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Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the ISGAP Team, it is with great pleasure that I am writing to welcome you to the ISGAP-Oxford Summer Institute for Curriculum Development in Critical Antisemitism Studies, to be held at Pembroke College, Oxford, beginning Sunday 7 August, to Friday 19 August, 2021.

I am certain given your qualifications, experience and commitment to understanding and combating antisemitism and all forms of hate, and to scholarship itself, that you will add much to the program. The success of the Summer Institute is dependent on the contributions you and our colleagues will bring to this timely gathering.

I am optimistic that the ISGAP-Oxford Summer Institute will continue to make inroads into **creating a "space" within academia for the study of critical conte**mporary antisemitism as a new academic discipline. In effect, we are beginning to break a taboo and the silence.

Through our groundbreaking program, we are developing a formal and informal network of scholars committed to this goal. We are committed to ensuring that more professors teach courses in contemporary critical antisemitism studies, and that students will engage this subject matter, and join our efforts.

Given these tumultuous times and the explosion of antisemitism these last few months, leading to a rise of antisemitism globally, racism, and other forms of prejudice, our work and meeting is all the more vital.

Your engagement and efforts are welcome. In fact, we hope you will become ambassadors for these vital and timely efforts.

Looking forward to seeing you in Oxford.

Sincerely,

With much appreciation and warmest regards,

Sincerely,

Dr. Charles Asher Small (D. Phil. Oxon.) Executive Director, ISGAP Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Discrimination and Human Rights, Cambridge, U.K.

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# 7 - 19 AUGUST 2022 PEMBROKE COLLEGE, OXFORD, UNITED KINGDOM

### Sunday, 7 August 2022 – Pembroke College, Oxford

5:30 – 8:30 P.M. <u>Welcoming Remarks and Lecture:</u>

**Dr. Charles Asher Small,** Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP; Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Cambridge, U.K. *"The Importance of Creating Critical Contemporary Antisemitism Studies: Understanding the Relevance of Tisha B'av in Relation to Exile"* 

Natan Sharansky, Chairman, ISGAP, Jerusalem, Israel

Rabbi Elie Abadie, Senior Rabbi, Jewish Council of the Emirates, Dubai, U.A.E. "Is Antisemitism as Old as the Bible?: Analysis of Biblical and Post-Biblical Antisemitic Incidents"

H.E. Dr. Ali Al Nuaimi, Chairman, Hedayah, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E. (Virtual)

**Professor Boaz Ganor,** Founder and Executive Director, International Institute for Counter-Terrorism (ICT); Ronald S. Lauder Chair for Counter-Terrorism, Reichman University, Herzliya, Israel *"Terrorism, Hate Crimes, and Antisemitism" (Virtual)* 

Aliza Landau, Holocaust Survivor, Israel "If Only Night Would Not Come – The Story of Aliza Landau" (Virtual)

### Monday, 8 August 2022 - Pembroke College, Oxford

- 8:00 A.M. Breakfast Dining Hall
- 9:30 11 A.M.
   Dr. Charles Asher Small, Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP; Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Cambridge, U.K.
   *"Globalization, Antisemitism, Race and Israel-Bashing"*

11 A.M.	Morning Tea Break
11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M.	<b>Professor Joel Kotek,</b> Professor of Political Science, Free University of Brussels (ULB), Brussels, Belgium; The Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris; Paris, France <i>"Antisemitism as a Conspiracy Theory from the Judas Affair to COVID-19"</i>
1:00 P.M.	Lunch Break – Dining Hall
2:30 – 4 P.M.	<b>Professor Emeritus Benny Morris,</b> Professor of History, Ben-Gurion University, Beersheba, Israel <i>"The War of 1948 and Jihad"</i>
4 P.M.	Afternoon Tea Break
4:30 – 6 P.M.	<b>Professor Uzi Rabi,</b> Director, Dayan Center, Tel Aviv University, Tel Aviv, Israel <i>"New Regionalism and Antisemitism"</i>
6 P.M.	Break
6:15 P.M.	Breakout Sessions
Tuesday, 9 August 20	22 – Pembroke College, Oxford
8:00 A.M.	Breakfast – Dining Hall

- 9:30 11 A.M.Professor Katya Gibel Mevorach, Anthropology Department, Grinnell<br/>College, Grinnell, U.S."Antisemitism and Curriculum: Decentering Identities/ Curating Syllabi"
- 11 A.M. Morning Tea Break
- 11:30 A.M. 1 P.M. Ben M. Freeman, Author and Jewish Educator, London, U.K. "The Impact of Jew-Hatred on Jews: Addressing Internalised Anti-Jewishness"
  - **Professor R. Amy Elman,** Professor of Political Science, William Weber Chair of Social Science, Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, U.S. *"All American Antisemitism through Replacement Feminism"*
- 1 P.M. Lunch Break Dining Hall

2:30 – 4 P.M.	<ul><li>Professor Ansel Kebede Brown, Visiting Assistant Professor of Law, School of Law, North Carolina Central University, Durham, U.S.</li><li><i>"The Jewish and African Diasporas" (Virtual)</i></li></ul>	
	<b>Professor Sunni Ali,</b> Associate Professor of Educational Inquiry and Curriculum Studies, Carruthers Center for Inner City Studies, College of Education, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, U.S. <i>"Rappers who Celebrate Judaism: Countering Antisemitism in African</i> <i>American Culture" (Virtual)</i>	
	<b>Devin Randolph</b> , Department of Education, Claflin University, Orangeburg, U.S. "Anne and Emmett: Confronting Antisemitism, Racism and Otherness through Pedagogy"	
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11 A.M.	Morning Tea Break	
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	Dr. Ramy Aziz, Director, Middle East Programme, ISGAP "Antisemitism and the Muslim Brotherhood"	

1 P.M. Lunch Break – Dining Hall

2:30 – 4:00 P.M.	<ul> <li>Dr. Robert Satloff, Executive Director, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy, Washington D.C., U.S.</li> <li><i>"Building A Virtuous Cycle: Arab-Israeli Peacemaking, the Abraham Accords and the Fight against Antisemitism"</i></li> </ul>
4:00 P.M.	Afternoon Tea Break
4:30 – 6:00 P.M.	<b>The Honourable Irwin Cotler,</b> Special Envoy on Preserving Holocaust Remembrance and Combatting Antisemitism, Ottawa, Canada "A Strategy for Fighting Antisemitism" (Virtual)
8 P.M.	William Prusoff Memorial Event The Abraham Accords: A Vehicle for Respecting the Other (Open to the Public) Rabbi Elie Abadie, H.E. Dr. Ali Al Nuaimi , Dr. Robert Satloff, Professor Yossi Shain, Dr. Charles Asher Small

### Thursday, 11 August 2022 – Pembroke College, Oxford

8:00 A.M.	Breakfast – Dining Hall	
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9:30 – 11 A.M.
 Dr. Michal Vasecka, Associate Professor, Bratislava International School Of Liberal Arts, Bratislava, Slovakia
 *"Multilayer Responsibility of Social Actors within the Process of the Fight Against Antisemitism in Central Europe"*

Professor Aleksandra Gliszczyńska-Grabias, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw, Poland "Do Human Rights Still Apply to Jewish People? The Weakening of Human Rights Protection against Antisemitism" (Virtual)

### 11 A.M. Morning Tea Break

11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M. Professor Vladimir "Ze'ev" Khanin, Chief Scientist, Israeli Ministry of Aliya and Integration; Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University; Associate Professor, Graduate Program in Jewish Studies, Ariel University, Ariel, Israel "Classical, Instrumental and Latent Antisemitism at War: Sociological and Political Evidence from Contemporary Russia and Ukraine"

**Izabella Tabarovsky,** Senior Program Associate, Kennan Institute of the Wilson Center, Washington D.C., U.S.

	"Three Antizionisms: The Evolution of Soviet Antizionism from 1917 to post-1967"	
1 P.M.	Lunch Break – Dining Hall	
2:30 – 4:00 P.M.	<b>Professor Boaz Ganor,</b> Founder and Executive Director, International Institute for Counter-Terrorism (ICT); Ronald S. Lauder Chair for Counter-Terrorism, Reichman University, Herzliya, Israel <i>"Terrorism, Hate Crimes and Antisemitism" (Virtual)</i>	
	<b>Dr. Dyanne Martin,</b> Assistant Professor, Department of English and Education, Wheaton College, Wheaton, U.S. <i>"From Roots to Branches: Christian Antisemitism"</i>	
	Aaron David Fruh, President, Israel Team Advocates, Florida, U.S. "Antisemitism in the Christian Academy"	
4 P.M.	Afternoon Tea Break	
4:30 – 6 P.M.	<b>Professor Ellen Cannon,</b> Department of Political Science and Jewish Studies, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, U.S. <i>"Soviet Propaganda: Its Impact and Role in the Normalization of</i> <i>Antisemitism and Anti-Zionism in American Higher Education" (Virtual)</i>	
	<ul> <li>Professor Steve Ross, Department of History; Myron and Marian Director of the Casden Institute for the Study of the Jewish Role in American Life, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, U.S.</li> <li><i>"The Secret War Against Hate: American Resistance to Antisemitism and White Supremacy After 1945" (Virtual)</i></li> </ul>	
6 P.M.	Break	
6:15 P.M.	Breakout Sessions	
7:30 P.M.	Marlon Solomon One Man Show – "Conspiracy Theory: A Lizard's Tale"	

