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## Drew University Seminary Hall

## **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

2025-present	Wallerstein Chair in Jewish Studies
	Drew University, Madison, NJ
2020-2025	Washington and Lee University, Lexington, VA
	Assistant Professor in the Study of Judaism
2015-2020	Earlham College, Richmond, IN
	Chair and Assistant Professor of Jewish Studies and Religious Studies
2014-2015	St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN
	Visiting Assistant Professor of Judaism, Department of Religion

## **EDUCATION**

2017	Doctor of Philosophy, Department of Religious Studies Program in the Study of Judaism University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA Dissertation: "A Stubborn and Rebellious Bible: modern Jewish scripture, troubling texts, and the recovery of rabbinic hermeneutics"
2013-2014	Visiting Postgraduate Fellow, Faculty of Divinity University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK
2005	Master of Theological Studies Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, MA
2003	Bachelor of Arts, Religion and Philosophy The George Washington University

**Languages** Advanced abilities in Hebrew (modern, rabbinic, biblical);

Talmudic Aramaic; Scholarly reading ability in German; French; Spanish

## **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Books**

2025 *Modern Jewish Ethics, 1970-Present* (Brandeis), co-edited volume with Jonathan Crane and Mira Wasserman

Modern Judaism and Biblical Violence, monograph in preparation for Indiana University Press

#### **Journal Articles**

- 2025 "Political violence, liberal activism, and other expressions of Jewish biblical literalism: theorizing "literal interpretation" in modern Jewish political discourse," under review for *Political Theology*
- 2025 "Can Classical Jewish Sources Make Any Ethical Claims at All?" Forthcoming in *Journal of Jewish Ethics*
- 2024 "Zionism and the Politics of Complexity," *Shofar* 41.3, 2023. https://muse.jhu.edu/pub/60/article/932343/pdf
- 2023 "Difficult Jewish Texts and Contemporary Political Crisis," *Religions*, May. https://www.mdpi.com/2077-1444/14/5/652
- 2022 "The Incivility of Meir Kahane," *Journal of Religious Ethics*, August. https://doi.org/10.1111/jore.12391
- 2021 "Jewish Studies and Jewish Ethics: a counterreport." *Studies in American Jewish Literature*, 40.1, Spring.
- 2016 "Total Immersion: Considering biblical retellings in Exodus and Chronicles." *Journal of Textual Reasoning*. Vol 9, Issue 1.
- 2015 "Classical Rabbinic Literature and the Making of Jewish Ethics." *Journal of Jewish Ethics*. Vol.1, Issue 1.

## **Chapters in edited volumes**

- 2022 "The Honesty of Radical Pessimism." In Geoffrey Claussen, *Modern Musar:* Contested Virtues in Jewish Thought, University of Nebraska Press and Jewish Publication Society, April.
- 2021 "Making a philosophical problem our own: Peter Ochs's 'pragmatic historiography.' Signs of Salvation: A Festschrift in Honor of Peter Ochs, ed. Randi Rashkover and Mark James, Cascade Books, March.
- 2020 "The Individual's Different Night." The New Jewish Canon: Ideas and Debates 1980-2015, ed. Claire Sufrin and Yehuda Kurtzer, Academic Studies Press, August.
   \*Finalist, 2021 National Jewish Book Award in Modern Jewish Thought and Experience
- 2019 "The Exodus and Some Possibilities of Jewish Political Thought." With Geoffrey Claussen, *T&T Clark Companion to Political Theology*, ed. Ruben Rosario-Rodriguez, T&T Clark.
  - \*Nominated for Hubert Morken Best Book in Religion and Politics Award, 2022

#### **Book reviews**

- 2024 The Cambridge Companion to Jewish Theology, ed. Steven Kepnes. Journal of Jewish Studies, Vol 75.1, Spring 2024, 213-216.
- 2024 In the Beginning was the State by Adi Ophir. Forthcoming in Ancient Jew Review.
- *The Joshua Generation* by Rachel Havrelock, H-Judaic, H-Net Reviews, September https://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.php?id=55990
- 2019 *The Exodus: How It Happened and Why It Matters* by Richard Elliott Friedman. *Reading Religion*, February 19, 2019. http://readingreligion.org/books/exodus
- 2014 How Judaism Became a Religion: An Introduction to Modern Jewish Thought by

- Leora Batnitzky. Journal of Modern Jewish Studies, Vol. 13.3.
- 2014 *The Oxford Handbook of Jewish Ethics and Morality*, eds. Dorff and Crane. *Journal of Jewish Studies*, Vol. LXV, No. 1, 220-222.
- 2011 Rosenzweig's Bible: Reinventing Scripture for Jewish Modernity by Mara Benjamin Modern Theology, Vol. 27, Issue 4, 706-708.
- 2011 Covenant and Conversation by Jonathan Sacks. Women in Judaism, Vol. 8, No. 2.

