books of 2007 by the American magazine *Christianity Today*, receiving the 2008 Christianity Today Book Award in the Theology/Ethics Category.

‡ *Theology, Music and Time* (2000) was voted one of the top ten books of 2000 by the American journal *Books and Culture*. A symposium was arranged on the book in Trinity College, Toronto in June 2001 by the Institute of Christian Studies and the Imago Arts Foundation, with invited respondents from institutions including the University of Toronto. Another was held at the American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, November 2003.

Books edited

- The Art of New Creation: Trajectories in Theology and the Arts*, co-edited with Daniel Train and W. David O. Taylor (Downers Grove, Illinois: InterVarsity Press, 2021), 280pp.
- Theology, Music, and Modernity: Struggles for Freedom*, co-edited with Daniel K.L. Chua and Markus Rathey (Oxford: OUP, 2021), 370pp.
- Art, Imagination and Christian Hope: Patterns of Promise*, co-edited with Trevor Hart and Gavin Hopps (Abingdon: Ashgate, 2012), 206pp.

† *Resonant Witness: Conversations Between Music and Theology*, collection from Colloquium 1 of TTA's two international research colloquia (see above), co-edited with Steven R. Guthrie (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2011), 497pp.

Sounding the Depths: Theology Through the Arts (London: SCM, 2002), 240pp.

Beholding the Glory (London: DLT/Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Books, 2000), 159pp.

† *Resonant Witness: Conversations Between Music and Theology* (2011) was selected by the Academy of Parish Clergy as one of the as the Top Ten Books for Parish Ministry published in 2011.

Series edited

Routledge Studies in Theology, Imagination and the Arts, co-edited with Professor Trevor Hart and Professor Roger Lundin (nine titles).

Book contributions

"Incarnation, Creation, and New Creation: T. F. Torrance and a Theological Re-visioning of the Art," in *Sanctifying Theology: At the Intersections of Wesleyan Theology, Dogmatics, and Practice*, eds. Jacob Lett and Jonathan Platter (Portland, Maine: Pickwick) (forthcoming), and also in *Participatio* (forthcoming)

"There Before Us': New Creation in Theology and the Arts," in *The Art of New Creation: Trajectories in Theology and the Arts*, co-edited with Daniel Train and W. David O. Taylor (Downers Grove, Illinois: InterVarsity Press, 2021), 1-18.

"Encountering the Uncontainable in the Arts," in *God and Wonder*, ed. Jeffrey Barbeau and Emily McGowin, (Downers Grove, Illinois: InterVarsity Press) (forthcoming)

"Theologie für Bach und Bach für die Theologie," *Bach unter den Theologen: Themen, Thesen, Temperamente*, ed. Ingo Bredenbach, Volker Leppin, und Christoph Schwöbel (Mohr Siebeck, 2022), 227-256

Foreword to *Sermons That Sing: Music and the Practice of Preaching*, Noel A. Snyder (Downers Grove, Illinois: InterVarsity Press, 2021) xi-xii.

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- “An Awkward Witness in a Worded World: Music and the Reformation,” in *The Protestant Reformation of the Church and the World*, eds. John Witte and Amy Wheeler (Louisville: Kentucky, WJK, 2018), pp. 71–8.
- “A Semblance more Lucid? An Exploration of Trinitarian Space,” in *Essays on the Trinity*, ed. Lincoln Harvey (Eugene, Oregon: Wipf and Stock, 2018), pp. 20–35. Slightly revised in *A Transforming Vision*, ed. George Westhaver (London: SCM Press, 2018), pp. 22–38.
- “Time and Eternity: Richard Bauckham and the Fifth Evangelist,” in *In the Fullness of Time*, eds. Jonathan T. Pennington and Grant Macaskill (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2016), pp. 29–48.
- “Negotiating Musical Transcendence,” in *Music and Transcendence* (Farnham: Ashgate, 2015), pp. 105–112.
- “Modelling Harmony: Music in Peace-Building,” in *Mediating Peace: Reconciliation through Art, Music & Film* (Newcastle: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2015), pp. 194–209.
- “The Future of Theology Amid the Arts: Some Reformed Reflections,” in *Christ Across the Disciplines: Past, Present, Future* (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2013), pp. 152–182.
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- Foreword to *Music as Theology*, Maeve Louise Heaney (Eugene, Oregon: Wipf and Stock, 2012), pp. ix–x.
- “Openness and Specificity: A Conversation with David Brown on Theology and Classical Music,” in *Theology, Aesthetics and Culture: Conversations with the Work of David Brown*, eds. Robert MacSwain and Taylor Worley (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012), pp. 145–156.
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Programme notes

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Easter at King's – Chamber Music for Maundy Thursday, notes on JS Bach, Choral Prelude for organ “Herzlich tut mich verlangen” and Olivier Messiaen, *Visions de l’Amen* (April 2012).
St Mark’s Church, Newnham, Cambridge – April 2012 concert, notes on JS Bach, *St John Passion*.