# Friday, 12 August 2022 – Pembroke College, Oxford

8:00 A.M.	Breakfast – Dining Hall
9:30 – 11 A.M.	Fentahun Assefa-Dawit, Director, Africa Programme, ISGAP

### "Antisemitism, Racism and Ignorance"

**Ms. Mandisa B.F. Fatyela**, Human Rights Activist, Pretoria, South Africa *"Reimagining a World without Racism, Prejudice, Discrimination and Antisemitism: Why some members of the current generation have not learnt from the Holocaust and Apartheid" (Virtual)* 

- 11 A.M. Morning Tea Break
- 11:30 A.M. 1 P.M. Professor Noha Mellor, Department of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden
   *"Amplifying the Distance between Arabs and Jews"*

Leah Soibel, Founder and CEO, Fuente Latina, Miami, U.S. "Strategies for Countering Digital Media Antisemitism" (Virtual)

- 1 P.M. Lunch Break Dining Hall
- 2:30 4 P.M.
   Dr. Joel Finklestein, Director, Network Contagion Research Institute; Visiting Scholar, Madison Program for Ideas and Institutions, Princeton University, Princeton, U.S.
   *"Online Antisemitism in Social Media" (Virtual)*

Dr. Matthew Bolton, Co-Lead UK Team, Decoding Antisemitism Project, Technical University of Berlin, Berlin, Germany *"Jew-Hatred on the Internet: Reflections, Methods and Goals of the* Decoding Antisemitism Project"

### <u>Saturday, 13 August 2022 – FREE DAY</u>

8 A.M. Breakfast

### Sunday, 14 August 2022 - FREE DAY

8 A.M. Breakfast

### Monday, 15 August 2022 – Day Trip to London

- 7:30 A.M. Coach departs Pembroke College for London. Meet at the Porters' Lodge.
- 9:30 A.M. Visit Community Security Trust (CST)

# 2 P.M. Visit the Fighting Antisemitism from Dreyfus to Today exhibition at the Wiener Holocaust Library

7 P.M. Coach returns

### Tuesday, 16 August 2022 – Pembroke College, Oxford

- 8:00 A.M. Breakfast Dining Hall
- 9:30 11 A.M. **Dr. Charles Asher Small**, Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP; Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Cambridge, U.K. *"Soft Power in Education: The War against the Jewish People"*

Haras Rafiq, Managing Director, ISGAP "The Triple Threat and Countering Extremism"

- 11 A.M. Morning Tea Break
- 11:30 A.M. 1 P.M. Panel:

**Dr. Ehud Rosen,** Senior Researcher, Jerusalem Center for Public Affairs, Jerusalem, Israel

**Benjamin Weinthal,** Journalist, Middle East Affairs, Jerusalem Post, Jerusalem, Israel (*Virtual*)

Yehudah Barlev, CEO and Founder, Barlev Associates, Accountants Investigative Auditing, Tel Aviv, Israel

"Impact of the Muslim Brotherhood on Western Education"

- 1 P.M. Lunch Break Dining Hall
- 2:30 4 P.M.
   Professor David Patterson, Hillel Feinberg Distinguished Chair in Holocaust Studies, Ackerman Center for Holocaust Studies, University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, U.S.
   *"Deadly Intersections: The Academy, Society, and Antisemitism"*

4 P.M. Afternoon Tea Break

4:30-6 P.M.	<b>Professor Miriam Elman</b> , Executive Director, Academic Engagement Network; Associate Professor of Political Science, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, Syracuse, U.S. "Antisemitism and Anti-Zionism on the American Campus and in the Academy: New Challenges and Strategies for Improving the Campus Climate" (Virtual)	
6 P.M.	Break	
6:15 P.M.	Breakout Sessions	
Wednesday, 17 Aug	<u>ust 2022 – Pembroke College, Oxford</u>	
8:00 A.M.	Breakfast – Dining Hall	
9:30 – 11 A.M.	<ul> <li>Professor Dan Michman, Head, International Institute for Holocaust</li> <li>Research; Incumbent, John Najmann Chair of Holocaust Studies, Yad Vashem;</li> <li>Professor Emeritus, Department of Jewish History and Contemporary Jewry,</li> <li>Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel</li> <li><i>"Developments in Holocaust Research since 1990, their Bearings on the Tole of Antisemitism, and a Resulting Redefinition of the Holocaust"</i> (Virtual)</li> </ul>	
11 A.M.	Morning Tea Break	
11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M.	<b>Professor William Kolbrener</b> , Professor of English Literature, Bar-Ilan University, Tel Aviv, Israel <i>"The Origins of Antisemitism in the Modern Academy"</i>	
1P.M.	Lunch Break – Dining Hall	
2:30 – 4 P.M.	Jacob Dallal, Jerusalem, Israel "BDS, Antisemitism and the Government of Israel's Response"	
	<ul><li>Professor Sylvia Barack Fishman, Emerita Professor of Contemporary Jewish Life, Brandeis University, Waltham, U.S.</li><li><i>"Race and Erasure: What is Antisemitism and What are the Jews?" (Virtual)</i></li></ul>	
4 P.M.	Afternoon Tea Break	
4:30 – 6 P.M.	<b>Professor Cary Nelson</b> , Jubilee Professor of Liberal Arts & Sciences Emeritus, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, U.S. <i>"Anti-Zionism and Antisemitism in the Academy" (Virtual)</i>	

# 6 P.M. Break

### 6:15 P.M. Breakout Sessions

### Thursday, 18 August 2022 – Pembroke College, Oxford

- 8:00 A.M. Breakfast Dining Hall
- 9:30 11 A.M. **Dr. Charles Asher Small,** Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP; Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Cambridge, U.K. *"Curriculum Development Session"*
- 11 A.M. Morning Tea Break
- 11:30 A.M. 1 P.M. Curriculum Development Workshop
- 1 P.M. Lunch Break Dining Hall
- 2:30 4 P.M. Curriculum Development Workshop
- 4 P.M. Afternoon Tea Break
- 4:30 6 P.M. Curriculum Development Workshop
- 8 P.M. Farewell Gala Special Event

### Friday, 19 August 2022 – Pembroke College, Oxford

8:00 A.M.	Breakfast – Dining Hall
9:30 – 11 A.M.	Presentations of Syllabi and Projects
11 A.M.	Morning Tea Break
11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M.	Presentations of Syllabi and Projects
1 P.M.	Lunch Break – Dining Hall
2:30 P.M. – 4 PM	Presentations of Syllabi and Projects
4 P.M.	Concluding Remarks and Conferring of Certificates by

**Dr. Charles Asher Small**, Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP; Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Cambridge, U.K.

5 P.M. Departures



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## READINGS PREPARED FOR THE ISGAP-OXFORD SUMMER INSTITUTE FOR CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT IN CRITICAL ANTISEMITISM STUDIES

### SUBJECT ONE: Global Antisemitism

Charles Asher Small, Global Antisemitism: A Crisis of Modernity (New York, 2014).

Robert S. Wistrich, Antisemitism: The Longest Hatred (London, 1991).

### SUBJECT TWO: From Nazi to Islamic and Arab Antisemitism

Robert S. Wistrich, *A Lethal Obsession: Antisemitism from Antiquity to the Global Jihad* (New York, 2010).

Jeffrey Herf, Nazi Propaganda for the Arab World (Ann Arbor, 2009).

Matthias Küntzel, Jihad and Jew-Hatred: Islamism, Nazism and the Roots of 9/11 (New York, 2007).

David G. Dalin and John F. Rothman, *Icon of Evil: Hitler's Mufti and the Rise of Radical Islam* (New York, 2008).

### SUBJECT THREE: The Left, Israel and Anti-Zionism

Robert S. Wistrich, *From Ambivalence to Betrayal: The Left, the Jews, and Israel* (University of Nebraska Press, 2012).

Arkada Vaksberg, Stalin Against the Jews (New York, 1994).

Isaac Deutscher, The Non-Jewish Jew and Other Essays (London, 1958).

Robert S. Wistrich, "Judeophobia and Marxism," Commentary Magazine, December 2014.

### SUBJECT FOUR: Post-2000: The "New" Antisemitism in Europe

David Nurenberg, Anti-Judaism: The Western Tradition (W.W. Norton, 2013).

Pierre-André Taguieff, Rising from the Muck: The New Antisemitism in Europe (Chicago, 2004).

Robin Shepherd, A State Beyond the Pale: Europe's Problem with Israel (London, 2009).

### SYLLABUS 2022

### Sunday, 7 August 2022

### Welcoming Remarks:

### **Dr. Charles Asher Small**

Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP; Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Cambridge, U.K.

