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## CURRICULUM VITAE

### ***Family***

Born: May 11, 1960 in Brno (that time: Czechoslovakia)  
Married: Alena Slabá, born 1960; originally midwife, currently office manager.  
Children: 2 adult daughters

### ***Education & Resaerch Scholarships***

2000 Forschungsstipendium DAAD at the Karl-Ruprecht-Universität, Heidelberg (BRD); 3 months.  
1996 Visiting Scholar at the Columbia Theological Seminary, Atlanta (USA); 4 months. 1992  
Habilitation for Old Testament Studies at the Charles University, Prague.  
1991 Visiting Member of the Senior Common Room at the Regent's Park College, Oxford University (GB); 4 months.  
1987-1990 Postgraduate doctoral study at the Comenius Faculty of Protestant Theology in Prague, Biblical Department (Prof. Jan Heller); PhD. theses & Doctor's degree 1990 (ThDr.).  
1982-1983 University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Theology.  
1979-1985 Comenius Faculty of Protestant Theology, Prague; Master's degree 1985.  
1975-1979 High school, Brno.  
1966-1975 Elementary school with enhanced tuition of foreign languages (German, Russian), Brno.

### ***Foreign Languages***

Modern: English, German, Dutch, Russian  
Classical: Latin, Greek, Hebrew

### ***Professional Experience***

2010- Vice-Rector for Study Affairs of the Charles University in Prague.  
2010- Member of the Scientific Council of the Charles University in Prague.  
2005-2010 Dean at the Protestant Faculty of Theology of the Charles University in Prague.  
2003- Secretary of the Center for Biblical Studies of the Academy of Sciences in Czech Republic and the Charles University in Prague.  
2003- Member of the Scientific Council of the St. Cyril and Methodius Faculty of Theology, Palacky University in Olomouc  
1999- Consultant Officer of the Center for Biblical Studies of the Academy of Sciences in Czech Republic and the Charles University in Prague.  
1999-2005 Vice-Dean for Research and Science at the Protestant Faculty of Theology of the Charles University in Prague.

1999-2005	Member of the Standing Working Group for Philosophy, Theology and Religious Studies at the Accreditation Commission (The Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic)
1998-2004	Member of the Subcommission for Philosophy, Theology and Religious Studies of the Czech Science Foundation (Grant Agency of the Czech Republic)
1992-	Associate Professor, Chair of the Old Testament Department at Protestant Faculty of Theology of the Charles University in Prague.
1992-1999	Secretary of the Biblical Institute at the Protestant Faculty of Theology of the Charles University in Prague.
1990-1996	Vice-Dean for Study Affairs of the Protestant Faculty of Theology of the Charles University in Prague.
1990-1992	Assistant Professor of Old Testament Studies at the Protestant Faculty of Theology of the Charles University in Prague (till 1990 Comenius Faculty of Protestant Theology).
1987-1990	Part-time external lecturer in Hebrew language and assistant for Old Testament Studies at the Comenius Faculty of Protestant Theology, Prague.
1985-1990	Pastor of the Protestant Church of Czech Brethren in local congregations – Vizovice (1985-1988) and Prague 9 - Horní Počernice (1988-1990). After leaving the full time profession of Church Ministry in favour of academic vocation (1990) still working in various activities of Church life.
1983-1985	Part-time Research Assistant at the Comenius Faculty of Protestant Theology, Prague.

### **Membership in Professional Organisations**

- Society for Biblical Literature (USA)
- European Association of Biblical Studies (EU)
- Wissenschaftliche Gesellschaft für Theologie e.V., Fachgruppe für Alttestamentliche Wissenschaft (Germany).
- Association Internationale Bible et Informatique (AIBI, Belgium).
- Center for Biblical Studies of the Academy of Sciences in Czech Republic and the Charles University in Prague (Czech Republic).
- Czech Society for the Study of Religions (Czech Republic).

