Gentry Sutton
Short Résumé

EDUCATION

- **Doctor of Educational Ministry** 2015
  Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri
  Dissertation work involved helping students increase evangelistic-apologetic confidence by applying Toulmin argumentative strategies to key apologetic issues, with emphasis on the divinity of Christ and the authority of Scripture.
- **Master of Arts in Philanthropy & Development** 2025
  Saint Mary's University of Minnesota
- **Master of Arts** **English** 2004
  Emporia State University, Emporia, KS
- **Bachelor of Arts** **English** 1998
  Sterling College, Sterling, KS

POSITIONS HELD

President	Warner University
Executive Vice President & Vice President of Advancement	Warner University
Executive Vice President & Chief Academic Officer	Warner University
Vice President of Academic Affairs/Chief Academic Officer	Warner University
Provost & Vice President of Academic Affairs	Oklahoma Wesleyan University
Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences & Assistant Professor of English	Oklahoma Wesleyan University
Dean of Assessment and Accreditation	Oklahoma Wesleyan University
Associate Dean of Assessment and Accreditation/Director of Institutional Assessment	Sterling College
Interim Associate Dean of Online Education	Sterling College
Assistant Professor of Language and Literature	Sterling College
Director of Academic Support	Sterling College
Writing-across-the-Curriculum Coordinator	Sterling College
Instructional Designer	Sterling College and Thomas Edison State College
Academic Editor	Thomas Edison State College
Assistant Director of Admissions	Sterling College
Admissions Counselor	Sterling College

BOOKS AND CHAPTERS

- "Why Warner University Stands Against Student Use of AI," chapter in *Writing to Read, Reading to Write* by Alison Kuener, McGraw-Hill, 2026
- *Academic Writing and the Emerging Scholar*, textbook for English Composition 1, Kendall Hunt Publishing (fall 2018, with co-author Dalene Fisher)
- *The Ultimate Comma Guide*, Kendall Hunt Publishing (fall 2015, rev. ed. fall 2018)
- *Team Church: Big-League Teamwork to Strengthen the Local Church* (Gazelle Press 2007)

SERVICE AND MINISTRY

- Church of God (Anderson, Indiana) Select Committee on Sexual Ethics—June 2024–June 2026
- Advisory board member for Polk County (FL) Public Schools Academies—January 2020–2023
- Board of Directors Vice Chair, Pastor Training Community—May 2017–July 2019
- Grow Pastor, Crosspoint Church, Sterling, Kansas—2008–2011

RECOGNITION

- Outstanding Doctoral Student Award, Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, May 2015
- Society of Professors in Christian Education Scholastic Award, May 2015