# *"The Importance of Creating Critical Contemporary Antisemitism Studies: Understanding the Relevance of Tisha B'av in Relation to Exile"*

### Presentations:

Rabbi Elie Abadie, Senior Rabbi, Jewish Council of the Emirates, Dubai, U.A.E. H.E. Dr. Ali Al Nuaimi, Chairman, Hedayah, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

### Keynote Presentation:

Aliza Landau, Holocaust Survivor, Israel "If Only Night Would Not Come – The Story of Aliza Landau"

### Monday, 8 August 2022

Dr. Charles Asher Small
Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP;
Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme
on Critical Antisemitism Studies,
Cambridge, U.K.

"Globalization, Antisemitism, Race and Israel-Bashing"

### **Readings (Small)**

- 1. Charles Asher Small, Global Antisemitism: A Crisis of Modernity (New York, 2014).
- 2. Robert S. Wistrich, Antisemitism: The Longest Hatred (London, 1991).
- 3. David Nirenberg, Anti-Judaism: The Western Tradition, (New York: W.W. Norton, 2013).

### **Recommended Readings (Small)**

1. Manuel Castells, The Rise of the Network Society (Oxford: Blackwell Publishers, 1996).

2. Manuel Castells, The Power of Identity (Oxford: Blackwell Publishers, 1997) (PDF).

3. Tony McGrew, Stuart Hall, and David Held, eds., Modernity and its Futures

(London: Polity Press, 1992).

4. David Harvey, The Condition of Postmodernity (Oxford: Blackwell Publishers, 1989).

5. Ayse Oncu and Petra Weyland, Space, Culture and Power: *New Identities in Globalising Cities* (London: Zed Press, 1997).

6. Saskia Sassen, *Territory, Authority, Rights: From Medieval to Global Assemblages* (Princeton University Press, 1996).

11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M.	Professor Joel Kotek
	Professor of Political Science,
	Free University of Brussels (ULB) and
	The Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris,
	Brussels, Belgium; Paris, France

"Antisemitism as a Conspiracy Theory from the Judas Affair to COVID-19"

2:30 – 4:00 P.M.	<b>Professor Benny Morris</b>
	Professor of History,
	Ben-Gurion University,
	Beersheba, Israel

# "The War of 1948 and Jihad"

# **Readings (Morris):**

1. Benny Morris, 1948: A History of the First Arab-Israeli War (New Haven: Yale University Press, 2008), Chapter 11 ("Some Conclusions").

2. Benny Morris, Righteous Victims, A History of the Arab-Zionist Conflict, 1881-1999. (New York: Vintage Books, 2001)

4:30-6:00 P.M.	Professor Uzi Rabi
	Director, Dayan Center,
	Tel Aviv University,
	Tel Aviv, Israel

"New Regionalism and Antisemitism"

# Readings (Rabi):

1. Uzi Rabi, The Return of the Past, Chapter 6.

### Tuesday, 9 August 2022

9:30 – 11 A.M. **Professor Katya Gibel Mevorach** Anthropology Department, Grinnell College, Grinnell, U.S.

"Antisemitism and Curriculum: Decentering Identities/ Curating Syllabi"

11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M. **Ben M. Freeman** Author and Jewish Educator, London, U.K

"The Impact of Jew-Hatred on Jews: Addressing Internalised Anti-Jewishness"

Professor Amy Elman Professor of Political Science, William Weber Chair of Social Science, Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, United States

"All American Antisemitism through Replacement Feminism"

### **Readings (Elman):**

1. Letty Cottin Pogrebin, "Anti-Semitism in The Women's Movement", Ms. Magazine, June 1982.

https://jwa.org/media/anti-semitism-in-womens-movement-by-letty-cottin-pogrebin

2. R. Amy Elman, "BDS and the Queer Appropriation of Pinkwashing," Academic Engagement Network (AEN) Pamphlet Series, April 2019.

https://academicengagement.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/aen\_pamphlet2-1-4.pdf

2:30 – 4:00 P.M. **Professor Ansel Brown** Visiting Assistant Professor of Law, North Carolina Central University Durham, United States

"The Jewish and African Diasporas"

### **Readings (Brown):**

1. Calev Myers, Crucial Alliance: African Americans, Jews, and the Middle East Conundrum, Judean Hills Press (2016).

### **Professor Sunni Ali**

Associate Professor of Educational Inquiry and Curriculum Studies, Carruthers Center for Inner City Studies, College of Education, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, United States

### "Rappers who Celebrate Judaism: Countering Antisemitism in African American Culture"

### Readings (Ali):

1. Ali, S. (2020). Critical conversations in hip-hop and social justice. Chicago: African American Images. (Applying Part I-Section II entitled, Hip-Hop and Antisemitism).

2. Baldwin, J. (April 9, 1967). Negroes are anti-Semitic because they're anti-white.

New York: NY Times Books Archived Article. Retrieved from

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5. Kestenbaum, S. (August 30, 2016). The Jewish rapper with Wu-Tang ties—and his nasty Twitter beef over Israel. The Schmooze.

https://forward.com/schmooze/348752/the-jewish-rapper-with-wu-tang-ties-and-his-nasty-twitter -beef-over-israel/

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 8. Levi, P., Woolfe, S., and Bailey, P. (2003). If this is man and the truce. UK: Abacus (Applying the Introduction of the chapter).

### **Professor Devin Randolph**

Department of Education, Clafin University, Orangeburg, U.S.

### "Anne and Emmett: Confronting Antisemitism, Racism and Otherness through Pedagogy"

4:30-6:00 P.M. Professor MK Yossi Shain

Romulo Betancourt Professor of Political Science, Tel Aviv University;

### Member of Knesset, Jerusalem, Israel

### "The Israeli Century and the Israelization of Judaism"

### **Readings (Shain):**

1. Yossi Shain, The Israeli Century: How the Zionist Revolution Changed History and Reinvented Judaism (Wicked Son, 2021)

### Wednesday, 10 August 2022

9:30 – 11 A.M.	Professor Boaz Ganor
	Founder and Executive Director, International Institute for
	Counter-Terrorism (ICT);
	Ronald S. Lauder Chair for Counter-Terrorism,
	Reichman University, Herzliya, Israel

"Terrorism, Hate Crimes and Antisemitism"

11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M.	Dr. Jonathan Spyer
	Jerusalem Institute for Strategy and Security
	Jerusalem, Israel

"Lebanese Hizballah: A Case Study of an antisemitic Shia Islamist Group"

**Dr. Ramy Aziz** Director, Middle East Programme, ISGAP

### "Antisemitism and the Muslim Brotherhood"

### Readings (Aziz):

1. Benny Morris, The Birth of the Palestinian Refugee Problem Revisited, (Cambridge University Press, 2004).

2. David Patterson, A Genealogy of Evil Anti-Semitism from Nazism to Islamic Jihad, (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2011).

3. Bernard Lewis, Islam from the Prophet Muhammad to the Capture of Constantinople: Politics and War, (UK: Oxford University Press, 1987).

4. Bernard Lewis, Semites and Anti-Semites: An Inquiry into Conflict and Prejudice, (NY, Norton & Company, Incorporated, 1987).

5. Ramy Aziz, Antisemitism As a Gateway to Terrorism, ISGAP flashpoint.

https://isgap.org/flashpoint/antisemitism-as-a-gateway-to-terrorism/ 6. Ramy Aziz, Antisemitism in the Arab Media, ISGAP flashpoint. https://isgap.org/flashpoint/antisemitism-in-arab-media-and-tv-drama/

2:30 – 4:00 P.M. **Dr. Robert Satloff** Executive Director, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy, Washington D.C., U.S.

"Building A Virtuous Cycle: Arab-Israeli Peacemaking, the Abraham Accords and the Fight against Antisemitism"

4:30-6:00 P.M.	The Honourable Irwin Cotler
	Special Envoy on Preserving Holocaust Remembrance
	and Combatting Antisemitism,
	Ottawa, Canada

### "A Strategy for Fighting Antisemitism"

8 P.M.William Prusoff Memorial EventThe Abraham Accords: A Vehicle for Respecting the OtherRabbi Elie Abadie, H.E. Dr. Ali Al Nuaimi, Dr. Robert Satloff,Professor Yossi Shain, Dr. Charles Asher Small

### Thursday, 11 August 2022

9:30 – 11 A.M. **Dr. Michal Vasecka** Associate Professor, Bratislava International School Of Liberal Arts, Bratislava, Slovakia

*"Multilayer Responsibility of Social Actors within the Process of the Fight Against Antisemitism in Central Europe"* 

**Professor Aleksandra Gliszczyńska-Grabias** Assistant Professor, Institute of Law Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw, Poland

"Do Human Rights Still Apply to Jewish People? The Weakening of Human Rights Protection against Antisemitism"

**Readings (Grabias):** 

1. Schooled in Hate: Anti-Semitism on Campus, ADL.

2. <u>OVERVIEW OF ANTISEMITIC INCIDENTS RECORDED IN THE EUROPEAN UNION</u>, 2009-2019.

