# CURRICULUM VITAE: ISHAY ROSEN-ZVI

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# **1. PERSONAL DETAILS**

Date of Birth: 18 November 1971 Country of Birth: Israel E-mail address: rosenzvi@post.tau.ac.il

### **2. HIGHER EDUCATION**

(in chronological order)

1995-1997	BA Summa cum Laude, Bar Ilan University, Philosophy and comparative literature.
1998-2004	PhD with highest honors, Tel Aviv University, Rabbinics, publication #1.
2002-2003	Yad Hanadiv Rothchild award for study abroad, University of California, Berkeley.
2004-2005 2005-2006	Lady Davis post-doctoral fellow, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Scholion post-doctoral fellow, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

## 3. APPOINTMENTS AT TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY

(in chronological order)

- 2006-2010 Senior lecturer, department of Hebrew Culture
- 2010-2017 Associate Professor, department of Hebrew Culture
- 2018- Full Professor, department of Jewish Philosophy

## 4. ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONS/TASKS AT TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY

(in chronological order)

2012- Head of the Talmud and Late Antiquity Section

## 5. SERVICE IN OTHER ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS

(in chronological order)

**1998-** Senior fellow, Shalom Hartman Institute, Jerusalem

**2002-2003** Visiting Professor, UC Berkeley, department of Near Eastern Studies.

- 2003-2004 Visiting Professor, Ziegler Rabbinical School, American Jewish University.
- 2006-2007 Steering Committee of the Study of Judaism Section of the AAR/
- **2006-2008** Fellow of the junior segment of the Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities.
- **2005-2006** Lecturer, Scholion Center, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.
- 2011-2012 Senior scholar, Martin Buber society of fellows, The Hebrew University.
- 2013-2016 Fellow at the Israel Young Academy of Science.
- 2016 Stewart Fellow at the Council of Humanities and the Department of Religion at Princeton University.
- 2017/18 Organizer of a research group: "The Subject of Antiquity: Contours and Expressions of the Self in Ancient Mediterranean Cultures." Israel Institute for Advanced studies, Givat-Ram, Jerusalem.

# 6. OTHER ACTIVITIES

Editorial board of the Journal for the Study of Judaism (JSJ) and the advisory board

of its Supplement Series (JSJ-SS).

Organization of an International conferences: Talmudic Transgressions: Engaging the Work of Daniel Boyarin, Berkeley, 8-10 April 2014.

Organization of an International Workshop: The Origins of the Origins of Evil, Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge, 2–4 September 2014.

Orgenizing TAU-Princeton joint Workshops (with Prof. Moulie Vidas): "Judaism and Christianity in Late Antiquity," Tel-Aviv, 26-29 June, 2017; Princeton, 10-14 February, 2019.

Organization of a research group (with Prof. Maren Niehoff) for the *Israel Institute for Advanced Studies* (IIAS), entitled "The Subject of Antiquity: Contours and Expressions of the Self in Ancient Mediterranean Cultures, for the academic year 2017/18 (accepted).

## 7. MEMBERSHIP IN A PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

Member of the World Union of Jewish Studies, the Association of Jewish Studies, and the Society of Biblical Literature.

8. RESEARCH	GRANTS and PRIZE	S (since 2006)
2006-2009	Alon Fellowship	Tel Aviv University
2009-2012	Israel Science	"The terminology of Tannaitic
	Foundation	Midrash: towards a hermeneutic lexicon."
		Chief researcher. 78000
		NIS per year (no. 41/09)
2013-2016	Israel Science	"The birth of the goy in ancient
	Foundation	Jewish literature." Co-
		chief researcher with
		Prof. Adi Ophir. 115000
		NIS per year (no.
		580/13)
2018	the Schlindwein Family	"Interpretive Cultures in Late
	Tel Aviv	Antiquity: Hellenistic,
	University –	Roman, Jewish and
	Notre Dame	Christian Perspectives."
	Research	Collaborators from
	Collaboration	Notre Dame: Gretchen
	Grant	Reydams-Schils;
		Michael Zvi Nonick;
		David Lincicum.
2019	German Israel	Submitted: Paul among the
	Foundation	Jews: Rethinking Paul
	(GIF)	and Palestinian
		Judaism (with Markus
		Tiwald; Lutz Döring
		and Vered Noam).
2019-2022	Israel Science	"The Hermeneutics of the
	Foundation	Tannaitic Midrashim"
		106000 NIS per year
		(No. 293/19)
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**2019** Goldstein-Goren Book Award for Best Book in Jewish Philosophy 2016-2018 for *Goy: Israel Others and the Birth of the Gentile*, with Adi Ophir (Oxford 2018)