## **Public scholarship**

- 2025 "Reading Amalek Literally." In preparation for *TheTorah.com*
- 2023 "P'shat, Drash, and Genocide." *Jewschool*, March 7. https://jewschool.com/pshat-drash and genocide-173909
- 2022 "Is the Bible a Text of Justice?" *AJS Perspectives: The Magazine of the Association for Jewish Studies*, Fall Issue.
- 2022 "Whose past? Which memories? A counter-reading of Isaiah 65." *Political Theology Network*, November 7. https://politicaltheology.com/whose-past-which-memories-a counter-reading-of-isaiah-65/
- 2022 "Meir Kahane and Political Theology." *The Kroc Cast* Podcast, University of Notre Dame, July 7. https://thekroccast.podbean.com/e/a-conversation-with-shaul-magid-and-friends-on-meir-kahane-and-political-theology/
- 2022 "What is the Bible?" *While You Were Sleeping in Hebrew School* Podcast, May 12. https://www.callin.com/episode/what-is-the-bible-DHmaOtRXul
- 2021 "The Radical Case for the Traditional Haggadah." *Jewish Currents*, March 25. https://jewishcurrents.org/the-radical-case-for-the-traditional-haggadah/
- 2014 "Does God Hate Shrimp? When biblical citation goes awry." *Religion and Politics*, August 5. http://religionandpolitics.org/2014/08/05/does-god-hate-shrimp-biblical citation-gone-awry/
- 2010 "When do we forgive? A response to Louis Newman." *Sh'ma: A Journal of Jewish Ideas*, September.

#### PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES

#### **Invited lectures**

- 2024 "Biblical Violence and the Virtues of a (Very) Plain Sense," Johns Hopkins University, March.
- 2024 "Introducing Modern Jewish Ethics," Brandeis University Tauber Institute Jewish Studies Colloquium, January
- 2022 "The Exodus and Us: Biblical interpretation and modern politics," University of Maryland, April (online)
- 2020 "The God of Liberal Democracy: Mordecai Kaplan's Pragmatic Theopolitics," Mordecai Kaplan Center for Jewish Peoplehood Conference on Religious Naturalism, September (online)
- 2018 "'Something Dreadful': Wresting with the Bible's Most Troubling Texts," Council of Christians and Jews, Melbourne, Australia, June.
- 2017 "The God Who Saves and the God Who Kills." Elon University, Elon, NC, April.
- 2016 "Ethics Beyond the Text?" Carleton College, Northfield, MN, October.
- 2013 "Dialogical Solutions to Theological Problems: texts, ethics, and Jewish philosophy." Co-

- presentation to "D" Society for Philosophy of Religion, University of Cambridge, UK, November.
- 2013 "On (Not) Confronting the Biblical Text: Buber, Rosenzweig, and the resources of classical rabbinic literature." Jewish Studies Seminar, Kings College London, UK, November.
- 2012 "Texts and interreligious possibilities." Faculty Colloquy, New Brunswick Theological Seminary, New Brunswick, NJ, September.
- 2010 "Scriptural Reasoning and Theologies of Religious Pluralism." Candler School of Theology. Emory University, Atlanta, GA, August.