3. Melissa Block and Jerome Socolovsky, *Antisemitism Spikes, And Many Jews Wonder: Where Are Our Allies?*, NPR June 7 2021.

### 11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M. Professor Vladimir (Ze'ev) Khanin

Chief Scientist, Israeli Ministry of Aliya and Integration; Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University; Associate Professor, Graduate Program in Jewish Studies, Ariel University, Ariel, Israel

### "Classical, Instrumental and Latent Antisemitism at War: Sociological and Political Evidence from Contemporary Russia and Ukraine"

**Izabella Tabarovsky** Senior Program Associate at the Kennan Institute of the Wilson Center, Washington D.C., U.S.

"Three Antizionisms: The Evolution of Soviet Antizionism from 1917 to post-1967"

2:30 – 4:00 P.M. **Dr. Dyanne Martin** Assistant Professor Department of English and Education Wheaton College, Wheaton, U.S.

"From Roots to Branches: Christian Antisemitism"

**Aaron David Fruh** President, Israel Team Advocates, Florida, U.S.

### "Antisemitism in the Christian Academy"

4:30-6:00 P.M. **Professor Ellen Cannon** Department of Political Science and Jewish Studies, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, U.S.

# *"Soviet Propaganda: Its Impact and Role in the Normalization of Antisemitism and Anti-Zionism in American Higher Education"*

### **Professor Steve Ross**

Department of History; Myron and Marian Director of the Casden Institute for the Study of the Jewish Role in American Life, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, U.S.

# *"The Secret War Against Hate: American Resistance to Antisemitism and White Supremacy After 1945"*

### Readings (Ross):

1. Steven J. Ross, *Hitler in Los Angeles: How Jews Foiled Nazi Plots Against Hollywood and America*.

### Friday, 12 August 2022

9:30 – 11 A.M.	Fentahun Assefa-Dawit
	Director, Africa Programme, ISGAP

"Antisemitism, Racism and Ignorance"

**Ms. Mandisa B.F. Fatyela,** Human Rights Activist, Pretoria, South Africa

"Reimagining a World without Racism, Prejudice, Discrimination and Antisemitism: Why some members of the current generation have not learnt from the Holocaust and Apartheid"

11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M. Professor Noha Mellor Media Studies Department, Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden

"Amplifying the Distance between Arabs and Jews"

**Leah Soibel** Founder and CEO, Fuente Latina, Miami, United States

"Strategies for Countering Digital Media Antisemitism"

**Readings (Soibel):** 

1. Coronavirus: Anti-Israel & Antisemitic Rhetoric in Spanish-Language Media,

https://www.adl.org/blog/coronavirus-anti-israel-antisemitic-rhetoric-in-spanish-language-media 2. Iran's Hardy Spanish Media Mole,

https://www.memri.org/reports/irans-hardy-spanish-media-mole

3. Argentinian journalist exposes antisemitic, neo-Nazi groups in Latin America,

https://www.israelhayom.com/2021/04/14/argentinian-journalist-exposes-antisemitic-neo-nazi-gr oups-in-latin-america/

4. *Hispanic voters in Florida targeted with anti-Semitic conspiracy theories,* <u>https://www.timesofisrael.com/hispanic-voters-in-florida-targeted-with-anti-semitic-conspiracy-t</u> <u>heories/</u>

5. *Miami Herald apologizes for running anti-Semitic and racist ads for months,* <u>https://www.timesofisrael.com/miami-herald-apologizes-for-running-anti-semitic-and-racist-ads-for-months/</u>

2:30 – 4:00 P.M.
 Dr. Joel Finklestein
 Director, Network Contagion Research Institute;
 Visiting Scholar, Madison Program for Ideas and Institutions,
 Princeton University, Princeton, U.S.

"Online Antisemitism in Social Media"

### **Readings (Finkelstein):**

1. Network Contagion, <u>Antisemitic Disinformation: A Study of the Online Dissemination of</u> <u>Anti-Jewish Conspiracy Theories</u>, December 2020.

**Dr. Matthew Bolton,** Co-Lead UK Team, Decoding Antisemitism Project, Technical University of Berlin, Berlin, Germany

# *"Jew-Hatred on the Internet: Reflections, Methods and Goals of the Decoding Antisemitism Project"*

### Tuesday, 16 August 2022

9:30 – 11 A.M. **Dr. Charles Asher Small** Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP; Director, ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Cambridge, U.K.

"Soft Power in Education: The War against the Jewish People"

# Haras Rafiq

### Managing Director, ISGAP

### "The Triple Threat and Countering Extremism"

### 11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M. Panel: Dr. Ehud Rosen,

Senior Researcher, Jerusalem Center for Public Affairs, Jerusalem, Israel

### Benjamin Weinthal,

Journalist, Middle East Affairs, Jerusalem Post, Jerusalem, Israel

### Yehudah Barlev

CEO and Founder, Barlev Associates, Accountants Investigative Auditing, Tel Aviv, Israel

### "Impact of the Muslim Brotherhood on Western Education"

2:30 – 4:00 P.M. **Professor David Patterson** Hillel Feinberg Distinguished Chair in Holocaust Studies, Ackerman Center for Holocaust Studies, University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, U.S.

### Deadly Intersections: The Academy, Society, and Antisemitism"

4:30-6:00 P.M. **Professor Miriam Elman** Executive Director, Academic Engagement Network; Associate Professor of Political Science at the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs at Syracuse University, Syracuse, U.S.

"Antisemitism and Anti-Zionism on the American Campus and in the Academy: New Challenges and Strategies for Improving the Campus Climate"

### Wednesday, 17 August 2022

9:30 – 11 A.M.	Professor Dan Michman,
	Head, International Institute for Holocaust Research;
	Incumbent, John Najmann Chair of Holocaust Studies,
	Yad Vashem

Professor Emeritus, Department of Jewish History and Contemporary Jewry, Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel

# "Developments in Holocaust Research since 1990, their Bearings on the Tole of Antisemitism, and a Resulting Redefinition of the Holocaust"

11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M. **Professor William Kolbrener** Professor of English Literature, Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel

"The Origins of Antisemitism in the Modern Academy"

2:30 – 4:00 P.M. Jacob Dallal Jerusalem, Israel

"BDS, Antisemitism and the Government of Israel's Response" (Virtual)

### **Professor Sylvia Barack Fishman** Emerita Professor of Contemporary Jewish Life Brandeis University, Waltham, U.S.

"Race and Erasure: What is Antisemitism- and What are the Jews?" (Virtual)

### **Readings (Fishman):**

Jason D. Hill, "My Black Lives Matter Problem," Commentary Magazine, June 2018.
 Mari Cohen, "Jewish Groups Embrace BLM, With Conditions," Jewish Currents, June 23, 2020.

*3*. Emma Green, *"Why Do Black Activists Care About Palestine?"* The Atlantic Monthly, August 18, 2016.

4. Sylvia Barack-Fishman, "<u>Erasure and Demonization: Antisemitism and Anti-Zionism in</u> <u>Contemporary Social Movements</u>" Occasional Paper Series, ISGAP Occasional Paper Series, Number 1, May 2021.

4:30-6:00 P.M. **Professor Cary Nelson** Jubilee Professor of Liberal Arts & Sciences Emeritus at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, U.S.

# "Anti-Zionism and Antisemitism in the Academy"

# Thursday, 18 August 2022

9:30 – 11 A.M.	Dr. Charles Asher Small
	Founder and Executive Director, ISGAP; Director,
	ISGAP-Woolf Institute Fellowship Training Programme
	on Critical Antisemitism Studies, Cambridge, U.K.

"Curriculum Development Session"

11:30 A.M. – 1 P.M.	Curriculum Development Workshop
2:30 – 4:00 P.M.	Curriculum Development Workshop

"Curriculum Development Session Two"

# **Professor Biographies**



# Rabbi Elie Abadie

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Rabbi Elie Abadie, M.D. joined the Jewish Council of the Emirates (JCE) in 2020 as its senior and resident rabbi. As the Jewish community in the United Arab Emirates experiences dramatic growth from an influx of Jewish tourists from Israel and the West following the historic signing of the Abraham Accords, Rabbi Dr. Abadie provides spiritual leadership to the local community helping to build and grow Jewish life in the Gulf. Rabbi Dr. Abadie joined the JCE with a vision to create

critical Jewish infrastructure for the local community, including a day school, a mikvah, a Beit Din/Jewish court and the Arabian Kosher Certification Agency.



# Professor Sunni Ali

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Sunni Ali is an Associate Professor at Northeastern Illinois University (NEIU) Education Inquiry Curriculum Studies Department. He earned his Doctorate in Educational Administration from Roosevelt University and has 24 years of high school teaching experience as social science and special education instructor, including 2-years as a school district administrator. Since becoming an Associate Professor at NEIU, Professor Ali has produced several published articles and four texts. His most recent text, An American Love Story: Islam and

the Black Experience, is coming out soon.



