



Curriculum Vitae

Mary (Sheehy) Shivanandan, M.A. (Cantab), S.T.L., S.T.D.

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EDUCATION

John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage & Family
at the Catholic University of America, S.T.L. Magna cum laude, 1991, S.T.D. Magna cum
laude, 1995
Cambridge University, UK, , B.A. hons. Magna cum laude 1954, M.A. 1967.

MAJOR EMPLOYMENT

Professor of Theology, 1999 –2012. Associate Dean 1999-2001. Adjunct Professor, 1989-1999;
John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage & Family at the Catholic University of America.

Lecturer and research consultant specializing in marriage, family and natural family planning
(NFP) 1980-88. Founder and director of KM Associates, 1984-2000.

Contributing editor, researcher, *Marriage & Family Living*, St. Meinrad, Indiana, 1977-81.

Author, *Natural Sex*, published by Rawson Wade, New York, NY, 1977-79.

Freelance writer and researcher, Bethesda, MD 1973-1977.

Associate Editor-in-Chief, American Encyclopedia, United Publishing Corp., Bethesda, MD,
1971-72

Associate research scientist, Foreign Area Studies, American University, Washington, DC,
specializing in Asia, 1969-70.

Associate editor, *Mid East* , American Friends of the Middle East, Washington, DC 1968-69.

Production assistant, Public Affairs, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, Toronto and Montreal
Canada, 1956-60.

News researcher, British Broadcasting Corporation, London, England, 1954-56.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

McGivney Fellowship to John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family, 1988-1994

Grant from the Fogarty International Center, National Institutes of Health and the Office of International Health, Bethesda, MD, to assist in organizing a conference on “The 1990 Year of the Girl Child, Family, Health and Fertility, Bangalore, India, 1989 and 1990.

Grant from Ford Foundation to explore possibility of NFP project in Ahmedabad, India, 1987.

Certification as Family Life Educator, National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN, 1987.

Grant from Center for Population Research, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Bethesda, MD to edit and publish partial proceedings of the Fourth National and International Symposium on Natural Family Planning, Chevy Chase MD, November 1985.

Newnham College Scholarship to Cambridge University, England, 1951-54.

Who’s Who of American Women, 1981-82

Who’s Who in the East, 1984

Who’s Who of Professional Women, 1987

Contemporary Authors, 1988

Who’s Who in America, 2004.

25th Anniversary Edition, Who’s Who of American Women, 2005.

TEACHING

Courses Taught

Masters: Theology, Principles and Practice of NFP ; Theology of the Body; The Body: Substratum of Personal Communion; Theological Anthropology.

S.T.L : “Theology of the Body;” “The Body: Substratum of Personal Communion” and “Theological Anthropology”

S.T.D.: “Sacramentality of the Body in the Narrative of Salvation” renamed “The Spousal Relation and the Nurturing Body: Theological/Historical Perspectives. “The Holy Family: New Perspectives for a Theology of the Family.

Ph.D./S.T.D. “The Holy Family as a Communion of Persons.”

Graduate Thesis Adviser:

I have been a director and/or reader of several S.T.L. and doctoral dissertations at the John Paul II Institute and the Institute for Psychological Sciences.

Visiting Professorships

Faculty at Large, IRB, Institute for Psychological Sciences 2007--2009

Visiting Professor, John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage & Family, Melbourne, Australia, 2005. Taught course on the sacramentality of the body

Visiting Professor, John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage & Family, CANA Institute, Thiruthy, Kerala, India, 1999 and 2001. Taught course on theological anthropology.

Lecturer on theological anthropology, Catholic Institute for Psychological Sciences, Bethesda, MD, 1997 and 1998.

Visiting professor, Maryvale Institute, Birmingham, England, 1997. Lectured on the theology of the family.

Visiting Professor, Franciscan Seminary, Singapore, Republic of Singapore, 1996. Taught course on theological anthropology.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP AND SERVICE

Board Member, NFP Archives, Inc. 2008

Founding Member Academy of Catholic Theology, 2007.

