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### Marcelo Javier Navarro Muñoz, IVE





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#### Experience

#### Job Title/Company

Rev. Marcelo Javier Navarro Muñoz, IVE, is a professed member of the Institute of the Incarnate Word at present living in Fossanova Abbey (Italy), and professor of Fundamental Theology at the 'Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen' House of Formation in Maryland (US) since 2001.

#### Job Title/Company

Missionary work in Sao Paolo (Brazil, 1995), Guyana (South America, 1995-1998) and Papua New Guinea (October 1999-March 2000).

Pastoral work: **a)** Diocese of Brooklyn and Queens (N.Y.) from 1998-2006 (Saint Gabriel the Archangel Parish, parochial vicar, then pastor); **b)** Diocese of San Jose (CA), from 2006 to 2017(Saint Leo the Great Parish, pastor, dean).

Professor of Spanish, Literature, and *Preceptiva Literaria* at the Bachillerato Humanista 'Alfredo R. Bufano', 'Marcelo J. Morsella" IVE Novitiate, and Seminario Religioso 'María, Madre del Verbo Encarnado', San Rafael, Mendoza, Argentina (1988-1994).

Professor of Logic and Latin I at the 'Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen' House of Formation in Maryland (US) (1998-2000), and Fundamental Theology, (2001 to present).

Secretary to Provincial Superior, Province of the *Immaculate Conception of the Institute of the Incarnate Word*, and member of the Provincial Council (2005-2015)

Procura Generalizia of the *Institute of the Incarnate Word* (Roma, 2017-2019), assistant, several projects.

Independent Philosophical and Theological Research (Fossanova Abbey, 2019 to present)

Associate Staff Member Maryvale Institute (Birmingham, UK)

Invited Professor - Filosofia della Conoscenza (BA) at *Regina Apostolorum* (Rome), 2023 – 2024 – 2025 - 2026

## ORCID



#### Education

#### Degree / Date Earned

High School Degree, *Escuela de Agricultura. Universidad Nacional de Cuyo* (1980-1985), GPA (equivalent): 9:39 average out of 10.

Philosophy and Theology Studies at Seminario Religioso 'María, Madre del Verbo Encarnado', San Rafael, Mendoza, Argentina (1986-1994).

Fr. Marcelo Javier Navarro Muñoz received his Ph.D. through Maryvale Institute (Birmingham, UK) and Liverpool Hope University (Liverpool, UK) in 2020. The title of his doctoral thesis is 'The Epistemological Structure of the Act of Faith. The Contribution of the Intensive Thomism of Cornelio Fabro to Fundamental Theology'..

#### PUBLICATIONS

#### Articles

*"Metaphysics as the "science of truth" and "divine science"*, forthcoming *"The Catholic Priesthood: a Visible Extension, per Participation, of Christ's Priesthood"*, presented at St Mary's University Twickenham, London & Ave Maria University Conference on Catholic Priesthood, Twickenham, London, June 2024, for publication. Forthcoming 2025.

"Faith as First Participation in the Divine Light", presented at the Sacra Doctrina Conference in Baltimore, June 2023, for publication.

"The profoundly human notion of participation", in The Incarnate World Journal, May 2024, vol. 11, n. 1: 133-57.

"From a grain of sand to God" - Unsurmountable Immanence.

The Fabrian Vision of the Comparison of Being and Nothingness in Aquinas and Heidegger

The Incarnate Word Journal, vol. 9, n.1 (May 2022): pp. 51-78.

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Faith-Reason, a problematic relationship? Theology as an extension of faith in reason

Polonia Sacra 25 (2021) nr 3 (65), pp. 169–188

(Journal of the John Paul II, Pontifical University, Kraków, Poland)

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Process Theology and its "Application" to Catholic Fundamental Theology The Incarnate Word Journal, vol. 5, n. 2 (2018): 151-166..

## Objective

To continue research in the field of Catholic Fundamental Theology. Writing and publication.

#### Skills

Teaching experience at bachelor's degree level. Advising/supervising PhD candidates (early stages). Writing academic articles. Other Publications. Philosophy. Theology. Literature (religious poetry).

#### LANGUAGES

Fluent in Spanish, English and Italian. Reading skills in French and Portuguese. Some knowledge of Latin and Greek.

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Father Cornelio Fabro: A Model for the Renewal of Catholic Theology

The Incarnate Word Journal, vol. 4, n. 2 (2017): 125-149. <u>Atheism and Dialectic of the Notion of God</u> The Incarnate Word Journal, vol. 1, n. 2 (2007): 233-242.

#### Books

The Contribution of Cornelio Fabro to Fundamental Theology: Reason and Faith. Cambridge Scholars Publishing, release date February 22, 2023: https://www.cambridgescholars.com/product/978-1-5275-9315-2

> Poesía Sacra, Volumen 1, (New York: IVE Press, 2007) Quemar las Naves, Volumen 2, (IVE Press, Chillum, 2016) Desde Fossanova, Volumen 3, (IVE Press, Chillum, 2022)

#### Conferences

June 2025: Thomistic Congress, Taiwan. Paper presented: *Reason and* 'Faith: circularity and harmony. Thomism in dialogue with post-modern culture'. Upcoming publication in *Lumen: Journal of Catholic Studies* 

Aprile 2025: Cattedra Marco Arosio di Alti Studi Medievali – Facoltà di Filosofia dell'Ateneo Pontificio Regina Apostolorum. Paper presented: 'Il Tomismo Intensivo di Cornelio Fabro

al Servizio della Teologia Cattolica Postconciliare'. Upcoming publication: Atti del Convenio.

#### November 2024: Sita Joint Diploma Online

Curso Intercontinental en español sobre la antropología de santo Tomás de Aquino. Conferencia: 'La cogitativa como facultad de la percepción en la teoría del conocimiento en santo Tomás de Aquino. La antropología tomista desde la visión fabriana'. Upcoming publication: *Revista Sapienza* 

June 2024: St Mary's University Twickenham, London & Ave Maria University Conference, London (UK). Paper presented:

'The Catholic Priesthood: A Visible Extension, per Participation, of Christ's Priesthood'.

June 2023: Doctrina Sacra Conference, Baltimore (USA). Paper presented: 'Faith as First Participation in the divine Light'.