### **Invitations & International Conference Lectures**

2011	XIX. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague); chairman and lecturer: "JHWH, der Einzige, und/oder andere Götter: das Sprachbild des sog. biblischen Monotheismus"
2010	International Conference: The Book of Exodus (Badín, Slovakia); lecture: The Shape and Function of the Formula in Exodus 34:6-7 in Czech and Slovak Bible Translations and Commentaries.
2010	Joint Seminar of the Protestant Faculty of Theology of the Charles University in Prague and the Faculty of Theology of the Karl-Ruprecht-Universität, Heidelberg (BRD); lecture: Bible in Bohemian Reformation: Reading Times through the Scripture.
2010	XVIII. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague); chairman and lecturer: "JHWH und die Götter – Monotheismus in der Bibel?"
2009	International Conference: Dekalogue – its Sense and Value in Christian Tradition (Prague); chairmain + main lecture "Decalogue – the Text of the Ten Commandments and its Significance for the Bible and its Theology."
2009	XVII. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague); chairman and lecturer: ""So sagt der Herr" und/oder "wie geschrieben ist": Argumentieren mit dem Gotteswort in der Schrift".
2009	International conference on the Hermeneutics of Narrative and Legal Texts of the Old Testament (Prague); lecture: "The Function of Direct Speech in Narrative. Exemplified on Gen 22:1-19".
2009	Internationale Konferenz zum 600. Jubiläum der Universität in Leipzig: Theologische Tage zum Thema Staat und Kirche (Leipzig); lecture "Königtum in Israel in der Perspektive der biblischen Zeugnisse"
2008	Christian Traditions between Catholicity and Particularity: 6th Conference of Protestant Theological Faculties from Central and Eastern Europe and the Netherlands (Prague); Member of the Organizing Committee + lecturer: "Der Weg Abrahams: Eine einzigartige Geschichte mit universaler Perspektive".

- 2008 Conference Theology and History (Prague); lecture "Theology in History – History in Theology: Christocentrism and the hermeneutical Deficit in the Theological Decree of Barmen (1934)"
- 2008 XVI. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague); chairman and lecturer: "Jan Heller: Zum Profil eines biblischen Theologen".
- 2008 Guest Lecture at the Faculty of Theology of the Leipzig University: "Was hatte Abraham vor mit dem Isaak auf dem Berge zu tun? Funktion der Verbformen in direkter Rede am Beispiel Gen 22:1-19. Beitrag zur narratologischen Hermeneutik".
- 2007 The 25th International Congress, Society of Biblical Literature, Vienna (Austria) lecture: "History of Old Testament Studies at the Protestant Faculty of Theology in Prague".
- 2007 XV. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague); chairman and lecturer: "Die Ordnung des Sabbatgebotes im "Chaos" seiner Gestaltungen".
- 2007 Conference of Presidents/heads of Theological institutions related to Reformed churches, organized by World Alliance of Reformed Churches & Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton (N.J., USA)
- 2006 5. Konferenz der Niederländischen und Mittel- und Südosteuropäischen Fakultäten und Instituten, Leiden, (the Netherlands)
- 2006 XIV. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague); chairman and lecturer: "Nicht die Greuel dieser Völker, sondern das JHWH-Wort (Dtn 18,9-22)".
- 2005 Colloquium for Biblical Study (Prague); chairman and lecturer: "Editio Biblia Hebraica Quinta – preliminary review of the project"
- 2005 XIII. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague); chairman.
- 2004 XVIIIth Congress of the International Organisation for the Study of the Old Testament (Leiden /NL/), paper: "The Two Versions of the Sabbat-Commandment. Structural Similarities".
- 2004 Visiting Teacher at the Catholic University in Nijmegen (NL); Erasmus Programme for the mobility of academic teachers (2 weeks).
- 2004 4. Konferenz der Niederländischen und Mittel- und Osteuropäischen Theologischen Fakultäten und Instituten, Bratislava (SK): "Die biblische Tradition und die offene Gesellschaft"
- 2004 XII. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 2003 Guest Lecture at the Protestant Theological Faculty of the Comenius University in Bratislava (Slovakia), "The so called Joash Inscription: the Epigraphic Discovery of the Century or a Fake?"
- 2003 Annual International Conference "Theological Study in the Light of Professional Skills", Saros-Patak (Hungary).
- 2003 XI. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 2003 International Conference at the Occasion of the 25th Anniversary of the "Studium in Israel" Programme: "Weiter Denken -- Weiter Gehen"
- 2003 Seminar organised for the postgraduate Education Programme of the Evangelical Church in Hessen / Starkenburg: "Auf den Spuren des Judentums in Prag"
- 2003 International Academic Symposium, Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität in Bonn (BRD): "Theologische Forschung im Kontext" in Bonn
- 2003 International Consultation organised by the Evangelical Church in Germany and the Leuenberg Fellowship of the Churches in Berlin: "Die Ausbildung zum ordinationsgebundenen Amt in der Leuenberger Kirchengemeinschaft"
- 2002 International Academic Symposium, Groningen (NL) [Die dritte Konferenz der mittelsüdosteuropäischen und niederländischen theologischen Fakultäten "Religion und Normativität - interdisziplinäre Überlegungen zum Dekalog damals und jetzt"].
- 2002 Conference of European Churches & Catholic Theological Faculty of the University of Graz "The Future of Theology - A Consultation of the Theological Faculties in Europe"
- 2002 X. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 2002 International Consultation of the Theological Faculties, Klingenthal (France): "Faculties of Theology within Humanities and Sciences in the Europe of Tomorrow"
- 2001 IX. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 2000 Visiting Scholar at the Karl-Ruprecht-University, Heidelberg (BRD); (Forschungsstipendium der DAAD)
- 2000 International Symposium "Hoffnung für die Zukunft - Modelle des eschatologischen und apokalyptischen Denkens" (Cluj, Romania).
- 2000 VIII. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 1999 International Seminar on Sacrifice (University Heidelberg & University Prague, Heidelberg, BRD & Prague)
- 1999 VII. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).