Member, Fellowship of Catholic Scholars, 1992-present. Elected board member, 1997-2000. Program chair of annual conference, "Marriage and the Common Good," Chicago, Illinois, 1999.

Founding member, Society of Catholic Social Scientists, 1992. Chair, Theology, Philosophy and Medical Section, 1998-2000. Editorial advisory board member, *Catholic Social Science Review*, 1997-2000

University Faculty for Life, member, 1992-present.

Founding board member, Women Affirming Life, (WALI) national pro-life organization, 1990-2007. Have successfully initiated a program for WALI members to bring the theology of the body through group study to churches and groups in their diocese and parish. In 2007 this became Imago Dei.

Founding Member and Vice Chairman, Imago Dei, national organization to bring *A New Language* study program on the theology of the body, to Catholic dioceses and parishes 2007-present.

Member Resource Network, Family Research Council, Washington, DC, 1997-present.

Theological Advisor, NFP Committee, Archdiocese of Washington, DC, 1990-2000.

Theological Advisor, Women Affirming Life, 2005-2007

Advisory Board Member, Culture of Life Foundation, 2000-present.

Advisory Board member, Family Honor, national family life organization, Columbia, South Carolina, 1996-present.

Archdiocesan Representative, Family Life and Human Development Committee, Montgomery County, 1989-1991.

Asian American Forum, program chair, 1984-85, vice president, 1986-87, president, 1987-88

Initiated and edited “The NFP Reader,” a newsletter of the latest biological and psychosocial research on NFP for the NFP field, KM Associates, Bethesda, MD, 1980-1985.

PUBLISHED BOOKS

Crossing the Threshold of Love: A New Vision of Marriage in the Light of John Paul II's Anthropology (Washington, DC: the Catholic University of America Press, and T & T Clark, Edinburgh, UK, 1999).

Ed. *Breastfeeding and Natural Family Planning: Selected Papers from the Fourth National and International symposium on Natural Family Planning, November, 1985* (Bethesda, MD: KM Associates, 1986)

Challenge to Love reprint of selected chapters of *Natural Sex* (Bethesda, MD: KM Associates, 1983, 2nd printing 1984)

Natural Sex, (New York, NY: Rawson Wade, 1979)

PEER REVIEWED ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

“Post-Modernism vs. After Modernism,” forthcoming *National Catholic Bioethics Quarterly*, Summer, 2017.

“Relativity or Relativism,” *National Catholic Bioethics Quarterly*, Winter 2017

“Conjugal Spirituality and the Gift of Reverence,” *Nova et Vetera*, 10:2 (2012).

“An Anthropology of Love: *Caritas in Veritate*,” in Proceedings of “Human Fertility—Where Faith and Science Meet” Conference, July 15-17, 2010 (Washington, DC: USCCB, forthcoming 2011)

“Reflections on *Humanae Vitae* in the Light of *Fides et Ratio*”; *Nova et Vetera* 6:4 (2008)

Emile Zola “Improbable Defender of Life,” *Life and Learning*, Vol. 17, (Washington, DC: University Faculty for Life, 2008), reprinted in *Fellowship of Catholic Scholars Quarterly*, Summer, 2008.

“Letter to the Bishops of the Catholic Church on the Collaboration of Men and Women in the Church and in the World,” entry in encyclopedia, *Catholic Social Thought, Social Science, and Social Policy*, Society of Catholic Social Scientists, 2006

“The Theology of the Body” entry in encyclopedia, *Catholic Social Thought, Social Science, and Social Policy*, Society of Catholic Social Scientists, 2006

J. Atkinson and Mary Shivanandan. “Person as Substantive Relation and Reproductive Technologies: Biblical and Philosophical Foundations,” co-author with Joseph C. Atkinson, *Logos* 7: 3 Summer 2004, 123-155.

“The Anthropological Background of *Fides et Ratio*,” *Anthropotes*, 17: 1 (2001), 129-148.

“Subjectivity and the Order of Love,” *Fides Quaerens Intellectum* 1: 2 (2001), 251-274.

