

Theses

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Some titles appear in more than one section, for ease of reference. They are indicated by an asterisk. All theses are for the Ph.D. degree unless otherwise indicated. In a few cases, a short explanation of the thesis title has been added if its relevance to the section in which it is included is not immediately obvious. The abstract number appended to each entry refers to *Dissertation Abstracts International*; the items refer to the volume, issue, and page number of a particular abstract.

Unfortunately, identification of a promising dissertation is often only a modest first step towards a reading of it. While the subject of availability goes beyond the scope of the present project, several suggestions are in order. A very able handling of this vexing problem is to be found in Frank J. Shulman's *Doctoral Dissertations on Japan and Korea, 1969-1974* (Ann Arbor, Michigan: University Microfilms, 1976), pp. 413-23. The country-by-country survey of the 'Availability of Dissertations' includes a knowledgeable description of the *unavailability* of Soviet theses (pp. 419-20) contributed by Patricia Polansky of the University of Hawaii at Manoa. (See also the thorough examination of 'Soviet Dissertation Lists since 1934' by Eleanor Buist in *The Library Journal* 33 (April, 1963), pp. 197-207; despite its promising title, Marc Chauveinc's *Guide on the Availability of Theses* (Gronigen, The Netherlands: University Library, Gronigen, 1978) is disappointing and awkwardly translated.)

Since Soviet theses may be examined only in the USSR, and then with no predictability, their inclusion requires explanation. Beyond the fact that Soviet interest in particular topics is instructive, the findings of Soviet dissertations are usually published in article or book form. Thus an author's name serves as a lead to a published treatment of his or her research. Finally, *avtoreferaty*, thesis abstracts of twenty to sixty pages, are more accessible than the dissertations themselves and some of these have found their way into western collections.

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USSR/Islam

<i>Author</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Pages</i>	<i>Abstract</i>
Collias, Karen A.	Heroes and Patriots: The Ethnic Integration of Youth in the Soviet Union During the Brezhnev Era, 1965-1982 [special attention devoted to the Muslim culture of Uzbekistan]	Columbia U.	1987	387	51/06-A 1981

USSR/Judaism

*Nedava, Joseph	Trotsky and the Jewish Question	U. of Pennsylvania	1970	329	31/06-A 2853
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USSR/Orthodoxy

Moravsky, Nikita	Russian Orthodox Dissent in Historical Perspective	Georgetown U.	1989	446	50/11-A 3624
Scammell, Michael	Solzhenitsyn, A Biography [includes Solzhenitsyn's conversion to Christianity]	Columbia U.	1985		47/07-A 2610

Bulgaria

Haskell, Guy H.	The Jews of Bulgaria in Israel: Components of Identity [includes 'Social Political and Ideological Changes which Occurred in Bulgaria. . . Preceding Immigration']	Indiana U.		405	46/12-A 3827
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China

Gladney, Dru C.	<i>Qingzhen</i> : A Study of Ethnoreligious Identity Among Hui Muslim Communities in China	U. of Washington, Seattle	1987		
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*Greenawalt, Bruce Stephan	Missionary Intelligence from China: American Protestant Reports, 1930-1950 [includes missionary evaluations of Chinese communists]	U. of North Carolina, Chapel Hill	1974	385	35/08-A	5300
*Heininger, Janet Elaine	The American Board in China: The Missionaries' Experiences and Attitudes, 1911-1952 [treats missionary attitudes toward Chinese communists]	U. of Wisconsin, Madison	1981	358	42/07-A	3272
Lee, Chun Kwan	The Theology of Revival in the Chinese Christian Church 1900-1949: Its Emergence and Impact		1988			
Lee, Ken Ang	Watchman Nee: A Study of His Major Theological Themes [Nee died in a Chinese communist work camp]	Westminster Theological Seminary	1989	282	50/06-A	1704
Lovejoy, Charles Douglas Jr.	Uncertain Opening: The Catholic Church and China in the Contemporary International Order	Catholic U. of America	1989	555	50/04-A	1083
Pamudji, Peterus	Little Flock Trilogy: A Critique of Watchman Nee's Principal Thought on Christ, Man and the Church [Nee died in a Chinese communist work camp]	Drew U.	1985	205	47/01-A	217

East Germany

Brand, George Howard	Accommodation and Resistance: A Study of Church-State Relations in the German Democratic Republic	Columbia U.	1974	142	36/02-A	1058
Goeckel, Robert Frederick	Detente and Conservativizing Liberalization: The State and the Evangelical Churches in the German Democratic Republic, 1968-1974	Harvard U.	1982	674	43/05-A	1668

