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Curriculum Vitae

Wheaton College
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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS
Academic Appointments

Wheaton College

Professor of Urban Studies and Politics & International Relations, 2018-present
Executive Director of the Center for Urban Engagement
Chair of Urban Studies

Professor of Urban Studies and Politics & International Relations, 2016-2018
Director of the Center for Urban Engagement

Associate Professor of Urban Studies and Politics & International Relations, 2011-2016
Director of the Center for Urban Engagement

Assistant Professor of Urban Studies and Politics & International Relations, 2006-2011
Director of Urban Studies

Duke University

Visiting Scholar, Spring 2020
Duke Divinity School

Free University of Berlin

Lecturer, 2013-2019
Center for Global Politics

Au Sable Institute for Environmental Studies

Associate Professor, 2013-2014

University of Chicago

Senior Fellow, 2012-2013
The Martin Marty Center for the Public Understanding of Religion (formerly The Martin Marty Center
for the Advanced Study of Religion)

University of Delaware

Policy Fellow, 2005-2006
Center for Energy & Environmental Policy

Non-Academic Appointments

Chicago Council on Global Affairs

Non-Resident Senior Fellow for Global Cities, 2017-present

Senior Fellow for Global Cities, 2016-2017

EDUCATION

University of Delaware

Ph.D., Urban Affairs & Public Policy, 2006

Fields: Technology, Environment, & Society and Governance, Planning, & Management

University Dissertation Fellow, 2004-2005

Research Associate, Center for Energy and Environmental Policy, 2001–2005

Research Assistant, Center for Community Research and Service (CCRS)/Community Development Resource Center, 1999-2001

M.A., Urban Affairs & Public Policy, 2005

Field: Community Development

Wheaton College

M.A., Theology, 2012

B.A., Interdisciplinary Studies (Political Science and Economics) and Spanish, 1999

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Toly, Noah J. *The Gardeners' Dirty Hands: Global Environmental Politics and Christian Ethics*. New York, Oxford University Press, 2019.

Johnson, Craig A., Noah J. Toly, and Heike Schroeder, editors. *The Urban Climate Challenge: Rethinking the Role of Cities in the Global Climate Regime*. New York, Routledge, 2015.

Toly, Noah J. *Cities of Tomorrow and the City to Come: A Theology of Urban Life*. Grand Rapids, Zondervan, 2015.

Greenman, Jeffrey P., Read M. Schuchardt, and Noah J. Toly. *Understanding Jacques Ellul*. Eugene, Cascade, 2013.

Ryken, Phil and Noah J. Toly. *What is Mercy Ministry?* Phillipsburg, NJ, Presbyterian & Reformed Publishers, 2013.

Amen, Mark, Noah J. Toly, Patricia McCarney, and Klaus Segbers, editors. *Cities and Global Governance: New Sites and Actors in International Relations*. London, Ashgate, 2011.

Toly, Noah J. and Daniel I. Block, editors. *Keeping God's Earth: The Global Environment in Biblical Perspective*. Downers Grove, IVP Academic, 2010.

Byrne, John, Noah J. Toly, and Leigh Glover, editors. *Transforming Power: Energy, Environment, and Society in Conflict*. In the *Energy and Environmental Policy Series*. New Brunswick, Transaction Publishers, 2006.

Refereed/Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Toly, Noah J. "Brexit, Global Cities, and the Future of World Order." *Globalizations*, vol. 14, no. 1, 2016, pp. 142-149.

Toly, Noah J. "Risk and Responsibility in Global Environmental Governance." *Christian Scholars Review*, vol. XLII, no. 3, 2013, pp. 261-276.

Toly, Noah J. "The Meaning of the Global City: The Continued Relevance of Jacques Ellul to 21st Century Urbanism." *Bulletin of Science, Technology, and Society*, vol. 32, no. 3, 2012, pp. 231-242.

Toly, Noah J., Sofie Bouteligier, Ben Gibson, and Graham Smith. "American Cities, Global Networks: Mapping Multiple Geographies of Globalization in the Americas." *URBE: Revista Brasileira de Gestao Urbana*, vol. 4, no. 1, 2012, pp. 73-86.

Toly, Noah J., Sofie Bouteligier, Ben Gibson, and Graham Smith. "New Maps, New Questions: Global Cities Beyond the Advanced Producer and Financial Services Sector." *Globalizations*, vol. 9, no. 2, 2012, pp. 289-306.

Toly, Noah J. "Transnational Municipal Networks and Climate Change: From Global Governance to Global Politics." *Globalizations*, vol. 5, no. 3, 2008, pp. 341-356.

Byrne, John, Kristen Hughes, Noah J. Toly, and Young-Doo Wang. "Can Cities Sustain Life in the Greenhouse?" *Bulletin of Science, Technology, and Society*, vol. 26, no. 2, 2006, pp. 84-95.

Toly, Noah J. "Climate Change and Climate Change Policy as Human Sacrifice: Artifice, Idolatry, and Environment in a Technological Society." *Christian Scholar's Review*, vol. XXXV, no. 1, 2005, pp. 63-78.

Toly, Noah J. "A Tale of Two Regimes: Instrumentality and Commons Access." *Bulletin of Science, Technology, and Society*, vol. 25, no. 1, 2005, pp. 26-36.

Toly, Noah J. "Globalization and the Capitalization of Nature: A Political Ecology of Biodiversity in Mesoamerica." *Bulletin of Science, Technology, and Society*, vol. 24, no. 1, 2004, pp. 47-54.

Book Chapters

Lamb, Rachel, Ben S. Lowe, and Noah J. Toly, "Climate Scepticism and the Bible." *The Oxford Handbook of the Bible and Ecology*, edited by Hilary F. Marlow. Oxford, Oxford University Press, forthcoming.

Toly, Noah J. "Guilt." *Fueling Culture: Energy, History, Politics*, edited by Jennifer Wenzel, Patricia Yaeger, and Imre Szeman. New York, Fordham University Press, 2016.

Johnson, Craig, Heike Schroeder, and Noah J. Toly. "Urban Resilience, Low Carbon Governance, and the Global Climate Regime." *The Urban Climate Challenge: Rethinking the Role of Cities in the Global Climate Regime*, edited by Craig Johnson, Noah J. Toly, and Heike Schroeder. New York, Routledge, 2015.

