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EDUCATION

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| University of Pennsylvania Ph.D. (Religious Studies) <i>Thesis: The psychology of prophecy in early Christianity</i> | [2008] |
| University of the State of New York Regents College BS (Computer Software) | [1991] |
| University of North Carolina (Chapel Hill) MA (Religious Studies) <i>Thesis: The decline of prophecy in the Second Temple period</i> | [1985] |
| BA (Religious Studies) | [1980] |

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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| Excelsior College (Albany, NY) | [2012-current] |
| Grace College of Divinity (Fayetteville, NC) | [2014] |
| Miller-Motte College (Cary, NC) | [2009] |
| Meredith College (Raleigh, NC) | [2008] |
| St. Joseph's University (Philadelphia, PA) | [2003-2004] |
| University of Pennsylvania (Philadelphia, PA) | [1989-2003] |
| Rutgers University (Camden, NJ) | [2001] |
| Albright College (Reading, PA) | [1995-2001] |
| Albright Computer Training & Consulting Services | [1996-2002] |
| LaSalle University (Philadelphia, PA) | [1991-1996] |
| Delaware County Community College (Media, PA) | [1991] |
| Durham Technical Community College (Durham, NC) | [1986-1987] |
| University of North Carolina (Chapel Hill, NC) [Graduate Assistant] | [1981-1985] |

Courses Taught (or co-taught)

Bible

Bible (LaSalle, DTCC), **Old Testament** (St. Joseph's, Albright, assist at UNC), **New Testament** (St. Joseph's, Penn, Albright, assist at UNC), **Women in the Biblical World** (Albright), **Biblical Hebrew I & III** (Albright), **Biblical Aramaic I** (Albright)

Christianity & Judaism

Christianity (Penn), **History of the Christian Church I** (GCD), **Creation & End of the World** (Albright), **Apocalyptic** (Albright), **Apocrypha & Pseudepigrapha** (Albright), **Devils & Demons in the Western Traditions** (Albright), **Ritual Power** (Albright)

Religion in general

Religion (LaSalle, Albright), **Religion in Literature** (Albright), **World Religions** (LaSalle, Rutgers, Meredith), **Religions of Asia** (Albright), **Religions of Near Eastern Origin** (co-taught at Penn), **Philosophy and Worldview** (GCD)

Computer Science

Data Processing (DCCC, assist at UNC), **C++ Programming** (ACTC), **Java Programming** (ACTC), **Internet & Web Page Design for the Humanities** (Penn, Albright), **Computer Programming for Humanistic Research** (Penn)

CHURCH MUSIC EXPERIENCE

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| Crossroads Community Presbyterian Church (PCA) (Upper Darby, PA) Director of music for the contemporary service Co-director of music for the contemporary service | [1996-2004] [1990-1996] |
| Grace Church (Chapel Hill, NC) Interim director/member of worship team | [1986-1987] |
| Durham Christian Assembly (Durham, NC) Member of worship team | [1975-1986] |

RESEARCH EMPHASES

Christianity & Judaism in the Hellenistic period
Social & psychological context of prophetic activity
Music and Religious Experience
Gender issues in Christianity and Judaism
Jewish and Christian Folklore and Magical Traditions
Music Theory and Composition

PUBLICATIONS (including on-line)

- Humm, A. (2014). "Lilith," "Succubus/Incubus," & "Monsters in the Koran." In Jeffrey Weinstock, ed., *The Ashgate Encyclopedia of Literary and Cinematic Monsters*. Burlington, VT: Ashgate Publishing Co.
- Humm, A. (2009). *The psychology of prophecy in early Christianity: Prophetism and religious altered states of consciousness*. Piscataway, NJ: Gorgias Press. [Mostly my dissertation]
- Beard, D., A. Humm, D. Banks, A. Nair, P. Murugappan, & Y.-P. Shan. (1990). A visual calendar for scheduling group meetings. In *3rd Conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work*, pages 279–290. NY: ACM Press.
- Humm, A. (2016). Guitar, Music Theory, Composition. <http://klarlied-music.com>
- Humm, A. (2011). Song of Songs Interpretation Samples. <http://jewishChristianLit.com/Topics/SongOfSongs/>
- Humm, A. (1997). Ancient Jewish Accounts of Jesus. <http://jewishChristianLit.com/Topics/JewishJesus/>
- Humm, A. (1994-2013). On-line primary literature useful for Biblical Studies.
<http://jewishChristianLit.com/Resources/Texts/>
- Humm, A. (1994-2011). Lilith. <http://jewishChristianLit.com/Topics/Lilith/>
- Humm, A. (1985). MA thesis: The decline of prophecy in the second temple period. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. <http://www.jewishchristianlit.com/Topics/Papers/2ndTempleProphecy.pdf>

PRESENTATIONS

- "The psychology of prophecy." Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary. Nov. 2009.
- "CD-ROM Retrieval Software for Textual Research (work in progress)," Computer Assisted Research Group of the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual meetings Nov. 1987), 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991.
- "Use of Computer Graphics as a Tool in Papyrology" (with Sigrid Peterson and David Sandmel). Computer Assisted Research Group of the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual meeting Nov. 1992.
- "Creating a Computer Archive of the Journal of Biblical Literature, and the SBL Monograph Series." Computer Assisted Research Group of the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual meeting Nov. 1992.
- Panel discussion on Text Archives and Markup Standards. Computer Assisted Research Group of the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual meeting Nov. 1992.
- "Use of CD-ROM Technology for the preservation of and access to Papyrological Data." Computer Assisted Research Group of the Society of Biblical Literature, Annual meeting Nov. 1994.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Academy of Religion
Representative to the regional executive committee (Mid-Atlantic AR) [1990 - 1992]
Society of Biblical Literature

AWARDS

Merle S. Schaff Prize for Papers in Judaism (Graduate) 1989