## Conference papers and panel discussions

- 2025 "Plain sense interpretation as modern Jewish thought," Workshop in Jewish Commentary and Ethics, University of Toronto, Canada, April.
- 2023 "Vintage Talmud: theorizing contemporary rabbinic cultures," Association for Jewish Studies, San Francisco, CA, December.
- 2023 "Speech, Language, and Biblical Theories of Politics," Workshop in Biblical Studies and Political Theology, Villanova University, PA, April.
- 2023 "Interreligious Solidarities: Challenges and Promises," Society of Christian Ethics, Chicago, IL, January.
- 2023 "Making 'Jewish Ethics' an edited volume," Society of Jewish Ethics, Chicago, IL, January.
- 2022 "Scriptural Reasoning and the Question of Interreligious Dialogue," Network for Vocation in Undergraduate Education Annual Conference, Dallas, TX, March.
- 2022 "The Bible and the Justice of God: Buber, Levinas, and a very troubling text," Society of Jewish Ethics, January (online)
- 2021 Discussant, Authors' Spotlight panel for Rachel Havrelock, *The Joshua Generation*, West African Transitional Justice Centre, November (online)
- 2021 "Who is Jewish Political Theology For?" Society of Christian Ethics, Society of Jewish Ethics, and Society for the Study of Muslim Ethics, January (online)
- 2020 "Your texts will not protect you: Jewish ethics, antisemitism, and white supremacy." Society of Christian Ethics, Society of Jewish Ethics, and Society for the Study of Muslim Ethics, Lexington, KY, January.
- 2019 "Risky Texts and Material Violence." American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, November.
- 2019 "Death and Violence in Jewish Ethics." Society of Jewish Ethics Annual Meeting, Lexington, KY, January.
- 2018 "Against Coercion and Religious Violence: Surprising Resources from the Jewish Tradition." Conference on Religious Freedom, University of Mary Washington, Fredericksburg, VA, March.
- 2018 "The Meaning and End of Work: Jewish Perspectives on the 21st Century Economy." Society of Jewish Ethics Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, January.
- 2017 Respondent, "Translating from 'Nonsense' to 'Science' in Post-Holocaust Jewish Theology." Society of Jewish Ethics Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, January.
- 2016 'Reading like the rabbis?' Theorizing the use of classical rabbinic literature in (non-Jewish) academic Bible courses." Association of Jewish Studies Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, December.

- 2014 "Glen Stassen's Ethical Hermeneutics." American Academy of Religion, San Diego, CA, November.
- 2014 "Does God Hate Shrimp? Reflections on a hermeneutical trope in the public sphere." University of Virginia conference on "Public Scripture," Charlottesville, VA, March.
- 2014 Respondent to Oliver Leaman, "Modern Jewish Philosophy? Just Say No." Cambridge Conference in Modern Jewish Thought, Cambridge, UK, March.
- 2014 "Classical rabbinic literature and the making of Jewish ethics: a formal argument." Society for Jewish Ethics Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, January.
- 2013 "The Violent Jewish Bible: Modern Judaism's Confrontation with Troubling Texts." American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, November.
- 2012 "Text Study as a Response to Biblical Violence: the case of classical rabbinic hermeneutics." Association of Jewish Studies Annual Meeting, Chicago, December.
- 2012 "On the possibility of a 'happy ending': Re-reading Genesis 44." American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, November.
- 2012 "Midrash and the Postmodern Christian." Conference on Christianity and Literature, Seattle, WA, May.
- 2012 "Lost Content: Modern Judaism's (Non)Engagement with the Hebrew Bible." Jewish Theological Seminary Conference on "Lost Texts", New York, NY, April.
- 2012 "Idolatry in Body and Text: Reading culture through Exodus 32." American Academy of Religion Regional Meeting, New Brunswick, NJ, March.
- 2011 "Depth Interpretation: Abraham Joshua Heschel and the problem of the Bible." American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, November.
- 2010 "Shared Learning: Chevruta Study in Higher Education." International Society of Religion, Literature, and Culture, Oxford, United Kingdom, September.
- 2010 "Scriptural Reasoning as a Means and an End: text study and social justice." American Academy of Religion Regional Meeting, New Brunswick, NJ, March.
- 2009 "Caught Between Progress and Preservation: Mordecai Kaplan's 'Contentless' Construction of Judaism." American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, November.
- 2009 "Deliver Up Their Children': The Child as Blessing and Curse in Jeremiah 18-19." American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, November.
- 2009 "Reading 'Dangerous Texts' as a Pedagogical Practice." Fourth semi-annual Duke-UVA colloquium on "Canonicity and Pedagogy," Durham, NC, September.