2020 Kadar Family Award for Outstanding Research Tel-Aviv University

# 9. GRADUATE STUDENTS

## MA STUDENTS

- 1. 2009-2011 Yael Fisch, "The Term 'his wife is as his self' in the Babylonian Talmud." Tel Aviv University
- 2. 2006-2013 Ayelet Bitan, "Environmental Thinking in the Creation Narrative according to Midrash Genesis Rabbah." Tel Aviv University.
- 2012-2013 Yedidah Koren, "The Creation of the Foreskinned Jew in Rabbinic Literature." Tel Aviv University
- 2012-2015 Orit Malka, "Citizenship and the limits of the Community in Rabbinic Literature." Tel Aviv University (with Prof. Shai Lavi)
- 5. 2019- Eliana Kahan, "Covenants in Genesis Rabba." Tel-Aviv University
- 6. 2019- Eliyahu Friedman, "Between Passover and Pentecost: Blood and Initiation in Early Judaism."

# PHD STUDENTS

- 2011-2015 Esther Fischer, "The Physiology of Desire in Rabbinic Literiture." Bar Ilan University (with Dr. Elisheva Baumgarten.)
- 2. 2011-2018 Yael Fisch, "Pauline and Rabbinic Midrash." Tel Aviv University
- 2013-2018 Avigail Manekin-Bamberger, "Legal and Magical Terminology in Rabbinic Literature," Tel Aviv University (wit Prof. Gideon Bohak)
- 5. 2013-2019 Sivan Nir, "the concept of Biblical "figures" in rabbinic Aggada and Medieval exegesis." Tel Aviv University (with Prof Meira Poliak).
- 6. 2015-2019 Orit Malka, "Testimony and Citizenship in Early Rabbinic Literature." Tel Aviv University
- 2012- Tamar Naaman, "Prayer in Tannaitic and Patristic Literature." Tel Aviv University
- 2014- Yedida Koren, "Those Forbidden to Enter the Congregation in Rabbinic Literature." Tel Aviv University

 2014- Noa Israeli, "The Land of Israel as a Myth in Tannaitic Literature." Tel Aviv University

## LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

## **DOCTORAL DISSERTATION**

 "The ritual of suspected adulteress (Sotah) in Tannaic literature," Tel Aviv University 2004. Supervised by Prof. Moshe Halbertal and Prof. Adi Ophir. Published as #2.

## BOOKS

- **2.** *The Rite that Was not: Temple, Midrash and Gender in Tractate Sotah* (Jerusalem: Magnes, 2008; Hebrew). 316 pages.
- **3.** *The Mishnaic Sotah Ritual: Temple, Gender and Midrash* (Journal for the Study of Judaism-Supplement Series, Leiden: Brill, 2012). 256 pages. A revised translation of #2
- **4.** *Demonic Desires:* Yetzer Hara *and the problem of Evil in Late Antiquity*, Divinations: Rereading Late Ancient Religion (Philadelphia: Penn Press, 2011). 293 pages.
- **5.** *Body and Soul in Ancient Judaism* (Tel Aviv: Modan and the Broadcasted University, 2012; Hebrew), 131 pages.
- **6.** *Goy: Israel Others and the Birth of the Gentile*, with Adi Ophir (Oxford University Press, 2018), 333 pages.
- **7.** *Between Mishnah and Midrash: The Birth of Rabbinic Literature* (the Open University, Raanana 2019; Hebrew), 476 pages.