### H.E. Dr. Ali Al Nuaimi

His Excellency Ali Rashid Al Nuaimi currently serves as the first chairman of the International Steering Board of Hedayah, the International Center of Excellence for Countering Violent Extremism, based in Abu Dhabi. He is also the founder and chairman of the World Council of Muslim Communities. Furthermore, Al Nuaimi is a founding member of the Forum for Promoting Peace in Muslim Societies and the first secretary general of the Muslim Council of Elders. Al Nuaimi is also the

founder and chairman of Al-Majal Media and the editor-in-chief of Al-Ain News Portal, a comprehensive Arab news portal. Additionally, he is the founder of 7D News based in London, covering international news. As a pioneer of educational reform and policy in the United Arab Emirates, Al Nuaimi served as the chancellor of the United Arab Emirates University and the chairman of the Abu Dhabi Department of Education and Knowledge in his capacity as a member of the Executive Council of the Government of Abu Dhabi.



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Dr. Ramy Aziz is the Director of the Middle East Program at the Institute for the Study of Global Antisemitism (ISGAP). Based in Ottawa, Canada, he is an Egyptian researcher and Political analyst of Middle Eastern Affairs, Political Islam and Arab-Israeli relations. He completed his doctorate degree from the University of Rome "La-Sapienza", on the topic of "Islam and Political Islam: The Case of the Muslim Brotherhood in Europe." His articles and analyses have been published in The

Jerusalem Post, The Times of Israel, Middle East Quarterly, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy and Institute of the study Global Antisemitism and Policy (ISGAP). He has also conducted interviews with Sky News, Russia Today, Asharq-Bloomberg, I24news, DW, the Israeli Broadcasting Corporation-KAN and Alhurra news channel.



# **Professor Sylvia Barack Fishman** fishman@brandeis.edu

Professor Sylvia Barack Fishman, Ph.D. is the author of eight books, including *The Way Into the Varieties of Jewishness*, and numerous articles discussing antisemitism and anti-Zionism, Israel-Diaspora relations, Jewish identity, the interplay of American and Jewish values, transformations in the American Jewish family, the impact of Jewish education, gender and sexuality in American Jewish life, and portrayals of Jews and Jewishness in fiction and film. She is an Emerita Professor of Contemporary Jewish Life in the Near Eastern and Judaic Studies Department at Brandeis University and was the founding

Co-Director of the Hadassah Brandeis Institute (HBI). Prof. Fishman is a Senior Research Fellow of ISGAP and serves on the Board of JOFA. Among other honours, Prof. Fishman received The Marshall Sklare Award from the Association for the Social Scientific Study of Jewry, and the Belkin Award for Distinguished Professional Achievement from Yeshiva University (Stern College).



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Yehudah worked for various enforcement agencies in Israel and out of Israel, in wide issues of investigative audits (i.e., forensic accounting) of white-collar offences and corruption prevention on a national scale in various countries and in civil disputes. Among his substantial projects were: the recovery of the properties of Holocaust victims on behalf of the Knesset's investigation commission and later also for the Governmental Company for Locating and Recovery of Holocaust Victims'

Properties, investigation of the fraud and collapse of the "Commerce Bank", delicate projects for governments. Yehudah lectures in various academic institutions in Israeli and international conventions on Investigative Auditing issues, economic crime, corruption, money laundering and terror financing, and also to: government officials, litigators, accountants, bankers, risk and money laundering compliance officers and law enforcement officers. Yehudah appears occasionally in Courts as an expert witness on Investigative Auditing issues (prevention, tracing and quantification of corruption, fraud, money laundering and terror finance).



### Dr. Matthew Bolton

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Dr. Matthew Bolton is a researcher on the Decoding Antisemitism project at the Zentrum für Antisemitismusforschung at TU Berlin. He has written widely on contemporary antisemitism in the UK, including his co-authored book Corbynism: A Critical Approach (Emerald, 2018). He is a fellow of the London Centre for the Study of Contemporary Antisemitism.



### Dr. Ansel Brown

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As a recurrent lecturer at ISGAP, Dr. Brown will focus on topics raised by the students and guests more recently. As seen in this years' and last years' Summer-Oxford Institutes, there were questions about defining the differences between antisemitic anti-Zionism on one hand, and legitimate criticism of some of Israel's policies, on the other. There were also questions about alternative emerging Jewish organisations that are very critical of Israel, and how they fit into this spectrum. Dr. Brown will be crafting, with the hope of publication in an ISGAP series, a

description and analysis of these questions, in addition to other materials in his paper: "Antisemitism and Anti-Zionism in Contemporary Social Organizations."



# Professor Ellen Cannon

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Dr. Ellen Cannon has been a Professor of Political Science and Jewish Studies at Northeastern Illinois University from 1978-present. She received a Ph.D. from the University of Massachusetts in 1973 and a B.A. SUNY at Stony Brook in 1969. She is a graduate of the 2019 ISGAP-Oxford Summer Institute. Her recent publications include, "Contemporary Jewish Politics and Historiography: The Case of the BDS Movement," in Dean Phillip Bell (ed.) THE ROUTLEDGE COMPANION TO JEWISH History and Historiography, (2019); "The BDS and Anti-BDS Movements: Propaganda War vs. Interest Group Articulation," JEWISH POLITICAL SCIENCE REVIEW (Fall,

2019); more than 400 news articles on terrorism and catastrophic disasters.



### The Honorable Professor Irwin Cotler

Irwin Cotler is the Chair of the Raoul Wallenberg Centre for Human Rights, an Emeritus Professor of Law at McGill University, former Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada and longtime Member of Parliament, and an international human rights lawyer. A constitutional and comparative law scholar, Professor Cotler is the author of numerous publications and seminal legal articles and has written upon and intervened in landmark Charter of Rights cases in the areas of free speech, freedom of religion, minority rights, peace law and war crimes justice. As Minister of Justice and Attorney

General, Irwin Cotler initiated the first-ever comprehensive reform of the Supreme Court appointment process and helped make it the most gender-representative Supreme Court in the world; appointed the first aboriginal and visible minority justices to the Ontario Court of Appeal; initiated the first law on human trafficking; crafted the Civil Marriage Act, the first legislation to grant marriage equality to gays and lesbians; issued Canada's first National Justice Initiative Against Racism and Hate; quashed more wrongful convictions in a single year than any prior Minister, and made the pursuit of international justice a government priority. A leading Parliamentarian on the global stage, he has been Chair of the Inter-Parliamentary Group for Human Rights in Iran; Chair of the Inter-Parliamentary Group of Justice for Sergei Magnitsky; Chair of the All-Party Save Darfur Parliamentary Coalition; Chair, Canadian section, of the Parliamentarians for Global Action and Member of its international council.



### Jacob Dallal

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Jacob Dallal held public diplomacy, public relations and international policy positions in the Israeli government, the IDF and leading NGOs in Israel and abroad. Most recently, Jacob worked as the director of academic affairs for the Government of Israel's Ministry of Strategic Affairs, which focused on countering the delegitimization of Israel. In his position, Jacob led the ministry's focus on new antisemitism, online antisemitic hate speech, and on confronting the delegitimization of Israel in

Academia. Previously, Jacob served as director of communications at the Mandel Foundation in Jerusalem, and, in North America, at the Jewish Agency and at Taglit-Birthright Israel. An IDF major (reserve), Jacob served in the IDF Spokesperson's Unit for five years, and was acting head of the international press office during the Lebanon War in 2006. Jacob holds an MPA from the Harvard Kennedy School and a BA from the University of Chicago.



### Dr. Miriam Elman

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Dr. Miriam F. Elman has served as Executive Director of the educational nonprofit Academic Engagement Network since 2019. She is an Associate Professor of Political Science at Syracuse University where she holds the title of Robert D. McClure Professor of Teaching Excellence at the Maxwell School of Citizenship & Public Affairs. An award-winning scholar and teacher, Elman has edited and co-edited six books and a number of special issues for academic journals, including

Israel Studies. She is the author of over 70 peer-reviewed journal articles and book chapters on topics related to contemporary antisemitism, academic freedom and campus free expression, peace and conflict resolution, religion and politics in Israel, and the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Elman received her BA from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and her M.Phil. and Ph.D. from Columbia University. She has held pre- and post-doctoral fellowships at the Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, at Harvard Kennedy School and was a tenured member of the faculty at Arizona State University before moving to Syracuse in 2009. Elman has delivered hundreds of guest lectures in her areas of expertise and has been frequently featured in Haaretz, The Jerusalem Post, The New York Times, The Times of Israel, Washington Post, Inside Higher Ed, The Chronicle of Higher Education, Legal Insurrection, JNS, Jewish Journal, JWeekly and The Forward, among other media outlets. In recognition of her work, in 2018 The Algemeiner listed her among the top 100 people worldwide who are positively influencing Jewish life.