- 1998 International Seminar on The Use of Biblical Texts in Liturgy (Amsterdam, NL)
- 1998 ICCJ Conference "Unity Without Uniformity" (Erlbach, BRD)
- 1998 VI. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 1997 V. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 1997 Konsultation der Leuenberger Kirchengemeinschaft "Kirche und Israel" (Preetz, BRD)
- 1997 ICCJ Conference "The Other as Mystery and Challenge" (Roma, It)
- 1996 Visiting Scholar at Columbia Theological Seminary, Atlanta (USA); 4 months.
- 1996 IV. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 1995 II. Meeting of Young Central-European Biblical Scholars (Prague).
- 1995 International Symposium "The Old Testament in Culture" (Prague).
- 1995 Symposion "Universale Kirche und Kirche in der Region" (Internationales Wissenschaftsforum, Heidelberg, Germany)
- 1995 III. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague).
- 1995 Societas Hebraica Amstelodamensis (Amsterdam, the Netherlands).
- 1994 4th A.I.B.I. Conference - "Desk and Discipline - The Impact of Computers on Biblical Studies" (Amsterdam, the Netherlands)
- 1994 International Symposium "Christianity-Judaism-Islam in Europe at the End of the 20th Century" (Prague).
- 1994 II. Colloquium Biblicum (Prague/Herlíkovice).
- 1994 23. Internationale Ökumenische Konferenz der Hebräischlehrer (Wuppertal, Germany).
- 1993 8. Europäischer Theologenkongress (Vienna, Austria).
- 1993 7th Annual Rabbinic Seminar (The Shalom Hartman Institute, Jerusalem, Israel).
- 1993 11th World Congress of Jewish Studies (Jerusalem, Israel).
- 1993 22. Internationale Ökumenische Hebräisch-Dozenten-konferenz (Bamberg, Germany).
- 1993 Strategy Meeting on the Presentation of Jewish Religion, Culture and History in the New Educational Systems in Central Europe (organised by the International Council of Christians and Jews; Mauloff/Weilrod, BRD).
- 1993 Colloquium Biblicum (Prague/Herlíkovice).
- 1992 International Conference "The Bible and Its Traditions. The Bible in Intercultural Communication" (Bechyni, Czech Republic).
- 1991 3rd A.I.B.I. Conference on the Bible and Computers (Tübingen, Germany).
- 1991 Regent's Park College, Oxford University (Visiting Member of SCR, March - July).
- 1990 International Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature (Vienna, Austria).
- 1990 XX. Internationale Ökumenische Konferenz der Hebräisch-Dozenten (Hamburg, Germany).
- 1989 13th Congress of the International Organisation for the Study of the Old Testament /IOSOT/ (Leuven, Belgium).

## References

- Prof. Dr. Petr POKORNÝ, Professor of New Testament Studies, Charles University, Prague.
- Prof. Dr. Manfred OEMING, Professor of Old Testament Studies, Ruprecht-Karls-Universität, Heidelberg (BRD).
- Prof. Dr. Stefan SCHREINER, Professor of Jewish Studies, Institutum Iudaicum, Eberhard-Karls-Universität, Tübingen (BRD).
- Prof. Dr. Thomas RÖMER, Professor of Old Testament Studies, Université de Lausanne (CH) & Collège de France, Paris (F).
- Prof. Dr. Werner H. SCHMIDT, Professor Emeritus of Old Testament Studies, Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität, Bonn (BRD)
- Prof. Dr. Ed NOORT, Professor of Old Testament Studies, Rijksuniversiteit Groningen (NL).
- Prof. Dr. Klaas SPRONK, Professor of Old Testament Studies, Protestant Theological University, Kampen (NL).
- Prof. Dr. Erik EYNIKEL, Professor of Old Testament Studies, Radboud Universiteit, Nijmegen (NL).