### **BOOKS EDITED:**

- 8. I. Rosen-Zvi, G. Bohak and R. Margolin (eds.), *Myth, Mysticism and Ritual: The Relationship between Jewish Studies and Religious Studies; A Festschrift for Ithamar Gruenwald.* Teudah: Studies of the Haim Rosenberg School for Jewish Studies, 26, 2014.
- **9.** I. Rosen-Zvi, M. Vidas, C. Fonrobert, A. Shemesh and (eds.), *Talmudic Transgressions: Encounters with Daniel Boyarin* (Brill, Leiden, 2017)

### Forthcoming

- **10.** I. Rosen-Zvi, D. Boyarin and V. Noam (eds.), From the Disciples of Aaron: Studies in Tannaitic Literature and Ancient Halakha, in Memory of Prof. Aaron Shemesh, Teuda (Tel-Aviv University).
- **11.** H. Patmore, I. Rosen-Zvi, J. Atikan (eds.), *The Origins of Evil in Early Judaism and Christianity* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, Oxford, 2020).

### **ARTICLES:**

### ENGLISH

- 12. "Bilhah the Temptress: the Testament of Reuben and the 'Birth of Sexuality'," *Jewish Quarterly Review* 96 (2006), 65-94.
- 13. "Measure for Measure as a Hermeneutic Tool in Early Rabbinic Literature," *Journal of Jewish Studies* 56 (2006), pp. 269-286.
- 14. "Two Rabbinic Inclinations?: Rethinking a Scholarly Dogma", *Journal for the Study of Judaism* 39 (2008), pp. 513-539.
- **15.** "Orality, Narrative, Rhetoric: New Directions in Mishnah Research", *AJS Review* 32 (2008), pp. 1-15.
- 16. "Sexualizing the Evil Inclination: Rabbinic Yetzer and Modern Scholarship," *Journal of Jewish Studies* 60 (2009), pp. 264-281.
- 17. "Refuting the *Yetzer*: The Evil Inclination and the Limits of Rabbinic Discourse", *Journal for Jewish Thought and Philosophy* 17 (2009), pp. 117-142.
- 18. "Secularizing the Talmud: Assimilation and Nationalism in Jewish Studies," *Teuda 24* (2012), pp. 73-86.
- 19. "Goy: Toward a Genealogy," with Adi Ophir, Dine Israel 28 (2011), 69-112.
- **20.** "The Rise and Fall of Rabbinic Masculinity", *Jewish Studies Internet Journal 12* (2013): 1-22.
- **21.** "Structure and Reflectivity in Tannaitic Legal Homilies, Or: How to Read Midrashic Terminology", *Prooftexts* 34 (2014): 271-301
- 22. "Paul and the Invention of the Gentiles", with Adi Ophir, Jewish Quarterly Review 105 (2015): 1-41.
- **23.** "The Mishnaic Mental Revolution: A Reassessment", *Journal of Jewish Studies* 66 (2015): 36-58.
- 24. "What If We Got Rid of the GOY? Rereading Ancient Jewish Distinctions" *Journal for the Study of Judaism* 47 (2016): 149-182.
- **25.** "Seeing is Believing: Miracles, Providence and Reality in the Talmud" *Toronto Journal of Theology* (2017): 87-101.
- 26. "Pauline Traditions and the Rabbis: Three Case studies" *Harvard Theological Review* 110 (2017): 169–194.
- 27. "To See the Voices: Midrash and/as Revelation", MAARAV, A Journal for the Study of the Northwest Semitic Languages and Literatures 24 (2020): 193–206