Easter at King's – Chamber Music by Candlelight for Maundy Thursday, notes on Herbert Howells, *By the Waters of Babylon* and *Prelude De Profundis*, and Benjamin Britten, *The Holy Sonnets of John Donne* (April 2010).

Easter at King's – Handel’s Messiah, King’s College Chapel (April 2009).

Messiaen Centenary – The Complete Organ Works, King’s College Chapel, Cambridge organ recital series (February/May 2008).

Multimedia (selected)

Online video recordings

“[Virtual Worship Panel](#)” On Demand Video resource for the 2021 Online Calvin Symposium on Worship
<https://worship.calvin.edu/resources/resource-library/virtual-worship> (January 5, 2021)

“Conversations on Hope, E9: Professor Jeremy Begbie”
<https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=1169511580115612> (August 16, 2020)

“The Role of Liturgy and Music in Formation” Panelist for CEEP Webinar
<https://youtu.be/DWKZLUbQcsU> (August 20, 2020)

“You’re Included”, interview by Gary Deddo for Grace Communion International (March 9, 2018): “[Journey in Music and Theology.](#)”
<https://www.gci.org/media/videos/journey-in-music-and-theology/>

Lecture compilation for Duke: “Unexpected Intersections: Arts, Medicine, and Theology--
Ray Barfield and Jeremy Begbie”

Promotional short video interview for “Duke Forward” in New York

Interview/lecture compilation by Trinity School for Ministry, Ambridge, Pennsylvania

Interview by Dr Bruce Little, Director of the L. Russ Bush Center for Faith and Culture at Southeastern Seminary, Wake Forest, North Carolina

Extracts from University of Michigan Veritas Forum: “The Sound of Freedom: How Music Makes us Re-think What it Means to be Free”

“Theology through the Arts,” demonstration at the piano for Faith and Leadership, Duke Divinity School

University of California Veritas Forum: “The Sense of an Ending”

Hope College Veritas Forum: “Sounding Hopeful”

Online and CD audio recordings

Associated Parishes Colloquium on Liturgy, Church Divinity School of the Pacific, San Francisco: “Music and Emotion in Worship”

Regent College, Vancouver (14 lectures)

Podcasts, radio/audio journal interviews and online webinars

The Habit. [Podcast](#), S4, E23: Jeremy Begbie on *The Art of New Creation* (June 9, 2022)

Luminous: Conversations on Sacred Arts. [Podcast](#), S1, E7: Jeremy Begbie: “A ‘Thicker’ Understanding of Beauty” (April 15, 2021)

Undeceptions. [Podcast](#), S3 E28: Discordant Religion with Jeremy Begbie and Kirsty Beilharz (November 8, 2020)

Undeceptions. [Podcast](#), S3 E27: Creation’s Music with Jeremy Begbie and Kirsty Beilharz (November 1, 2020)

Makers & Mystics [podcast](#), S5 E9: Art & The Transcendence of God with Jeremy Begbie (May 7th 2019)

Circe institute Podcast Network FORMA [podcast](#) interview by David Kern (November 7th 2018)

The Road to now [podcast](#) interview by Bob Crawford & Ben Sawyer, RTN Theology #5: Jeremy Begbie on Theology of and through the Arts (September 17th 2018)

Radio Free Acton [podcast](#) interview by Bruce Walker (May 30th 2018)

WorshipTraining.com webinar: The Implications of Incarnation (December 16th 2009)

The Spirit of Things interview by Rachael Kohn on ABC Radio, Australia (September 26th 2010)

Open House interview by Sheridan Voysey on Hope 103.2 Radio, Australia (September 19th 2010, repeat aired on the Best of Open House 2010)

WorshipTraining.com webinar: The Arts of New Creation: Voicing Theology Through The Arts (June 16th 2009)

Open House Interview by Sheridan Voysey on Hope 103.2 Radio, Australia (May 17th 2009)

Two interviews on Mars Hill Audio Journal volume 94 parts 2.2 and 2.3 (Nov/Dec 2008)

Interview on Mars Hill Audio Journal volume 64 part 2.2 (Sept/Oct 2003)

11. Professional memberships

2016–	Member, Trustees of Song and Hymn Writers’ Foundation (London)
2015	Member, Advisory Board, <i>Participatio: The Journal of the Thomas F. Torrance Theological Fellowship</i>
2015	Member, Advisory Board, <i>Studies in Theology and the Arts</i> , InterVarsity Press
2014	Invited to serve on Editorial/Advisory Board for online “Bible and the Arts” project, ed. Professor Stephen Prickett
2014–	Member, Editorial Committee of <i>Yale Journal of Music & Religion</i>
2013–	Consultant, the Institute for Theology, Imagination and the Arts
2012–	Member, Academic Advisory Board, Faith and Global Engagement Initiative, Hong Kong University
2008–	Member, Advisory Board, Soli Deo Gloria
2006–	Member, Advisory Board, Boston University Messiaen Project
2006–	Patron, Springs Dance Company
2003–	Member, Board of Trustees, Plateau Perspectives
2019-	Member, the American Academy of Religion
1999–2005	Chair of Trustees, Music in Worship Foundation

