

Kevin D. Harrison

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EDUCATION

DMin Luther Rice College & Seminary, Lithonia, GA
MBA LSU- Shreveport, Shreveport, LA
BS Southwestern A/G University, Waxahachie, TX

DOCTORAL PROJECT

Implementing Principles of Biblical Discipleship as a Method of Revitalizing the New Student Orientation Process and Increasing Student Retention at West Coast Bible College & Seminary

CONCENTRATIONS

DMin Vocational Christian Ministry, Luther Rice College & Seminary
MBA Marketing, LSU- Shreveport
BS Christian Education and Pastoral Ministry, Southwestern A/G University

BOOKS AUTHORED

Magnetic Leadership: Learning from a Leader Who Leads Like Jesus (2022)

Biblical Interpretation Made Easy: 10 Days to Understanding the Bible in 15 Minutes a Day (2021)

The Grieving Guide: Practical and Biblical Answers to Questions Brought on by Grief (2021)

No Regrets (2000 – Gospel Publishing House)

Your Turn (1998 – Gospel Publishing House)

MINISTRY EXPERIENCE

2006-current President/CEO, West Coast Bible College & Seminary, Waco, TX (full-time since August 2015)

- Founded WCBCS in 2006 with over 1,200 graduates
- Developed a world-class team of professors and led recruiting efforts
- Led college through accreditation process in the UK and South Africa
- Named top 20 college worship program by ShareFaith and Worship Leader
- Spoken in over 100 conferences globally

- 2005-2015 Lead Pastor, Victorious Life Church, Waco, TX
- Preaching/teaching, performed ministerial duties, relationally oriented
 - Growth in missions, with church giving 20% of income and global trips
 - Major community outreach that impacted tens of thousands locally
 - Mentored and disciplined team, board, and church members
 - Built sports complex with baseball, football, volleyball, and more
 - Renovated the gym and brought in over \$100,000 rental income annually
 - Developed The Sanctuary Eating Disorder Clinic
 - Created the 30-Minute Worship Gathering
- 2002-2004 Executive Director of Enrollment (VP), Southwestern A/G University
- Served on the Administrative Committee of SAGU to direct school business
 - Responsible for new student recruitment
 - Developed new ministry musical and drama groups that promoted SAGU
 - In charge of the daily chapel schedule for spiritual growth
 - Represented SAGU at events across the US
 - Developed Fine Arts Camps
 - Facilitated articulation agreements with similar mission-minded colleges
- 1995-2002 Associate Pastor, First A/G, Garland, TX
- Youth pastor who grew the youth ministry 200%
 - Worship leader for two distinct worship experiences
 - Christian education director who revitalized small groups and curriculum
 - Grew the Fine Arts involvement, with numerous national winners and top five finishers
 - BNCS Christian school principal for one school year (grades 1-6)
- 1990-1995 Associate Pastor, First A/G, Meridian, MS
- Youth pastor who saw 300% growth
 - Sports ministry director who helped build a softball complex
 - Responsible to run softball and basketball leagues and tournaments
- 1988-1989 Choir Director, First A/G, Waxahachie, TX
- Part-time choir director while completing bachelor degree
- 1987-1988 Associate Pastor, First A/G, Gainesville, FL
- Youth pastor to approximately 100 students
 - Worship leader in the main church services

- Children's pastor who taught approximately 80 students on Sundays
- Founded and served as Chi Alpha college pastor at the University of Florida

1986-1987 Associate Pastor, First A/G, Crockett, TX

- Youth pastor who helped reintroduce youth ministry in the church while in college
- Experienced 50% growth in 10 months

ADDITIONAL MINISTRY EXPERIENCE

1999-current President, Casa do Oleiro Ministries

- Built over 365 churches globally since 1999
- Built orphanages, medical clinics, and schools in four continents
- Served as Vice President from 1999 to 2019
- Fed hundreds of thousands of orphans and widows globally
- Hosted and partnered with thousands of people on mission trips in Africa, South America, Europe, and Asia

2015 Lead Administrator of The Gathering Waco

- Largest Christian gathering in Central Texas history
- An estimated 35,000 people in attendance from approximately 200 churches
- 900 voice choir
- Responsible for all facets of recruitment, planning, scheduling and more
- Worked with former Baylor board members Ramiro Pena and Drayton McClane, as well as former Baylor president, Kenneth Starr

Multiple Disaster Relief Leadership Experience

- 2013 The West, Texas explosion
- 2010 Haiti Earthquake response
- 2005 Hurricane Katrina
- 2002 El Salvador earthquake response
- 2001 9/11 counseling at Ground Zero

1996-2001 National A/G Fine Arts Executive Committee

- Helped grow the national program from 15,000 to 50,00 students by implementing new strategies and categories
- Developed the FAST computer program which revolutionized the event
- In charge of getting and overseeing judges for the competition

- Responsible for onsite planning at locations include the Orlando Convention Center, the RCA Dome, the Kansas City Convention Center, and more
- Director of onsite event during the competition
- Wrote 80% of the rule book for the program

1996-2001 North Texas Fine Arts Director

- Helped grow the state-wide Fine Arts program over 300%
- Built a strong team and systems that facilitated the growth
- Responsible for planning and execution of the annual competition
- Front line announcer and moderator at event finals

1990-1995 Kevin Harrison Ministries

- Spoke in churches and schools across the US
- Conference and camp speaker

1990-current Missions Ministry

- Led mission trips to 53 countries
- Spoken at over 100 conferences globally

PREACHING/TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2021-current Anoint the World University, Riverview, FL

- Graduate courses taught: RES 400, RES 401, RES 500, RES 501
- Course instructional design for the Bachelor program

2014-Present Daily Devotions & Discipleship

- 10-minute biblical training offered every day since January 1, 2014

2005-current West Coast Bible College & Seminary, Waco, TX

- Undergraduate courses taught: BIBL 101, BUSI 101, BUSI 102, BUSI 201, BUSI 202, BUSI 301, BUSI 302, BUSI 401, BUSI 402, COMM 101, COMM 201, COMM 301, COUN 401, MIN 101, MIN 201
- Graduate courses taught: BIBL 501, CMIN 501, CMIN 502, COMM 502, BUSI 801, CMIN 801, CMIN 802

1995-2002 First A/G, Garland, TX

- Preached and taught over 500 times during my tenure at First in Garland on Sundays and Wednesdays

1986-1995 All other ministry involvement

- Preached and taught over 800 times in youth and adult settings at various churches and schools

CREDENTIALS

2015-current Ordained Minister, Casa do Oleiro Ministries

References available upon request