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Liberation Theology

Batstone, David Bruce	From Conquest to Struggle: Jesus of Nazareth in the Liberation Christology of Latin America	Graduate Theological Union	1989	316	50/07-A	2110
Blue, John Ronald	Origins of Gustavo Gutierrez' 'A Theology of Liberation'	U. of Texas, Arlington	1989	285	50/11-A	3628
Bonpane, Blase Anthony	Liberation Theology and The Central American Revolution	U. of California, Irvine	1984		45/02-A	606
Carle, Robert Dwight	Theological Critiques of Human Rights Theory: The Contributions of Jacques Maritain and Gustavo Gutierrez	Emory U.	1989	285	51/01-A	195
Chea, Jose Luis	The Process and the Implications of Change in the Guatemalan Catholic Church [examines the church leadership's lack of sympathy for liberation theology]	U. of Texas, Austin	1988	710	49/06-A	1555
Chung, Hyun-Kyung	Struggle to be the Sun Again: Emerging Asian Women's Liberation Theology	Union Theological Seminary (NY)	1989	258	51/03-A	898
Costa, Ruy Otavio	Toward a Latin American Protestant Ethic of Liberation: A Comparative Study of the Writings of Rubem Alves and José Míguez Bonino From the Perspective of the Sources and Substance of Their Social Ethics	Boston U.	1990	725	50/07-A	2111
Dixon, David Carey	A Critical Analysis of Liberationist Christology in the Writings of Gustavo Gutierrez, Leonardo Boff, and Jon Sobrino	Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary	1988	284	49/10-A	3061
Donlin-Smith, Thomas Herrold	Liberation Theology and the Allocation of Health Care Resources: A Critique of Biomedical Ethics in the U.S.	U. of Virginia	1988	284	50/5-A	1328

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Eustache Vilaire, Nathan Alirio	A Philosophical and Theological Assessment of Roman Catholicism in Latin America	Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary	1988	236	49/10-A 3059
Fulkerson, Mary McClintock	Eccliesial Tradition and Social Praxis: A Study in Theological Method [critiques liberation theologian Juan Luis Segundo]	Vanderbilt U.	1986	306	47/04-A 1368
Greider, Brett Eugene	Crossing 'Deep Rivers': The Liberation Theology of Gustavo Gutierrez in Light of the Narrative Poetics of Jose Maria Arguedas [Peru]	Graduate Theological Union	1989	309	50/07-A 2073
Hopkins, Dwight Nathaniel	Black Theology U.S.A. and South Africa: Political and Cultural Liberation	Union Theological Seminary (NY)	1988	480	49/10-A 3062
Hunt, Mary Elizabeth	Feminist Liberation Theology: The Development of Method in Construction	Graduate Theological Union	1980	207	41/04-A 1655
Koh, Jae Sik	A Comparison of Walter George Muelder's Christian Social Ethics of Responsible Society and Jose Miguez Bonino's Liberation Ethics	Northwestern U.	1979	291	40/06-A 291
Lancaster, Roger Nelson	Thanks to God and the Revolution: Popular Religion and Class Consciousness in the New Nicaragua	U. of California, Berkeley	1987	417	48/09-A 2374
*Lee, Sangrin	The Dialectics of Liberation Theology: A Marxist Critique	Temple U.	1989	182	50/06-A 1700
Maher, Mary V.	Historicity and Christian Theology: Johannes Baptist Metz's Critique of Karl Rahner's Theology	Catholic U. of America	1989	436	50/04-A 980
Min, Anselm Kyongsuk	Praxis and Liberation: Toward a Theology of Concrete Totality	Vanderbilt U.	1989	429	50/06-A 1705

Mitchell, Eric Robin	M. M. Thomas' View of Church and Society: A Comparison with the Liberation Theology of Gustavo Gutierrez	Drew U.	1985	196	46/05-A 1324
Murickan, Joseph K.	From Development to Liberation: Perspectives in the Emergence of Liberation Theology in India	Duquesne U.	1985	344	46/03-A 730
Nickoloff, James B.	The Church and Human Liberation: The Ecclesiology of Gustavo Gutierrez [Peru]	Graduate Theological Union	1989	417	49/12-A 3764
Planas, Juan Ricardo	The Political Dimension in Liberation Theology: The Evolution of a Religious Praxis	George Washington U.	1985	362	46/06-A 1728
Rasolondraibe, Peri	Liberation and Reconciliation: An African Ethical Reflection on the Dialectical Interaction between Liberation and Reconciliation in African Political Economy	Princeton Theological Seminary	1984	446	45/05-A 1445
Schipani, Daniel S.	Conscientization and Creativity: A Reinterpretation of Paulo Freire, Focused on His Epistemological and Theological Foundations With Implications for Christian Education Theory [chapter 3 treats liberation theology]	Princeton Theological Seminary	1981	268	42/04-A 1573
Stemmel, Michael L.	Theology of Liberation and Political Theology: Leonardo Boff and Gustavo Gutierrez in Conversation with Johann Baptist Metz and Juergen Moltmann	Temple U.	1990	366	51/04-A 1266
Thomas, Gloria Blanchfield	Ecclesial Authority: A Study of the Conflicting Perspectives of Leonardo Boff, Liberation Theologian, and the Congregation for the Doctrine of Faith	Drew U.	1988	343	50/01-A 176
Viviers, George C.	Christian Political Witness of the Church of the Poor: A Study of the Political Ecclesiology of the Basic Ecclesial Communities in Brazil	Princeton Theological Seminary	1984	349	45/05-A 1447