1996–2003	Member, Doctrine Commission of the Church of England, by invitation of Archbishop of Canterbury
1995–1996	Appointed by the Church of England House of Bishops’ Theological Group to draft major statement on lay presidency at the Eucharist, for General Synod 1997 and the Lambeth conference of Anglican Bishops 1998 – published as <i>Eucharistic Presidency</i> (London: Church House Publishing, 1997)
1995–1996	Member, Faith and Order Advisory Group of the Church of England, by invitation of Archbishop of Canterbury
1994–1999	Member, Editorial Board of the journal <i>Anvil</i>
1993–2008	Member, Doctrine Subject Committee, Faculty of Divinity, University of Cambridge
1993–1995	Member, steering committee for CME (Continuing Ministerial Education) in the Diocese of Ely
1993–1994	Convenor of the Arts Section of an international seven-year project, “Towards a Missiology of Western Culture,” under the leadership of Dr Wilbert Shenk. Organised and hosted a Cambridge consultation in May 1994
1990–1994	Member, Steering Committee to initiate a Department of Music and Worship at London School of Theology
1990–1994	Member, Peache Trustees, a church patronage trust with responsibility for some 50 parishes in the Church of England
1985–2005	Member, The Society for the Study of Theology (member of steering committee, 1988–1992, 2000–2004)

12. Academically-related honours and achievements

1997	Co-founder, arts festival, Regent College, Vancouver
1994	Co-founder, annual arts festival at Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, California

13. Music-related honours and achievements

2019–	Founder and conductor of the New Caritas Orchestra
2006	Honorary Award: Fellow of the Royal School of Church Music (FRSCM), bestowed “for achievements in church music and/or liturgy of international significance”
1988–1992	Founder and conductor of the New Cambridge Orchestra
1976–	A wide range of musical activities, including much performing as a pianist and oboist (much professional), extensive teaching (both oboe and piano), conducting and composing, some broadcasting.

Selected recent concert activities

- 2019 Concert programmer and conductor for DITA10 Anniversary Concert at Baldwin Auditorium, Duke University, featuring 30+ top performers from across the US in their second appearance as the *New Caritas Orchestra*
- 2015 Concert programmer and pianist for the Maundy Thursday concert within the 2015 Easter concert series at King’s College Chapel, Cambridge. Piano performance included *Visions de l’Amen*, for two pianos, by Olivier Messiaen (1st piano)
- 2013 Pianist for *Rhythms of Life*, fundraising concert for St Mark’s Church, Newnham
- 2013 Pianist for *At the Still Point*, piano quintet, by Christopher Theofanidis, Duke Chapel, Duke University, with the Ciompi Quartet
- 2012 First piano part, *Visions de l’Amen*, for two pianos, by Olivier Messiaen, Goodson Chapel, Duke Divinity School
- 2012 Concert programmer and pianist for the Maundy Thursday concert within the 2012 Easter concert series at King’s College Chapel, Cambridge. Piano performance included *Visions de l’Amen*, for two pianos, by Olivier Messiaen (1st piano)
- 2011 “Expanding Sound” solo piano recital at Wolfson College, Cambridge. The programme comprised music by Chopin, Ravel, Rachmaninoff and Kenneth Leighton
- 2010 Concert programmer for Gethsemane, the Maundy Thursday concert within the 2010 Easter concert series at King’s College Chapel, Cambridge. Pianist within the concert: *A Different World* and *Kiss on Wood* by James MacMillan, and *The Holy Sonnets of John Donne* by Benjamin Britten

14. Service

Divinity School and Duke University (Spring Semesters)

Committee work

- 2019-2020 Member, Faculty Advisory Committee, Nasher Museum of Art at Duke University
- 2018-19 Co-chair, Committee for appointing Duke Kunshan University’s first Distinguished Professor of the Arts
- 2016 Member, Committee for Reappointment of Professor Lester Ruth
- 2012-13 Member, Theology Task Force, to review teaching of theology in curriculum
- 2011-12 Member, Duke Divinity Fine Arts Council
Member, Doctoral Dissertation Examination Committee for Wen Reagan (2011-2013)
- 2011 Member, Committee for Reappointment of Dr Norman Wirzba

	Member, Committee for Reappointment of Dean Lacey Warner
2010	Member, MDiv Admissions Committee
	Member, Arts Committee, DDS
2009–	Member, Duke University Council for the Arts
2009	Member, “Beyond Degree” Task Force
	Member, Duke University Council for the Arts
	Member, Arts Committee, DDS
	Member, Doctoral Dissertation Examination Committee for Natalie Carnes (2009–2011)

Wider academy

- Referee for applications for promotion to professorships (Universities of Cambridge, Edinburgh, St Andrews, Leicester, and Otago, New Zealand), and for professorial appointments at various North American universities
- Invited reviewer of two funding proposals to the Templeton Foundation (2011, 2013)
- Jurist, The 2010 Arlin G. Meyer Prize sponsored by the Lilly Fellows Program