Johnson, Craig, Heike Schroeder, and Noah J. Toly. "Governing the Global Climate Challenge." *The Urban Climate Challenge: Rethinking the Role of Cities in the Global Climate Regime*, edited by Craig Johnson, Noah J. Toly, and Heike Schroeder. New York, Routledge, 2015.

Toly, Noah J. "Cambio climático: Problema global, soluciones globales." *Cristianos, desarrollo sostenible, y cambio climático*, edited by Lindy Scott. Mexico City, Kairos, 2012.

Toly, Noah J. "Cities, the Environment, and Global Governance: A Political Ecological Perspective." *Cities and Global Governance: New Sites and Actors in International Relations*, edited by Mark Amen, Noah J. Toly, Patricia McCarney, and Klaus Segbers. London, Ashgate, 2011.

Amen, Mark, Noah J. Toly, Patricia McCarney, and Klaus Segbers. "Introduction." *Cities and Global Governance: New Sites and Actors in International Relations*, edited by Mark Amen, Noah J. Toly, Patricia McCarney, and Klaus Segbers. London, Ashgate, 2011.

Amen, Mark, Noah J. Toly, Patricia McCarney, and Klaus Segbers. "Sighting or Slighting Cities in Global Politics." *Cities and Global Governance: New Sites and Actors in International Relations*, edited by Mark Amen, Noah J. Toly, Patricia McCarney, and Klaus Segbers. London, Ashgate, 2011.

McCarney, Patricia, Klaus Segbers, Mark Amen, and Noah Toly. "Concluding Remarks." *Cities and Global Governance: New Sites and Actors in International Relations*, edited by Mark Amen, Noah J. Toly, Patricia McCarney, and Klaus Segbers. London, Ashgate, 2011.

Toly, Noah J. "Evangelicals and the Environment: From Political Realism to a Politics of Freedom." *Is the Good Book Good Enough? Evangelical Perspectives on Public Policy*, edited by David Ryden. Lanham, Rowman and Littlefield, 2011.

Toly, Noah J. "Cities and the Global Environment." *Keeping God's Earth: The Global Environment in Biblical Perspective*, edited by Noah J. Toly and Daniel I. Block. Downers Grove, IVP Academic, 2010.

Toly, Noah J. and Daniel I. Block. "Toward an Evangelical Response to Environmental Challenges." *Keeping God's Earth: The Global Environment in Biblical Perspective*, edited by Noah J. Toly and Daniel I. Block. Downers Grove, IVP Academic, 2010.

Toly, Noah J. "Changing the Climate of Religious Internationalism: Evangelical Responses to Global Warming and Human Suffering." *The Handbook of Religion and Politics*, edited by Jeffrey Haynes. New York, Routledge, 2008.

Toly, Noah J. "Climate Change: Global Problem, Global Solutions." *Christians, the Care of Creation, and Climate Change*, edited by Lindy Scott. Eugene, Wipf and Stock, 2008.

Byrne, John and Noah J. Toly. "Energy as a Social Project: Recovering a Discourse." *Transforming Power: Energy as a Social Project*, edited by John Byrne, Noah J. Toly, and Leigh Glover. New Brunswick, Transaction Publishers, 2006.

Byrne, John, Noah J. Toly, and Young-Doo Wang. "Introduction: Modern Energy and Modern Society." *Transforming Power: Energy as a Social Project*, edited by John Byrne, Noah J. Toly, and Leigh Glover. New Brunswick, Transaction Publishers, 2006.

Knudsen, Marie Trydeman, Niels Halberg, Jorgen E. Olesen, John Byrne, Venkatesh Iyer, and Noah J. Toly. "Global Trends in Agriculture and Food Systems." *Global Development of Organic Agriculture: Challenges and Prospects*. Oxfordshire, CABI, 2005.

Byrne, John, Leigh Glover, Vernese Inniss, Jyoti Kulkarni, Yu-Mi Mun, Noah J. Toly, and Young-Doo Wang. "Beyond Kyoto: Reclaiming the Atmospheric Commons." *Climate Change: Five Years After Kyoto*, edited by Velma I. Grover. New York, CRC Press, 2004.

Select Reports, Proceedings, and Position Papers

Song, Felicia Wu and Noah J. Toly. "Technology Group Report." *Project on Vocation & the Common Good*. Charlottesville, New City Commons, 2018.

Acuto, Michele, Hugo Decramer, Juliana Kerr, Ian Klaus, Sam Tabory, and Noah Toly. *Toward City Diplomacy: Assessing Capacity in Select Global Cities*. Chicago, Chicago Council on Global Affairs, 2018.

Toly, Noah J. and Kristin Ljungkvist. “Global Cities, Religion, and Security.” *Religion and the Good of the City: Report 2 – The State of Research and Influence*, edited by Milton Friesen. Hamilton, Ontario: Cardus, 2017.

Toly, Noah J. “Called to Rest.” *Opus Vocation Scholars Program* (now *Center for Faith & Innovation Scholars*). Wheaton, Opus/Center for Faith & Innovation, 2016.

Toly, Noah J. and Samuel Tabory. *100 Top Economies: Urban Influence and the Position of Cities in an Evolving World Order*. Chicago, Chicago Council on Global Affairs, 2016.

Boan, et al. *The Role of Faith-Based Academic Institutions in Sustainable Development: Recommendations from the World Humanitarian Summit Special Event on Religion and Spirituality Wheaton Regional Meeting*. Partnership for Faith & Development, 2016.

Banerjee, et al. *Feeding an Urban World: A Call to Action*. Chicago, Chicago Council on Global Affairs, 2013.

Byrne, John, Noah J. Toly, Kristen Hughes, Leigh Glover, Young-Doo Wang. “Urban Choices in the Greenhouse.” *Solar Cities for a Sustainable World: Proceedings of International Solar Cities Congress 2004*, edited by Jong-Dall Kim. Daegu: Research Institute for Energy, Environment, and Economy, 2005.

