

# CBFA

## Christian Business Faculty Association

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### Notes from the CBFA Chair: "Giving Thanks"

Great appreciation is due to the conference team at Trinity Western University (TWU). TWU hosted the 2012 CBFA Annual Conference. Led by Andrea Soberg, the serving heart of the TWU team was evident in their gracious hospitality.

Join me in thanking Olivet Nazarene University for serving as hosts for the 2013 Annual Conference.

When you get a chance, please commend Julia Underwood (Azusa Pacific University) for her leadership as CBFA Chair over the last year. During her tenure, the strong foundation of the CBFA was strengthened with proposed new By-Laws and an updated Strategic Plan.

The update of the Strategic Plan was led by Steve Bovee (Roberts Wesleyan College). Steve offered a great commitment of his time and led a team of CBFA members in crafting a plan that follows the mission while boldly moving forward.

After one thousand years of service, Richard Halberg (Houghton College) has decided to step down as Chair of the Investment Committee. Thank you for your good work, Dick! Lyle Bowlin (Southeastern University) has graciously agreed to serve as the incoming Chair.

We are thankful that Mary Ann Meiners (Trevecta Nazarene University) has been tapped as upcoming Chair-Elect for CBFA; Mary Ann will become vice-chair/chair-elect in October, when Brett Andrews (Oklahoma Wesleyan University) moves from vice-chair/chair-elect to chair. We look forward to her leadership.

Tell Us What You Think: As issues arise that you believe should be addressed by the board, please let us know. Our intent is to serve Christ by serving the members of CBFA.

May you have God's blessing.  
Terry Truitt, CBFA Chair 2012-13



### 2013 Annual Conference

Mark your calendars today to set aside the dates for the 2013 CBFA annual conference! The conference will be October 17-19 at Olivet Nazarene University in Bourbonnais, IL. The conference theme is **Innovation in Christian Education: The Next Ten Years —Teaching, Scholarship, and Community Service**

Don Daake and the ONU conference team are earnestly preparing for our visit in October 2013.

The [call for papers](#), proposals, workshops, poster sessions, panel discussions, and best teaching practices sessions is posted on the CBFA website. The conference will include an afternoon and evening of business-related tours in Chicago. More information about the conference is available by [clicking here](#).

### In Memory of Margaret Edgell



Margaret Edgell was ushered into the presence of our Lord on October 17, 2012 after battling cancer for several years. Before becoming a professor at Calvin College, Margaret spent nine years in the U.S. Treasury, working as an economic advisor to the cabinet and negotiating at a high level with such entities as the International Monetary Fund. This gave her authority in the classroom and an understanding of the details behind the headlines.

Margaret's passion was to meld her faith in Christ with her academic scholarship and share this with her students. She left a strong philosophical imprint on the CBFA and was the winner of the 2012 CBFA Johnson Award for research and scholarship.

Margaret bequeathed CBFA several valuable integration resources. First, she left a cluster of conference presentations and articles on the practical implications of teaching faith integration. For example, a recent CBAR article (Edgell, 2010) shows the results of testing "Three Modes of Faith Integration in the Classroom." Margaret was also co-author on a book that explores the philosophical foundations of forming moral character in students. The book, *Practice & Profile: Christian Formation for Vocation* helps Christian professors understand more clearly the assumptions behind integration, and the ways students develop moral character. This book will be read and cited for many years. Finally, Margaret served as guest editor for the Spring, 2012 special issue of the *JBIB*: Hybrid Organizations. The issue has received wide interest from mission and development organizations and integration groups such as the Acton institute.

Margaret's incisive mind, her lively presence at conferences, and her gentle sense of humor will be missed by us all.

### 2013 CBFA Conference Features

- Thursday: **Opening Reception and Worship Service**  
Friday morning: **Conference Papers and Panels**  
**Local Company Mini-Visits** (reserved on a first-come, first-served basis)  
Friday afternoon: **Motor Coach Trip to Chicago** (each participant will be able to choose one event, cost is included in conference fee) Examples: Chicago Art Institute; Chicago Field Museum; Double Decker Bus Tour; Architecture Boat Tour; Architectural Walking Tour; Lincoln Park Zoo; Riding the L train and others.  
Saturday: **Conference Papers and Sessions**  
**Evening Banquet** (Business Dress)



Your gift can benefit others.

