

SCHEDULE OF SESSIONS

Time	Name of Presenter	Title of Session
10:00	Stuart E. Eizenstat	<i>The Future of the Jews: How Global Forces are Impacting the Jewish People, Israel, and Its Relationship with the United States</i>
10:00	Wayne Firestone	<i>Getting Jewish Generation Next</i>
10:00	Rabbi Lyle Fishman	<i>Honoring Your Aging Parents</i>
10:00	Rabbi Irving (Yitz) Greenberg	<i>The Human Being in the Image of God: An Exploration of Judaism's Fundamental Principle</i>
10:00	Michael Kay	<i>Knight of Faith: Interpretations of the Life of Abraham</i>
10:00	Agi Legutko	<i>Crash Course in Yiddish</i>
10:00	Andy Pollin	<i>Jews Got Game</i>
10:00	Ari Roth and Carole Zawatsky	<i>The Artist and the Community</i>
10:00	Rabbi Jason Kimelman-Block	<i>Beyond "Tikkun Olam" – Jewish Articulations of Social Justice</i>
11:00	Joel Chasnoff	<i>GI Joel</i>
11:00	Rabbi George B. Driesen, Steve Brody and Michael Gottlieb	<i>Judaism & Science: Worlds In Collision?</i>
11:00	Esther Safran Foer	<i>My Journey to the Holocaust</i>
11:00	Rabbi Irving (Yitz) Greenberg and Blu Greenberg	<i>Organ Donation: Religious Issues and Personal Experience</i>
11:00	Rabbi James Kahn	<i>Can You be a Jewish Atheist? Wrestling with God in 2012</i>
11:00	Liz Kruger	<i>Beyond Dayenu: Music to Enliven Your Passover Seder</i>
11:00	David Makovsky	<i>Iran, the U.S. and Israel: A Year of Decision?</i>
11:00	Sara Portman Milner	<i>Enjoy a Taste of Sunflower! Changing Lives in Delicious Ways</i>
11:00	Naomi Paiss	<i>The Politics of Gender Exclusion</i>
11:00	JoHanna Potts	<i>Divine Do-Overs</i>
11:00	Jonathan Lipton and Rabbi Bob Saks	<i>Debunking Homophobia in the Torah: Creating Inclusive Jewish Communities for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) Individuals</i>
12:00	Israel Bartal	<i>The Shtetl – Historical Reality vs. Jewish Collective Imagination</i>
12:00	Joel Chasnoff	<i>The Comedy of Joel Chasnoff</i>
12:00	Blu Greenberg	<i>The Agunah Issue : A New Agenda</i>
12:00	Orit Janco Golan and Jody Wager	<i>Moving our Jewish Stories</i>
12:00	Rabbi Eli Kohl	<i>"Praying in the Streets" Does prayer exist outside of the synagogue?</i>
12:00	Abbe Lowell	<i>Justice, Mercy and Conscience</i>
12:00	Sharon Mazel	<i>Tiger Parenting, Helicopter Parenting, Jewish Parenting: Finding The Right Balance</i>
12:00	Josh Milner	<i>Drum Circle with a Jewish Beat</i>
12:00	Yoram Peri	<i>In Search of Identity: Israel's Cultural Quandary</i>
12:00	Rabbi Michael Safra	<i>"On Account of the Righteous Women": How Rabbinic Midrash Enhances the Passover Story</i>
1:00	Mitchell Bard	<i>Jews, Arabs and the 2012 Election</i>
1:00	Rabbi James Hyman	<i>The Jewish Future is Here: A New Vision of Identity</i>