#### Submitted

- **28.** A Rabbinic Apocalypse? Reading Tosefta Sotah chapters 10-15 (*HTR*)
- **29.** 60. Between Ethnos and Nomos: Josephus and the goyim (*JSIJ*)

## **HEBREW**

- **30.** "The Evil Impulse, Sexuality and Yichud: A Chapter of Talmudic Anthropology," *Theory and Criticism* 14 (1999), pp. 55-84
- **31.** "The Sin of Concealment of the Suspected Adulteress," *Tarbiz* 70 (2001), pp. 367-401
- **32.** "Justifying the Holocaust in the school or Rabbi Zvi Yehuda Kuk," *Democratic Culture* 6 (2002), pp. 165-209
- **33.** "'Even if One Found a More Beautiful Woman': An Analysis of Grounds for Divorce in Rabbinic Literature (Hebrew)," *Jewish Studies Internet Journal* 3 (2004), pp. 1-11
- **34.** "Another Look at the Adulteress' Punishment in Ezekiel 16 and 23," *Beit Mikra* 50 (2005), pp 163-193
- **35.** "'Tractate Kinui': A Forgotten Tannaitic Debate About Marriage, Freedom of Movement and Sexual Supervision (Hebrew)," *Jewish Studies Internet Journal* 5 (2006), pp. 1-28
- **36.** "Mishna *Sotah* Chapter 5 and the *Midrash* of Rabbi Akiva," *Tarbiz* 70 (2006), pp. 95-128
- **37.** "Temple of the Body: The List of Priestly Blemishes in Mishna *Bekhorot* and the Place of the Temple in Tannaitic Discourse," *Jewish Studies* 43 (2005-2006), pp. 49-87
- **38.** "The School of R. Ishmael and the Birth of *Yetzer Hara*", *Tarbiz* 75 (2006), pp. 1-39
- **39.** "Blessings of Sight (*Birkot haReiyya*) and the Emergence of the Tannaitic Liturgical System," *Jewish Studies Internet Journal* 7 (2008), pp. 1-29
- **40.** "*Yetzer Hara* in Amoraic Literature: A Reevaluation" *Tarbiz 77* (2007), pp. 71-107
- **41.** "'You Shall Destroy all Places': A Tannaitic Polemic on the Destruction of Idolatry", *Reshit* 1 (2009), pp. 91-115
- **42.** "Blessings as Mapping: Structure and Content in Mishnah Berakhot Chapter 9," *Hebrew Union College Annual* 78 (2009), Heb. pp. 26-46
- **43.** "Male Jewels/Female Jewels: a New Look at the Religious Obligations of Women in Rabbinic Thought", *Reshit* 2, pp. 55-79 (With Dror Yinon)
- **44.** "The Protocol of the Court at Yavne? A new Reading of Tosefta Sanhedrin 7", *Tarbiz* 78 (2009), pp. 447-477
- **45.** "The *Medir* and the *Muderet*: Mishna Ketubot 7 and Tannaitic Conceptions of Marriage", *Dine Israel* 26 (2010), pp. 91ff.
- **46.** "Secularizing the Talmud: Assimilation and Nationalism in Jewish Studies," *Teuda 24* (2012), pp. 73-86.
- **47.** "Towards a Hermeneutic Lexicon of Midrashic Terminology," *Jewish Studies* 48 (2012), pp. 71-91.
- **48.** "Midrashic Hermeneutics: Between Halakha and Aggadah" (with Assaf Rosen-Zvi), *Tarbiz* 86 (2019): 203-232

### **Accepted for Publication**

49. "Xenophobia, Judeophobia and the Birth of the GOY: On Chickens and Eggs"

