

# Faculty Research and Writing

## YDS Faculty Grants and Awards

### Wesley Avram

2002 CTNS SCIENCE AND RELIGION FELLOW

### Marilyn Adams

2002-2003 HENRY LUCE III FELLOW  
IN THEOLOGY

### Kristen Leslie

SUMMER, 2002  
WABASH CENTER FOR TEACHING AND  
LEARNING IN THEOLOGY & RELIGION

### Carolyn Sharp

SUMMER, 2002  
WABASH CENTER FOR TEACHING AND  
LEARNING IN THEOLOGY & RELIGION

### Serene Jones

2002-2003 CHRISTIAN FAITH  
AND LIFE SABBATICAL GRANT\*

### Lamin Sanneh

HONORARY DEGREE FROM  
UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH

## YDS Faculty Publications 2001-2002

### Adela Collins

*Antiquity & Humanity: Essays on Ancient  
Religion & Philosophy presented to  
Hans Dieter Betz on his 70th birthday*  
JCB MOHR, JULY 2001

### Rowan Greer

*Christian Hope & Christian Life:  
Raids on the Inarticulate*  
CROSSROAD, AUGUST 2001

### Miroslav Volf & Dorothy Bass, eds.

*Practicing Theology: Beliefs & Practices  
in Christian Life*  
WM B EERDMANS, OCTOBER 2001

### Bryan Spinks

*Sacraments, Ceremonies & the Stuart  
Divines: Sacramental Theology & Liturgy in  
England & Scotland 1603-1662*  
ASHGATE PUBLISHING, FEBRUARY 2002

### Brevard Childs

*Biblical Theology: A Proposal*  
FORTRESS PRESS, MARCH 2002  
EXCERPTED FROM: *BIBLICAL THEOLOGY  
OF THE OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS.*

### Wayne A. Meeks, Allen R. Hilton & H. Gregory Snyder, editors

*In Search of the Early Christians:  
Selected Essays*  
YALE UNIVERSITY PRESS, APRIL 2002

### Barbara Blodgett

*Constructing the Erotic:  
Sexual Ethics & Adolescent Girls*  
PILGRIM PRESS, APRIL 2002

### Frederick Houk Borsch, with James M. Childs, Jr., Philip H. Pfatteicher, and Martin F. Connell

*New Proclamation: Year B, 2002-03  
Advent Through Holy Week*  
FORTRESS PRESS, JUNE, 2002

### Gloria Goris Stranks and Clarence W. Joldersma, eds.

*Nicholas Wolterstorff: Educating for Life:  
Reflections on Christian Teaching  
and Learning*  
BAKER BOOKS, JUNE 2002

### Kristen Leslie

*When Violence is No Stranger:  
Pastoral Counseling With Survivors  
of Acquaintance Rape\**  
AUGSBURG FORTRESS, DECEMBER 2002

\*forthcoming

## Faculty Receiving Grants and Awards





MICHAEL MARSLAND



# YDS, ISM, and BDS Welcome New Faculty

**Siobh n Garrigan** will have two roles at Yale, one as an Assistant Professor of Liturgical Studies, and the other as Assistant Dean for Marquand Chapel at Yale Divinity School. As a student at St. Hugh's College, Oxford, Professor Garrigan read theology and served as contemporary music director of the Catholic chaplaincy. Her ecumenical efforts at the chaplaincy led both to her appointment as Chapel Warden of her own Anglican college and to her work with homeless people at the city's hostels.

Working with homeless people in London upon graduation led in turn to an Ecumenical Fellowship and an S.T.M. thesis on worship at Union Theological Seminary in New York in 1991, where she was a student of Professor Janet Walton. Professor Garrigan remained in New York to work with the homeless for a further year before returning to England to establish Emmaus House, a self-supporting community for homeless people in Coventry.

Her move to Ireland in 1997 was prompted by a desire to develop the liturgy of her parent country. Professor Garrigan's ecumenical work led to her appointment as coordinator of *Fis*, the national inter-church conference for the millennium, and provided the backdrop to her doctoral thesis on the notion of sacrament (undertaken through the Milltown Institute, Dublin).

Her aim, as she moves to Yale and the ISM, is to continue her attempt to marry scholarship with "practical" liturgical formation within the context of a Christian commitment to social justice.

**Lana Schwebel**, Assistant Professor of Religion and Literature, fills the position once occupied by Peter Hawkins, and recently held by visiting scholars Kathryn Kerby-Fulton (University of Victoria, British Columbia) and Carl Grindley (University of British Columbia, Vancouver). A graduate of Barnard College, Lana completed her Ph.D. in 2001 at the University of Pennsylvania, where her doctoral committee included Professors Ann Matter and James O'Donnell. She was recently a visiting Assistant Professor of English at Vassar College, but has also taught at the University of Pennsylvania and at Stern College of Yeshiva University.

Although she is a medievalist, Professor Schwebel teaches in all periods of religious literature, and is especially drawn to the seventeenth century. She particularly enjoys teaching the works of Milton and John Donne alongside those of Chaucer and William Langland. Next year she is developing a full-year course on Christian allegory that will close with a long section on contemporary writers.

Professor Schwebel is a student of languages as well as of literature. Her training in the biblical languages of Hebrew, Greek, and Latin make her extraordinarily adept at catching biblical allusions and offering context. She has taught Latin and has translated professionally, and most recently immersed herself in the study of German. She is eager to participate in the interdisciplinary culture of the ISM, having done her undergraduate degree in art history, with a particular interest in twentieth-century visual language and abstraction.

**Yolanda Y. Smith**, who has served as a visiting professor at YDS during the 2001-2002 academic year, was appointed Assistant Professor of Christian Education this spring. Professor Smith's teaching interests include the practice of Christian education with particular attention to the role of the arts, womanist theology, Christian education in the African American experience, and multicultural approaches to Christian education. Her forthcoming publications include "Womanist Hermeneutics: Implications for African American Christian Education," in *Womanist Biblical Hermeneutics*, Mignon Jacobs, ed.; "Forming Wisdom through Cultural Rootedness," in *In Search of Wisdom: Black Christian Formation in the Third Millennium*, Anne S. Wimberly and Evelyn Parker, eds.; "Womanist Theology: Insights for Women in Leadership in Theological Education,"; and "Ain't Dat Good News?" *Teaching through the Spirituals: New Possibilities for African American Christian Education*. An ordained Baptist Minister, she has served as an associate minister and minister of evangelism and discipleship in the local church. Professor Smith received her M.Div. *summa cum laude* from the School of Theology at Virginia Union University and her Ph.D. from Claremont School of Theology.

## Rev. Chris Beeley and Canon Gary Hall Join the Berkeley at Yale Community

During the 2002-2003 academic year, the **Rev. Christopher Beeley '94 M.Div.** returns to Berkeley and to Yale as Visiting Assistant Professor of Patristics & Anglican Studies, and the **Rev. Canon Gary Hall** will join the extended Berkeley at Yale community as Lecturer in the History & Polity of the Episcopal Church. **Rev. Beeley** completed his Ph.D. in Theology last spring at the University of Notre Dame, where he wrote a dissertation, soon to be published, on Gregory of Nazianzus. His research interests are third- to fifth-century theology, exegesis, preaching and pastoral theory, and fourteenth- to seventeenth-century English spirituality. **Canon Hall**, who received his Ph.D. in English from UCLA in 1989 for his studies on Emerson and the Bible, comes to Yale and Berkeley from Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, where he is the Rector of the Church of the Redeemer. He has previously taught Anglican Theology & Polity at the Episcopal Theology School at Claremont in the Claremont School of Theology in California.