“Body Narratives: Language of Truth?,” *Logos* 3: 3 (Summer, 2000), 166-193

“The Anthropology of John Paul II and Social Science,” *The Catholic Social Science Review* 4 (1999), 23-33

“Nurturing as a Basic Right and Responsibility,” in *Defending the Family: A Sourcebook*, ed. Paul C. Vitz and Stephen M. Krason (Steubenville, OH: The Catholic Social Science Press: 1998) 178-183.

“Learning NFP: The Experiential Paradigm,” *Catholic Social Science Review*, 3 (November 1998) 205-214.

“The Role of Social Science in Shaping Sexual Practices,” in *Life and Learning: Proceedings of the Second University Faculty for Life Conference*, ed. J.W. Koterski, (Washington DC: University Faculty for Life, 1993), 71-85.

Thomasina Borkman and Mary Shivanandan, “The Impact of Natural Family Planning on Selected Aspects of the Couple Relationship,” *International Review of Natural Family Planning*, 8: 1 (Spring 1984), 58-66.

OTHER ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Review of “*In the Beginning . . . : A Theology of the Body*” by Eduardo J. Echeverria, (Eugene OR: Pickwick Publications, 2011) in *Nova et Vetera*, 10:2, (2012).

“The Spousal Nature of Feminine Beauty,” *Second Spring*, 12, (2010)

Review of the *Nuptial Mystery* by Angelo Cardinal Scola, trans. Michelle K. Borrás (*Grand Rapids, MI: William B. Eerdmans, 2005*) in *Nova et Vetera* 5:1 (Winter 2007)

“John Paul II: The Redemption of the Body and the Call to Holiness,” *Faith & Reason* 31:1 (Spring 2006)

“The Immaculate Conception and Theological Anthropology,” in *The Immaculate Conception in the Life of the Church*, ed. Donald H. Calloway (Stockbridge MA: Marian Press, 2004) 101-120; also to be published in *Anthropotes*, no. 2, 2004.

“Body-Soul Unity in Light of the Nuptial Relation,” *Dialoghi sul mistero nuziale: Studi offerti al Cardinale Angelo Scola, a cura di G. Marengo e B. Ognibeni*, (Rome: Lateran University Press, 2003); also to be published in *Nova et Vetera*, no. 4, 2005.

Response to “*Humanae vitae* and the *sensus fidelium* of a Contraceptive Culture” by Janet E. Smith, proceedings of “The Call to Holiness Conference: Vatican Council II On the Church, The Pope John Paul II Cultural Center, Washington, DC Nov. 12-15, 2003.”

Revision of “Sex” entry by Dietrich von Hildebrand in *New Catholic Encyclopedia*, Second Edition, 13 Seq-The (Detroit, MI: Gale in association with The Catholic University of America, Washington, DC) 2003, 44-47.

“Natural Family Planning and the Theology of the Body: a New Discourse for Married Couples,” *The National Catholic Bioethics Quarterly*, 3 (1) 2003, 23-32.

“The Pope, Man and Woman” in *The Achievements of John Paul II*, Occasional Papers: vol. 3 (Oxford, UK: Oxford University Chaplaincy 2002), 19-26.

“The New Evangelization of John Paul II” in *Hear O Islands: Theology and Catechesis in the New Millennium* (London, UK: Veritas, 2002), 195-208.

John Paul II’s Theology of the Body,” *The Living Light*, 37: 3 (2001), 67-74.

Review of *A Brief, Catholic Liberal Defense of Abortion* by Daniel A. Dombrowski with Robert Deltete (Chicago, IL: University Press, 2000) in *the Catholic Social Science Review* (2001), 311-313.

Introduction, *Marriage and the Common Good, Proceedings from the Twenty-Second Annual Convention of the Fellowship of Catholic Scholars, September 24 to 26, Deerfield Illinois*, (South Bend IN: St. Augustine’s Press, 2001), vii-ix.

“The Ecumenism of *Redemptoris Mater* and *Mulieris dignitatem*,” *Diakonia* 33: 3 (2000), 251-264.

