

# Curriculum Vitae of John Anthony Edmiston



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## My Current Positions

**Chairman / CEO** - AIBI-International dba. Cybermissions

**Chairman:** Technology In Missions Working Group - World Evangelical Alliance Missions Commission

**Associate** - World Evangelical Alliance Missions Commission

**Member** - Mobile Ministry Forum (which focuses on the use of mobile technology for Christian ministry)

**Lecturer** - in Internet Evangelism for Christian Leadership Alliance via Azusa Pacific University

**Lecturer** – in Theology of Technology & Online Ministry/Mobile Ministry for CityVision College (Boston)

**Lecturer** - in Mobile Ministry for the Mobile Ministry Forum

## My Websites

**Global Christians:** <http://www.globalchristians.org> (online discipleship and theological training)

**Cybermissions:** <http://www.cybermissions.org> (training in the use of technology in ministry)

**Phronema :** <http://www.phronema.org> (develops specialized search engines for Christian ministry)

**New Testament Prayer:** <http://www.newtestamentprayer.com> (teaching and courses on prayer)

**Biblical EQ:** <http://www.biblicaleq.com> (a Christian approach to emotional intelligence training)

## Other

**Senior Pastor** – Eternity Christian Fellowship

## Educational Qualifications

- **University of Qld (1975-1978)**  
*Bachelor of Science in Inorganic Chemistry, double major in Psychology.*
- **Baptist Theological College of Qld (1980-85)**  
*Theological studies for the ministry. Adv. Diploma of Ministries.*
- **Melbourne College of Divinity (1982-85)**  
*Theological studies. Bachelor of Divinity (it is a post-graduate Bachelor's Degree equivalent to the US "M.Div." see accompanying letter)*
- **Short Courses**  
Small Business Management  
Total Quality Management  
Educational Counselling

## Lectureships Held

- Dauli Teachers College – Dauli, Papua New Guinea – 1986  
Religious Education
- Urban Ministry Training Centre – Port Moresby Papua New Guinea – 1986-87  
Old Testament, Urban Ministry
- North Queensland College of Ministries Townsville, Australia (1991-2000),  
A wide range of undergraduate courses in Christian Theology, Biblical Studies ec.
- Rhema Bible College , Townsville, Australia (1997-2000)  
A wide range of undergraduate courses in Christian Theology, Biblical Studies etc.
- Asian Theological Seminary, Manila, Philippines (2003-2005)  
Adjunct faculty, post-graduate courses (M.A) in Urban Ministry
- Calvary Chapel South Bay Bible College, Gardena CA (2006 -2010)  
A wide range of undergraduate courses in Christian Theology, Biblical Studies etc.
- Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena CA (2006-2009)  
Adjunct faculty, MAGL program, post-graduate course in Internet Evangelism and Cybermissions
- Christian Leadership Alliance / Azusa Pacific University: Adjunct faculty, lecturing in Internet Evangelism

## Publications

John Edmiston has published one major textbook, numerous ebooks and hundreds of articles including journal articles in major Christian journals.

1. Edmiston, John *Biblical EQ: A Christian Handbook For Emotional Transformation*, Carson, Eternity Christian Publishing, 2001-2007
2. The ebooks by John Edmiston may be located at: [www.globalchristians.org/ebooks/](http://www.globalchristians.org/ebooks/)
3. Journals published in include: Lausanne World Pulse, Journal of Frontier Missions, Outcomes (Christian Leadership Alliance), and Connections (the journal of the World Evangelical Alliance Missions Commission)

## Conferences

John Edmiston speaks regularly at national and international conferences, major conferences include:

- World Evangelical Alliance Missions Commissions Consultations
- ICCM - International Conference in Computing and Missions
- Biola Digital Ministry Conference
- Mobile Ministry Forum
- CMTA (Christian Ministry Training Association)
- Gospelcom Digital Ministry Conference (now ceased)
- Asia by Radio (Singapore, 2004 and 2005 only)

## Employment History

I have always been an energetic and independent self-employed entrepreneur who worked simultaneously in the academic, Christian ministry and workplace counselling arenas.

**2006-present, USA:** CEO of Cybermissions, pastor of ECF, lecturer in Internet Evangelism at Fuller Theological Seminary, lecturer at Calvary Chapel Bible College, South Bay campus, conference speaker , and Christian author based in Los Angeles, CA (see also Current Positions)

**2001-2005, Philippines:** CEO of Cybermissions, lecturer at Asian Theological Seminary, member National Coalition on Urban Transformation, Member of Religious Affairs Advisory Board to President Gloria Arroyo, set up 22 computer centres in Philippines and Indonesia, also conference speaker.

**1988-2000, Australia:** Chairman Scripture Union North Queensland, AFES staffworker James Cook University, lecturer North Queensland College of Missions, CEO Townsville Career Guidance Service, Head of Career Counselling at Barrier Reef Institute of Technical and Further Education, lecturer Rhema Bible College, CEO Eternity Online Magazine (one of the first Christian Internet magazines)

**1986-1987, Papua New Guinea:** lecturer Dauli Teachers College, Chaplain to the University of Papua New Guinea in Port Moresby, lecturer Urban Ministry Training Center Port Moresby, numerous committee memberships, pastor Gerehu congregation of the Evangelical Church of Papua.

John Edmiston is an entrepreneur and workaholic who combines Christian ministry with other interests.