Knudsen, Marie Trydeman, John Byrne, Venkatesh Iyer, Noah J. Toly, J. C. Olesen, W. Pengue, N. Halberg, A. Dissing, I. L. Dissing, and C. Kjeldsen. “Global Agricultural Trends and Environmental Sustainability.” *Organic Agriculture in Global Perspective*. Copenhagen, Danish Research Center for Organic Farming, 2004.

Byrne, John, Leigh Glover, Vernese Inniss, Jyoti Kulkarni, Yu-Mi Mun, Noah J. Toly, and Young-Doo Wang. “Greenhouse Justice: Moving Beyond Kyoto, A Position Paper Presented at the Eighth Session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change.” Newark, Center for Energy and Environmental Policy, 2002.

Byrne, John, Leigh Glover, Yu-Mi Mun, and Noah J. Toly. “The Inequity and Unsustainability of Kyoto-Bonn: A Position Paper Presented at the Seventh Session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change.” Newark, Center for Energy and Environmental Policy, 2001.

Select Reviews, Essays, Popular Writing, and Editing of Special Issues*

Toly, Noah J. “Fault Lines and Whirlwinds: A Review of *Evangelicals and Immigration: Fault Lines Among the Faithful*,” *Journal of Church and State*, forthcoming.

Toly, Noah J. “Four Horsemen are No Match for One Mounted on a Donkey,” *byFaith* (June), 2020.*

*Asterisked publications are “web-only” pieces. I include here only pieces in web publications attached to accountable institutions or print journals. (It is not my practice to include any pieces in venues that I administer.) Descriptions of each venue are offered the first time it appears, unless the title is entirely self-explanatory (i.e., *Books and Culture web exclusive*, *Comment online*, and *First Things online*).

Toly, Noah J. "Vocation in a Time of Precedented Uncertainty," *Comment* (May), 2020.*

Toly, Noah J. "You Are What You Read." *Comment* (May), 2020.*

Toly, Noah J. "A Migrant Invasion?" *Comment*, vol. 37, no. 1 (Spring), 2019.

Toly, Noah J. "School's Out." *The Hedgehog Review* (Summer), 2018.

Toly, Noah J. "The New Urban Agenda and the Limits of Cities." *The Hedgehog Review*, vol. 19, no. 2, (Summer), 2017.

Toly, Noah J. "Refusing to Play the Game: Profaning the Idol of Presidential Politics." In a series titled "Evangelical Views of the 2016 Election." *The Exchange with Ed Stetzer*, 18 October 2016.*
The Exchange is a forum of Christianity Today.

Toly, Noah J. "A New World Order: In the Future, Cities May Finally Solve Problems that Have Stumped the World's Biggest Nations." *Quartz*, 13 October 2016.*
Quartz is a news and opinion outlet owned by Atlantic Media (owners of The Atlantic) and devoted primarily to global political, economic, and financial developments.

Toly, Noah J. "What I'm Reading: Billion-Dollar Ball." *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, vol. 62, no. 19 (January 22), 2016.

Toly, Noah J. "Elizabeth M. Aranda, Sallie Hughes, and Elena Sabogal, Making a Life in Multiethnic Miami: Immigration and the Rise of a Global City." *Journal of Urban Affairs*, vol. 38, no. 3, 2016.

Toly, Noah J. "Who's Reprogramming Your City?" *Comment*, vol. 34, no. 2 (Summer), 2016.

Toly, Noah J. "Jihad vs. Global Cities." *Global Insight*, 30 March 2016.*
Global Insight is a forum of the Chicago Council on Global Affairs devoted to analysis of geopolitical concerns.

Toly, Noah J. "Cities Play Key Role in Climate Action." *Next City*, 21 March 2016.*
Next City is an independent, non-profit organization with a web magazine that publishes reporting on global urbanization, award-winning long-form content, and opinion pieces. Funders include the Ford Foundation.

Toly, Noah J. "U.N. Should Appoint a Mayor to Head Its Climate Secretariat." *Global Insight*, 25 February 2016.*

Toly, Noah J. "Asking the Right Questions." *Books & Culture* (November/December), 2015.

Toly, Noah J. "Public Justice & the Pope's Environmental Encyclical." *Capital Commentary*, 22 June 2015.*
Capital Commentary is the weekly current affairs publication of The Center for Public Justice.

Toly, Noah J. "Terrible Simplifiers." *Books & Culture* (May/June), 2015.

Toly, Noah J. "Why Cities Need More than Big Data." *The Hedgehog Review Blog*, 15 December 2014.*

The Hedgehog Review Blog is the web publication of The Hedgehog Review: Critical Reflections on Contemporary Culture, the award-winning journal of the University of Virginia's Institute for Advanced Studies in Culture.

Toly, Noah J. "The City of Big Data – Is It Enough?" *The Hedgehog Review Blog*, 1 December 2014.*

Toly, Noah J. "Review of *Faith on the Avenue: Religion on a City Street*." *Christian Scholars' Review*, vol. XLIV, no. 1 (Fall), 2014.

Toly, Noah J. "The Magic of Mayors?" *Comment*, vol. 32, no. 2 (Summer), 2014.

Toly, Noah J. "A Postcard from the Global Cities Summit." *Comment* online, 12 June 2014.*

Toly, Noah J. "Where the Culture War's Fault Lines Really Lie." *First Things* online, 12 May 2014.*

Toly, Noah J. "Reports Analyzing Issues Around the World Oddly Silent about Religion." *Sightings*, 6 March 2014.*

Sightings is the blog of the University of Chicago's Martin Marty Center for the Public Understanding of Religion. For many years, it ran two pieces per week – one by Martin Marty and the other by a guest author.

Toly, Noah J. "Do Evangelicals Really Like Our Planet?" *Sightings*, 17 October 2013.*

Toly, Noah J. "The Fiction of Evangelical Friction." *Sightings*, 2 May 2013.*

Toly, Noah J. "Evangelical Politics and the Specter of Elitism." *First Things* online, 18 April 2013.*

Toly, Noah J. "The Macondoization of the World: Global Environmental Governance & Christian Ethics." *The Religion & Culture Forum*, March 2013.*

The Religion & Culture Web Forum was an online publication of the Martin Marty Center. From 2002 to 2018, the forum invited scholars to contribute scholarly essays offering religious perspectives on "themes, problems, and events in world cultures and contemporary life." These pieces were published along with extensive responses invited from other scholars in diverse fields of study.