“Sentiment and Sentimentality: Woman’s Choice,” *FCS Quarterly* (Spring 1997), 7-17.

Review of *Abortion and Unborn Human Life*, by Patrick Lee (Washington, DC: The Catholic University of America Press, 1996) in *Faith & Reason* 23 (1997) 107-111.

Feminism and Marriage: A Reflection on Ephesians 5:21-33, “*Diakonia*, 29: 1 (1996), 27-46.

Review of *Sexuality and Authority in the Catholic Church* by Monica Migliorino Miller, *Faith and Reason*, 22: 3 (Fall, 1996) 211-215.

“After Rhythm: The Development NFP,” *Ethics & Medics*, 20 (4) (April 1995), 3-4.

“Forming a Community of Persons: The Rights, Dignity and Role of Men and Women—a Response,” in *The Church at the Service of the Family*, ed. Anthony J. Mastroeni, proceedings of the Fellowship of Catholic Scholars (Steubenville, OH: Franciscan University of Steubenville, 1994), 91-105.

”Personhood, Contraception and Population Control,” *Linacre Quarterly* 61 (3) (August 1994) 41-50

Mary Shivanandan and Marion Geremia, “Natural Family Planning and Family Systems Theory,” *Linacre Quarterly* 59: 4 (November 1992) 57-66.

“Childhood and Adolescent Analysis,” in *Foundations for Family Life Education: A Guidebook for Professionals and Parents*, Margaret Whitehead and Onalee McGraw, eds. (Arlington, VA: Educational Guidance Institute, 1991)..

Review of *Breastfeeding and Natural Child Spacing: How ‘Ecological’ Breastfeeding Spaces Babies* by Sheila Kippley in *Journal of Human Lactation*, 7 (1), (1991)..

Natural Family Planning, Development of National Programs, ed. Claude A. Lanctot, Mary Catherine Martin, and Mary Shivanandan, (Washington, DC: IFFLP/FIDAF, 1984)

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

In process from 2013: Book-length manuscript, *The Holy Family as a Communion of Persons: Not the Ontological Exception* presently being considered by The Catholic University of America Press.

Review article, “The Mother’s Gaze” on Breastfeeding *Humanum*, Winter, 2016

Review of *Back to the Future: New Urbanism and the Rise of Neotraditionalism in Urban Planning*, eds. Karl Besel and Viviana Andreescu (Lanham, MD: University of America Press, 2013) *Humanum*, Spring 2014

Review of Peter Bristow, *Christian Ethics and the Human Person: Truth and Relativism in Contemporary Moral Theology* (Leominster, Herefordshire, UK: Gracewing, 2013) *The National Catholic Bioethics Quarterly* Vol. 13, no. 2, Summer 2013

Review of Rebecca Kukla, *Mass Hysteria: Medicine, Culture, and Mothers’ Bodies* (Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers), *Humanum*, Spring 2013

Review of Christine Overall, *Why Have Children? The Ethical Debate* (Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, 2012) *Humanum* Winter 2012-2013

Review of Nancy F. Cott, *Public Vows; A History of Marriage and the Nation* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2002) *Humanum*, Fall 2012

“Women and A.R.T.” Essay reviewing books on women and A.R.T, in online journal *Humanum* Center for Cultural and Pastoral Research, Washington, DC Spring 2012

Review of *The Catholic Church and the Sex Abuse Crisis*, by Dr. Pravin Thevathasan, and *The Catholic Church and the Global AIDS Crisis*, by Matthew Hanley (London, UK: Catholic Truth Society) in online journal *Humanum* Center for Cultural and Pastoral Research, Washington, DC Fall 2011

Review of *John Paul II and the Legacy of Dignitatis Humanae* by Herminio Rico (Georgetown University Press, 2002), in *Crisis*, February 2003, 52-54.

A New Language: a Study Guide on John Paul II's Theology of the Body (Boston, MA: Women Affirming Life, 2002).

Review of *The Tripersonal God: Understanding and Interpreting the Trinity* by Gerald O'Collins, (New York: Paulist Press, 1999) in *Crisis*, March 2000.

