

# Patrick Haley

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**EDUCATION** **Princeton Theological Seminary**, Princeton, New Jersey, USA Sep 2019 - Present  
Doctoral Candidate, Christian Ethics (PhD)  
Dissertation: The Divine Image and Human Language  
Estimated Completion 2024

**Princeton Theological Seminary**, Princeton, New Jersey, USA Sep 2016 - May 2019  
Master of Divinity (MDiv)  
GPA: 3.95 / 4.00

**The University of Texas at Austin**, Austin, Texas, USA Aug 2012 - May 2016  
Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Philosophy and Plan II Honors, Highest Honors  
Bachelor of Science (BS) in Computer Science, Dean's and Turing Scholar, Highest Honors  
Honors Thesis: The Evolution of Language Groups among Cooperating Digital Predators  
GPA: 3.95 / 4.00

## WRITING

### JOURNAL ARTICLES

- [2] P. Haley, "Forgive as the Lord Forgave You: Divine and Human Forgiveness, Justice, and Moral Repair," *Journal of the Society of Christian Ethics* 44 (1): forthcoming in Spring/Summer 2024.
- [1] R. Olson,\* P. Haley,\* F. Dyer, and C. Adami, "Exploring the evolution of a trade-off between vigilance and foraging in group-living organisms," *Journal of the Royal Society Open Science* 2: 150135. \*Co-first authors.

### CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

- [2] P. Haley, R. Olson, F. Dyer, and C. Adami, "Evolving an optimal group size in groups of prey under predation," in *Proceedings of the 13th European Conference on Artificial Life (ECAL 2015)*, York, UK, Jul 2015.
- [1] P. Haley, R. Olson, F. Dyer, and C. Adami, "Exploring conditions that select for the evolution of cooperative group foraging," in *Proceedings of the 14th International Conference on the Synthesis and Simulation of Living Systems (ALIFE 14)*, New York, NY, USA, Jul 2014.

### BOOK REVIEWS

- [3] *Infidels and Empires in a New World Order: Early Modern Spanish Contributions to International Legal Thought*, by David M. Lantigua, in *The Journal of the Society of Christian Ethics* 42 (2): 439-440.
- [2] *The Accountable Animal: Justice, Justification, and Judgment*, by Brendan Case, in *Studies in Christian Ethics* 35 (4): 846-849.
- [1] *Every Good Path: Wisdom and Practical Reason in Christian Ethics and the Book of Proverbs*, by Andrew Errington, in *Modern Theology* 37 (2): 557-560.

## SPEAKING

### PRESENTATIONS

- [22] "Confession and absolution: a social practical model of forgiveness." New Wine New Wineskins Symposium, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN, Jul 2023.
- [21] "Forgive as the Lord forgave you: divine and human forgiveness, justice, and moral repair." Annual Meeting of the Society of Christian Ethics, Chicago, IL, Jan 2023.

- [20] “Appealing to the *imago Dei*: a neopragmatist approach to speech-acts and normative status.” Pragmatism and Empiricism in American Religious Thought Unit, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Denver, CO, Nov 2022.
- [19] “Queer Hope: one virtue’s limits and potential for queer lives, theory, and theology.” Christian Systematic Theology Unit, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Denver, CO, Nov 2022.
- [18] “Making an appeal: David Walker and the *imago Dei*.” Brown, Yale, Princeton University, and Princeton Seminary Colloquium (BYP2), New Haven, CT, Nov 2022.
- [17] “Heathens, Heretics, Apostates: Thomas Aquinas on authority and accountability.” New Wine New Wineskins Symposium, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN, Jul 2022.
- [16] “‘Heretics,’ ‘Heathens,’ ‘Apostates’: questions of authority and accountability in contemporary American Protestantism.” Living Accountably, Baylor Symposium on Faith and Culture, Waco, TX, Oct 2021.
- [15] “‘Heretics,’ ‘Heathens,’ ‘Apostates’: questions of authority and accountability in contemporary American Protestantism.” Annual Conference of the European Academy of Religion, Münster, Germany, Aug 2021. (Online due to COVID-19.)
- [14] “The virtuous animal: adapting religious virtue ethics to evolutionary biology.” Ethics Unit and Science, Technology, and Religion Unit, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Boston, MA, Dec 2020. (Online due to COVID-19.)
- [13] “Diversity or disorder: between Athanasius and Origen on differentiation in creation.” Christian Systematic Theology Unit, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, Boston, MA, Dec 2020. (Online due to COVID-19.)
- [12] “Diversity or disorder: between Athanasius and Origen on differentiation in creation.” Patristic, Medieval, and Renaissance Conference (PMR), Villanova, PA, Oct 2020. (Online due to COVID-19.)
- [11] “Completing what is lacking in Christ’s afflictions: an incarnational political theology of the persecuted savior.” Princeton Theological Seminary Graduate Student Conference, Princeton, NJ, Mar 2020. (Cancelled due to COVID-19.)
- [10] “Returning to use in religious ethics: a Wittgensteinian approach to the image of God.” Mid-Atlantic Regional Conference, American Academy of Religion, Princeton, NJ, Mar 2020. (Cancelled due to COVID-19.)
- [9] “The virtuous animal: toward a theological ethics of human animality.” Mid-Atlantic Regional Conference, American Academy of Religion, Princeton, NJ, Mar 2020. (Cancelled due to COVID-19.)
- [8] “‘Whatever does not proceed from faith is sin’: faith, action, and affection in Calvin’s ethics.” Patristic, Medieval, and Renaissance Conference (PMR), Villanova, PA, Oct 2018.
- [7] “Beautiful by chance: a call for theological reflection on evolutionary art.” Mid-Atlantic Regional Conference, American Academy of Religion, New Brunswick, NJ, Mar 2018.
- [6] “The evolution of language groups among cooperating predators.” College of Natural Sciences Honors Thesis Symposium, Austin, TX, Apr 2016.
- [5] “The evolution of language groups among cooperating predators.” Plan II Thesis Symposium, Austin, TX, Apr 2016.
- [4] “Evolving an optimal group size in groups of prey under predation.” 13th European Conference on Artificial Life (ECAL 2015), York, UK, Jul 2015.