Toly, Noah J. "In the City We Trust." *Books & Culture* (January/February), 2013.

Toly, Noah J. "Governing Global Urbanization: From Technics to Politics." *International Studies Review*, vol. 15, no. 4, 2013.

Toly Noah J. "Running the Zombie Marathon." *The Chronicle of Higher Education*.

Toly, Noah J. "The Kingdom of Efficiency." *Books and Culture* (July/August), 2012.

Toly, Noah J. "Paradise Relost." *Books & Culture* web exclusive, 2012.*

Toly, Noah J. and Scott Waalkes, editors. *Responding to Globalization: A Special Issue of the Review of Faith and International Affairs*, 2011.

Waalkes, Scott and Noah J. Toly. "Responding to Globalization: Religion and Human Flourishing." *Responding to Globalization: Review of Faith and International Affairs*, edited by Noah J. Toly and Scott Waalkes, vol. 9, no. 3, 2011.

Toly, Noah J. "The Social Project of Urban Design." *Books & Culture* web exclusive, 2011.*

Toly, Noah J. "Why Are City Plans Unreadable and Unworkable?" *Books & Culture* web exclusive, 2010.*

Toly, Noah J. "The Big Green Apple?" *Books and Culture* (November/December), 2010.

Toly, Noah J. "A Review of Manfred Steger's *The Rise of the Global Imaginary*." *Globalizations*, vol. 7, no. 4, 2010.

Greenman, Jeffrey, Read Schuchardt, and Noah J. Toly, editors. *Ellul in the Undergraduate Classroom: A Special Issue of The Ellul Forum for the Critique of Technological Civilization*, vol. 45 (Spring), 2010.

Greenman, Jeffrey, Read Schuchardt, and Noah Toly. "Encountering Jacques Ellul on his Own Terms: Teaching Ellul as a Christian Scholar." *Ellul in the Undergraduate Classroom: A Special Issue of The Ellul Forum for the Critique of Technological Civilization*, vol. 45 (Spring), 2010.

Toly, Noah J., editor. *Christian Perspectives on 'the City: A Special Issue of Christian Scholar's Review*, vol. XXXVIII, no. 4 (Summer), 2009.

Toly, Noah J. "Introduction to the Theme Issue." *Christian Perspectives on 'the City: A Special Issue of Christian Scholar's Review*, vol. XXXVIII, no. 4 (Summer), 2009.

Toly, Noah J. "Are Evangelicals Warming to Global Environmentalism?" *The Review of Faith and International Affairs*, vol. 4, no. 4, 2007.

Toly, Noah J. "Changing the Climate of Christian Internationalism: Global Warming and Human Suffering." *The Review of Faith and International Affairs*, vol. 2, no. 2, 2004.

Series Editing

Founding and Sole General Editor of the *Routledge Series on Cities and Global Governance*, 2014-2019.

SELECT INVITED TALKS

Invited Lectures

"The Gardeners' Dirty Hands: Environmental Politics & Christian Ethics." William Penn Honors College Lecture Series, January 2020, George Fox University, Newberg, Oregon.

"The Environment and the Tragic: A Christian Response." Chapel, January 2020, Corban University, Salem, Oregon.

"The Tragic in Environmental Politics," Biology Lecture Series, October 2019, Covenant College, Lookout Mountain, Georgia.

"Geopolitics and Investment Risks in Global Cities," Annual Meeting of the Pension Real Estate Association International Affinity Group, May 2018, Chicago, Illinois.

Invited address to professional real estate portfolio managers for the largest pension funds and several of the largest foundations in the United States.

“Brexit, Global Cities, and the Future of World Order” and “A New Agenda for a New Assemblage.” April 2018, Hope College, Holland, Michigan.

“City Limits: Theological Reflections on 21st Century Urbanism” and “‘Ostinato Rigore:’ Cities and Christian Imagination.” February 2018, Gordon College, Wenham, Massachusetts.

The first of these lectures was Gordon’s Annual Crum Lecture and the second was offered at a “Convocation” chapel service.

“Toronto vs. the World: How Cities Stack Up.” 26th Annual Toronto Planning Dinner, November 2016, Toronto, Ontario.

Keynote address to the largest annual gathering of urban planners and real estate development professionals in Canada.

“The Promise and Limitations of 21st Century Urbanism.” James Didier Symposium on Christ and Architecture, September 2016, Judson University, Elgin, Illinois.

One of two co-keynote addresses offered at the symposium’s opening night.

“From the School for the World: Cultivating the Virtues of Public Engagement,” “Cities of Tomorrow and the City of God: The Possibilities and Limitations of 21st Century Urbanism,” and “On Care for Our Common Home: Exploring Themes from *Laudato Si’*,” Conference on Purpose, Power, and Potential, October 2015, Redeemer University, Hamilton, Ontario

Addresses given on the occasion of receiving the inaugural Emerging Public Intellectual Award.

“The ‘Urban Turn’ in Global Governance.” September 2015, Chicago Council on Global Affairs, Chicago, Illinois.

“Smart Cities or Wise Cities? Big Data Urbanism and its Limits,” “Confronting the Tragic in Environmental Challenges,” “Scarcity, Tragedy, and Risk in Modern Environmental Thought,” and “Global Environmental Governance and Religious Ethics,” December 2014, Ming Chuan University, Taipei, Taiwan.

Lectures given as a Visiting Scholar at Ming Chuan University.

“The Macondoization of the World” and “What Has Taipei to Do with Jerusalem? Thoughts on the Integration of Faith and Learning.” December 2014, Christ’s College, Taipei, Taiwan.

“Inclusion Beyond Problem-Solving: City Indicators from Technics to Politics.” Global Cities Summit, May 2014, University of Toronto Global City Indicators Facility, Toronto, Canada.

