

# **Curriculum Vitae**

**Suzanne Mulligan MTh, STL, PhD**

## Third Level Education

Undergraduate and Postgraduate studies at the Pontifical University, Maynooth, Co. Kildare, Ireland.

### Degrees Obtained

1998: BATH (Joint Honours degree in Theology and History).

2000: MTh. (Specialising in Moral Theology). Dissertation entitled *The Reception of the Declaration on Religious Freedom*.

2004: PhD in Theology. Dissertation entitled *AIDS in South Africa: Issues of Justice and Challenges for Moral Theology*.

2012: STL. First Class Honours awarded.

## Publications

“An Economy that Excludes? Reflections on Ireland’s Housing Crisis”, *The Furrow*, vol. 70, 10, October, 2019.

“Economics should not trump ethics over Occupied Territories Bill”, *Opinion and Analysis, Irish Times*, March 22<sup>nd</sup> 2019.

“The Occupied Territories Bill: Superficial Gesture or Moment of Solidarity?”, *The Furrow*, vo.70, 4, April 2019, 195-200.

Soul space, a series of short reflections on the 10 commandments for Soul Space, Redemptorist Publications. 2017

“Syria: The Danger of a Single Story”, *Irish Times*, December 27, 2016.

“Remembering Rightly”, *The Furrow*, vol.67, no.2, February 2016, 73-79.

“Laudato Si: Reflections on the New Encyclical”, *Reality*, Spetember 2015, 12-18.

“Justifying War?”, *The Furrow*, vol.65, no.10, October 2015.

Suzanne Mulligan (ed.), *Reaping the Harvest: Fifty Years after Vatican II*, (Dublin: Columba Press, 2012).

*Confronting the Challenge: Poverty, Gender and HIV in South Africa*, (Oxford: Peter Lang, Sept 2010).

“Capabilities and the Common Good”, *Irish Theological Quarterly*, vol.75 no.4 (2010), 388 – 406.

“The Extra Mile”, *Furrow*, vol.61 (December 2010), 677 – 684.

*Catholic Teaching on HIV and Highly Vulnerable Groups*, (Trocaire Briefing Paper, 2010).

“Sexuality and Justice”, *Human Trafficking, Prostitution, and Sexuality*, (Dublin: APT Publication, 2010).

“Sexuality and the Good of Human Relationship”, *Human Trafficking, Prostitution, and Sexuality*, (Dublin: APT Publication, 2010).

“Justifying War? The Relevance of the Just War Theory Today”, *Intercom*, (April, 2010), 14.

“The Future of Moral Theology in Ireland”, *Doctrine and Life*, vol.60 (April, 2010), 41-50.

“What Next?”, *Furrow*, 60, (June 2009), 336-341.

“What’s Love Got To Do With It? Sex, Survival and HIV/AIDS in South Africa”, in *Calling for Justice throughout the World: Catholic Women Theologians Considering the Moral Ramifications of the HIV/AIDS Pandemic*, Mary Jo Iozzio, Mary M. Doyle Roche, and Elsie Maria Miranda (eds.), (New York: Continuum: 2008).

“A Strange Sort of Freedom: Human Agency and HIV/AIDS”, in *Moral Theology for the Twenty-First Century: Essays in Celebration of Kevin Kelly*, Bernard Hoose, Julie Clague, Gerard Mannion (eds.), (London: Continuum: 2008).

“The Development of Peoples: *Populorum Progressio* 40 years on”, *Milltown Studies*, 59-60, (2007), 65-85.

“Moral Discourse in a Time of AIDS”, in *Contemporary Irish Moral Discourse. (Essays in Honour of Patrick Hannon)*, Amelia Fleming (ed.), (Dublin: Columba Press, 2007).

“Women and HIV/AIDS”, *Furrow*, 57, (2006), 232-238.

“AIDS, Poverty and Injustice: Reflections on the AIDS Epidemic in the Developing World”, *National University of Ireland Maynooth Postgraduate Research Record: Proceedings of the Colloquium 2003*, 149-156.

“Glencree Centre for Reconciliation”, “Jehovah’s Witnesses”, “Tridentine Movement”, in Brian Lalor (General Editor), *The Encyclopaedia of Ireland*, (Dublin: Gill and Macmillan, 2003).

## **Research Fellowships and Awards**

### **2006 - 2008**

Holder of the Finlay Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Theology, awarded by the Irish Province of the Society of Jesus.

## **Papers, Public Lectures and Conferences**

### **Papers:**

- September 2019** Paper entitled “Catholic Social Teaching and the Economy” delivered at European Centre for Communications and Culture in Warsaw, Poland.
- April 2019** Paper on Catholic Social Teaching given to the charity, “Aid to the Church in Need”.
- June 2018** Response to Professor Julie Rubio’s Keynote Address at the Family conference organized by the Pontifical University, Maynooth.
- July 2017** Berlin, Germany: “Migrant Crisis and the Irish Response”.
- May 2017** Trocaire Workshop: “Catholic Social Teaching and *Amoris Laetitia*”.
- April 2016** Boston College: “The Irish Church: Future Possibilities and Challenges”.

