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2023: PhD Student at Graduate Theological Union California, USA

First-year Ph.D. student in the Theology and Ethics department exploring the intersection of Christianity,

Jewish Mysticism, Esoterica, and psychedelics.

2018: Master of Arts in Theological and Cultural Anthropology Pennsylvania, USA

Ethnographic Thesis: Analysis of the ontological turn exhibited by Nepali Christian converts.

Eastern University, Fieldwork: Nepal

Dual Bachelors of Science degrees in Religion & Anthropology 2016: New Mexico, USA

Senior Thesis: Paul's Call to Ecclesiastical Unity & Race Relations at ENMU-An Ethnography

Eastern New Mexico University

AWARDS, GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS

| 2023 - 2024 | Institute for Midrashic Studies of the New Testament Fellowship |
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| 2017 | John Templeton Foundation: Ethnography Through the Eyes of Faith Summer Fellowship in Nepal |
| 2015 - 2016 | Peggy Tozer Memorial Endowment in Anthropology |
| 2015 - 2016 | Janis Bundy Memorial Scholarship for Women in the field of Religion |
| 2014 - 2015 | Philanthropic Educational Opportunity for Women Scholarship |

WORK HISTORY

| Nov. 2023 -Present | Reading Tutor, Reading Partners USA | California |
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I am an ESL reading tutor via the Reading Partners online tutoring program. I serve

approximately ten children under the age of ten each week. I can do this by creating a safe environment in which to learn how to read in English. This includes being vulnerable and sharing my own challenges with reading, creating a safe space to make mistakes, and congratulating them when they learn a new skill set.

Aug. 2012 - Present Executive Director, (Embodied) Sanctum, formerly Tech 24/7 Various locations

> As a Spiritual Companion and Integration specialist, my goal through (Embodied) Sanctum is to create a space where people can encounter God (with or without legal psychedelic substances) and integrate these

mystical moments with the Divine into their everyday lives.

Jan 2021- Jul 2023 Project Manager, Tascosa Office Machines

> I was solely responsible for the purchasing, invoicing, and accounts payable portion of our commercial furniture department in our Lubbock branch. I led our team in a strategic project management from sales through installation. I created processes and systems to track our

furniture projects.

June-Oct 2020 Social Media Creative Assistant, Andreas Digital Agency

I built websites, posted on social media, and managed other customer responsibilities.

Aug - Oct 2020 **Adjunct Professor**, Eastern University Pennsylvania

Administrative Assistant, Texas Tech Parents Association Texas

Feb - July 2020

I managed the database, helped with event planning, solicited donations, and sent out monthly

newsletters, negotiated vendor contracts, managed inventory, and more.

I taught Intro. to Cultural Anthropology (Online) for the Fall 2020 Semester.

Sept-Oct 2019 **ESL Teacher**, Webi International English Center China

I taught students ages 10-40 varying levels of Conversational English skills. I taught students

one-on-one and in groups as large as 40 students.

2016-2019 Office Manager. Faith Community Church Pennsylvania

I managed all details of the church, including building rental, accounts payable and receivable,

inventory management, website development and rebranding, and much more.

CERTIFICATIONS

| Mar. 2019: | TESOL/TESL/TEFL Certification (150 Hours), Teflen Training College | Pennsylvania | |
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| April 2015: | TESOL/TESL/TEFL Certification (100 Hours), Oxford Seminars | Texas | |
| August 2022: | SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR CERTIFICATION, SDI COMPANIONS | Texas | |

INTERNATIONAL/CROSS-CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

| 2019 | Suzhou, China |
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| 2017 | Dubai, United Arab Emirates |
| 2017 | Kathmandu, Nepal |
| 2013 | Choctaw, MS (Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians) |
| 2010 | Rome, Italy |
| 2003 | Juarez, Mexico |
| 1998 | Toronto, Canada |
| 1995 | Orange County, Belize |
| 1994 | Recife, Brazil |

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Hurley, Jill, "Theological Bullies: The Need for Epistemic and Ontological Humility and the Coming Revelatory Crisis if Psychedelic Experiences are Not Understood Properly." Journal of Psychedelic Studies, to be published.
- Hurley, Jill, "Rightly Defining Pharmakeia in the 21st Century." Journal of Pentecostal Studies, to be published.
- Hurley, Jill, "Ouroboros and/or Butterfly: A Book Review of The Rise and Fall of Dispensationalism by David Hummel." Socio-Historical Examination of Religion and Ministry Vol. 6, no. 1 (Summer 2024).
- Hurley, Jill, "The Superhumanities: A Book Review." On Knowing Humanity Journal: Anthropological Ethnography and Analysis Through the Eyes of Christian Faith Vol. 8, no. 1 (January 2024).
- Hurley, Jill, "Singing Samo Songs: From Shaman to Pastor: A Book Review." On Knowing Humanity Journal: Anthropological Ethnography and Analysis Through the Eyes of Christian Faith Vol. 7, no. 1 (January 2023).
- Hurley, Jill L. "Native South American." In The Encyclopedia of the Bible and Its Reception, edited by Constance M. Furey, Brian Matz, Steven L. McKenzie, Thomas Römer, Jens Schröter, Barry Dov Walfish, and Eric Ziolkowski. Vol. 20— Mouse, Mice – Nefesh*, Berlin, Germany: DeGruyters, (December 2021).
- Hurley, Jill. "Re-dream the Red Dream: China's Chance to Reframe the Narrative of Humiliation into One of Honor." The Journal of Psychohistory. (Spring 2021).
- Hurley, Jill L. "Ministry" In The Encyclopedia of the Bible and Its Reception, edited by Constance M. Furey, Brian Matz, Steven L. McKenzie, Thomas Römer, Jens Schröter, Barry Dov Walfish, and Eric Ziolkowski. Vol. 19-Midrash and Aggadah Murabba at, Wadi. Berlin, Germany: DeGruyters, (Spring 2021).
- Hurley, Jill. "Left Behind: Nepali Migrant Workers' Wives and Children (A Photographic Essay)." Student Anthropologist. Vol. 6, no. 1, (2019).
- Hurley, Jill, "Dreams in the Omkoi Karen Christian Context: A Book Review." On Knowing Humanity Journal: Anthropological Ethnography and Analysis Through the Eyes of Christian Faith Vol. 3, no. 1 (2019).
- Hurley, Jill. "Understanding Christian Conversion as a Post-Relational Ontological (Re)turn to Relations." OKH Journal: Anthropological Ethnography and Analysis Through the Eyes of Christian Faith Vol. 2, no. 2 (2018).
- Hurley, Jill. "Riding the Roller Coaster: A Review of the 116th Meeting of the American Anthropological Association." On Knowing Humanity Journal: Anthropological Ethnography and Analysis Through the Eyes of Christian Faith Vol. 2, no. 1 (2018).

NON-ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

• Hurley, Jill. "Wisdom and Wonder - A Poem About Prayer." Poem *in Like A River: Poetic Musings from the OMS*, edited by Graham Stuart, p. 47–48. Independent Publishing, 2023.

REFERENCES

Available Upon Request