

DAVID PAUL PIVONKA, TOR

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

COORDINATOR OF FRANCISCAN PATHWAYS

Evangelistic Outreach of the Franciscans, TOR | 2012-Present

Building The Ministry of the Wild Goose— *The Wild Goose* Video Series and Documentary film, *Sign of Contradiction*

Speaking full-time at nearly fifty events each year ranging from retreats, workshops, conferences, parish missions and pilgrimages.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth February 1, 1965
Place of Birth Durango, Colorado
Citizenship USA

RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION

Solemnly professed and ordained member of the Franciscan Friars of the Third Order Regular of St. Francis, Province of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.
Box 137 Loretto, PA 15940

First Profession of Vows - June 1, 1991, St. Anthony, Windber, PA

Ordination to Priesthood - May 4, 1996, Franciscan University, Steubenville, OH

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Ministry of the Wild Goose, utilizing the skills of collaboration, delegation, networking, visioning, tech and social media skills, and media outreach for evangelization with a worldwide reach. Thirteen years experience working at Franciscan University, including articulation and promotion of Mission Effectiveness, Director of Study Abroad Program and the Development of Youth Outreach Conferences.

DIRECTOR OF POST-NOVITIATE FORMATION

Franciscans, TOR, Washington, D.C. | 2008-2012

Formed student Friars in their spiritual, educational, and psychological development.

DIRECTOR OF STUDY ABROAD

Franciscan University— Austria | 2005-2008

Directed the FUS study abroad program, giving direction and vision to the Program in Gaming, Austria.

Oversaw all aspects of the Study Abroad Program in Gaming, Austria through collaboration with a senior faculty member and the Director of Student Life.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR MISSION & PLANNING

Franciscan University | 2003-2005

Directed a team of Faculty, Staff and Students leading Franciscan University in Strategic Planning and Mission awareness.

Oversaw Pilgrimage Office.

Served as a member of the President's Council.

DIRECTOR OF YOUTH OUTREACH CONFERENCES

Franciscan University | 1999-2003

Oversaw the development and growth of the Youth Outreach Office facilitating growth from three conferences to more than ten each summer.

ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT

Franciscan University | 1998-1999

Assisted Fr. Mike Scanlan during his last year as President.

Served as a member of the President's Cabinet.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY CONT'D

DIRECTOR OF HOUSEHOLD SUPPORT

Franciscan University | 1996-1998

Worked with a Household Council of eight students who served the Household Life on campus. Offered direction and formation for students who were involved in Households.

ADJUNCT PROFESSOR

Franciscan University | 1996-1998

EDUCATION

EJD, EXECUTIVE JURIS DOCTORATE

Concord University School of Law of Purdue University Global | 2011

ED. DOCTORATE

Graduate Theological Foundation | 2005

Doctoral Project: Catholic Education in a Post Modern World

M.A. IN THEOLOGY

Washington Theological Union | 1996

M.A. Thesis: The Indissolubility of Christian Marriage
Concentration in Canon Law.

M. DIV

Washington Theological Union | 1996

B.A. IN THEOLOGY

Franciscan University of Steubenville | 1989

STUDENT

Fort Lewis College, Durango, CO | 1983-1985

PUBLICATIONS

Pivonka, David. *Rocked by God*. Steubenville, OH: University Press, 2000

Pivonka, David. *Spiritual Freedom - God's Life-Giving Gift*. Cincinnati, OH: Servant Press, 2008

Pivonka, David. *Hiking the Camino - 500 Miles with Jesus*. Cincinnati, OH: Servant Press, 2009

Pivonka, David. *Encounter Jesus - From Discovery to Discipleship*. Cincinnati, OH: Servant Press, 2014

Pivonka, David. *Breath of God - Living a Life Led by the Holy Spirit*. Notre Dame, IN: Ave Maria Press, 2016

Pivonka, David. *Sign of Contradiction*. Fairhope, AL: 4PM Media, 2018

VIDEO PRODUCTIONS

Pivonka David. *The Wild Goose - Developing a Deeper Relationship with the Holy Spirit*. Fairhope, AL: 4 PM Media, 2016

Pivonka, David. *Sign of Contradiction - Documentary on St. Francis of Assisi*. Fairhope, AL: 4 PM Media, 2018

Pivonka, David. *Metanoia - The Word Became Flesh*. Fairhope, AL: 4 PM Media, 2020

BOARD MEMBERSHIPS

Renewal Ministries, Board Member, 2008-Present

Saint Francis University, Board Member, 2000-2012

National Service Committee, Board Member, 2008-2012