### Dr. R. Amy Elman elman@kzoo.edu

R. Amy Elman is a Professor of Political Science and the William Weber Chair of Social Science at Kalamazoo College in Michigan. She has received numerous awards for her scholarship including two Fulbright grants, a fellowship from the National Endowment for the Humanities and a grant from the Sassoon International Center for the Study of Anti-Semitism at Hebrew University. She has worked on behalf of women's rights and against antisemitism domestically and within Europe for over

three decades. She has lectured and published widely on the response of states and the European Union to issues of citizenship, migration, violence against women, sex discrimination, and antisemitism. In The European Union, Antisemitism and the Politics of Denial (University of Nebraska Press, 2014) she explores the conditions that precipitated the EU's efforts to stem antisemitism and considers the consequences. More recently, she explores the mainstreaming of American antisemitism (in the Journal of Contemporary Antisemitism).



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Mandisa Fatyela was born in Cape Town in South Africa and currently lives in the Administrative capital, Pretoria, with her family. Mandisa has an M.A. in Sociology from Concordia University in Montreal, Canada and an M.A. in Policy Development and Practice from the University of Cape Town. Mandisa also trained in International Human Rights by the Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights at the University of Lund in Sweden and as a Gestalt Consultant by the Gestalt Institute in Ohio in the U.S. Mandisa has more than 26 years of

experience working in the public sector and government. Mandisa is currently doing research for a PhD proposal and intends to register for PhD studies in 2023. She is a human rights activist, a public policy analyst, a strategic planner and a constitutionalist at heart.



# **Fentahun Assefa-Dawit** fentahuna@gmail.com

Fentahun Assefa-Dawit has been appointed Director of the Africa Program to expand research initiatives and partnerships with the African Union, universities and research centres in Morocco, Rwanda, and South Africa. Fentahun has been actively engaged in community service, advocacy and leadership development. He has managed two Jewish Agency absorption centres and was responsible for the oversight of more than a thousand new immigrants from Ethiopia to Israel. His work includes the protection of the immigrants during the harrowing

days of the 2nd Lebanon War in 2006. Fentahun also served as executive director of Tebeka, an advocacy organisation for justice and equality for Ethiopians living in Israel.



# Dr. Joel Finklestein

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Joel Finkelstein is the Director of the Network Contagion Research Institute, which deploys machine learning tools to expose the growing tide of hate and extremism on social media. He is also a Visiting Scholar at the Madison Program for Ideas and Institutions at Princeton University and a former Research Fellow at the Anti-Defamation League Center on Extremism. Joel is a graduate of Princeton University, where his award winning, doctoral work focused on the psychology and

neuroscience of addiction and social behaviour. Joel speaks to media, policy makers, advocacy groups and investigators to help turn tools for social science into tools for social justice. His work on hate and antisemitism in social media has appeared in the Washington Post, the Wall Street Journal, NPR and other media outlets. Joel is also an ISGAP Research Fellow.



### Ben M. Freeman ben@benmfreeman.com

Ben M. Freeman is an internationally renowned author and educator focussing on Jewish identity, combatting Jew-hatred and raising awareness about the Holocaust. A Holocaust educator for over fifteen years, Ben came to international prominence during the Corbyn Labour crisis and became one of his generation's leading voices against anti-Jewish racism. He is the founder of the modern Jewish Pride movement and the author of the Jewish Pride manifesto, *Jewish Pride: Rebuilding a* 

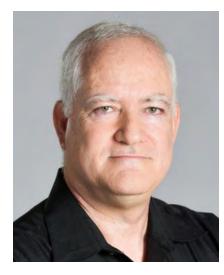
*People*. He has since decided to create a Jewish Pride trilogy and his follow up, *Reclaiming our Story: The Pursuit of Jewish Pride* is due to be released in October 2022.



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Aaron Fruh is the President of Israel Team Advocates International, a nonprofit organisation that advocates for Jewish existence. Israel team works on Christian college campuses in a time of growing Antisemitism in the Christian academy. Aaron is the author of four books and the editor of *The Casualty of Contempt - The Alarming Rise of Antisemitism and what can be Done to Stop It*. Aaron writes for The Times of Israel, The Algemeiner, The Jerusalem Post, and Israel365 News.



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Professor Boaz Ganor is the Founder and Executive Director of the International Institute for Counter-Terrorism (ICT) and the Ronald S. Lauder Chair for Counter-Terrorism at Reichman University, Herzliya, Israel. He previously served for five years as Dean and ten years as Deputy Dean of the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy & Strategy at Reichman University. Professor Ganor serves as the Founding President of the International Academic Counter-Terrorism Community (ICTAC), an international association of academic institutions, experts, and researchers in fields related to the

study of terrorism and counter-terrorism. In 2019-2020, Prof. Ganor spent a sabbatical year as a Visiting Fellow at the Australian Strategic Policy Institute (ASPI), Australia; as an Adjunct Professor at the Australian Graduate School of Policing and Security at Charles Stuart University, Australia; and as the Aaron and Cecile Goldman Visiting Israeli Professor and Israel Institute Fellow at Georgetown University, United States.



# Professor Katya Gibel Mevorach

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Katya Gibel Mevorach, Professor in Anthropology and American Studies at Grinnell College, holds a Ph.D. in Cultural Anthropology from Duke University and received her B.A. and M.A. in African Studies from Hebrew University of Jerusalem in Israel. Prof. Gibel Mevorach is author, under name, Katya Gibel Azoulay of "Black, Jewish and Interracial: It's Not the Color of Your Skin but the Race of Your Kin, and Other Myths of Identity" (Duke University Press, 1997). Journals in which her

articles, review essays and position papers have appeared include American Anthropologist, American Ethnologist, Biography, Developing World Bioethics, Identities, Cultural Studies, Research in African Literatures, Noga (Israeli Feminist Journal) and The Jerusalem Post (Israel). Gibel Mevorach has dual American - Israeli citizenship. She made Aliya (moved to Israel) in 1970 after graduating from The Brearley School in New York and returned to the U.S. in 1991 to pursue doctoral studies and was then invited to join Grinnell College as a Scholar-in-Residence in January 1996.



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Dr. Aleksandra Gliszczyńska-Grabias is an Assistant Professor at the Institute of Law Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences and expert in the fields of anti-discrimination law, freedom of speech and memory laws. She is co-editor and co-author of Law and Memory: Towards Legal Governance of History (CUP, 2017). She was the Bohdan Winiarski Fellow at the Lauterpacht Centre of the University of Cambridge and a Graduate Fellow at the Yale Initiative for the Interdisciplinary Study of Antisemitism, Yale University. Between 2016 and 2019, she was a Principal Investigator in the Memory Laws in European and Comparative Perspective (MELA), an international research

consortium sponsored by the Humanities in the European Research Area (HERA). Apart from her academic work, Dr. Gliszczyńska-Grabias is a co-head of the Public Interest Strategic Litigation Program at one of the global law firms.



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Dr. Nadia Iermakov serves as the Director for Strategic Project Development in the Office of the Rector and is also a Lecturer and Scientific Adviser to the Academic Masa Programs at Ariel University. She holds a Ph.D. from Dnipro National University, Ukraine, in the field of Humanities and performed a postdoctoral fellowship at Ariel University, Israel, specializing in the history of the Jewish Movement in the Soviet Union and the international campaign to support the freedom of Soviet Jewry. Her research interests are focused on Jewish identity

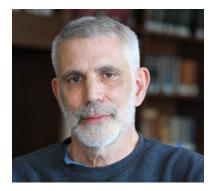
and its coexistence with different ethnicities in Diaspora, past and present. Currently, she is involved in the establishment of the Academic Research Center for Jewish Identity Studies at the University, which will put a strong emphasis on understanding the roots of antisemitism. In addition, she is the Director of the Former Soviet Union Outreach for Kol Israel, the party of the World Zionist Congress, and is responsible for academic and educational programs in the region.



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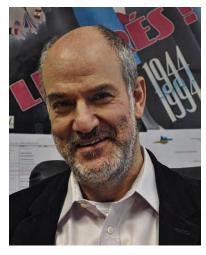
Professor Vladimir (Ze'ev) Khanin is an Israeli expert on the Russian Jewish community in Israel, the Diaspora, and Israel-FSU relations and politics. He received his Ph.D. in Political Science from the Moscow Institute for African Studies, at the USSR Academy of Sciences in 1989, and in 1991 completed postdoctoral studies at the Institute for Russian and Soviet Studies at the University of Oxford. Khanin teaches Political Science at Bar Ilan University in Tel Aviv and serves as

Chief Scientist of the Israeli Ministry of Aliya and Integration. His most recent publication is called: *From Russia to Israel - And Back? Contemporary Transnational Russian Israeli Diaspora* (De Gruyter, Berlin/New York, 2021).



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Professor William Kolbrener is currently a fellow at the Institute for Advanced Studies at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem. An expert on the English Renaissance, Kolbrener has written books on John Milton and Mary Astell. He has also written *Open Minded Torah: Of Irony, Fundamentalism, and Love,* as well as *The Last Rabbi, Joseph Soloveitchik and Talmudic Tradition.* His work *Literature and the Sacred: God and Reading in a Time of Pandemic* is forthcoming.