- [3] “The rheology of passive granular matter in the presence of a large active intruder.” RISE Scholarship Holder Meeting, Heidelberg, Germany, Jul 2015.
- [2] “Exploring conditions that select for the evolution of cooperative group foraging.” 14th International Conference on the Synthesis and Simulation of Living Systems (ALIFE 2014), New York City, NY, Jul 2014.
- [1] “Exploring conditions that select for the evolution of cooperative group foraging.” BEACON Seminar, Austin, TX, Jul 2014.

**POSTERS**

- [4] P. Haley and R. Miikkulainen., “The evolution of language groups among cooperating predators.” 2016 Undergraduate Research Forum, UT Austin, Apr 2016.
- [3] P. Haley, R. Olson, F. Dyer, and C. Adami., “Evolving an optimal group size in groups of prey under predation.” 2015 Undergraduate Research Forum, UT Austin, Apr 2015.
- [2] P. Haley, R. Olson, and C. Adami., “Evolving the many-eyes effect in digital systems.” 2014 Undergraduate Research Forum, UT Austin, Apr 2014. Won the Integrated DNA Technologies (IDT) Award for Excellence in Computational Biology, Biochemistry or Chemistry Research.
- [1] P. Haley, R. Olson, and C. Adami., “Studying the impact of the many-eyes effect on the evolution of swarming.” BEACON Center for the Study of Evolution in Action 2013 Congress. East Lansing, MI, Aug 2013.

**CHURCH LECTURES**

- [2] “Reading Darwin theologically.” Princeton Christian Fellowship, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, Apr 2018.
- [1] “Darwin and the theory of evolution by natural selection.” Stone Hill Church, Princeton, NJ, Feb 2018.

**TEACHING**

**PRINCETON UNIVERSITY**

- Teaching Assistant**, Department of Religion Sep 2023 - Dec 2023  
Course: Religion and Its Modern Critics
- Teaching Assistant**, Department of Religion Sep 2022 - Dec 2022  
Course: Christian Ethics and Modern Society

**PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY**

- Teaching Assistant**, Theology Department Jan 2022 - May 2022  
Course: Ethics and the Problem of Evil
- Teaching Assistant**, Theology Department Jan 2021 - May 2021  
Course: Foundations of Christian Ethics
- Teaching Assistant**, Biblical Studies Department Jan 2020 - May 2020  
Course: Introduction to the New Testament
- Teaching Assistant**, Theology Department Sep 2019 - Dec 2019  
Course: Introduction to Systematic Theology

**THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN**

- Undergraduate Teaching Assistant**, Physics Department Jan 2016 - May 2016  
Course: Plan II Physics

**Undergraduate Teaching Assistant**, Freshman Research Initiative  
Course: Computational Evolution Research Stream Jan 2015 - May 2015

## **EPISCOPAL DICOCESE OF NEW JERSEY**

**Instructor**, School for Ministry Jun 2022 - Aug 2022  
Course: Classical Christian Doctrine and the Anglican Tradition

**Instructor**, School for Ministry Mar 2022 - May 2022  
Course: The Synoptic Gospels

**Instructor**, School for Ministry May 2020 - Aug 2020  
Course: The Gospel of John

## **OTHER CHURCHES & NON-PROFITS**

**Teaching Intern**, Stone Hill Church of Princeton, NJ Apr 2017 - May 2018  
Courses: Psalms; First Corinthians; War and Christian Ethics; Theology of the Holy Spirit;  
The Theology of John Calvin and Martin Luther; Christianity and Culture