“The Power of Tragedy, the Tragedy of Power: Energy, Morality, and the Human Condition.” Cultures of Energy Spring Symposium, April 2014, Center for Energy & Environment in the Humanistic Sciences, Rice University, Houston, Texas.

“The Libation Bearers: Tragedy, Responsibility, and Environmental Governance.” The Martin Marty Center for the Advanced Study of Religion, May 2013, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

“‘The Libation Bearers:’ Ethical Reflections on Risk and Responsibility in Global Environmental Governance.” Institute for Advanced Studies in Culture Symposium on the Problem of the Good World, June 2012, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia.

“Risk and Responsibility in Global Environmental Governance.” Engaged Citizens, Common Experience Lectureship, February 2012, University of Illinois – Springfield, Springfield, Illinois.

“Reframing Municipal Participation in Transnational Climate Governance Networks.” Committee on Global Thought, October 2010, Columbia University, New York, New York.

Invited Presentations, Panels, and Workshops

“Jacques Ellul’s Active Pessimism in a Climate of Despair.” Presentation to the Theology Workshop of the University of Chicago Divinity School, November 2019, Chicago, Illinois.

“Christ-Centered Inclusion.” Invited presenter at pre-conference workshop of the annual meeting of the Association of Christians in Student Development, Summer 2019, Wheaton, Illinois.

“Justice, the City, and the Church.” Presentation to Neopolis, a global church-planting network, February 2019, Chicago, Illinois.

“The Gospel and Our Cities.” Opening plenary panelist at the first Gospel and Our Cities North America conference, October 2018, Chicago, Illinois.

“What the New Urban Agenda Needs from the Church.” Urban Shalom Project/The Gospel & the Future of Cities, October 2016, Quito, Ecuador.

“Global Cities, Urban Politics, and Higher Education.” Urban Partnership Forum, April 2016, Hamburg, Germany.

Presenter and discussion leader for Emerging Leaders Salon on “Metropolitan Revolution,” an event hosted by the Chicago Council on Global Affairs, December 2013, Chicago, Illinois.

“Tragedy, Environmental Politics, and the Cruciform Imaginary.” Disciples Divinity House, May 2013, Chicago, Illinois.

“Reckoning with the Tragic in Environmental Ethics and Politics.” Presentation to the Religious Ethics Workshop of the University of Chicago Divinity School, March 2013, Chicago, Illinois.

“Are Cities Authoritative Actors in Global Environmental Politics? Understanding the Scale, Scope, and Type of Urban Influence upon Climate Governance.” Invited presentation in a Short Course on Cities, Climate Change, and Multi-Level Governance, sponsored by the Comparative Politics Section, American Political Science Association, September 2009, Toronto, Canada.

“Environmental Justice.” Invited lecture at the Department of Geography, Northeastern Illinois University, March 2008, Chicago, Illinois.

“Justice and the Environment” and “How Green is Your Gospel.” Invited lectures at Westminster Theological Seminary’s Understanding Justice conference, February 2008, Glenside, Pennsylvania.

SELECT CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PARTICIPATION

Panels & Roundtables Organized

“Technical Working Group on City Diplomacy and Transnational Municipal Networks.” December 2016, University of Oxford.

Sponsors included the Chicago Council on Global Affairs, University College London’s Urban Laboratory, and the Wheaton College Center for Urban Engagement, among others.

“City Diplomacy: Connecting Cities Strategically.” Official Habitat III (United Nations Conference on Housing & Sustainable Development) Side Event, October 2016, Quito, Ecuador.

This was an officially recognized “side event” (a technical term for the United Nations) at Habitat III, organized by the Wheaton College Center for Urban Engagement, Chicago Council on Global Affairs, and University College London. CUE was among Habitat III’s official observer organizations.

“Global Cities Research 2025: A Scholars’ Roundtable on Opportunities and Obstacles in Global Cities Research.” 2nd Annual Chicago Forum on Global Cities, June 2016, Chicago, Illinois.

“Consolidation and Contestation in Networked Urban Climate Governance.” A panel organized for the 56th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, February 2016, Atlanta, Georgia.

“Transnational Urbanism and Local Governance.” A panel organized for the 55th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, February 2015, New Orleans, Louisiana.

“Cities and International Relations Theory.” A panel organized for the 54th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, March 2014, Toronto, Canada.

“The City in Global Affairs.” A panel organized for the 43rd Annual Conference of the Urban Affairs Association, April 2013, San Francisco, California.

“Cities, the Environment, and the Global Economy.” A panel organized for the 51st Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, April 2012, San Diego, California.

“Cities and Global Governance II: Cities and Climate Politics.” A panel organized for the 50th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, April 2011, Montreal, Canada.

“Cities and Climate Change.” A panel organized for the 49th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, February 2010, New York, New York.

Workshops and Seminars

Urbanization and Local Politics in the Developing World, American Political Science Association Short Course, August 2014, Washington, D.C.

Faith & Globalization, Calvin Seminars on Christian Scholarship, July 2010, Grand Rapids, Michigan

Advanced Working Group on Civic Engagement, APSA Teaching and Learning Conference, February 2010, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Papers and Presentations

Hill, Enoch, Timothy Taylor, and Noah Toly. “Spatial Determinants of Trade Attitudes.” 59th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association, April 2018, San Francisco, California.

Toly, Noah J. “Comparing Cities in an Age of Global Urban Politics: Possibilities and Limitations.” 110th Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 2014, Washington, D.C.

Toly, Noah J. “Learning *with* Students in Urban Studies.” 44th Annual Conference of the Urban Affairs Association, March 2014, San Antonio, Texas.

Johnson, Craig, Noah J. Toly, and Heike Schroeder. "Urban Resilience, Low-Carbon Governance, and Climate Change: Reconciling the Politics of Adaptation, Mitigation, and Policy Diffusion." 52nd Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, April 2013, San Francisco, California.

Toly, Noah J. "The Meaning of the Global City." A Prophet in the Technological Wilderness: A Centenary Celebration and Critical Review of Jacques Ellul, July 2012, Wheaton, Illinois.

Toly, Noah J. "The Role of Latin American Cities in Global City Networks." 42nd Annual Conference of the Urban Affairs Association, April 2012, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Toly, Noah J. "The Primacy of Politics in Globalizing Cities." 51st Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, April 2012, San Diego, California.