### **CHAPTERS IN COLLECTIONS:**

### ENGLISH

- **50.** "Can the Homilists Cross the Sea Again? Time and Revelation in *Mekhilta Shirata*," G. Brooke et al. (eds.), *The Significance of Sinai*, Themes in Biblical Narratives (Leiden: Brill, 2008), pp. 217-246.
- **51.** "Hyper-Sexualization in the Bavli: An Initial Survey", L. Teugels & R. Ulmer (eds.), *Midrash and the Exegetical Mind* (Piscataway, NJ: Gorgias, 2010), pp. 181-205.
- **52.** "The Sotah in the Temple: a well ordered choreography," T. Ilan (ed.), *Introduction to Seder Qodashim. A Feminist Commentary on the Babylonian Talmud* (Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2012), pp. 71-84.
- **53.** "Midrash and Reflectivity: Kishmu'o as a Test Case," M. Niehoff (ed.), *Homer and the Bible in the Eyes of Ancient Interpreters* (Leiden: Brill, 2012), pp. 329-344.
- **54.** "Rereading Herem": Destruction of Avoda Zara in Tannaitic Literature", K. Bartlett, Y. David and M. Hirshman (eds.), *The Gift of the Land and the Fate of the Canaanites in the History of Jewish Thought* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2014).
- **55.** "Like a Priest Exposing His Own Wayward Mother: Jeremiah in Rabbinic Literature", K. Schmidt and H. Najman (eds.), *Jeremiah's Scriptures: Production, Reception, Interaction, Transformation*, Brill, Leiden 2016, pp. 570-590.
- **56.** YETZER HARA and DAIMONES: a Shared Jewish Christian Discourse?", Peter J. Tomson and Joshua Schwartz (eds.), *Jews and Christians in the First and Second Centuries: How to Write Their History*, Brill, Leiden 2014, pp. 431-453.
- **57.** "Rabbis and Romanization", Mladen Popovic (ed.), *Jewish Cultural Encounters in the Ancient Mediterranean and Near Eastern World*, Brill, Leiden 2016, pp. 218-245.
- **58.** "The Wisdom Tradition in Rabbinic Literature and Mishnah Avot," J-S Rey, H. Najman and E. Tigchelaar (eds.) *Rethinking the Boundaries of Sapiential Tradition*, Brill, Leiden 2016, pp. 172-190.
- **59.** "Usual Suspects: on Trust, Doubt and Ethnicity in the Mishnah", I. Alon and D. Bar Tal (eds.), *the Role of Trust in Conflict Situations*, Springer, Berlin 2016, 117-130.
- **60.** "Paul and Universalism: 'A Radical Jew' Revisited", with Adi Ophir. M. Vidas, C. Fonrobert, A. Shemesh and I. Rosen-Zvi (eds.), *Talmudic Transgressions: Encounters with Daniel Boyarin* (Brill, Leiden, 2017), pp. 368-385.
- **61.** "Is the Mishnah a Roman Composition?" Ch. Hayes, Z. Novick and M. Bar-Asher Segal (eds.), *The Faces of Torah. Studies in the Texts and Contexts of Ancient Judaism in Honor of Steven Fraade*, Journal of Ancient Judaism. Supplements, vol. 22, Göttingen 2017, 487-508.
- **62.** "Two Midrashic Selves: Between Origen and the Mekhilta", in M. R. Niehoff and J. Levinson (eds.), *Constructions of the Self in the Roman Empire* (Mohr Siebeck: Tübingen, 2019), 469-501.

#### **Accepted for Publication**

- **63.** "Fiction, Dialogue, Otherness: Self Criticism and Rabbinic Anecdotes", Zoe Gutzeit & Noah Efron (eds.), *Dialogues of Reason: Views from Within and Without* (South Bend, IN: Notre Dame University Press, forthcoming).
- 64. "Yetzer in Tannaitic Literature", H. Patmore, I. Rosen-Zvi, J. Atikan (eds.), *The Origins of Evil in Early Judaism and Christianity* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, Oxford, forthcoming).
- **65.** "Early Judaism And Rabbinic Judaism", in M. Hanze and Rod Werline (eds.), *Early Judaism and its Modern Interpreters* (Leiden, Brill, forthcoming)

