Curriculum Vitae

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Current Positions:

- Director of Leadership Formation, DeoWorks, Milpitas, CA
- Founding Partner, Spiritual Capital and Moral Leadership Institute, Washington & Madrid (www.SCLMi.com)
- Adjunct Faculty, Bethel Seminary-Bethel University, St. Paul, MN
- Board Member & Research Associate, TRANS4M Center for Integral Development, Geneva, Switzerland (www.TRANS-4-M.com)

Previous Professional Experience:

- Director of Church Engagement, Partners International, Spokane, WA
- Associate Program Director, American Honors Program, Quad Learning, at Spokane Falls Community College and Spokane Community College
- Lead Pastor, North Seattle Church, Seattle, WA
- Executive Pastor, Tenth Church, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
- Director, Social Innovation Research Centre, Heliopolis University, Cairo Egypt
- Director, Doctor of Ministry, Bethel Seminary, St. Paul, MN
- Faculty, Center for Transformational Leadership, Bethel Seminary, St. Paul, MN
- Adjunct Faculty, North American Baptist Seminary, Sioux Falls, SD
- Adjunct Faculty, George Fox University, Portland, OR
- Adjunct Faculty, University of Northwestern, St. Paul, MN
- Adjunct Faculty, North American Baptist Seminary, Sioux Falls, SD
- Adjunct Faculty, Bakke Graduate University, Seattle, WA
- Adjunct Faculty, Grace University, Omaha, NE
- Instructor, Talbot School of Theology, Biola University, LaMirada, CA

- Executive Minister, Columbia Baptist Conference, Seattle, WA
- Senior Pastor, Central Baptist Church, Sioux Falls, SD
- Senior Pastor, Eagle Heights Church, Omaha, NE
- Founding Senior Pastor, CrossRoads Community Church, Fontana, CA
- Board of Directors, Converge Worldwide, Orlando, FL
- Police Chaplain, Omaha Police Department, Omaha, NE

Education:

- Ph.D., Social and Economic Transformation, University of Buckingham, UK
- D.Min., Transformational Leadership, Talbot School of Theology, Biola University
- M.Div., Divinity concentration with Biblical Languages, Talbot School of Theology, Biola University
- B.A., Political Science and Government, Eastern Washington University, Cheney, WA

ADDITIONAL TRAINING AND EDUCATION:

- The Academy of Spiritual Formation and Direction (www.SoulFormation.com), 2013-2015
- The School of Spiritual Direction (www.SoulFormation.com) 2016

Personality Style and Leadership Strengths:

Myers-Briggs Type Indicator – ENTJ

- Extroversion
- Intuition
- Thinking
- Judging

StrengthsFinder Themes

- Activator
- Achiever
- Strategic
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- Focus

Previous Academic Committees:

- Faculty Doctor of Ministry Advisory Committee, Chair
- Reconciliation Committee
- Professor for New Testament, Search Advisory Committee
- Professor for Church History, Search Advisory Committee

Special Interests:

- *Leadership Formation*
- The Dark Side of Leadership
- Moral and Ethical Leadership
- Personal Formation and Self-Leadership
- Spiritual Capital Theory
- Social and Economic Justice
- Socio-Economic Transformation
- Integral Research for Social Innovation
- Team Leadership Development
- Leadership Development and Leadership Emergence Theory
- Organizational Leadership
- Spiritual Direction
- Intercultural Competence in Leadership
- Change Management

Notable Writing Projects:

Lessem, Ronnie, Alexander Schieffer, Junie T. Tong & Samuel D. Rima. Integral Dynamics: Political Economy, Cultural Dynamics and the Future of the University. Routledge, 2013.

Rima, Samuel D. Spiritual Capital: A Moral Core for Social and Economic Justice. Routledge, 2012.

McIntosh, Gary & Samuel D. Rima. Overcoming the Dark Side of Leadership: How to Become an Effective Leader by Confronting Potential Failures. Baker Books, 1997, 2007.

Rima, Samuel D. The Insecure Pastor. Enrichment Journal. Fall 2007.

Rima, Samuel D. Rethinking the Successful Church: Finding Serenity in God's Sovereignty. Baker Books, 2001

Rima, Samuel D. Leading from the Inside Out: Mastering the Art of Self-Leadership. Baker Books, 2000.