Review of *Things That Count*, by Gilbert Meilander (Wilmington, DE: ISI Books, 2000, 2000) in *Crisis*, November 2000, 48-50..

“A New Language,” *Voices* 15: 1 (Winter 2000), 12-14.

“Natural Family Planning and the Couple's Relationship,” *Introduction to Natural Family Planning*, (Washington, DC: Diocesan Development Plan for Natural Family Planning, 1999)

“When Can We Use NFP: What the Church teaches on the moral spacing and limiting of births by spouses,” *Focus* (Washington, DC: Diocesan Development Program for Natural Family Planning, NCCB, 1997).

Review of *Love One Another: The Psychological Aspects of Natural Family Planning*, by John Marshall (London, UK: Sheed & Ward, Pub. Data) *NFP Forum* (pub data) December, 1997, 6-9.

“Mary and the Gift of Life,” *Voices*, 11: 3 (September 1996), 4-5.

The Domestic Church and the Communion of Persons,” *National Catholic Register*, October 13, 1996.

“Natural Family Planning: The Heart of the Matter,” in *Respect Life Manual* (Washington, DC: National Conference of Catholic Bishops)1987

“The How and Why of Natural Family Planning,” *Catholic Update*, (Cincinnati, OH, St. Anthony Messenger Press, (1985), (revised and updated 1995)

“Separation Preparation: Interview with Dr. Murray Bowen,” *Marriage & Family Living*, St. Meinrad, IN, 65, 9 (September, 1983),

Natural Sex (New York: Rawson Wade, 1979 and Berkley Books, 1981); published in Portuguese in Brazil, 1986.

Monthly column of research trends in marriage and family in *Marriage & Family Living*, St. Meinrad, IN, 1977-1981

“Contemporary Attitudes Towards Sex” *Marriage & Family Living*, St. Meinrad, IN, 63, 9 (November 1981),

“Fertility Awareness for Adolescents,” *Marriage & Family Living*, St. Meinrad, IN,62, 1 (January 1980)

“”Natural Family Planning Comes of Age” *Marriage & Family Living*, St. Meinrad, IN, 59, 11 (November 1977)

Natural Family Planning: Can it Work?” *Marriage & Family Living*, St. Meinrad, IN, 58, 11 (November 1976)

“Natural Family Planning: Folly or Fulfillment?” *Marriage & Family Living*, St. Meinrad, IN, 58, 10 (October, 1976)

“Lessons from an East/West Marriage,” *Marriage & Family Living*, 57, 12 (December 1975).

Gamal Abdul Nasser, (Charlotteville, NY: Sam Har Press, 1973)

Richard F. Nyrop, Beryl Lief Benderly, Ann S. Cort, Newton B. Parker, James L. Perlmutter, Rinn-Sup Shinn and Mary Shivanandan, *Area Handbook for Pakistan*, (Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 3rd edition, 1971)

Richard F. Nyrop, Beryl Lief Benderly, Ann S. Cort, Newton B. Parker, James L. Perlmutter, Rinn-Sup Shin and Mary Shivanandan, *Area Handbook for Ceylon*, (Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 1st edition, 1971)

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS AND POLICY REPORTS

“Conjugal Spirituality and the Gift of Reverence”, invited paper, Man and Woman He Created Them, John Paul II’s Theology of the Body 2nd International Symposium, June 11-14, 2009, Maynooth Ireland.

“Reflections on *Humanae Vitae* in the Light of *Fides et Ratio*” invited paper, *Humanae Vitae: Forty Years Later*, conference Ave Maria University, February 8, 2008.

Five Lectures on John Paul II’s Theology of the Body, Convocation of the Priests of the Diocese of Dodge City, Wichita Spiritual Life Center, Wichita KS, October 9-10, 2007.

“Happiness in the Thought of John Paul II and Thomas Aquinas,” Aquinas Lecture, Notre Dame Seminary, School of Theology, New Orleans, April 20, 2007

Six lectures on the Theology of the Body, Sisters of Life, Villa Maria Guadalupe Retreat Center, Stamford CT, July 1-4 2006

“*Duc in altum*” Keynote Address, annual conference, “Taking the Billings Method to the World in the 21st Century: Why we do it. . . How we do it!” Ovulation Method Research & Reference Centre of Australia, Melbourne, February 25, 2005.

