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Academic Excellence for Christian Students: Senior Scholar Offers Timely Guidelines

Facing Intellectual Giants
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MIDRAND, JHB — The personal faith of Christian students is under fierce attack in colleges and universities across the country and worldwide. There is a widespread misconception in secular classrooms today that faith in Christ is not compatible with academic excellence. Tragically, available statistics indicate that many Christian students graduate from the university doubting, and in some cases, rejecting the Lord they once believed and loved.

In this timely book, senior scholar and student mentor Dan Chimere-Dan guides students to resolve deep and often unspoken worries about how their personal faith in Jesus Christ relates to academic work. He addresses common classroom problems and shows students how to achieve academic excellence. Here are some of the topics covered in the book.

- How to understand and navigate the modern intellectual culture.
- How to study different disciplines and courses from a Christian perspective.
- How to study under hostile professors and pass their exams.
- How to handle difficult debates about faith and intellectual work.
- How to avoid being marked down for your faith.
- How to respond to intellectual persecution in the classroom.

The messages of this book are purposefully presented in a simple language that speaks simultaneously to the head and heart of Christian students. It is an excellent resource for all Christian students in institutions of higher learning.

“This book really drives home the point that we as Christians have the advantage.” —Glenn Stepp

“What I really liked was the transition directly from the Bible to the lecture room.” —Jamie Lesley Plaatjies

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