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**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**EDUCATION**

**Loyola University Chicago (2025-present)**

PhD. in Theology, New Testament and Early Christianity.

**Studium Biblicum Franciscanum (2021-2025)**

Licentiate of Biblical Sciences and Archaeology.

GPA 9.50 (out of 10)

Dissertation: “Ciò che veramente abbiamo visto e udito annunciamo proprio a voi. Esegisi e intertestualità in 1Gv 1,1-4” (*What we have truly seen and heard we announce precisely to you. Exegesis and intertextuality in 1 John 1:1-4*) - Grade: 9.50 (out of 10).

**University of Navarra (2015-2019)**

Bachelor of Theology.

GPA 9.45 (out of 10).

Final evaluation: baccalaureate degree examination - Grade: 9.6 (out of 10)

**Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro (2012-2015)**

Bachelor of Philosophy.

GPA 9.6 (out of 10).

Dissertation: “A *paideia* em Clemente de Alexandria: Da pedagogia do Logos à gnose crista” (*The paideia in Clement of Alexandria: From the pedagogy of the Logos to Christian gnosis*) – Grade: 10 (out of 10)

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**Loyola University Chicago**

Teaching Assistant, Religion and Gender: Prophecy and Gender in Ancient Judaism and Ancient Christianity (Fall 2025, for Olivia Stewart Lester).

Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Religious Studies (Fall 2025, for Olivia Stewart Lester).

**St. Joseph Seminary**

Teacher of the following disciplines: Introduction to Thomism, Spiritual reading of Sacred Scripture, Theology of creation, History of scholastic philosophy, History of

patristic philosophy - at the “Curso de Férias” (Vacation Course) offered by St. Joseph Seminary in partnership with the Instituto Superior de Ciências Religiosas – ISCR RJ (The Superior Institute of Religious Studies), both of the Archdiocese of Rio de Janeiro (2015-2019).

**PUBLICATIONS (ARTICLES)**

Cardoso da Silva, F.H. (2024). Giuseppe di Arimatea: Uno studio narrativo secondo il racconto del Vangelo di Marco. *Medievalis*, 12 (2).

Cardoso da Silva, F.H. (2021). A práxis política segundo o De regno de Tomás de Aquino. *Medievalis*, 8 (2).

**PROFESSIONAL AND SCHOLARLY SERVICE**

Parochial Vicar at St. Francis Xavier Parish (Tijuca, Rio de Janeiro - Brazil), 2019-2022.

Advisor to the Episcopal Vicariate for Education of the Archdiocese of Rio de Janeiro, 2019-2020.

**LANGUAGES**

*Ancient:* Biblical Hebrew (15 ECTS), NT Greek (15 ECTS), OT Aramaic (5 ECTS), Syriac (10 ECTS), Latin (15 ECTS).

*Modern:* Ability to read, speak and listen: Portuguese, Spanish, Italian, French, English; Limited competence in Modern Hebrew; Low proficiency in German.

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Catholic Biblical Association (2025-present)

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Born: March 24, 1993, Rio de Janeiro RJ.

Admission at the St. Joseph Catholic Seminary of the Archdiocese of Rio de Janeiro: February, 2012.

Admission at the Bidasoa International Seminary (Prelature of the Holy Cross and Opus Dei): October, 2015.

Deacon ordination: February 16, 2019 (Pamplona, Spain).

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August 22, 2025

Priestly ordination: December 7, 2019 (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil).

Academic interests: NT exegesis (especially the Gospel of John and the Letters of St. John), biblical languages (especially Greek and Syriac), rabbinic literature and parallels with the NT, the Dead Sea Scrolls and their influence on the Johannine writings.