

Curriculum Vitae

The Rev. Jade A. Lee, B.S., M.Div., PhD (Current)

1. Academic Degrees

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Fuller Theological Seminary Present
Dissertation focus is on the black female saintly voice in the Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahedo Church in efforts to provide additional representation to the Christian world.

Master of Divinity (M.Div.) Fuller Theological Seminary 2023
Majored in Divinity with an emphasis on African American, South Asian, and Intercultural studies.

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Hampton University 2005
Majored in English Arts with an emphasis on African American literature. Senior thesis focused on the advancement of the African American community through creative narrative.

2. Professional Experience

2006-2024 Senior Pastor
Convergence Church, Stone Mountain, GA

2023-2024 Outreach Coordinator
Live Action, Arlington, VA

2023 Teacher's Assistant (T.A.)
Meachum School of Haymanot (Theology), St Louis, MO

2013-As Needed Relational Coach & Trainer
Great Commandment Network, Cedar Park, TX

2003-2016 Provost
The Well Discipleship School of Ministry

2003-2005 Campus Director
Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Hampton, VA

3. Professional Credentials

Ordained – 2013, Convergence Movement; Great Commandment Network (GNC),

Goodwill Ambassador State of Georgia, bestowed by Secretary of State of GA (2012). National Women's History Project Certificate of Merit for Atlanta Public Schools System, the city of Atlanta, and the State of GA (2023).

4. Professional Affiliations

Great Commandment Network – Member
Fuller Theological Seminary Church Planting Network – Member
Unite! Churches – Emeritus Board Member
One Race – Emeritus Board Member & Founding Leader
Hampton University Alumni Association- Member
100 Bawse Builders Connect- Member
Center of Racial Equality & Inclusion- Member
Community of Reconcilers- Member
Relational Values Global Alliance- Member

5. Teaching Experience, Lectures & Presentations

Community Facing Ministry & the State of the American Church, Small Group Instructor for Invitation Only Interdenominational Leaders Spanning 13% of the American Church, 2024. Care4Pastors Summit, Hilton Austin Airport, Austin, TX

Premarital Counseling Seminar for Couples in the State of GA, Instructor Team, 2023. The Vision House, Alpharetta, GA

SK501 Sankofa- The First Millennium (Church History I), Teaching Assistant (T.A.), Fall 2023. Meachum School of Haymanot, St. Louis, MO

Relational Consulting 2022. Private Video Gaming Company, Atlanta, GA

Relational Values, Seminar Director for day-long workshop, 2018. Family Legacy Orphanage Headquarters, Dallas, TX

Pastoral Longevity and Care, Large Group Conference Instructor for Clergy Development within the International Pentecostal Holiness Church Denomination (IHPC), 2022. The Cove Billy Graham Retreat Center, Asheville, NC

Racial Dynamics in America, Large Group Instructor, 2017. Gate City Church (Formerly International House of Prayer), Lawrenceville, GA

“The Raid” Episode on Abolitionist Leaders, Narration My Historical Family Member, Harriet Tubman, 2017. Award Winning History Podcast, Uncivil, Online.

The Ferguson Dilemma: Healing America's Racial Wounds, Online Reconciliation Discussion, 2020. Atlanta, GA (Virtual)

Premarital Counseling Seminar for Couples in the State of GA, Co-Instructor, 2018. Marietta Baptist Church, Marietta, GA

The Ferguson Dilemma: Healing America's Racial Wounds, Small Group Redemptive Unity Instructor, 2017. IMagine Pastors and Leadership Summit (Interdenominational), Chattanooga Convention Center, Chattanooga TN

Annual Waiting Women's Daniel Fast, Founding Instructor, 2016-2024. Convergence Movement Headquarters, Atlanta, GA (Virtual).