## Consider Making a Gift to CBFA

Please consider making a financial gift from the blessings God has shared with you. Your gift will support the mission of CBFA. If you prefer, your gift can be designated to support scholarships for membership dues, one of the awards, one of the journals, or any of CBFA's fundable endeavors. Just let us know. As a 501(c)(3), your contribution to CBFA can be tax-deductible.

## 2013 CONFERENCE TRAVEL & ACCOMODATIONS

Hotels:

Hampton Inn  
Holiday Inn Express  
Fairfield Inn

Airports:

Midway  
O'Hare

Conference Fee, \$375  
(Includes CBFA Membership Dues)

## Host a Conference!

Let us know if your school would like to learn more about hosting a conference in 2014, 2015, or beyond. Hosting is a fun and rewarding experience!



## Call for Nominations for Appointed Board Positions

The Board of Directors is soliciting nominations or self-nominations for four appointed positions on the CBFA board. The call for each position, which includes a position description and a nominee fact sheet, can be accessed by clicking on the name of the position. If you have questions about any of these positions or are interested in applying or nominating someone, please contact the chair of the nominating committee, [Dr. Brett Andrews](#) (Oklahoma Wesleyan University).

The [Director of Publications](#)—formerly the Senior Editor—is responsible for overseeing all publishing activities of the CBFA other than conference proceedings and the newsletter. The appointment will be for a term to end at the 2015 conference, with reappointment to consecutive three-year terms at the discretion of the elected members of the CBFA Board.

The [Director of Conferences](#) is responsible for overseeing CBFA conferences and serving as a liaison between the CBFA Board and host institutions. The appointment will be for a term to end at the 2015 conference, with reappointment to consecutive three-year terms at the discretion of the elected members of the CBFA Board.

The [Director of Marketing](#) coordinates the marketing, promotion, and public relations activities of the CBFA. The appointment will be for a term to end at the 2016 conference, with reappointment to consecutive three-year terms at the discretion of the elected members of the CBFA Board.

The [Treasurer](#) is responsible for the financial activities and financial record-keeping of the association. The appointment will be for a term to end at the 2016 conference, with reappointment to consecutive three-year terms at the discretion of the elected members of the CBFA Board.

**At the Fall 2012 meeting of the CBFA Board of Directors, elected board member Michael Cafferky (Southern Adventist University) agreed to serve as the Interim Director of Publications, and past board chair Julia Underwood (Azusa Pacific University) agree to serve as the Interim Director of Conferences.**



**CBFA Western Dialogical Conference – April 26, 2013**  
**Embassy Suites, Ontario, California (adjacent to the Ontario Airport)**

**Topic: Micah 6:8**

“And what does the Lord require of you?  
To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.”

**Faculty Development**

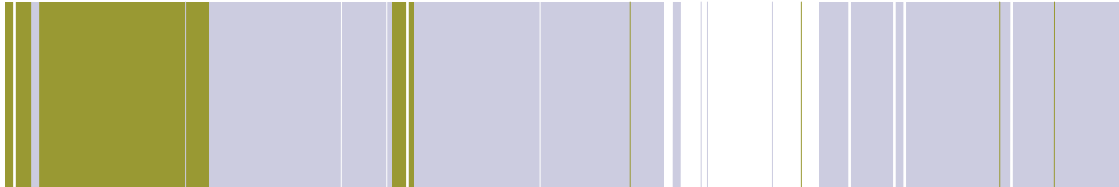
A dialogical conference turns “upside down” the activities of a traditional professional conference. Before the conference, participants will: 1) read articles from several theologians to glean their perspectives on this passage; 2) read brief descriptions and applications of the major business disciplines; and, 3) will spend time reflecting and writing about how their own discipline relates to this verse. There is a registration fee of \$50.00.

Please [CLICK HERE](#) for the application form and complete conference details.



**Administrator Positions**

<b>Position</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Date Posted</b>
<a href="#">Associate Dean of Academic Affairs and Operations</a>	<a href="#">Azusa Pacific University</a>	Azusa, CA	12/10/2012
<a href="#">Associate Dean, Resource Faculty Development</a>	<a href="#">Azusa Pacific University</a>	Azusa, CA	12/10/2012
<a href="#">Director, Business Degree Completion Programs</a>	<a href="#">John Brown University</a>	Siloam Springs, AR	12/3/2012
<a href="#">Dean, College of Business &amp; Computer Science</a>	<a href="#">Southwest Baptist University</a>	Boliver, MO	11/18/2012