### HEBREW

- 66. "The Holy and the Mundane: the Thought of Ariel Rosen-Zvi," M. Mautner et. al. (eds.), *Multiculturalism in a Democratic and Jewish State* (Tel Aviv: Ramot, 1998), pp. 29-59.
- 67. "Sources and Sources of Inspiration Rabbinic Literature and its Interpretation in David Hartman's Work," A. Sagi and Z. Zohar (eds.), *Renewing Jewish Commitment: The Work and Thought of David Hartman* (Jerusalem: Shalom Hartman Institute and Hakibbutz Hameuchad, 2001), pp. 407-423.
- **68.** "The Standing Woman: Hannah's Prayer in Rabbinic Exegesis," N. Ilan and A. Sagi (eds.), *Jewish Culture in the Eye of the Storm, a Jubilee Book in honor of Yosef Ahituv* (Ein Zurim: Hakibbutz Hameuchad and The Jacob Herzog Center, 2002), pp. 675-698.
- **69.** "Between Sacred and Secular: The Thought of Ariel Rosen-Zvi," M. Mautner, et. al.(eds.) *Multiculturalism and a Democratic and Jewish State: the Ariel Rosen-Zvi Memorial Book* (Tel Aviv: Ramot, 2003), pp. 29-59.
- 70. "The Creation of Metaphysics: The Debate in the Mercaz Harav Yeshiva A Critical Study," G. Bacon et. al. (eds.) A Hundred Years of Religious Zionism, vol. III (Ramat Gan: Bar Ilan University Press, 2004), pp. 421-445.
- 71. "Leibowitz's Political Radicalism: History, Theology and Ethics," A Ravitzky (ed.), *Yeshayahu Leibowitz Conservativism and Radicalism* (Jerusalem: Van Leer Institute and Haibbutz Hameuchad, 2006), pp. 335-353.
- 72. "Do Women Have a Yetzer? Anthropology, Ethics and Gender in Rabbinic Literature," B. Huss (ed.), Spiritual Authority: Cultural Power Struggles in Jewish Throught (Beersheba: Ben Gurion University Press, 2010), pp. 21-34.
- **73.** Afterword to the Hebrew Translation of D. Boyarin, *Intertextuality and the Reading of Midrash* (ed. E. Reiner, Jerusalem: Shalom Hartman Institute, 2012), 273-286.
- 74. "The Birth of the Goy in Rabbinic Literature", I. Rosen Zvi, G. Bohak and R. Margolin (eds.), Myth, Mysticism and Ritual: Studies in the Relations between Jewish and Religious Studies, Ithamar Gruenwald Festschrift (Te'uda: Studies of the Hayim Rosenberg School for Jewish Studies in Tel Aviv University, 26), pp. 361-438.

**75.** "Introduction to the Mishnah", D. Rosenthal (ed. in chief), *Rabbinic Literature of Eretz Israel: Introductions and Studies* (Jerusalem: Yad Ben Zvi, 2018), pp. 1-64.

#### **Accepted for Publication**

**76.** "*Agaddot al Dofi*" (with Adiel Schremer), in Rosen-Zvi, D. Boyarin and V. Noam (eds.), From the Disciples of Aaron: Studies in Tannaitic Literature and Ancient Halakha, in Memory of Prof. Aaron Shemesh, Teuda (Tel-Aviv University).