Toly, Noah J. and Daniel I. Block. "The Global Environment in Biblical Perspective." Lilly 2011 Regional Conference: Faith, Science, and Stewardship—Christian Pedagogy on the Environment, Benedictine University, April 2011, Lisle, Illinois.

Toly, Noah J., Sofie Bouteligier, Ben Gibson, and Graham Smith. "Analyzing Location Strategies for Global Energy Corporations." 50th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, March 2011, Montreal, Canada.

Toly, Noah J., Sofie Bouteligier, Graham Smith, and Ben Gibson. "Urban Location Strategies of NGOs, Energy Corporations, and Advanced Producer and Financial Services Firms in the Americas." Social Movement Governance, Poverty, and the New Politics of the Americas, February 2011, Tampa, Florida.

Toly, Noah J. "Global Cities, Local Environments: Agency, Ideology, and Contingency at the Intersection." 49th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, February 2010, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Toly, Noah J. "Cities and 'the Physics of Globalization: Conceptualizing the Relationship between Urban Environmental Politics and Global Environmental Politics." 49th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, February 2009, New York, New York.

Toly, Noah J. "Evangelicals and the Environment: From Political Realism to a Politics of Freedom." Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 2008, Boston, Massachusetts.

Toly, Noah J. "Global Environmental Politics and the Polarized City: Chicago in an Age of Global Activism." 39th Annual Meeting of the Urban Affairs Association, April 2008, Baltimore, Maryland.

Toly, Noah J. "Global Environmental Politics and the Polarized City: Chicago in an Age of Global Activism." 48th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, March 2008, San Francisco, California.

Pritchard, Rusty, Na'Taki Osborne, and Noah J. Toly. "Cities and Climate Change." Annual Meeting of the Christian Community Development Association, October 2007, St. Louis, Missouri.

Toly, Noah J. "Transnational Municipal Networks and Climate Politics." Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 2007, Chicago, Illinois.

Toly, Noah J. "Evangelicals and Climate Politics." Biennial Meeting of Christians in Political Science, June 2007, Wheaton, Illinois.

Toly, Noah J. "Cities in Global Environmental Politics." 38th Annual Meeting of the Urban Affairs Association, April 2007, Seattle, Washington.

Toly, Noah J. "Cities as Norm Entrepreneurs in Global Greenhouse Gas Emissions Abatement Strategies." 47th Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, March 2007, Chicago, Illinois.

Byrne, John, Young-Doo Wang, Jong-Dall Kim, Noah J. Toly, Rebecca Walker, Jason Houck, Kristen Hughes, Yihsiu Kung, and Jorge Suarez. "Portraits of Urban Sustainability." Second International Solar Cities Congress, April 2006, Oxford University.

Suarez, Jorge, Noah J. Toly, John Byrne, Kristen Hughes, Yihsiu Kung, Rebecca Walker, and Jason Houck. "Sustainable Public Transportation for Growing Cities: Bus Rapid Transit in Latin America." Second International Solar Cities Congress, April 2006, Oxford University.

Toly, Noah J. "Exploring the Social Origins and Implications of Emerging Biodiversity Conservation Mechanisms." Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, March 2006, Chicago, Illinois.

Toly, Noah J. "Urban Policies for a Warming World: Municipal GHG Abatement and Climate Change Adaptation Strategies." 21st Annual Meeting of the International Association for Science, Technology, and Society, February 2006, Baltimore, Maryland.

Toly, Noah J., John Byrne, Gerard Alleng, Leigh Glover, Kristen Hughes, Manu Mathai, and Amy Roe. "Research and Policy Tools for Baseline International Solar Cities Progress: Approaches and Techniques for Assessing Urban Sustainability." Solar Cities Baseline Workshop of the International Solar Cities Initiative, April 2005, Newark, Delaware.

Byrne, John, Gerard Alleng, Leigh Glover, Kristen Hughes, Manu Mathai, Amy Roe, and Noah J. Toly. "International Solar Cities Baselines: Gauging Progress." Solar Cities Baseline Workshop of the International Solar Cities Initiative, April 2005, Newark, Delaware.

Glover, Leigh, John Byrne, Gerard Alleng, Kristen Hughes, Manu Mathai, Amy Roe, and Noah J. Toly. "Research and Policy Tools for Baseline International Solar Cities Progress: Climate Change Action Planning." Solar Cities Baseline Workshop of the International Solar Cities Initiative, April 2005, Newark, Delaware.

Toly, Noah J. "Sustainability Strategies for a Livable Urban Habitat: Local Practices of Urban Change." 20th Annual Meeting of the International Association for Science, Technology, and Society, February 2005, Baltimore, Maryland.

Byrne, John, Leigh Glover, Noah J. Toly, and Young-Doo Wang. "Urban Choices in the Greenhouse: Local Initiatives for Global Emissions Abatement." 1st International Solar Cities Congress, November 2004, Daegu, South Korea.

Byrne, John, Leigh Glover, Noah J. Toly, and Young-Doo Wang. "Per Capita Emissions Targets as a Social Project." 1st International Solar Cities Congress, November 2004, Daegu, South Korea.

Byrne, John, Leigh Glover, Venkatesh Iyer, and Noah J. Toly. "Common Ground: Sustainable Development, Globalization, and Agriculture." Presented at the Danish Research Center for Organic Farming, April 2004, Copenhagen, Denmark.

Toly, Noah J. “Technoformative Aspects of Commons Access Regimes.” 19th Annual Meeting of the National Association for Science, Technology, and Society, February 2004, Baltimore, Maryland.

Byrne, John, Gerard Alleng, Leigh Glover, and Noah J. Toly. “Renewable Energy Development for Poverty Alleviation: A Commons Approach.” Presented at the United Nations Institute for Training and Research, November 2003, New York, New York.

Byrne, John, Gerard Alleng, Leigh Glover, Vernese Inniss, Venkatesh Iyer, Jyoti Kulkarni, Noah J. Toly, and Young-Doo Wang. “An Equity and Sustainability-Based Assessment of the Kyoto Protocol.” International Experts Meeting on Climate Change and Sustainable Development, Korea Energy Economics Institute and the Institute for Global Environmental Strategies, November 2002, Seoul, South Korea.