## Faculty Positions

<b>Position</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Date Posted</b>
<a href="#">Asst/Assoc Professor of Management</a>	<a href="#">Mount St. Mary's University</a>	Emmitsburg, MD	11/19/2012
<a href="#">Asst/Assoc Professor of Finance</a>	<a href="#">Westmont College</a>	Santa Barbara, CA	11/18/2012
<a href="#">Business Administration Faculty</a>	<a href="#">Ambrose University College</a>	Calgary, AB	11/18/2012
<a href="#">Business Administration Faculty</a>	<a href="#">Belhaven University</a>	Houston, TX	11/18/2012
<a href="#">Sports Administration Faculty</a>	<a href="#">Belhaven University</a>	Jackson, MS	11/18/2012
<a href="#">Asst/Assoc Professor of Accounting</a>	<a href="#">Anderson University</a>	Anderson, SC	10/10/2012
<a href="#">Management Faculty</a>	<a href="#">Biola University</a>	La Mirada, CA	10/3/2012
<a href="#">Marketing Faculty</a>	<a href="#">Biola University</a>	La Mirada, CA	10/3/2012
<a href="#">Economics Faculty</a>	<a href="#">Biola University</a>	La Mirada, CA	10/3/2012
<a href="#">Accounting Faculty</a>	<a href="#">Biola University</a>	La Mirada, CA	10/3/2012
<a href="#">Economics Faculty (2 positions)</a>	<a href="#">Gordon College</a>	Wenham, MA	10/1/2012
<a href="#">Marketing Faculty</a>	<a href="#">Trinity Western University</a>	Langley, BC	10/1/2012



# CBFA AWARDS

## Call for Nominees

*Please think about nominating a deserving colleague by sending in a name, and the awards committee will do the follow-up!*

**1. The Chewning Award** was established by the Christian Business Faculty Association to perpetuate the passion and commitment of integrating personal faith and business as modeled by Dr. Richard C. Chewning. Recipients demonstrate love of the Word of God and manifest Christ-likeness in their scholarship and in the practice of teaching or business service. The award is bestowed once annually to reinforce and encourage deserving individuals and to make their successes known among colleagues, students and the world-at-large.

**2. The Johnson Award** was established by the Christian Business Faculty Association to perpetuate the passion and commitment of integrating personal faith and business as modeled by Dr. Sharon G. Johnson. Recipients are recognized for God-honoring intellectual contributions that promote Christian faith integration in business scholarship, opening new lines of inquiry, encouraging others to engage in scholarly activity, and reflecting a life lived in faith integration. The award is bestowed once annually to reinforce and encourage deserving individuals and to make their successes known among colleagues, students and the world-at-large.

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**3. The Barnabas Award** is based on a disciple of Jesus Christ in the first century, Barnabas, who had a positive attitude and an encouraging spirit. This award was established by the Christian Business Faculty Association to recognize individuals for positive service to CBFA by being a Barnabas. Recipients exhibit qualities of joyful, enthusiastic service and encouragement, leadership qualities that keep Christian organizations strong and vibrant, and who have contributed to CBFA's effectiveness and *esprit de corps*.

**4. The Teaching Award** was established by the membership of the Christian Business Faculty Association, and is based on the perfect model of the ultimate teacher, our Lord Jesus Christ. Christ was called by God to the ministry of teaching, to live out the authentic revelation of Almighty God in his work as Master Teacher, and to do the work of transformational, life-changing teaching. The CBFA teaching award honors this model of Christ as teacher, transformer. Recipients display evidence of transformational education in the likeness of Christ, and award nominees submit an application portfolio. For detailed guidelines, instructions, and an application form, [click here](#). The deadline for completed applications is May 1.

*For additional information on these awards, and detailed information on the teaching award guidelines, process, and application refer to the CBFA website, [www.cbfa.org](http://www.cbfa.org). To submit a nomination, please email [beckyhavens@pointloma.edu](mailto:beckyhavens@pointloma.edu), Chair, CBFA Awards Committee.*



**Dr. Terry Truitt**

[Chair, Board of Directors](#) (2014)

**Dr. Julia Underwood**

*Past Chair, Board of Directors* (2013)

[Director of Conferences](#) (interim)

**Dr. Brett Andrews**

*Vice-Chair/Chair Elect* (2015),

*Board of Directors*

**Dr. Becky Havens**

*Board of Directors* (2013)

**Dr. David Burns**

*Board of Directors* (2014)

**Dr. Michael Cafferky**

*Board of Directors* (2015)

[Director of Publications](#) (interim)

**Dr. Mary Ann Meiners**

*Board of Directors* (2015)

**Dr. Jim Dalton**

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