

# Kent L. Hurst

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## Position Desired

A tenure-track faculty or research position emphasizing interdisciplinary approaches to addressing global challenges facing urban systems and societies.

## Education

**The University of Texas at Arlington**—Ph.D., Urban Planning and Public Policy (August 2011)

Mitigating climate change at the municipal scale: American urban planning at a crossroads (dissertation)

**The University of Texas at Arlington**—MCRP (Masters, City and Regional Planning) (2005)

**The University of Texas at Austin**—MBA, Information Systems Management (1992)

**University of Pennsylvania**—MA, Physics (1981)

**Abilene Christian University**—BS, Physics (1979)

## Teaching Experience

**University of Texas at Arlington, School of Urban & Public Affairs, Arlington, Texas (2004, 2007 – 2008)**

- ~ Instructor, Interdisciplinary Studies: Perspectives (Spring 2008, Summer 2008, Fall 2008 (3 sections))
- ~ Instructor, Interdisciplinary Studies: Research Process (Fall 2007)
- ~ Instructor, Introduction to Urban Life (Fall 2004)

**Austin Community College, Austin, Texas**

- ~ Instructor, Introduction to Personal Computing (1993)

**Tarrant County College, Fort Worth, Texas**

- ~ Instructor, Introductory Physics I & II (1985 – 1986)

**McMurry College, Abilene, Texas (1982 – 1984)**

- ~ Instructor, Introductory Physics I & II
- ~ Instructor, Algebra (basic)
- ~ Instructor, Computational Linear Algebra

## Professional Experience

**Grant Writer, San Jacinto College District (2007 – present)**

- ~ National Science Foundation
- ~ U.S. Department of Education
- ~ State of Texas
- ~ Regional and local foundations

**American Management Systems, Inc., Fairfax, Virginia (1993 – 2001)**

- ~ *Program Manager*, Denver, Colorado (2001)
- ~ *Process Analyst*, Dallas, Texas (2001)
- ~ *Business Development Director*, Chicago, Illinois (2000)
- ~ *Quality Assurance Manager*, Düsseldorf, Germany (1999 – 2000)
- ~ *Senior Consultant*, Stockholm, Sweden (1995 – 1999)
- ~ *Consultant*, The Hague, Netherlands (1995)
- ~ *Software Analyst*, Birmingham, Alabama (1993 – 1995)

**General Dynamics Corporation, Fort Worth, Texas, , Fort Worth, Texas (1984 – 1990)**

- ~ *Senior Flight Simulation Engineer*

**La Jet Geophysical, Inc., Abilene, Texas (1982 – 1983)**

- ~ *Staff Geophysicist*

## Professional Service

- ~ Past Chair, American Planning Association Student Representatives Council (2010 – 2011)
- ~ Chair, American Planning Association Student Representatives Council (2008 – 2009, 2009 – 2010)

- ~ Session Organizer, *Planning Career Roundtable*, American Planning Association 2010 National Planning Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana
- ~ Session Organizer and Moderator, *Planning Career Roundtable*, American Planning Association 2009 National Planning Conference, Minneapolis, Minnesota
- ~ Student Representative, American Planning Association Texas Chapter Board of Directors (2005 – 2008)
- ~ Student Representative, American Planning Association Texas Chapter Midwest Section Executive Board, (2004 – 2009)
- ~ President, University of Texas at Arlington Planning Student Organization (2004 – 2009)
- ~ Facilitator, Louisiana Recovery Planning Day, Dallas, Texas, January 2006
- ~ Vision North Texas Regional Growth Planning Initiative
  - Participant, Climate Change Experts' Dialogue (2009)
  - Discussion Facilitator, Alternative Futures Workshop (2009)
  - Discussion Facilitator, Northwest Subregional Workshop (2008)
  - Discussion Facilitator, Northeast Subregional Workshop (2008)
  - Discussion Facilitator, Southwest Subregional Workshop (2007)
  - Discussion Facilitator, Southeast Subregional Workshop (2007)
- ~ Member, Local Host Committee, American Planning Association 2006 National Planning Conference
- ~ Member, Local Host Committee, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Fort Worth, Texas (2006)
- ~ Session Moderator/Discussant, *Selected Innovations in Planning Education*, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Fort Worth, Texas (2006)
- ~ University of Texas at Arlington President's Sustainability Committee, Transportation Working Group (2007 – 2009)

## **Professional Affiliations**

- ~ American Planning Association (2004 – present)
- ~ Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (2004 – present)
- ~ Union of Radical Political Economists (2004 – present)