## Lectures and workshops for students, educators, and general audiences

- 2023 "The Israel-Hamas War," Faculty panelist, WLU, Lexington, VA, October.
- 2023 "Broken Vessels: texts for when the world falls apart," CBI, Charlottesville, VA, July.
- 2023 "The Exodus and Us," Faculty-student colloquium, WLU, Lexington, VA, April.
- 2023 "What's next for the Left?" Platypus Society Panel on Politics, University of Virginia, March.
- 2023 "Differences in Diaspora" Hillel Seminar, WLU, Lexington, VA, January-February
- 2022 Panelist, "Preparing for the First Year Read," WLU, Lexington, VA, August.
- 2022 "The Torah Sits on the Floor and Other Practices for Tisha B'Av," CBI, Charlottesville, VA, August.
- 2022 "Stories that Keep Us Up at Night," Congregation Beth Israel, Charlottesville, VA, June.
- 2022 "Jews Beyond Religion: the complicated case of Jewish Studies in the American

- academy," Southern Oregon University (online)
- 2021 "Biblical prophets and their covenantal context." Grace Episcopal Church, Lexington, VA, October.
- 2021 "The Hebrew Bible between Judaism and Christianity." Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist, Aptos, CA, September (online)
- 2021 "Antisemitism and the Jewish New Testament." Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist, Aptos, CA, September (online)
- 2021 "Interreligious dialogue and difference." Davidson College, Davidson, NC, February (online)
- 2021 "Scriptural Reasoning and experimental dialogue." Davidson College, Davidson, NC, February (online)
- 2021 "No shortcuts: a Dvar Torah for MLK Shabbat." Washington and Lee University, Lexington, VA, January (online)
- 2020 "Times Like These: considering "relevant" texts in complicated times," Limmud Oz, June (online)
- 2018 Limmud Oz at Monash University and University of New South Wales, Australia, June.
  "The Meaning of Biblical Violence: Wresting with the Bible's Worst Texts"
  "Judaism and the Postcolonial Challenge: Surprising Resources from Traditional Texts"
  "Can We Read Like the Rabbis? The Meaning(s) of Jewish Textual Study"
  "The Bible Between History and Metaphor: Can There Be a Third Way?
- 2017 "Why Charlottesville?" Center for Social Justice, Earlham College, Richmond, IN, August.
- 2017 "Conversation After Disaster." College Meeting for Worship, Earlham College, Richmond, IN, April.
- 2017 "Cemetery anarchy' and corporate faith: The US Supreme Court and religious freedom(s)." Earlham College ED Talk Series, Richmond, IN, March.
- 2016 "Betwixt and between religious traditions." Earlham College, Richmond, IN, November.
- 2016 "Finding the life-activism balance." Panelist, Earlham College, Richmond, IN, October.
- 2016 "Today I am a man? Coming of age with the bar/bat mitzvah." Earlham College, Richmond, IN, September.
- 2016 "Singing a difficult text." Facilitator, Earlham College, Richmond, IN, September.
- 2015 "Considering Student Activism." Panelist, Earlham College, Richmond, IN, October.
- 2015 "What Should Christians Know About Judaism?" Trinity Christian College, Palos Heights, IL, September.
- 2015 "What Comes Next? Rambam on the Messiah and the world to come." Beth Jacob Congregation, Mendota Heights, MN, May.
- 2015 "Dancing around the issues: Class and gender in 'Dirty Dancing.'" St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN, May.
- 2015 "Judaism and/in the environment." Panelist, St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN, April.
- 2015 "Introducing the Talmud." Beth Jacob Congregation, Mendota Heights, MN, January.
- 2013 "Judaism and the US Labor Movement." Congregation Beth Israel Hebrew School, Charlottesville, VA, February.
- 2012 "The Violent Bible." Congregation Beth Israel Beit Midrash, Charlottesville, VA, December.
- 2012 "Sacred texts and social justice: what is the relationship?" Eastern Mennonite University,

- Harrisonburg, VA, May.
- 2011 "Scriptural Reasoning for chaplains and students." Davidson College, Davidson, NC, November.
- 2011 "Scripture, Dialogue, and Peacemaking." Eastern Mennonite University, Harrisonburg, VA, May.

## FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

## Research fellowships

2023-2024	David Baumgardt Memorial Fellowship, Leo Baeck Institute, New York
2011-2013	Associate Fellow, Institute for Advanced Studies in Culture, University of
	Virginia
2009-2012	Rachel Winer Manin Fellowship in Jewish Studies, University of Virginia
2007-2011	Morgenstern Fellowship in Jewish Studies, University of Virginia

## **Teaching fellowships**

2019 Experiential Learning Fund for Travel, Earlham College

## Other awards and funding

- 2024 Lenfest Summer Fellowship Award, Washington and Lee University
- 2023 Lenfest Summer Fellowship Award, WLU
- 2022 Spring Course Enhancement Grant (shared), WLU
- 2022 Lenfest Summer Fellowship Award, WLU
- 2021 Lenfest Summer Fellowship Award, WLU
- 2014 Society of Jewish Ethics Scholarship Award
- 2013 Robert J. Huskey Travel Fellowship, University of Virginia
- 2013 Society of Jewish Ethics Scholarship Award.
- 2012 Association for Jewish Studies Graduate Student Travel Grant
- 2012 Religious Studies Department Summer Writing Grant, University of Virginia
- 2012 Jewish Studies Conference Grant, University of Virginia
- 2012 Robert J. Huskey Travel Fellowship, University of Virginia
- 2011 Robert J. Huskey Travel Fellowship, University of Virginia
- 2010 Kate Connolly-Weinert Essay Prize (shared), AAR Regional Meeting, 2010
- 2010 Z Society Graduate Honoree for Teaching and Outstanding Service to the University of Virginia
- 2010 Robert J. Huskey Travel Fellowship, University of Virginia
- 2009 Robert J. Huskey Travel Fellowship, University of Virginia
- 2004 Graduate Leadership Collaborative, Harvard University
- 2003 Harvard Divinity School Scholarship
- 2003 Theta Alpha Kappa National Religion Honor Society
- 2003 Religion Department Special Honors, The George Washington University
- 2003 George Washington University Honors Scholar, 2003
- 2002 Strasser Prize Essayist, George Washington University, 2000

#### TEACHING AND SUPERVISION

## Courses taught at Washington and Lee

Judaism: Tradition and Modernity Hebrew Bible/Old Testament

Judaism, the Other, and the State: modern Jewish philosophy and thought

Religion and Toleration

Women, Gender and Sexuality in the Jewish Tradition

Theories and Methods in the Study of Religion

Religion and Violence

The New Promised Land: Judaism in the US 1600-Present

God and the Holocaust The Bible in America

#### Other courses

Modernity and Critique: Continental Philosophy and its Jewish Others

The Bible in Politics, History, and Theology

Jews and Christians After Christendom

Eat, Drink, Pray: Religion and Food

Freshman Seminar: Interfaith Dialogue and Debate Religious Conflict and Resolution (co-instructor)

## **Supervision**

2020-present Senior thesis advisor, Washington and Lee University

"In Two Worlds: Jewish Law and Abortion in Religious and Civic Discourse"

"Love Thy Gay-bor: The Often-Troubled Psyche of the Non-Affirming Christian"

"The Hermeneutics of Secession in the Valley of Virginia"

"Creation and Supremacy in the Hebrew Bible"

2017-2020 Senior thesis reader, Earlham College

"New Necessities: A 21st Century Look at Arendt's *The Human Condition*."

"Satanism, the Self, and Suicide"

"Love, Sex, & Money"

"Food for the Soul? Lessons and Problems in Using Rudolf Steiner for Regenerative Agricultural Projects"

"Pluralism and Religious Freedom in the United States"

"From Zionism to 'Free Palestine:' A Comparative Study of Herzlian Zionism and Black Zionism's Influence on Black Liberation Movements"

2015 Senior thesis second advisor, St. Olaf College

"Liberation Theology in the Middle East: Christian Theological Discourse on Justice in Palestine"

2013-2014	Essay supervisor, University of Cambridge
	Life, Thought, and Worship of Modern Judaism
	World Religions in Comparative Perspective
2012	Instructor, independent study, University of Virginia
	Kant's Critique of Pure Reason
2007-2011	Graduate teaching assistant, University of Virginia

## Other teaching

2012-2013 Co-coordinator and instructor, Cambridge Interfaith Programme Summer School,