- Dec 2015** “Ethical Remembering”. This paper was presented at the annual meeting for Diocesan Representatives with the Council and Committees for Liturgy of the Irish Bishops’ Conference.
- Feb 2015** The Milltown Institute, Dublin: “The Church in the World: A vision for Catholic Social Teaching since the Council”.
- March 2015** Conducted a half-day workshop with members of APT (Act to Prevent Trafficking) on the Catholic Social Teaching the human trafficking in Ireland.
- Nov 2014** Limerick Synod Preparatory Day: “Synodality, Co-Responsibility, and Vatican II”.
- May 2013** Presentation given at the Diocese of Ossory “Faith Fest” on Catholic Social Teaching and the Economic Recession.
- April 2013** Paper given at Raheen parish, Limerick on the relevance of *Gaudium et Spes* for contemporary society.
- February 2012** Lecture given at Manresa Retreat Centre, Dublin as part of a series of public lectures to mark the fortieth anniversary of the opening of Vatican II. The lecture was entitled “The Church in the World: Light for the Nations?”
- April 2011** Public lecture given at Clonard Monastery, Belfast entitled “What is Christian Morality? And what has it to do with public life?”
- October 2010** Lecture given to the priests of the Diocese of Ardagh and Clonmacnois on the key principles of Catholic Social Teaching.
- August 2010** Presentation given at the National Novena Knock, August 18<sup>th</sup> 2010, entitled, “Repentance, Healing and Renewal: The Moral Journey”.
- July 2010** Paper entitled “Capabilities and the Common Good” accepted for the Second International Theological Ethics Conference in Trent, Italy.
- April 2010** Paper on HIV/AIDS given at the Newman Institute, Ballina, Co. Mayo.
- November 2009** Paper entitled “Capabilities and the Common Good” given at a Theological Conference at the Pontifical University, Maynooth.
- September –**

- November 2009** Delivered two lectures to APT (Action to Prevent Trafficking). APT is an Irish organization which works with victims of human trafficking in Ireland. My two lectures explored the area of justice and sexuality.
- Nov 2009** In November 2009 I participated in a Symposium at Heythrop College, London, on Catholic ethical responses to HIV/AIDS.
- June 2009** I presented a paper entitled “The HIV/AIDS Pandemic and Catholic Social Teaching” to the staff at Trocaire.
- May 2009** I presented a paper entitled “The Future of Moral Theology in Ireland” at a symposium organized by Prof. Enda McDonagh and Dr. Vincent MacNamara at Newman House, Dublin.
- December 2007** Paper entitled “Sex and Survival: Women and HIV/AIDS in South Africa” at Liverpool Hope University.
- March 2007** I presented a paper entitled “A Strange Sort of Freedom” at a Moral Theology conference held at Liverpool Hope University.
- September 2006** I participated in the Pastoral Ministry Conference at the Hodson Bay Hotel, Athlone, Ireland, where I was a respondent to the main papers presented at the conference.
- February 2005** In February 2005 I participated in a forum on medical ethics at Cavan General Hospital, Ireland, where I presented a paper on the ethical issues concerning the removal of artificial nutrition and hydration in PVS patients.

**Conferences:**

- June 2015** I was part of the organizing committee for an international conference on climate justice. This conference was jointly organized and hosted by the Pontifical University, Maynooth, Trocaire, and Maynooth University.
- December 2012** I helped organise a conference to mark World AIDS Day 2012. This conference was held in Maynooth College, and was organised jointly by the Department of Moral Theology and Trocaire.

## **Academic Experience**

### **At the Pontifical University, Maynooth:**

- 2016** Permanent appointment to the Faculty of Theology, Maynooth
- 2013 – Present** Director of MA in Society and Contemporary Ethics.
- 2011 -Present** Coordinator of the Higher Diploma in Theological Studies.
- Sept 2004 - 2013** Between 2004 and 2013 I have acted as a Visiting Lecturer in the Department of Moral Theology at the Pontifical University, Maynooth.

### **At The Milltown Institute, Dublin:**

#### **September 2004 - 2011**

In 2004 I was appointed lecturer in Moral Theology at the Milltown Institute, Dublin.

Between 2008 and 2011 I acted as supervisor and administrator of the STL programme in Moral Theology.

- 2006 - 2009** Between 2006 and 2009 I was involved in the organisation and teaching of the Summer School in Moral Theology at the Milltown Institute, Dublin.

### **Additional Academic Information**

- 2009 - Present** Since 2009 I have acted as a theological consultant for Trocaire, particularly in relation to their work on Gender and HIV.
- 2010 – 2013** During this time I was a member of the Church Advisory Committee to the Irish Provincial of the Society of Jesus.
- 2011 – Present** I teach on the Permanent Diaconate Programme in the Dioceses of Elphin, Kerry and Waterford and Lismore, Dromore, and Armagh.