

Dr. Travis Wright

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Education

- 2023–24 Junior Research Fellow in Analytic Theology
Wycliffe Hall, University of Oxford
- 2023 Ph.D Fitzwilliam College, University of Cambridge
- Thesis: “Written Convergence in the Greek Pentateuch: Studies at the Semantics/Pragmatics Interface”
- Supervisors:
James Aitken†, Peter Williams (Divinity)
Henriëtte Hendriks (Theoretical and Applied Linguistics)
- Examiners:
Prof. Geoffrey Khan, University of Cambridge
Prof. Alison Salvesen, University of Oxford
- 2022 Cert. Diachronic Linguistics
National and Kapodistrian University of Athens
- 2020 M.A. Biblical Studies (*Cum Laude*)
Thesis: “Metaphorical Extensions of *περί* in the Septuagint”
Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary
- 2018 B.A. Theology and Biblical Studies
Bethlehem College and Seminary

Other Studies: Modern Hebrew (University of Cambridge), Modern Greek (Athens Centre),
Invited Consultant for the Oxford Grammar of Biblical Hebrew (Faculty of
Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, University of Cambridge)

Teaching

- 2025– Patrick Henry College
Courses: Theology of the Bible, Historical Theology, Doctrine and Devotion in
the Book of Psalms, Pauline Theology, Greek Exegesis, Biblical Hebrew I and II,
Advanced Studies in Old Testament, Topics in Theology
- 2021–2023 University of Cambridge
Supervisor for New Testament Greek, Biblical Hebrew, Linguistic Theory, and
Language Typology
- 2023–2024 University of Athens (Greece)
Guest lecturer (Linguistics Faculty): “Issues in Biblical Translation”, “Corpus
Design in Historical Linguistics”

- 2022–2024 Biblingo
 Courses taught: Biblical Hebrew (spoken), Biblical Greek (spoken)
- 2021–2023 Westminster College (Cambridge Theological Federation)
 Advanced Biblical Hebrew

Academic Monographs

- In process *A Christian World of Meaning: Language, Truth, and Logic in the Illumination of Holy Scripture.*
- Forthcoming *Written Convergence in the Greek Pentateuch: Translation and Exegesis at the Semantics/Pragmatics Interface.*

Popular Books

- In process *The Unconquerable Christian*

Refereed Articles and Edited Volumes

- In process “The Counterfactuals of Petitionary Prayer in Matthew 7:7-11”
- In process “Once More on μονογενής and the Semantics of the Son in John 1:18”
- 2026 “Linguistics as Theology.” In *T&T Clark Encyclopedia of Christian Theology*.
- 2026 “Disjunctive Inference in the Greek Pentateuch.” In *Postclassical Greek and Cultural Identity in the Septuagint*, edited by Robert Walker and Andrew Keenan. DeGruyter.
- 2026 “On the Interpretation of ἐξῆσαν in Rev. 20:4–5.” *Bibliotheca Sacra*.
- 2025 “Prepositions and Perpetual Virginity: *Until* as a Scalar Item in Matt. 1:25.” *Biblical and Ancient Greek Linguistics* 13: 5–38.
- 2024 “Lexical Ambiguity and Lexicalizations of *Until* in the Diachrony of Ancient Greek.” *Cambridge Occasional Papers in Linguistics* 16: 1–25.
- 2024 “Literalism and Left Dislocation in the Greek Pentateuch.” *Tyndale Bulletin* 75: 107–29.
- 2023 “Additional Evidence of Semantic and Syntactic Sensitivity in the Septuagint.” With Tyler Horton, Andrew Keenan, Timothy Lee, Robert Walker, and Marieke Dhont. *Journal for the Study of Judaism* 54, no. 4–5: 606–45.
- 2023 “Lexical Consistency and Scalar Implicatures in Old Greek Genesis: The Case of

ἔως.” *Journal for Septuagint and Cognate Studies* 56: 171–89.

2022 “The περί-Phrase at the Grammar-Discourse Interface.” In *Postclassical Greek Prepositions and Conceptual Metaphor: Cognitive Semantic Analysis and Biblical Interpretation*, edited by William Ross and Steven Runge, 85-122. DeGruyter.

Memberships

Society of Biblical Literature, Evangelical Theological Society, Institute for Biblical Research, International Cognitive Linguistics Association

Languages

Spoken

Modern Greek

Modern Hebrew

Japanese (A1)

Research

Ancient Greek

Biblical Hebrew

Aramaic (Biblical, Jewish Palestinian, Syriac)