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#### Aliza Landau

Aliza Landau was born in 1938 in Lodz, Poland. Her family parents, Melech and Ruth Goldman, and brother Rishek, resided in Ruda Pabianicka, a suburb of the city. After the Germans entered Poland, her parents decided that Aliza's father would go into hiding. Aliza, her mother and brother were sent to the Lodz Ghetto, but were able to escape and join her father shortly afterwards. This marked the beginning of four years of wandering across Poland for the family, hiding in different

locations, assisted by Polish peasants. The family was almost caught several times, and at one point was forced to escape to a nearby forest. After several days without food, her mother left the forest in search of sustenance but did not return. Aliza's brother died of starvation and she and her father were found by a German patrol. They were taken, together with several other people, to a makeshift killing pit. Her father was killed but Aliza survived unharmed. She waited for the night to come, crawled out of the pit and escaped to a nearby village. She was six years old. In the village she was taken in by a Ukrainian couple who took care of her until the region was liberated. Her mother, who had also survived in hiding after being severely injured, was able to find her after the war had ended. They moved to Israel in 1948. Aliza married Yossi Landau and had three children. She worked as a kindergarten teacher. Today she lectures on the subject of the

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Emerging technologies can inspire new ways of thinking and the posing of different questions within Holocaust Studies (Maxwell 2018). My recent doctoral research (Maxwell 2021) presented three case studies that show how deeper knowledge and broader understanding can lead to a new relevancy for Holocaust literature. For example, the authors of *The Big Lie: The Protocols of the Elders of Zion* (2003) discovered a new way of refuting *The Protocols of the Elders of Zion* (1933 English translation). Based on my experience at the 2021 ISGAP Summer Institute for Curriculum Development in Critical

Antisemitism Studies, I took Jacobs' and Weitzman's refutation of The Protocols to a 'next level' by further analyzing the key themes identified. My resultant course, Following Protocol, is based on eight topics (Education, Finance, Human Rights, Politics, Practice/Other, Propaganda, Race/Ethnicity, and Religion) that are equally relevant to today's individuals and societies. Similarly, I also took a quantitative approach to examining this plagiarized and mis-represented masterpiece of propaganda that continues to promote and encourage antisemitic beliefs and actions around the world.



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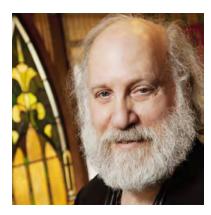
Melkman) was appointed General Director of Yad Vashem. After his military service, he studied Jewish history and Hebrew linguistics at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, where he earned his doctorate in 1978 by writing a dissertation on "Jewish Refugees from Germany in The Netherlands, 1933–1940". In 1976 he joined the faculty of the Department of Jewish History at Bar-Ilan University, teaching and researching in the field of modern Jewish history in general and in the Shoah in particular.



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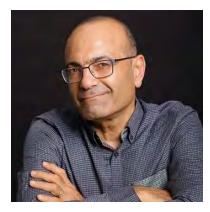


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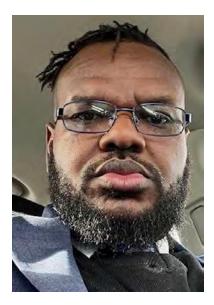


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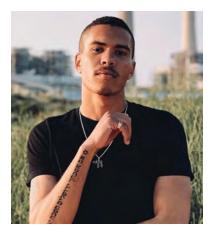


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Noah Shufutinsky is a Jewish educator, musician, and lecturer. As a graduate of The George Washington University where he earned his B.A. in Judaic Studies, he was heavily involved in Jewish life and Zionist activism. Noah is also known by his stage name, Westside Gravy. As an artist, he fuses his passion for Jewish culture and history with his lived experience of growing up Black and Jewish across the U.S. to write and produce hip hop. Through unapologetic songs like Diaspora (2019), Angry Black Man (2020), and Yahud (2021), Noah represents his roots

and illustrates the importance of using art to communicate the history of his people. He has presented for a large number of Jewish organisations in North America and Europe from youth groups to non-profits, to Universities and Jewish federations, highlighting the importance of Jewish education through a variety of methods including the influence of art. He worked as a cohost of the New Zionist Podcast, where with his cohosts, he examined current events as well as Jewish history and challenges faced by the young generation of Zionists.



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2021 that combines traditional theories on antisemitism with empirical evidence from 76 countries to explain the reasons that drive discrimination against Jews. Lev is an interdisciplinary researcher that studies antisemitism alongside cyber-related topics like international cyber policies and anonymous communications. Lev is frequently invited to lecture about his study of racism and extremism on the Dark Web. Lev is the recipient of the 2019 Robert Wistrich annual award from the Vidal Sassoon International Center for the Study of Antisemitism (SICSA) and the recipient of the honorary award from the Association of Civil-Military Studies in Israel for his research about the Dark Web.

#### Dr. Pamela J. Walker

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Dr. Pamela J. Walker is a professor of history at Carleton University, Ottawa Canada. She received her PhD from Rutgers University. Pamela is also a historian of modern British history, and women's and gender history. She is very active in the Reacting to the Past Consortium which promotes the use of games to teach history. In 2019, Pamela was awarded the Brilliancy Prize for innovative teaching. Pamela is the author of *Pulling the Devil's Kingdom Down: The Salvation* Army in Victorian Britain (University of California Press). She is currently working on a project about British missionaries that includes the missions to the Jewish people of Britain. This required her to think about the distinctive ways antisemitism was expressed in Protestant missions. These questions brought her to a wider study of antisemitism. At the same time, Pamela was increasingly faced with antisemitic ideas among her students that confounded her as a professor of history. Though we are all witnesses to the rise of antisemitism now. neither her university's curriculum nor its policies and practices are yet adept at addressing the complexity of this problem. Her colleague, Deidre Butler, and Pamela intend to combat this problem with their new undergraduate course that will take an interdisciplinary perspective on antisemitism. Pamela is also studying Hebrew with an ulpan in Jerusalem and enjoys practising her Hebrew with others.



#### **Romy Wulfsohn**

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Romy Wulfsohn is an attorney from Johannesburg, South Africa with a passion for literature, Jewish history, and Zionism. She graduated with a BA (LLB) (cum laude) majoring in English Literature and Law from the University of the Witwatersrand. After her articles of clerkship at a top five law firm in Johannesburg, Romy completed a course in International Human Rights Law at Oxford University. Romy was closely involved in founding the legal division of the South African Zionist Federation (SAZF) in Johannesburg, in collaboration with the International Legal Forum, in order to use the law to fight BDS, antisemitism and the delegitimisation of Israel in South Africa.

Romy is also a part-time research assistant to Trudy Gold, the renowned Jewish historian and member of the UK delegation to IHRA.



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Dr. Romina Yalonetzky has a Ph.D in Sociology from Pontificia Universidad Catolica del Peru and a Master's degree in Humanities from the Hebrew University in Jerusalem. Dr. Yalonetzky is the author of Gente como Uno: Class, Belonging, and Transnationalism in Jewish life in Lima (Academic Studies Press, 2021). She has also published articles and book chapters on Jewish Perú. She currently teaches at the Universidad del Pacifico in Lima and serves as

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Noa is an Israeli master's student specialising in Israel-Scandinavian relations, contemporary antisemitism in Europe, and Jewish life and culture in Scandinavia. She completed her Bachelor of Arts in Viking and Old Norse Studies 1st Class Honours at the University College London. She won a place in the Dean's List and was awarded the Peter Foote Prize for the merit of her studies and outstanding dissertation on Jewish life in Norway and Norwegians' attitudes towards Israel. She was also the President of Friends of Israel Society at UCL, where she worked directly with the Israeli embassy to the UK, Union of Jewish Students, the Jewish Agency, and StandWithUs. She is currently undertaking a Master's degree in History at University of Bergen, Norway.



#### Sarah Dayan

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Sarah Dayan is a 19 year old Canadian born college level student. Thanks to all the time she devotes to reading, her strengths are reading comprehension and writing. She divides her responsibilities between her part-time job and her passion for Israel advocacy with respect to her academic demands. She hopes to one day be a lawyer and is reputed to be driven, determined, hard headed, and oftentimes, witty.



#### Harry Saul Markham

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Harry Saul Markham is an undergraduate student at University College London (UCL), reading History and Jewish Studies. He is also on the Advisory Board of Academics for Academic Freedom. He has written for various publications, exploring a range of subjects, including free-speech, Islamism, and antisemitism. He frequently gives talks to a variety of audiences, where he delights in disrupting the orthodoxies of our age. Harry has also been active in campaigning for the Social Democratic Party, and for human-rights around the world. Currently, as well as preparing for his year abroad at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, he is working on a book exploring

multiculturalism, antisemitism and the rise of populism within Western-Europe. He is the former National Director of Herut UK, former President of the UCL Friends of Israel Society, and a former Critical Thinking Fellow at the Ayaan Hirsi Ali Foundation. Above all, aside from causing the odd bit of broigus and his eccentric fashion sense, he is, as his mother frequently tells him, "a nice Jewish boychick."