		<i>and Community</i>
1:00	Rabbi Ari Israel	<i>Steve Jobs and Madonna – 16th Century Soulmates</i>
1:00	Meredith Jacobs	<i>My Journey to Becoming the “Modern Jewish Mom”</i>
1:00	Naomi Kohl	<i>Dating and Relationships from Isaac and Rebecca to Prince William and Kate</i>
1:00	Jessie Nathans	<i>Handmade Prayer: Making Art as a Form of Prayer</i>
1:00	Howard Rosenblum	<i>A Jewish Life Through Deaf Eyes</i>
1:00	Len Saxe	<i>As Taglit-Birthright Comes of Age, How is it Changing the Jewish Future?</i>
1:00	AVODAH: The Jewish Service Corps	<i>Young Jews Weaving Together Identity, Activism and Jewish Values</i>
1:00	Zemer Chai	<i>Tunes That Speak and Words That Sing: Music as Midrash</i>
2:00	Kay Kosak Abrams, PhD	<i>Jewish Angst and Anxious Parenting: How to Manage Ourselves and Our Loved Ones with Greater Calm and Confidence</i>
2:00	Karen Paikin Barall	<i>You Shall Pursue Justice! (Deuteronomy 16:20)</i>
2:00	Susan Barocas	<i>Me, My Family and I: A Look at Jewish Families in Short Films</i>
2:00	David Bernstein	<i>A Burning Campus? Re-thinking Israel Advocacy on American Colleges and Universities</i>
2:00	Steve Kerbel	<i>Israeli Wines – A Guided Tour and Tasting</i>
2:00	Charles Manekin	<i>What Guidance Can Moses Maimonides (Rambam) Give to Today's Perplexed?</i>
2:00	Richard Schifter	<i>How to Combat the UN Program to Delegitimize Israel</i>
2:00	Rabbi Sid Schwarz	<i>God, Prayer and Ritual for the Jewish Skeptic</i>
2:00	Lauren Tuchman	<i>Touching the Text - Being Touched by The Text</i>
2:00	Marion Usher	<i>Parents and Grandparents of Interfaith Children: Staying Connected</i>
2:00	Rabbi Greg Harris, Rabbi Marc Israel, Cantor Allen Leider, Rabbi Mark Raphael and Rebecca Weisman	<i>Breaking the Mold for 21st Century Jews: The new look and feel of Jewish Education</i>
3:00	Sarah Gershman	<i>How to Communicate with Presence</i>
3:00	Liz Diamant	<i>“In every generation...” An Interactive Experience Interpreting 700 years of the Illustrated Haggadah</i>
3:00	Anton Goodman	<i>Social Protests in Israel, The Arab Spring and the Occupy Movement: A framing</i>
3:00	Jonathan Kessler	<i>Ask AIPAC Anything: Answering the Toughest Questions About Israel and the Arab-Israeli Conflict</i>
3:00	Aliza Sperling	<i>Why are We Still Eating Matzah on Passover?</i>
3:00	Cantor Lisa Levine	<i>Yoga Shalom: The Embodiment of Prayer</i>
3:00	Rabbi Jack Moline	<i>Speaking Torah to Power: Adventures in the First Amendment</i>
3:00	Steven A. Rakitt	<i>I'm Right, You're Wrong! Creating a Culture of Civility in the Jewish Community</i>
3:00	Jeff Cohen and Suzy Rosen Singleton	<i>Vital Signs of Jewish Life</i>
3:00	Naomi Harris Rosenblatt	<i>3 Secrets of a Happy Jewish Identity: Study, Defiance & Joy</i>
3:00	College A Cappella Groups	<i>ROUTES Apella!</i>

4:00	Erica Brown	<i>Trust and Innovation</i>
4:00	Lisa Eisen	<i>The Road Ahead of Us: The Future of Jewish Philanthropy and Community</i>
4:00	Rabbi Gary S. Fink	<i>Rejuvenation and Resilience: Jewish Insights into Dealing with Life's Losses</i>
4:00	Susan Barocas and Jean Graubart	<i>Savory Sephardic Dishes on the Side</i>
4:00	Rabbi Fred Scherlinder Dobb	<i>Jewish Life in a Warming World: Texts, Values, and the Reality of Climate Change</i>
4:00	Rabbi David Shneyer	<i>From Eden's Garden: Jewish Meditative Practices, Contemplative Nigunim and Devotional Chanting</i>
4:00	Norman Shore	<i>Bible Translation as Commentary</i>
4:00	Rabbi Stuart Weinblatt	<i>Values Jews Can Use</i>
4:00	Avi West	<i>Off the Book Rituals</i>
4:00	Elizabeth Weintraub and Linda Yitzchak	<i>Looking Past the "Labels"--Do not look at the vessel, but rather at what it contains, Pirke Avot 4:27</i>