“The Christian Perspective: Modesty in the Abrahamic Religions,” A Conversation with an Interfaith Abrahamic Delegation from Iran, sponsored by: The Catholic University of America Columbus School of Law and The International Center for Religion and Democracy, April 29, 2005.

“John Paul II’s Theology of the Body” lecture given at Michaelmas Conference, “Catholic Vision of Marriage,” St. Michael’s College, University of Toronto, June 10, 2005

“The Theological Anthropology of St. Bernard of Clairvaux in his Sermon on the Song of Songs: a Comparison with John Paul II,” paper given at the 2005 Annual National Meeting-Conference of the Society of Catholic Social Scientists, Franciscan University of Steubenville, October 29, 2005.

“John Paul II: The Redemption of the Body and the Call to Holiness,” guest lecture in the 2005-06 Major Speakers Program, Christendom College, Front Royal, VA, November 14, 2005, to be published in *Faith and Reason*.

“Relativism or Relativity: Religious Freedom and the Family,” paper prepared for the Becket Institute Inaugural Conference, Rome December 9, 2005,

Invited lectures, “Original Unity of Man and Woman, “The Redemption of the Body,” Marriage and Celibacy and the Language of the Body,” 2002 Institute, Diocese of Cheyenne, Wyoming, January, 22-24, 2002.

Invited lecture, "Our Bodies, Our Gift of Selves," Moss Program for Christian Social Thought and Management, Center for Catholic Studies, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN, April 15, 2002.

Author's Spring Forum, Diocese of Scranton Pastoral Formation Institute, Dalton, PA, April 30, 2002.

Theology of the Body keynote presenter, Northwest Family Education Conference, Seattle, WA, December 6-7, 2002.

Reviewed manuscript for The Catholic University of America Press, Washington, DC.

Invited lecture, "Subjectivity and the Order of Love," Department of theology, Franciscan University of Steubenville, Ohio, April, 2001.

Keynote presenter, "Theology of the Body," Catholic Family Life Conference, Diocese of St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, October 7-9, 2001

Invited paper, "*Familiaris Consortio* and the Transmission of Life: Twenty Years Later," Institute of Natural Family Planning Conference, Marquette University, March 22-24, 2001

Invited paper, "The Pope, Man and Woman," at the symposium, *The Achievements of John Paul II*, Oxford University Chaplaincy, August 2001.

Joint paper with Joseph Atkinson, STD, "The Person as Substantive Relationship and Reproductive Technologies," Society of Catholic Social Scientists Annual Conference, Ann Arbor, October, 2001.

Invited Paper, "Chastity as freedom," Diocese of Pittsburgh, December 12 2001.

Joined core team of Reaffirming Marriage Initiative, a joint project of the Ethics and Public Policy Center and the Columbia School of Law, the Catholic University of America, for initial strategy session, February 21, 2000

Chaired working session, "Countering the Contraceptive Mentality," at International Conference "The Great Jubilee and the Culture of Life," Queens College, Cambridge, UK, July 3-7, 2000.

Public Lecture, "*Fides et Ratio* and the Relational Existence of the Human Person," University of Scranton, Scranton, PA, April 27, 2000.

Invited presentation, "Reclaim and Proclaim the Christian Concept of the Person," Archdiocese of Arlington Institute for Religious Educators, Arlington, VA, September 16, 2000.

Training Workshop for “Theology of the Body” study group leaders, Women Affirming Life conference, “Feminine Genius and the Culture of Life,” Washington, DC., March 23-25, 2000.

“The Sacramentality of the Body and the Culture of Life,” “Rebuilding the Culture of Life,” conference, Lincoln, NE, October 27-29, 2000.