Byrne, John, Gerard Alleng, Leigh Glover, Vernese Inniss, Venkatesh Iyer, Jyoti Kulkarni, and Noah J. Toly, and Young-Doo Wang. “Renewable Energy Strategies for Environmentally Sustainable Futures: Demand Reduction.” The Aspen Institute’s 16th Pacific Rim Energy Workshop, April 2002, Seoul, South Korea.

Byrne, John, Venkatesh Iyer, and Noah J. Toly. “Environmental Nonviolence: An Imagined Conversation between Lewis Mumford and Mahatma Gandhi.” 17th Annual Meeting of the National Association for Science, Technology, and Society, February 2002, Baltimore, Maryland.

Toly, Noah J. “The Task of Critique in a Horizonless World.” Creative Imagination: Embodying Time, Space, and Form, Wesleyan Center for 21st Century Studies, Point Loma Nazarene University, February 2002, San Diego, California.

Byrne, John and Noah J. Toly. “International Perspectives on Energy and Environment.” Centro Internacional para la Política Económica para el Desarrollo Sostenible, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Costa Rica, January 2002, Heredia, Costa Rica.

SELECT ADVISORY BOARDS AND WORKING GROUPS

Interfaith Working Group on Religion and the Environment, Spertus Institute for Jewish Learning and Leadership, 2020-present

SELECT AWARDS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Emerging Public Intellectual Prize, 2015

Selected as the inaugural recipient of a prize now annually awarded to Christian thought leaders in the academic community by a coalition of North American Christian think-tanks and educational organizations, including the Acton Institute, Cardus, The Center for Public Justice, Redeemer University’s Centre for Christian Scholarship, Calvin University’s Henry Institute for the Study of Christianity and Politics, and the Council for Christian Colleges & Universities (CCCU).

Visiting Scholar, Ming Chuan University (Taipei, Taiwan), 2014

Emerging Leader, Chicago Council on Global Affairs, 2011-2013

Selected for two-year leadership development fellowship reserved for the Chicago area’s emerging leaders between 30 and 40 years of age. Other recipients include a sitting member of Congress, an ambassador, and a MacArthur Fellow, among others.

Junior Faculty Achievement Award, Wheaton College, 2009-2011

John Muir Award for Exemplary Leadership in the Care of Creation, Wheaton College Environmental Studies Program, 2010

Graduate School Honors

Outstanding Scholar Award, University of Delaware Center for Energy and Environmental Policy, 2005

Outstanding Doctoral Student Award, University of Delaware College of Public Policy, 2005

Mark A. Haskell Award for Excellence in the Field of Political Economy, University of Delaware School of Urban Affairs and Public Policy, 2004

University Competitive Fellowship, University of Delaware, 2003

Director's Citation, University of Delaware School of Urban Affairs and Public Policy, 2001

GRANTS

External

Network for Vocation in Undergraduate Education (NetVUE) Grant (with *Opus: The Art of Work* and *HoneyRock: The Outdoor Center for Leadership Development* at Wheaton College) for the development of curriculum for vocational exploration and discernment, 2015-2017

Exelon Foundation grant (with Dr. James Clark) for the development and coordination of a climate change lecture series and two co-requisite courses on Global Warming Science and Global Warming Governance, 2010

Internal

Wheaton College Faculty Development Fund/Faculty Travel Grants (multiple)

Center for Faith, Politics, and Economics Faculty Grants (multiple)

Project Teacher Teaching Innovation Grants (multiple)

Aldeen Grants (multiple)

Project Teacher Mentor Guided Scholarship Stipends (multiple)

Junior Faculty Development Grant

COURSES TAUGHT

Wheaton College

Advanced Urban Studies Seminar

Chicago

Comparative Urban Governance: Cities of South America (taught during Wheaton in Argentina)

Environmental Politics

Faith & Globalization (team-taught)

First-Year Seminar: What is a Thriving City?

Global Cities

Global Warming Governance: Problem, Politics, & Policies

Justice in the City

Politics of Technology

Technology, Politics, & Ethics in the Writings of Jacques Ellul & Interlocutors (team-taught)

Thriving Cities

Urban Planning and Its Discontents

Urban Politics

Urban Theory & Experience

Various independent study courses

Other Institutions

Global Cities (Free University of Berlin)
Land Resources (team-taught, Au Sable Institute of Environmental Studies)
Megacities (Free University of Berlin)
Political Economy of Environment (team-taught, University of Delaware)
Resources, Development, and Environment (team-taught, University of Delaware)
Technology, Environment, & Society (team-taught, University of Delaware)
M.A. Thesis Supervision (Free University of Berlin)

FIELD RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Fellow, Centro Internacional para la Política Económica para el Desarrollo Sostenible (CINPE), Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Costa Rica, Heredia, Costa Rica, Summer 2002 and Summer 2003

Additional Dissertation Research in Costa Rica, Winter 2002 and Winter 2003 and in Mexico City, Oaxaca, and Chiapas, Mexico, Summer 2002

SERVICE

To the Profession

Referee for the following publishers or peer-reviewed publications

Bulletin of Science, Technology, and Society

Climate Policy

Climatic Change

Earthscan

Ellul Forum

Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy

Environmental Politics

Global Environmental Politics

Global Society

Globalizations

International Journal of Urban and Regional Research

International Studies Perspectives

Journal of Urban Affairs

Local Environment

Palgrave Pivot series

Political Geography

Review of International Studies

Routledge politics list

Routledge environment list

Sage politics list

Society and Natural Resources

Solar Energy (The Journal of the International Solar Energy Society)

St. Antony's International Review

University of Toronto Press

Urban Affairs Review

Urban Climate

Urban Studies

Wiley Interdisciplinary Review of Climate Change

Reviewer for the following grantmaking and fellowship-granting organizations

- Environmental Protection Agency Science to Achieve Results (EPA STAR) Fellowship Program
- National Science Foundation (NSF) Geography & Spatial Sciences Program

- Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) of Canada

Professional association offices held

- Member of the International Affairs Committee of the Urban Affairs Association, 2013-2017
- Vice-Chair, International Affairs Committee of the Urban Affairs Association
- Official Liaison for formal relationship (“Cooperating Organization” status) between Urban Affairs Association and International Studies Association, 2015-2017

Faith and learning consultation with Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, Universitas Pelita Harapan, Jakarta, Indonesia, 2018

Steering Committee member for *The Thriving Cities Project*, a multi-year, multi-site research project of the Institute for Advanced Studies in Culture, 2013-2018

Rapporteur for “Global Urban Challenges: The Role of Research Universities,” a conference sponsored by the Chicago Council on Global Affairs, November 2013, Chicago, Illinois.