## **Refereed Publications** (please see <http://tinyurl.com/KentLHurst> for publication links)

- ~ Hurst, K. (2011). "Carbon Trading (Cities)." In *Green Issues and Debates*, P. Robbins, H. Schiffman, & J. G. Golson, (Eds.). SAGE Publications.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2011). "Green Jobs (Cities)." In *Green Issues and Debates*, P. Robbins, H. Schiffman, & J. G. Golson, (Eds.). SAGE Publications.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2011). "Mitigation." In *Green Issues and Debates*, P. Robbins, H. Schiffman, & J. G. Golson, (Eds.). SAGE Publications.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2010). "Global Warming." In *Green Energy: An A-to-Z Guide*, D. R. Mulvaney, (Ed.). SAGE Publications.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2010). "Greenhouse Gases." In *Green Energy: An A-to-Z Guide*, D. R. Mulvaney, (Ed.). SAGE Publications.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2010). "Risk Assessment." In *Green Politics: An A-to-Z Guide*, D. R. Mulvaney, (Ed.). SAGE Publications.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2010). "Global Climate Change." In *Green Politics: An A-to-Z Guide*, D. R. Mulvaney, (Ed.). SAGE Publications.
- ~ Cornehl, J. V., Allen, S. C., Hurst, K. L., & Simons, K. C. (2009). "Hurricane Katrina in Context: Institutionalized neglect or willful intent?" *Social Justice in Context*, 4(1), 83-96.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2008). "Land Development." In *Encyclopedia of Global Warming and Climate Change*, S. G. Philander (Ed.). SAGE Publications.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2008). "Texas." In *Encyclopedia of Global Warming and Climate Change*, S. G. Philander (Ed.). SAGE Publications.

## **Reports** (please see <http://tinyurl.com/KentLHurst> for report links)

- ~ Walz, K. (Ed.) (July 2010). "Green Infrastructure Sub-Task Force Report (APA Rebuilding America Task Force)." [Contributing author].
- ~ Howard, J. & Hurst, K. (2009). "Planning for Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation in North Central Texas: A Roundtable Discussion." School of Urban and Public Affairs, University of Texas at Arlington.
- ~ Hurst, K. (Ed.). (June 2006). *Proceedings: Texas Cities for Climate Protection Meeting*.
- ~ Anjomani, A. & Hurst K. (June 2006). *Central Arlington Redevelopment Vision* (Arlington, Texas).
- ~ Leblanc, D. & Hurst, K. (February 2006). *Preliminary Visioning Workshop: Final Report for the Addiction Services Division of Mental Health Mental Retardation of Tarrant County, Texas*.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2006). *City of Aledo [Texas] Traffic Study Proposal*. [Independent consulting proposal].
- ~ Alves, T. (Ed.). (2006). *Planning and Consulting Proposal* for the City of Gainesville, Texas. [On behalf of Teague Nall & Perkins, Inc.]. [Contributing author].
- ~ Tees, D., Kunde, J., Simons, K., & Hurst, K. (September 2005). *Texas City Goals 100 Strategic Planning Process: Final Report*.
- ~ Li, J., Hissong, R. Cole, R. (January 2005). *State of the Practice in Toll Financing: Implications for Texas (Technical Report 0-4433-2)*. Contributing author and research assistant.
- ~ Hurst, K. (2005). *Application for Urban Village Transportation Funds* [on behalf of Fort Worth West Meadowbrook Neighborhood Association].

## **Conference Presentations and Lectures**

- ~ Kent Hurst, "Survivalism to Prometheanism: A Continuum in Environmental Policy" (August 31, 2010). School of Urban and Public Affairs, University of Texas at Arlington.
- ~ Kent Hurst, "Sustainability and climate protection: Can you have the one without talking about the other?" (March 25, 2010). Annual Celebration of Excellence by Students Sustainability Across the Curriculum Symposium, University of Texas at Arlington.
- ~ Jeff Howard & Kent Hurst, "Planning for Strong Climate Protection: Toward a Democratic, Precautionary Footing for Planning Expertise" (2007). Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- ~ Kent Hurst, "Climate Change Mitigation: Can American Urban Planning Matter?" (2007). Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- ~ Kent Hurst, "Urban Planning and Nonlinear Change" (11 October 2006). Center for Theory, University of Texas at Arlington.

## **Honors & Awards**

- ~ Graduate Dean's Dissertation Fellowship, Summer 2010
- ~ University Scholar, University of Texas at Arlington, 2003 – 2004, 2004 – 2005
- ~ Student Project Award, Midwest Section, Texas Chapter, American Planning Association (2003 & 2004)
- ~ Research Fellowship, The University of Pennsylvania, 1979-1981