**Teaching Intern**, Novum Institute, Princeton, NJ Jun 2017 - Aug 2017  
Course: Darwinian Evolution and Christian Theology

**RESEARCH** **Department of Theology**, Princeton Theological Seminary May 2018 - May 2021 Project:  
Editing *For God's Sake: The Wall of Hostility Has Come Down* Supervisor: Prof. Ellen  
Charry

**Center of Theological Inquiry** Oct 2020 - Nov 2020  
Project: Indexing *The Oxford Handbook of Reinhold Niebuhr* Supervisor:  
Dr. Joshua Mauldin

**Department of Philosophy**, UT Austin Feb 2016 - Jun 2016  
Project: Editing *The Garden of Leaders: Toward a Revolution in Higher Education*  
Supervisor: Prof. Paul Woodruff

**Department of Computer Science**, UT Austin Sep 2015 - May 2016  
Project: Evolution of Communication among Cooperative Predators Supervisor:  
Prof. Risto Miikkulainen

**Department of Neuroscience**, UT Austin Jan 2016  
Project: Fast-Response Auditory Neurons in Rodent Brains  
Supervisors: Prof. Nace Golding and Prof. George Pollak

**Institute for Materials Physics in Space**, German Aerospace Center May 2015 - Jul 2015  
Project: Rheology of Passive Granular Matter in the Presence of a Large Active Intruder  
Supervisor: Prof. Matthias Sperl

**BEACON Center**, Michigan State University Jun 2013 - May 2015  
Project: Evolution of Cooperative Vigilance Strategies in Groups of Prey  
Supervisors: Dr. Randal Olson and Prof. Christoph Adami

**Freshman Research Initiative (FRI)**, UT Austin Jan 2013 - May 2015  
Project: Testing Evolutionary Theory Using the Avida Simulation System Supervisor:  
Dr. Arthur Covert

## AWARDS

**Trustee Merit Scholarship**, Princeton Theological Seminary Aug 2019 - May 2024 **Seminary Scholarship**, Princeton Theological Seminary Sep 2016 - May 2019 **Dean's Honored Graduate**, College of Natural Sciences, UT Austin May 2016 **Rhodes Scholar Finalist**, District VIII, Rhodes Scholarship Trust Nov 2015

**Friar**, UT Austin Friar Society Nov 2015

**Junior Fellows Travel Scholarship**, Junior Fellows Program, UT Austin Jun 2015 **Eva Stevenson Woods Endowed Presidential Scholarship**, UT Austin May 2015 **RISE Scholarship**, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Mar 2015 **Phi Beta Kappa** (elected as a junior), Alpha of Texas Chapter Oct 2014

**Lois Trice Endowed Scholarship in Plan II**, Plan II Honors Program, UT Austin Aug 2014

**BEACON Travel Grant**, BEACON Center Jul 2014

**Kemp-Forman Memorial Endowed Presidential Scholarship**, UT Austin May 2014  
**Distinguished College Scholar**, UT Austin Apr 2014

**Fellow**, UT Austin Junior Fellows Program Apr 2014

## SERVICE

**Chair**, Contemporary Theology Section, Mid-Atlantic Region, AAR Dec 2022 - Present

**Co-Moderator**, PTS Koinonia Fellowship (PhD Student Government) Jan 2022 - Present

**PhD Representative**, PTS Theology Department Oct 2021 - Oct 2022

**Co-Convener**, PTS Theology and Religion & Society Workshop Sep 2021 - May 2022

**Co-Executive Editor**, Princeton Theological Review May 2018 - May 2019

**MDiv Representative**, PTS Theology Department May 2018 - May 2019

**Student-Faculty Liaison**, PTS Student Government Association Apr 2017 - May 2018

**Editor-in-Chief**, Texas Undergraduate Research Journal May 2015 - May 2016

**Chair**, UT Austin Dean's Scholars Council May 2014 - May 2016

**Co-Chair**, UT Austin Research Student Advisory Council May 2014 - May 2016

**Co-Chair**, UT Austin Friar Centennial Teaching Fellowship Jan 2016 - May 2016

**Natural Sciences Representative**, UT Austin Jean Holloway Award Oct 2014 - Mar 2015

**Director**, Garza High School Tutoring Program, Austin, TX Sep 2013 - May 2016

## LANGUAGES

**Natural Languages:** English, German (reading, speaking), French (reading), Biblical Hebrew, Greek (Attic and Koine), and Latin

**Programming Languages:** C++, Python, R, and Java

**SOCIETIES**

American Academy of Religion  
European Academy of Religion  
Fellowship for Protestant Ethics  
Society of Christian Ethics  
Society for the Study of Theology