Cambridge, UK

Tutor in Biblical Hebrew, Charlottesville, VA

#### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

#### **Editorial Positions**

2016-present	Co-editor
	Journal of Jewish Ethics
2013-2016	Associate Editor
	Journal of Jewish Ethics
2010-2018	Editorial Advisor
	Journal of Scriptural Reasoning
2008-2012	Editorial Advisor
	Journal of Textual Reasoning

## **American Academy of Religion**

2017-2021	Juror, AAR Textual Studies Book Award Jury
2018-2019	Chair, AAR Textual Studies Book Award Jury
2014-2019	Co-chair, Sacred Texts and Ethics Group
2012-2014	Co-chair, Scriptural/Contextual Ethics Group
2011-2012	Steering Committee Member, Scriptural/Contextual Ethics Group

# Society of Jewish Ethics 2017-present Member Executive Board

Member, Executive Board
Chair, Journal of Jewish Ethics Editorial Search Committee
Co-chair of conference programs
International Scholarly Relations Committee
Chair, Breakfast with an Author sessions

## **Peer Reviewing**

Indiana University Press; Modern Theology Journal; Journal of Law and Religion; Journal of Religious Ethics; Religions; Jefferson Journal of Science and Culture

## Conference organization and leadership

- 2011 "Scriptural Reasoning Training Conference," Director and Lead Instructor, University of Virginia, June.
- 2010 "Scriptural Reasoning as a Community Practice," Lead Instructor, Conference on

- Interfaith Relations in Canada, Huron University College at the University of Western Ontario, July.
- 2011 "Texts in Action: Ritual, Performance, and Pedagogy," Co-organizer and Director, Duke/UVA Graduate Colloquium in the Humanities, University of Virginia, April.
- 2010 "Canonicity and Pedagogy in the Humanities," Co-organizer and Director, Duke/UVA Graduate Colloquium in the Humanities, Duke University, April.

## Other professional memberships

Association of Jewish Studies Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy Society for Contemporary Jewish Philosophy

## **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

## Washington and Lee University

2024-2025	Member, Tenure-Track Search Committee in Religion and Africana Studies
2024-2025	Member, Historic Preservation and Archaeological Conservation Advisory Board
2023-2024	Member, Search Committee for VAP in American Religion
2022-2024	Member, Glasgow Endowment Committee for the Humanities

#### Earlham College

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2015-2020	Convener, Jewish Studies Program
2019-2020	Convener, Religion Department
2019	Member, Faculty Interview and Search Committee
2017-2018	Convener, Tenure-Track Search in Religion
2017-2018	Co-convener, EC 1400 Student Growth Committee
2017-2018	Educator, Center for Global Engagement
2017	Faculty Supervisor, Dance Alloy
2017-2019	Member, Student Conduct Council
2016-2019	Member, Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee
2016-2017	Faculty advisor, Israel-Palestine Student Discussion Group
2016-2018	Faculty advisor, Interfaith House
2015-2020	Faculty advisor, Jewish Student Union
2015-2020	Faculty advisor, Jewish Community Center

## St. Olaf College

2014-2015	Faculty advisor, Jewish Student Organization
2014-2015	Member, Department task force on curriculum

## **SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY**

2021-2025 2022-2025	Gabbai, Congregation Beth Israel, Charlottesville, VA Ritual Practice Committee, Congregation Beth Israel, Charlottesville, VA
2020-2024	Loaves and Fishes Food Bank grocery delivery, Charlottesville, VA
2018-2025	Chevra Kadisha Jewish burial preparation society, Charlottesville, VA
2017-2018	Convener, Organize Richmond, Richmond, IN

2014-2015	Teacher, Congregation Beth Jacob, St. Paul, MN
2010-2013	Leader, Canterbury House Interfaith Passover Seder, Charlottesville, VA
2009-2012	Ombudsman, Cooperative Housing at the University of Virginia,
2009-2012	ESL Teacher, Literacy Volunteers of Charlottesville, VA
2009-2013	Pianist, Martha Jefferson House and Mary Williams Community Center,
	Charlottesville, VA
2002-2003	Instructor in history and literature, Higher Achievement of Washington, DC
2000-2002	Music teacher, Anacostia After-school Gracious Arts Program, Washington, DC