#### **Meredith Mollohan**

Meredith Mollohan is a research associate at an American Jewish think tank. In this capacity, she arranged a roundtable discussion on Antisemitism in cooperation with the UK Parliament, as part of the International Ministerial Conference on Freedom of Religion or Belief. She serves as the Coordinator of the International Religious Freedom Secretariat's Global Campaign against Antisemitism. After studying art crime and cultural heritage protection in Italy, she is now completing a postgraduate certificate on the subject. She will pursue a graduate degree next year. Beyond Jew-hatred, her research interests include risk analysis, global security, assaults on cultural heritage in conflict and genocide, and violence against women in the same contexts. Her most recent volunteer work includes Holocaust education, speaking engagements on women's rights, and public advocacy on behalf of Afghanistan's Hazara people.



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Ben Rouda recently completed a course of study in Middle Eastern Studies and Psychology at Tel Aviv University, where he earned a BA with high honours. During his studies, he specialised in group dynamic psychology, taking a special interest in intergroup conflict and the psychological roots of racism and bigotry. He is currently writing his thesis paper, developing a new model of conflict and group relations based on the theory of status threat. He has previously authored several works on the origins of the incel movement and its ideological links to racism, antisemitism, and the alt-right. While in

university, Ben led a student protest movement and worked to establish a representative organisation for international students. As part of these efforts, he went to work at the Student Union of Tel Aviv University as the Coordinator of International Affairs. Following graduation, Ben is still working for unionisation efforts and advocates for student rights and representation. He hopes to use his university education and experience with the ISGAP to work to promote unionisation and public service reform.



#### Mitchell Stein

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Mitchell Stein is an undergraduate student at Concordia University in Montreal, Canada, pursuing a Bachelor of Arts in Communication and Media Studies, with a Minor in Israel Studies. Mitchell also serves as an Undergraduate Research Assistant at the Azrieli Institute for Israel Studies at Concordia University, and previously completed a study-abroad at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, studying topics in Middle Eastern History and Israeli Politics. Following his graduation,

Mitchell hopes to pursue both a creative and academic career within the museum industry.



# Samantha Wampold

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Samantha Wampold is an undergraduate student at the University of Washington. She is majoring in Global and Regional Studies with a concentration in the Middle East and hopes to minor in Modern Hebrew. This past semester, Samantha was given the opportunity to study abroad through a partnership with Tel Aviv University. Samantha studied Hebrew every day and gained an unhealthy adoration for shawarma in a laffa. At both universities, Samantha served as a fellow for CameraOnCampus, an organisation that assists students in

combating misinformation in the media and on-campus that pertains to Israel. After her final year in Seattle, Samantha hopes to attend graduate school in a course related to Modern Middle Eastern Studies or Counterterrorism.



#### **Chelsea Mallory Waserman**

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Chelsea Waserman is a Research and Policy Associate at the Institute for the Global Study of Antisemitism and Policy (ISGAP). Her main duties involve researching, writing academic works for publication, and advising ISGAP about policy recommendations. Chelsea received a master's degree in Public Policy, Conflict Resolution and Mediation and a certification in international mediation acknowledged by UNESCO through Tel Aviv University (2021). She also completed an Honours undergraduate degree from Western

University in Social Justice and Peace Studies (2020). In undergrad, Chelsea worked as an intern in a restorative justice program which functioned as a preventative approach to family violence at an Indigenous rights organisation (Atlohsa Family Healing Centre). She also fundraised and built homes for low-income families through Habitat for Humanity and worked as a National Organizer in human rights advocacy. During her time in Israel, Chelsea co-founded an organisation called Amplify Unity and was the Director of Business Development and Partnerships. Amplify Unity put together successful facilitated Public Forums with experts in the field discussing misinformation and disinformation about the Israeli-Palestinian conflict as it relates to the international security threats posed by a related outgrowth of global xenophobia, antisemitism, and anti-Muslim bigotry. Chelsea and her team used this material as part of their research process to write policy papers. Concurrently, she worked as a research intern conducting a study on Palestinian peacebuilders' unmet organisation needs for Alliance for Middle East Peace, a grassroots peace-building organization operating in the region of Israel and the Palestinian territories. Upon her return to Canada, Chelsea worked in Jewish advocacy (Friends of Simon Wiesenthal Centre), and then for ISGAP in policy and research development.



# Asher Wexler

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Asher Wexler is an undergraduate student at UNC-Chapel Hill (Class of 2025) where he is a recipient of the Morehead Cain Scholarship and studies international relations, environmental politics, Arabic, and music. In 2020, Asher attended the Tikvah Institute's Maimonides Scholars Summer Program, exploring the philosophical foundations of Jewish statehood, the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, and the American ideal of religious freedom. At Chapel Hill, Asher has continued to engage issues related to antisemitism and anti-Zionism, especially as they manifest in the academic arena on campus. He is increasingly interested in exploring the intersection of Judaism, Israel, and

intellectual pluralism as confined by liberal arts curriculum. This coming year, Asher will study climate and Middle East peace policy at the Arava Institute for Environmental Studies and Arabic in Amman, Jordan. Asher is a multi-instrumentalist and enjoys soccer, surfing, and backpacking. He is an older brother to three younger siblings - his most challenging and rewarding enterprise.

#### **Breakout Groups Sessions**

Breakout sessions will be led by qualified Scholars in Residence through discussion groups sessions from 6:15 - 7:00 P.M., on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

#### GROUP 1

#### **LEADER:** Noah Shufutinsky

Harry Saul Markham Meredith Mollohan Ben Rouda Mitchell Stein Samantha Wampold Chelsea Mallory Waserman Asher Wexler Noa Ben David

### <u>GROUP 2</u>

LEADER: Dr. Gabi Noah Brahm

Giovanna Ferrara Romy Wulfsohn Professor Noha Mellor Said Musayev Romina Yalonetzky Dr. Felix Mukwiza Ndahinda

#### GROUP 3

#### **LEADER: Professor MK Yossi Shain**

Professor Deidre Butler Ben M. Freeman Dr. Antwain H. Leach Dr. Nadia Lermakov Cindy Seton-Rogers

#### **GROUP 4**

#### LEADER: Izabella Tabarsovsky

Fatema Al Harbi Sara Galico Dr. Avital Hecht Dr. Tyran Laws Pamela J. Walker

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Elshaday Abraham joined ISGAP following the completion of the MPA Public Administration and Management program at University College London. She completed her BA in International Affairs at the University of Virginia. Prior to her time at ISGAP, Elshaday served as a Program Manager for a USAID-funded project on global health in Washington D.C. She also served the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees as a Protection Intern in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. Elshaday drives the publication and programming efforts at ISGAP.



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Daphne Klajman holds a Master's Degree in Conflict Studies and Diplomacy from Reichmann University, Herzliya, Israel. She joined ISGAP in 2020, after completing her undergraduate degree in Psychology with a minor in Religious Studies at Saint Mary's University, Halifax, Canada. During the four years of her degree, Daphne sat in the Academic Senate of her University as an elected member of the Student Government where she advocated for student rights. She was also a Hasbara Fellow and an intern for the Atlantic Jewish Council in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. Prior to working

full-time at ISGAP Daphne completed an internship at United Nations Watch where she delivered a <u>speech</u> before the 45th session of the United Nations Human Rights Council on Agenda Item 6, Universal Periodic Review of Kiribati.

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Chloe Pinto is an ISGAP Visiting Scholar in Critical Antisemitism Studies, Discrimination and Human Rights at the Woolf Institute. Her work investigates the interplay between textual antisemitism and literary theory, researching how the plasticity of anti-Jewish prejudice informs and infects the meaning of words. Chloe has recently earned her doctorate in English (Criticism and Culture) at Pembroke College, University of Cambridge. Her doctoral research focused on the relationship between artwork and antisemitism in Ezra Pound's

work and thought, and lies at the intersection between the politics of exclusion and the interplay between text, ideology and image. She previously co-convened Cambridge's Theory, Criticism and Culture seminar series and currently supervises undergraduate and postgraduate work on poetry, film and literary theory.



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# Media Team



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Will Dawson - RAW Pictures - Camera crew. RAW Pictures have been tasked with documenting the entire ISGAP Summer Institute on camera for promotional and informative use online. Will is the Creative Director at RAW Pictures, heading up all the filming and editing for RAW and their clients. Will is a great believer in working with not for profits and charitable organisations to create engaging video content to help them.



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Will Littlewood, RAW Pictures, Camera crew. RAW Pictures have been tasked with documenting the entire ISGAP Summer Institute on camera for promotional and informative use online. Will is the head of production at RAW, managing all projects that come into the business and working with clients to ensure they're happy with the films they receive. Will has worked with ISGAP in the past and looks forward to another successful year at the Summer Institute.