“Pope John Paul II: A New Vision of Marriage,” Colloquium, “Chesterton, Ireland and the Family,” Newman Institute, Ballina, Ireland, May 29, 1999

Prepared Intervention on Anthropology, Speculative Theology Session, Pontificio Istituto Giovanni Paolo Study Week, “Il disegno di Dio sulla persona, sul matrimonio e sulla famiglia,” Rome, Italy, August 22-28, 1999.

Invited paper, “Mary as the Second Eve,” The Holiness of Mary East-West conference, Mesa, Arizona, December 10-12, 1999.

Faculty presenter on the Theology of the Body Teen STAR and Holistic Sexuality Teacher Training Workshop, Bethesda, MD June 15-19, 1998.

Invited paper, “Conflicting Anthropologies of Contraception and Natural Family Planning,” Summer Symposium in Theology for Religious Educators and Pastoral Ministers, Assumption College, Worcester, Massachusetts, June 24, 1998.

“Catholic Personality Theory from the Old Testament to John Paul II,” 12 credit weekend seminar, Catholic Institute for the Psychological Sciences, Bethesda, MD, September 19-20, 1998.

Invited lecture, “Sexual Difference: A Trinitarian Perspective,” University of Scranton, East/West Center, November 4, 1999.

Invited lecture, “What Language does the Body Speak?” St. Joseph’s College, Maine, November 19, 1998.

Invited presenter, Conference on *Humanae Vitae*, 30th Anniversary, sponsored by the Catholic Laity and Respect Life Office, Diocese of Providence, RI, Wakefield, RI, November 21, 1998.

Five invited lectures, “The Communal Nature of Christian Existence: Feminism,” “Responsible Parenthood,” “Parent-Child Relations,” “New Technologies and Human Procreation,” and “The New Evangelization of John Paul II,” Summer Institute, Birmingham, England, co-sponsored by the John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage & Family and the Maryvale Institute, June 9-13, 1997.

Presentation, "The Anthropology of John Paul II," for panel on "The Social Science of John Paul II," 1997 Conference of the Fellowship of Catholic Scholars, September, 1997.

Invited lecture, "Anthropology of John Paul II and the Human Sciences," Postgraduate Institute for Human Sciences, Bethesda, MD April 25, 1997.

Three-part lecture series on "A Theology of Marriage as a Communion of Persons," Education for Parish Service program, Trinity College, Washington, DC, November 6, 13 and 20, 1996.

Presentation on "The Theology of the Body," NFP Teacher Training Seminar, Archdiocese of Washington, DC 1995.

Panel on "Essentials to the Concept of Woman," National Institute of Womanhood Conference: "Women of Character: Defining Ourselves for the 21st Century," Bethesda, MD, October 28, 1995.

Keynote speaker, 20th Anniversary Conference of Serena Saskatchewan Natural Family Planning, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, May 20-22, 1994.

"Christian Anthropology and the Ethics of Population Programs," paper prepared for the First World Conference on Population, Development, Family Life and Ethics, Convocation of World Religions on Population Ethics, Cairo, Egypt, September 8, 1994.

"The Asian-American Family," panel on Family and Culture, Fifth Annual conference, "Women of Character: Strengthening the Family," Bethesda, MD October 29, 1994.

"The New Participatory Research in the Social Sciences and Its Relevance to Family Planning Studies," paper presented at the Society of Catholic Social Scientists Annual Meeting, Franciscan University of Steubenville, OH, November 5, 1994.

Panelist, Conference on "International Politics, Abortion and the Catholic Church: Perspectives on the Cairo Conference on Population and Development," John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family, at The Catholic University of America, Washington, DC November 28, 1994.

Invited Lecture on theological anthropology, Mt. St. Mary's Seminary, Emmitsburg, MD March 11, 1993.

"Communication and Family Planning: Review of the Literature," refereed paper presented at the American Academy of Natural Family Planning annual meeting, Omaha, NE, July 24, 1993.

Presentation on natural family planning to Government of Singapore Family Resource Center, Singapore, August 12, 1993.

Presentation on NFP to Natural Family Planning Service of Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur, August 28, 1993.