### **Review Essays**

- 77. "Blood, Identity and Counter Discourse," Review of: Charlotte Fonrobert, *Menstrual Purity: Rabbinic and Christian Reconstructions of Biblical Gender* (Stanford University Press: Stanford, 2000), *Prooftexts* 23 (2003), pp. 210-228.
- **78.** Review Essay: "Joining the Club: Tannaitic Legal Midrash and Ancient Jewish Hermeneutics," *The Studia Philonica Annual* XVII (2005) (???).
- **79.** "Misogyny and its Discontents," Review of: Judith Baskin, *Midrashic Women: Formations of the Feminine in Rabbinic Literature* (University Press of New England: Hanover 2002), *Prooftexts* 25 (2005), pp. 198-208.
- **80.** Review of: Daniel Boyarin, *Borderlines: The partition of Judeo-Christianity* (University of Pennsylvania Press: Philadelphia, 2004), *Interpretation* (April 2006), p. 222.
- **81.** Review of: J. Rubenstein (ed.), *Creation and Composition: the Contribution of the Bavli Redactors (Stammaim) to the Aggada* (Johns Hopkins University Press: Baltimore, 2004), *Journal for the Study of Judaism* 37 (2006), pp. 367-368.
- **82.** Review of: J. A. Brant et al (ed.), *Ancient Fiction: The Matrix of Early Christian and Jewish Narrative* (Leiden: Brill, 2005), *Journal for the Study of Judaism* 38 (2007), pp. 351-353.
- **83.** Review of: R. Kalmin, *Jewish Babylonia: between Persia and Roman Palestine* (Oxford: Oxford University Press 2006), *AJS Review* (2008), 32 : 414-417.
- 84. Review of: G. Kessler, Conceiving Israel: The Fetus in Rabbinic Narratives, (Philadelphia: Penn, 2009), Journal of Jewish Studies 62 (2011): 168-170.
- **85.** Review of: W. Loader, *The Pseudepigrapha on Sexuality*, (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2011), *JSJ* (forthcoming).
- **86.** Review of: H. Lapin, Rabbis as Romans: *The Rabbinic Movement in Palestine*, <u>100-400</u> <u>CE</u>, Oxford 2012, the Marginalia Review of Books (http://themarginaliareview.com/archives/3494).

#### Hebrew

- **87.** "A Philosopher Meets the Rabbi: a Review of Three New Books on the Philosophy of Halakha," *Theory and Criticism* 15 (2000), pp. 109-126.
- **88.** Review of: Avraham Melamed, *Can the Cushite Change His Skin? Blacks as Others in Jewish Culture*, Haifa 2002, *Israeli Sociology* 5 (2003), pp. 273-278.
- **89.** Review of: Ra'anan S. Boustan, *From Martyr to Mystic*, TSAJ 112, (Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2005), *Zion* 73 (2008), pp. 211-216.

### **OTHER PUBLICATIONS:**

- **90.** 'Sotah', 'Tractate Sotah', P. Hyman and D. Ofer (eds.) *Jewish Women: A Comprehensive Historical Encyclopedia* (Philadelphia: JPS), CD-ROM (2007).
- **91.** "Gentiles Judaism Rabbinic Judaism" in: the Encyclopedia of the Bible and its Reception, (Berlin: de Greuter).
- **92.** "Mishnah" in: <u>The [Oxford] Encyclopedia of the Bible and Law (associate editors Pamela Barmash, Charlotte E. Fonrobert, Clare Rothschild, Jeffrey Stackert, and John Witte; Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013).</u>
- **93.** English Translation (with a short commentary) of Mishnah Sotah, part of The Oxford Mishna: A New Annotated Translation of the Mishnah (edited by Shaye Cohen and Hayim Lapin).
- **94.** Administrating a public group on Facebook on the "Daf Yomi" of the Bavli (https://www.facebook.com/groups/1778041112485689/).
- **95.** "Gentiles in Rabbinic Judaism" in: the Encyclopedia of the Bible and its Reception (EBR), Edited by C. Hayes et al, de Groyter
- **96.** "Sotah" in: Routledge Dictionary of Ancient Mediterranean Religions (RDMAR), Edited by Eric Orlin et al, Routledge
- 97. The "goy" and the Jewish State, *Alpayim* 2 (2019).
- **98.** Editor of the section on Hebrew (together with Hindy Najman and Geoffrey Chan), *Philological Practices: A Comparative Historical Lexicon, Philology as a Praxis in a transcultural Perspective*, Edited by Anne Eusterschulte, Glenn W. Most, and Martin Kern