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Waltermore, Donald Eugene Jr.	The Liberation Christologies of Leonardo Boff and Jon Sobrino: Latin American Contributions to Contemporary Christology	Southern Baptist Theological Seminary	1990	277	51/04-A 1279
Warren, William Henry III	Kairos and Liberation: A Critical Comparison of the Theologies of History of Paul Tillich and Selected Latin American Theologians	Emory U.	1989	410	50/07-A 2120

Marxist View of Religion

*Lee, Sangrin	The Dialectics of Liberation Theology: A Marxist Critique	Temple U.	1989	182	50/06-A 1700
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Marxism as Religion

Cushman, Thomas Orton	Ritual and the Sacralization of the Secular: Social Sources of Conformity and Order in Soviet Society	U. of Virginia	1987	283	49/11-A 3525
*Hatch, David Allen	The Cult of Personality of Kim Il-Song: Functional Analysis of a State Myth	American U.	1986	463	47/10-A 3861

Marxism on Religion

Kalem'imana, Joseph Bitangisake	Christianity and Socialism in Tanzania	Drew University	1986	343	47/05-A, 1849
*Nedava, Joseph	Trotsky and the Jewish Question	U. of Pennsylvania	1970	329	31/06-A 2853

Rosado, Caleb	Sect and *Party: Religion Under Revolution in Cuba	Northwestern U.	1985	384	46/11-A 3495
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Religious View of Marxism

*Barkat, Anwar Masih	The Fellowship of Socialist Christians and Its Antecedents	Duke U.	1965	304	26/09-A 5523
Christensen, Vagn Aage Carisius	The Godesberg Socialists and the German Catholic Community: An Appraisal of Their Relationship, 1959-1966 [treats Catholic perception of SD's as communists]	U. of California, Berkeley	1968	188	29/04-A 1253
Crosby, Donald F.	The Angry Catholics: American Catholics and Senator Joseph R. McCarthy, 1950-1957 [includes a discussion of 'The Tradition of Anti-Communism Among American Catholics']	Brandeis U.	1973	545	34/07-A 4145
Dunn, Joe Pender	The Church and the Cold War: Protestants and Conscripton, 1940-1955 [treats mainline church 'opposition to. . . hardline, anti-communist foreign and military policies']	U. of Missouri, Columbia	1973	230	35/02-A 1001
*Greenawalt, Bruce Stephan	Missionary Intelligence from China: American Protestant Reports, 1930-1950 [includes missionary evaluations of Chinese communists]	U. of North Carolina, Chapel Hill	1974	385	35/08-A 5300
*Heininger, Janet Elaine	The American Board in China: The Missionaries' Experiences and Attitudes, 1911-1952 [treats missionary attitudes toward Chinese communists]	U. of Wisconsin, Madison	1981	358	42/07-A 3272
Hung, Tran Thanh	Buddhism and Politics in Southeast Asia [chapter 7 addresses 'The Buddhist Encounter with Communism']	Claremont Graduate School	1970	482	31/8-A 4229

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Koeppen, Sheilah Rosenhack	Dissensus and Discontent: The Clientele of the Christian Anti-Communist Crusade	Stanford U.	1967	169	28/11-A 4678
Muray, Leslie Anthony	A Comparison of the Concept of Freedom in the Thought of Roger Garaudy and Daniel Day Williams	Claremont Graduate School	1982	230	43/04-A 1202
Osmer, Harold Henry	United States Religious Press Response to the Containment Policy During the Period of the Korean War	New York U.	1970	266	31/05-A 2318
Redekop, John Harold	Billy James Hargis: A Case Study of the American Far Right	U. of Washington	1965	442	27/01-A 234
Stone, Ronald Henry	Reinhold Niebuhr's Perspective on United States Foreign Policy [chapter 2 examines Niebuhr's period of identification with Marxism]	Columbia U.	1968	283	30/02-A 802
Stroman, John Albert (Th.D.)	The American Council of Christian Churches: A Study of its Origin, Leaders and Characteristic Positions [addresses the Council's hostility to communism]	Boston U.	1966	336	27/08-A 2608
Vinz, Warren Lang	A Comparison Between Elements of Protestant Fundamentalism and McCarthyism	U. of Utah	1968	280	29/07-A 2200

Christian-Marxist Dialogue

*Barkat, Anwar Masih	The Fellowship of Socialist Christians and Its Antecedents	Duke U.	1965	304	26/09-A 5523
Smith, Ruth Lynette	The Individual and Society in Reinhold Niebuhr and Karl Marx	Boston U.	1982	278	43/04-A 1175