Prepared a policy paper on NFP Training in the Public Sector, Office of Population, National Institutes of Health, Washington, D.C., 1993

Invited lecture on Marriage and Family, Diocesan Seminary, Penang, Malaysia, July 30, 1992.

Invited paper, "The Catholic Woman's Perspective on the Control of Fertility," conference on Natural Family Planning for State Midwives of Regione Emilia Romagna, Bologna, Italy, January 17, 1991.

"Implications of a Cultural-Linguistic Approach to Doctrines for Sexual Attitudes and Behavior," refereed paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, New Orleans, November 1989.

Edited book, *Human Ecology: A Physicians Guide to Human Life* on natural childbirth, breastfeeding and natural family planning 1989.

"The Blessings of Fertility," presentation to American Academy of Natural Family Planning, July, 1989

Presented testimony on NFP on behalf of the New England Natural Family Planning Association, at Congressional hearings, April 1987 and 1988.

Keynote presentation on NFP, Missouri Catholic Conference, Kansas City, July 9, 1988.

Prepared case studies on NFP for the World Health Organization manual on NFP through the International Federation for Family Life Promotion, Washington, DC, 1987.

"NFP: A New Form of Communication," invited presentation, Second Annual Human Fertility Institute, Twin Cities NFP Center, Minneapolis, MN, October 17, 1987.

Reviewed a glossary of NFP terms for the Institute for International Studies on Natural Family Planning, Georgetown University, 1987.

"Couple Communication and Sexual Attitudes: What Research tells us about Communication and Family Planning in General and Natural Family Planning in Particular," keynote address, NFP Provider Conference, Portland Or, February 21, 1987.

Prepared a directory of NFP training resources for the public sector and evaluated Title X NFP training capability for the Office of Population, Dept. of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC, 1987.

Thomasina Borkman and Mary Shivanandan, “Couple Communication and Sexual Attitudes in Natural Family Planning,” paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Dearborn, MI, November 1986.

Prepared chapter on “Abstinence and NFP” for an instruction manual for medical students commissioned by the Los Angeles Regional Family Planning Council, Department of Human Health and Services contract #282-84-0082. 1985.

Keynote presentation, “The Challenge of NFP,” NFP Association of Kentucky Annual Conference, Louisville, KY, November 9, 1985.

“Invited presentation on NFP, Aware Center Annual Conference, St. Louis, MO, October 14, 1984.

Conducted workshop on “When there is a need for spacing,” The Couple to Couple League Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD, July 5-8, 1984.

Conducted workshop on “Sex Education (fertility awareness) with Adaptation for Mentally Retarded,” National Catholic Education Association Annual Conference, Washington, DC April 4-7, 1983.

“The Impact of Natural Family Planning on Selected Aspects of the Couple’s Relationship,” research paper co-authored with Thomasina Borkman, professor of sociology, George Mason University, at the Second National and International Symposium on Natural Family Planning, May 22-25, 1983.

Invited presentations on NFP, Arlington Diocese, VA, May 20-21, 1983 and March 11, 1981

Thomasina Borkman and Mary Shivanandan, “Sexual Equality and Abstinence in NFP,” refereed paper presented at the International Symposium on Natural Family Planning, Los Angeles, June 1982.

Presentation on NFP, All Hallows College, Dublin, March 31, 1982.

Two lectures on NFP, “Education for Parish Service Program,” Trinity College, Washington, DC January 14 and 15, 1981.

Invited Speaker, NFP User Update session, Twin Cities NFP Center, Minneapolis, MN, October 1980 and 1981.

Correspondence with the Library of Congress, which was instrumental in having the terminology changed in the Subject Cataloging Division from “Rhythm Method (Birth Control)” to the general subject heading of “Natural Family Planning” with “subdivisions of “Calendar rhythm,” Ovulation method, and Temperature Method.” June 1980.

Edited “The Plan of Pastoral Action for Family Ministry: A Vision and Strategy,”
United States Catholic Conference, Washington, DC, 1978.

Prepared report on the Human Life and Natural Family Planning Foundation
conference on NFP, Arlington, VA for the United States Catholic Conference, 1977.

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