Dissertation committee member, Ph.D. Candidate in Global Environmental Governance and Sustainable Development, *Katholieke Universiteit Leuven*, 2011

External reviewer for promotion and tenure files at various institutions

To the College

Faculty Council, Nominating Committee, and standing committees

Faculty Council, 2011-2012, 2018-present

COVID-19 Fall 2020 Planning Committee, 2020-present

Ad Hoc Faculty Committee on Financial Affairs, 2019-present – *Chair, 2019-present*

Nominating Committee, 2015-2017

Faculty Development Committee, 2014-2017

Educational Policies and Curriculum (EPCC), 2010-2012 – *Chair, 2011-2012*

Institutional Research and Assessment (IRAC), 2007-2010

Faculty subcommittees

Urban Studies Faculty Sub-Committee or Center for Urban Engagement Core/Supporting Faculty, 2006-present

Intercollegiate Athletics Committee, 2017-2019

Calendar and Petitions Subcommittee, 2010-2012 – *Chair, 2010-2011*

Interdisciplinary Studies Faculty Sub-Committee, 2010-2011

Institutional Research and Assessment Ad-Hoc Sub-Committee on Student Spirituality, 2007-2008

Sabbatical Committee (years confidential)

Steering committees, task forces, working groups, councils, and transition teams

Academic Prioritization Committee, 2020-present

Academic Affairs Strategic Planning Steering Committee, 2019-2020

Co-organizer with the provost, 2019-2020

Faculty Representative to the Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees, 2018-present

Faculty Compensation Task Force, 2019-2020

Task Force to Revise Faculty Promotable Strengths, 2018-2019

Strategic Initiative Task Force: Vocation, 2018-2019

Global & Experiential Learning Advisory Council, 2011-2019

Graduate Education Online Development & Exploration (GEODE) Project, 2016
Chaplain Transition Team, 2015
General Education Revision Summit Team, 2014-2015
 Convener, Core Competencies Task Force, 2014-2015
Coordination Council for Multicultural Development/Diversity Council, 2006-2014
Pregnancy and Childbirth Leave Task Force, 2013-2014
Global & Experiential Learning Strategic Planning Committee, 2012-2013
Faculty Representative to the Facilities Committee of the Board of Trustees, 2011-2012
Presidential Transition Team, 2010-2011
Wheaton College Graduate School/Billy Graham Center Urban Ministry Scholarship Committee, 2006-2011
Member, Wheaton College Web Steering Committee, 2009-2010
Alternate, Hearing Panel for Student Conduct, 2008-2010
Environmental Stewardship Advisory Committee, Fall 2008
Facilitator, Ad Hoc Working Group on Global Engagement, Experiential Education, and Service Learning, 2007-2008
Faculty Achievement Award Committee (years confidential)

Participation with and service to centers and institutes

Center for Faith and Innovation Internal Advisory Board, 2019-present
Opus Theology of Vocation Scholar, 2015-2017
Faculty Fellow, Humanitarian & Disaster Institute, 2011-2016
Center for Applied Christian Ethics Faculty Steering Committee, 2006-2011, 2012-2016
Opus Fellow, 2014-2015
Center for Faith, Politics, and Economics *Iron Sharpens Iron* Non-Teaching Faculty, 2015
HoneyRock Campus Advisory Committee, 2008-2011

Advising of student groups

Faculty advisory, Honduras Project, 2016-2017
Faculty Advisor, Urban Studies Student Club, 2012-2016
Faculty Advisor, Theory to Praxis, 2010-2011

BRIDGE, Passage, and HNGR

Instructor and/or Track Leader, Wheaton Passage, 2008-2011, 2013, 2014-2019
Designer and Program Coordinator, Urban Track of Wheaton Passage, 2010-2014
Instructor, BRIDGE 2010-2012
Supervised HNGR placements in Mozambique, Peru, and Zambia

Faith and Learning Program

Reader for multiple Faith & Learning papers in Biblical & Theological Studies, Humanities, Natural Sciences, and Social Sciences

Other

Multiple tenure and promotion appeal committees (years confidential)

To the Community

Boards of trustees, directors, and advisors

Trustee, Exodus World Service, 2017 – present
 Finance Committee, 2019-present
Advisory Board, Together Chicago, 2016 – present
Trustee, The Au Sable Institute of Environmental Studies, 2014-2017

Compliance and Academic Institutions Committee, 2015-2017
Executive Committee, 2015-2017
Secretary of the Board of Trustees, 2015-2017
Trustee, Evangelical Environmental Network, 2016-2017

Other service to the community

Host Committee, 2010 and 2018 Annual Meetings of the Christian Community Development Association (CCDA)

Panelist, Project Impact, 2014

Evaluator of non-profit innovation, effectiveness, efficiency for A Better Chicago, a venture philanthropy organization

Reviewer, *Environmental Protection Agency Clean Energy-Environment Guide to Action: Policies, Best Practices, and Action Steps for States*, 2010

Grant Reviewer, Christiana (DE) Public School District, 2005-2006

Volunteer translator for research projects of the Center for Community Research and Service and the Center for Applied Demography and Survey Research, regarding Hispanic homeownership in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and infant mortality among the Hispanic population in Wilmington, Delaware, 2001-2006

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

English
Spanish

Reading only (various levels)

French
German
Greek (Biblical)
Portuguese

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

American Political Science Association (Active)
International Studies Association (Active)
Urban Affairs Association (Active)
American Academy of Religion
Society of Christian Ethics
Christians in Political Science