

# EKATERINA NIKITINA LOMPERIS

## Curriculum Vitae

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## EDUCATION

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2018	Ph.D. (expected)	University of Chicago Divinity School, Chicago, IL Theology
		Dissertation: “Human Bodies in Pain as Spiritual Battlefields: Illness, Medicine, and Healing in Early Modern and Contemporary Christian Thought”
		Dissertation advisor: Susan E. Schreiner
		Qualifying Examinations: 1. History of Christian Thought (Ancient and Medieval) 2. History of Christian Thought (Early Modern) 3. Theology of Karl Barth 4. Medical Ethics
		Certificate in the Craft of Teaching in the Academic Study of Religion, 2013
2011	M.Div.	Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, MA
2006	B.A.	Moscow Pedagogical State University, Moscow, Russia Philology and Education

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Books:

2017 *Essential Readings in Medicine and Religion* (with Gary Ferngren). Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2017.

### Essays:

2015 “A Response to Christine Helmer’s *Theology and the End of Doctrine*.” *Journal of Lutheran Ethics* 7 (2015).

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**MANUSCRIPTS IN SUBMISSION**

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2017 “Costs of Our Healing: On Martin Luther, Facebook, and American Medical Philanthrocapitalism” (article submitted to a peer-reviewed journal).

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**FELLOWSHIPS AND HONORS**

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2017 Dissertation Completion Fellowship  
Louisville Institute

2016 Jr. Fellow of the Martin Marty Center for the Advanced Study of Religion  
University of Chicago

2014 Divinity Students Association Endowment Fund Grant  
University of Chicago

2014, 2013 Perrin Memorial Fund Grant  
University of Chicago

2014 Sixteenth Century Society Early Career Scholar Travel Grant  
Sixteenth Century Society

2014 Selected Participant, Young Scholar Workshop  
Center of Theological Inquiry, Princeton, NJ

2014 Latin Language Study Grant  
University of Chicago

2013 National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Scholar  
H. Henry Meeter Center for Calvin Studies, Grand Rapids, MI

2013 Selected Participant, Preparing Future Faculty Career Exploration  
University of Chicago Career Advancement

2012-present Invited Participant, Program on Medicine and Religion Seminar  
Series  
Pritzker School of Medicine, University of Chicago

2009-2010 Colson Fund Scholarship  
Colson Endowment

2009-2010 Vera Bellus Bequest Merit Scholarship  
Harvard University Committee on General Scholarships

2006 Dean's Honors Certificate for Academic Achievement and  
Community Involvement  
Moscow Pedagogical State University

### INVITED TALKS

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2017 "Reforming Our Life in the Body: Martin Luther on Eating, Healing, and Marriage"  
(scheduled) Oregon State University, November 7

2016 Respondent to Jacalyn Duffin, "Doctors, Saints, and Healing in the Modern  
World"  
Committee on the Conceptual and Historical Studies of Science and Program on  
Medicine and Religion joint seminar, April 25

2015 "Religion in the Fall of Communism"  
Lake Forest College, March 26

### CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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2016 "Discerning the Early Protestant Spirit: Martin Luther, Medical Cessationism, and  
the Spirit's Work of Healing"  
American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 19-22

2016 "Costs of our Healing: On Martin Luther, Facebook, and the Problem of Global  
Health"  
Global Christianities Workshop, November 9

2015 "Justification by Pain? Physical Suffering, Healing, and Salvation in John  
Calvin's Thought"  
Calvin Studies Society Colloquium, April 9-11

2014 Respondent to Christine Helmer, "Theology and the End of Doctrine"  
University of Chicago Divinity School, December 2

2014 "Christian Bodies in Pain as Spiritual Battlefields: Bodily Suffering in Martin Luther's  
Thought"  
American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 22-25

2014 "Why Lament the Blessing of Pain? Calvin and Aquinas in Dialogue"  
American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 22-25

2014 "Remnants of Christ's Suffering: Religious Persecution in John Calvin's Thought"  
Sixteenth Century Society and Conference Annual Meeting, October 16-19

- 2013            “Avoiding the Idolatry of Wellbeing: Martin Luther’s Theology of Medical Care, 1516-1530”  
National Conference on Medicine and Religion, May 28-30
- 2013            “Faithful Medics, Faithful Patients: Non-Idolatrous Health Care in Martin Luther’s Theological Writings”  
Theology Workshop at the University of Chicago, May 14
- 2009            “Writing One Life, Reading Many Lives: Akhmatova's “Requiem” as an Autobiographical Poem and a Collective Biography of Soviet People in the 1930s”  
Annual Convention of the Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies, November 12-15

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Instructor of Record

- 2016            “History and Theology I”  
Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago

### Teaching Assistant

- 2015            “History of Christianity – III”  
University of Chicago Divinity School
- 2014            “Early Modern Catholicism”  
University of Chicago Divinity School

### Writing Instructor

- 2013            “Philosophical Perspectives II”  
University of Chicago College
- 2012            “Philosophical Perspectives I”  
University of Chicago College

### Senior Language and Culture Instructor

- 2007-2008    Denis School, International School of Foreign Languages

### Junior Language and Culture Instructor

- 2004-2007    Denis School, International School of Foreign Languages

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**REPRESENTATIVE ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND TRAINING IN PEDAGOGY**


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- 2015 Organizer, “Teaching Religious Pasts: Making Historical Studies Transformational and Relevant for College Students”  
Admitted Students’ Day Pedagogy Workshop,  
University of Chicago, April 13
- 2014 Invited presenter, “On Teaching with Handouts”  
Writing Program Professional Development Seminar,  
University of Chicago College Writing Program, October 29
- 2013 Certificate in the Craft of Teaching in the Academic Study of Religion  
University of Chicago Divinity School
- 2013 Selected presenter, “Authority and Expectations in Teaching”  
Workshop on Teaching in the College,  
University of Chicago Center for Teaching and Learning, September 25-26
- 2013 Selected presenter, “Establishing the Norms: How to Give Your Students Responsible Ownership of Their Discussion Sections without Losing Control”  
“Eat, Talk, Teach, Run” Pedagogy Workshop,  
University of Chicago Center for Teaching and Learning, April 10
- 2012 “Pedagogy of Writing,” a quarter-long training (admitted by competitive application) in methods of teaching advanced academic writing  
University of Chicago College Writing Program
- 2012 “Teaching Philosophy and Syllabi Preparation” workshop  
Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion
- 2012 “Workshop on Teaching in the College,”  
“Workshop on Course Design”  
University of Chicago Center for Teaching and Learning
- 2006 Undergraduate Minor in Education, K-12 teaching license in language arts  
Moscow Pedagogical State University

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**LANGUAGES**


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Research background in German, French, Latin, Koine Greek, Old Slavonic, Russian, Romanian (Moldovan)

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**ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE**

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- 2014            Theology and Religious Ethics Workshop Coordinator  
                  Council on Advanced Studies, University of Chicago
- 2011,  
2009-2010      Graduate Assistant  
                  Office of Student Life, Harvard Divinity School
- 2009            Orientation Coordinator  
                  Office of Student Life, Harvard Divinity School

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**ACADEMIC SERVICE**

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- 2015            Student Convener, campus visits for new faculty search  
                  University of Chicago Divinity School
- 2014            Theology Club President  
                  University of Chicago Divinity School
- 2014, 2013      Abstract Reviewer in Theology  
                  National Conference on Medicine and Religion

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**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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American Academy of Religion  
Sixteenth Century Society  
Society for Reformation Research