Community Transformation, Panel Discussion, 2016. IMagine Pastoral Leadership Summit (Interdenominational), Akron, OH

Relational Values for Orphan Workers & Married Couples, Great Commandment Network Instructor, 2016. Family Legacy Orphanage, Zambia, Africa

Relational Values for Pastoral Couples, Great Commandment Instructor at Couples Retreat, 2014. Winshape Retreat Center, Mt. Berry, GA

Christian Discipleship Principles: A Three Year Journey, Theology of God, Doctrine of Man (Biblical Anthropology), and Doctrine of the Church (Ecclesiology), Instructor, 2008-2016. The Well Discipleship School of Ministry, Atlanta, GA

Student Athleticism and Christianity, 2018. Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA

The Ferguson Dilemma: Healing America's Racial Wounds, Instructor, 2018. Oklahoma Baptist University Seminary, Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Christian Discipleship for College Students, Discussion Panel, 2016. The University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL

Socially Distant but not Disconnected, Lecture, Restoration and Renewal Virtual Conference, 2020. Shady Grove CME Church, Grand Prairie, TX

Student Athleticism and Female Dignity, 2013. Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA

Spirit Led Living & Discipleship, Youth Camps Instructor, 2008. Christco, 10+ Cities Kenya, Africa

Spiritual Development and Health, Instructor, 2008. Mama Ngina Girls School, Mombasa, Kenya, Africa

Diversity of Religions: Christianity and Other Religions, Teaching Team, Bible Studies Series, 2004. Beulah Tabernacle Church, Hampton, VA

Spiritual Warfare Principles, Teaching Team (Small Group Facilitator), 2004. Beulah Tabernacle Church, Hampton, VA

6. Other Graduate Coursework and Training

Completed the undergraduate coursework for the English of Arts (BA) degree, Hampton University

Completed the graduate coursework for the Masters of Divinity (MDIV) degree, Fuller Theological Seminary, 2019-2023, including:

LG500 - Hebrew Tools for Biblical Interpretation

LG510- Greek Tools for Biblical Interpretation

PR517- Preaching for Occasions: Weddings, Funerals, Christmas, and Easter

TH553- Race, Religion, and Theology in America

TM507- Ethnicities and Churches: U.S. Narratives and Intercultural Life

ET543- The Theology and Ethics of Martin Luther King, Jr.

PM514- Missional Churches and Leadership

PR500- Homiletics

PM504- Pastoral Ministry

IS502- Practices of Community

(This degree includes Mandatory Reporter Training)

Completed certificate training through Great Commandment Network for Relational Coaching in Ministry and Secular Environs, including:

Intimate Encounters: Discovering the Secrets of a Really Great Marriage

Intimacy Institute: Revitalizing the Church through Making Disciples who make Disciples

Relational Fitness: Strengthening Life's Most Important Relationships

The Great Commandment Principle Workshops

Keeping Marriage's Healthy Workshops

Relational Impact: Perfecting Your Aim on the Top Ten Relational Needs

Top Ten Relational Needs Facilitation

Intimacy Therapy Training

Ministry Safe Sexual Abuse Training program, 2022, including:

Facts vs Misconceptions

Characteristics of an Abuser

Grooming Process

Peer to Peer Abuse

Risk Reduction & Prevention

If a Child Reports

Impact on Children

Reporting Requirements

7. Additional Work Experience

2015- Historically Black College & University (HBCU) Tour Director (to 78 HBCUs), National

2013- Mexico Mission Trip Director

2008- Teen Youth Camp Director, Atlanta, GA

2006-2007- Short Term Evangelism Trip Director, Atlanta, GA

2005- Short Term Spring Break Chaperone, Atlanta, GA

2004- Fellowship of Christian Athletes Retreat Director, Hampton Roads, VA

2004- Intercession Mission Trip, Nassau, Bahamas

8. Community Engagement

Carver Early College, Atlanta, GA

Shiloh High School, Gwinnett County, GA

Mary McCloud Bethune Elementary, Atlanta, GA

SW Atlanta Community Redevelopment, Atlanta, GA

Morehouse College, Atlanta, GA

Spelman College, Atlanta, GA

Clark Atlanta University, Atlanta, GA

Hampton University, Hampton, VA

JadeLee.org Black Women's Business Expo, Atlanta, GA

JadeLee.org Career Fair, Atlanta, GA

JadeLee.org Women's Leadership Academy, Atlanta, GA

Redan High School, Stone Mountain, GA

Toccoa Falls College, Toccoa Falls, GA

9. References

Available upon request.