Program Course Design and Development:

Doctor of Ministry Programs (New Cohort-based Delivery System I designed for the Bethel Seminary D.Min. Program)

- Cohort in Executive Leadership, Lead Faculty, Dr. Leith Anderson
- Cohort in Entrepreneurial Leadership, Lead Faculty, Erwin McManus
- Cohort in Global and Contextual Leadership, Lead Faculty, Dr. Wilbur Stone
- Cohort in Social and Economic Justice, Lead Faculty, Drs. Samuel D. Rima, Ronnie Lessem, Alexander Schieffer
- Cohort in Strengths-Based Leadership, in partnership with The Gallup Organization, Lead Faculty, Dr. Albert Winesman

Doctor of Ministry Courses (Designed and Taught)

- Integral Research for Social and Ministry Innovation
- Overcoming the Dark Side of Leadership
- Social and Economic Justice
- Leading from the Inside Out: The Art of Self-Leadership

MA in Leadership/Transformational Leadership

- Leadership Emergence Theory
- *Introduction to Leadership Theory*
- Communication and Vision in Leadership
- Conflict Management in Leadership
- Introduction to Organizational Leadership
- Self-Leadership and Personal Soul Care
- Transformational Leadership and Leader Formation
- Overcoming the Dark Side of Leadership
- *Introduction to Preaching*
- *Media and the Arts in Preaching*

Presentations and Conferences (partial list):

- Overcoming the Dark Side of Leadership, Staff Development Workshop, Asia Member Care Network, Penang, Malaysia (April 2023)
- Spiritual Formation and Direction Retreat, Academy of Spiritual Formation and Direction, Indore, India (January 2023)
- Why the Unreached are Still Unreached, Workshop Presentation, Modesto Covenant Church (April 2021)
- Why the Unreached are Still Unreached, Workshop Presentation, Mission Connexion
- Global Virtual Conference (January 2021)
- Overcoming the Dark Side of Leadership, Staff Development Workshops, Partners International, Spokane, WA (January-February 2019)
- *Standing with the Persecuted*, Workshop at Mission Connexion, Portland, Oregon (January 2019)
- Subject Matter Expert, Master of Theology in Leadership Program Summit, Roehampton University, London, England, August 26-27, 2014
- Spiritual Capital Theory, Da Vinci Institute of Management, Johannesburg, South Africa (December 2011)
- Creating a Social Innovation Research Center, Heliopolis University, Cairo, Egypt (February 2011)
- Spiritual Capital and Economic Justice, World Council of Churches, Geneva, Switzerland (August 2010)
- Social and Economic Justice in an Urban Center, Global and Contextual Leadership cohort, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (February 2010)
- Creating the Integral University, Four World Forum, TRANS4M Center for Social Innovation, Hotonnes, France, (August 2010)
- Presentation on Spiritual Capital Theory as a Catalyst for Sustainable Economics, Sekem Group, Cairo Egypt, (November 2010)
- Innovation and Transformational Leadership, College of Technology and Research, Nagpur, India (November 2010)
- Reconciliation and Social Innovation, Four World Forum, Bethel University, St. Paul, MN (August 2009)
- Contextual Theologizing and Transformational Leadership, Bethel University, Global and Contextual Leadership, Doctoral Seminar in Hyderabad, India (January 2009)
- Creating an Institute for Reconciliation and Social Innovation, Prince of Wales International Business Leader's Forum, London, England (December 2008)
- Integral Research Think Tank, Four World Forum on Social Innovation, Romaine Motier, Switzerland (August 2008)

- Leading from the Inside Out, Cameroon Theological Seminary, Ndu, Cameroon (December 2007)
- Integral Research and Social Innovation, Team International, Transcultural Workshop, Amman, Jordan (September 2007)
- *Integral Research and Social Innovation*, Gibbs Business School, University of Pretoria, Johannesburg, South Africa (August 2006)
- *Transformational Leadership*, Iowa State Student Leadership Conference, Des Moines, Iowa, (August 2005)
- Overcoming the Dark Side of Leadership, Northwest Graduate School, Seattle, WA (July, 2002)
- Overcoming the Dark Side of Leadership, Puget Sound Christian College, Cannon Beach, Oregon (May 2002)
- Leading from the Inside Out, George Fox University/Seminary, Portland, OR (Annually 2001-2008)

Professional Involvements/Awards:

- Named Outstanding Young Man of America 1986
- Past Member of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE)
- Past Member of the Metanexus Institute for the Study of Religion and Science
- Founded the leadership-training program, "Leadership Central and The SOUL of Leadership", which orients, equips and motivates those gifted and interested in the area of leadership.
- Dr. Rima has also been featured on numerous national radio programs, call-in shows and in periodical interviews