

JOHANN ACUÑA

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- EdD** Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, TX
Organizational Leadership
Dissertation: Successful Pastoral Succession: A Delphi Study
May 2024
- MDiv** Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Kansas City, MO
May 2020
- BM** Baylor University, Waco, TX
Church Music
August 2009

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Acuña, Johann, and Derrick Bledsoe. "Servant Leadership Through Selfless Sacrifice: An Examination of John 10:7-18, 13:1-20, and 21:15-19." *Regent Research Roundtables* (Fall 2022): 88-103.
<https://cdn.regent.edu/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/Regent-Research-Roundtables-2022-Full-Issue.pdf>.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Professor of Worship (Spring 2024)
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary / Leavell College
Course: Worship Arranging and Orchestration

PRESENTATIONS & LECTURES

Guest Lecturer: Worship Studies Lectureship Series (2024), "*Christian Leadership: Biblical Shepherding in a Worship Ministry Context*." Ouachita Baptist University.

Guest Lecturer: Prestonwood Internship Development (2024), "*Christian Leadership*." Prestonwood Baptist Church.

Invited Presenter: Soli Deo Gloria Worship Conference (2024), "*Serving in Worship Ministry in a Modern Context – A Conversation with Johann Acuña*." SlavicWorship.

Invited Presenter: Experience Conference (2024) – "*Leading When You're Not in Charge*;" "*Recording Choir & Vocals for Worship*;" "*The Art of Rehearsal*."

Invited Presenter: Equip Conference (2024) – "*The Art of Rehearsal*;" "*Is it Music or is it Ministry?*"

Guest Lecturer: MUWM 6300 (2024), *“The Role of the Music Director / Recruiting and Leading a Band.”* New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

Guest Lecturer: Prestonwood Internship Development (2023), *“Biblical Shepherding.”* Prestonwood Baptist Church.

Guest Lecturer: Abide Lectureship Series (2023), *“The Role of the Music Director / Arranging for Corporate Worship.”* New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary; Leavell College.

Regent Research Roundtables - Followership (2022), *“Servant Leadership Through Selfless Sacrifice: An Examination of John 10:7-18, 13:1-20, and 21:15-19.”* Regent University.

Invited Presenter: Experience Conference (2021, 2022, 2023) – *“The Role of the Music Director in Worship.”*

Invited Presenter: Experience Conference (2021) – *“The Bridge – Building a Sustainable Onramp from Your Congregation to the Platform.”*

Invited Presenter: Experience Conference (2020) – *“Leading Worship Ministry in a Multi-site Church.”*

AWARDS

R. Othal Feather Award in Educational Evangelism, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, 2023

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Choral Associate / Music Director & Arranger

Prestonwood Baptist Church, Plano, TX

January 2024 – Present

Music Director & Arranger

Prestonwood Baptist Church, Plano, TX

March 2019 – December 2023

Associate Worship Pastor

Cross Church, Springdale, AR

October 2011 – March 2019

Associate Minister of Worship & Arts

Sugar Land Baptist Church, Sugar Land, TX

January 2010 – September 2011

LANGUAGES

English: Fluent

Spanish: Fluent