

Anna Gutgarts

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Education:

- 2011-present PhD candidate in the Department of History in the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Dissertation title: Jerusalem in the 12th century: Systematic Analysis of a Developing Urban Landscape. Advisors: Prof. Ronnie Ellenblum and Prof. Iris Shagrir. Dissertation to be submitted in June 2017.
- 2006-2010 M.A. magna cum laude, Department of History, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Field of specialization: the European Middle Ages. Advisor: Prof. Esther Cohen.
- 2008-2009 University of Wisconsin, Madison: Exchange student as George L. Mosse Fellow.
- 2003-2006 B.A. magna cum laude, Department of History, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Academic Activities and Employment: (1) at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem:

- 2012-present Member of the research group “*Picture Power: Cultural Continuity in Changing Worlds – The representation of Government in the Near East from the late fourth millennium BCE to the early modern period (ca. 3200 BCE – 1600 CE)*,” at Scholion Interdisciplinary Research Center in Jewish Studies and Humanities.
- 2012-2014 Joint group leader (with Avner Ecker and Shulamit Miller) of an interdisciplinary discussion group for graduate students on “The City in Ancient Palestine,” as part of the *Limmud B’Chevruta* project.
- 2011-present Program for Outstanding Doctoral Students, The Faculty of Humanities.
- 2011-2014 Participation in a research project on Jerusalem in the 12th century funded by the German-Israeli Foundation.
- 2010-present Teaching assistant to Prof. Ronnie Ellenblum (Department of Geography) in the following courses: “The Rise of the Latin Kingdom of Jerusalem”; “Crusader Jerusalem – an Eastern or a European City?”; “Climate Changes and History”; “Historic Cities A”; “Historic Cities B”.
- 2009-2011 Research assistant to Dr. Yossi Maury (Department of Musicology) in a study of St. Martin of Tours.
- 2004-2007 Research assistant to Prof. Nathan Sussman (Department of Economics) in a study of taxation in Paris in 13th and early 14th centuries.
- 2007-2008 Research assistant to Prof. Michael Toch (Department of History), in a study of European Jews in the Middle Ages.
- 2007-2008 Teaching assistant in the medieval section in the Department of History: Bibliographical instructor.

- 2007-2008 Editor-in-chief of *Hayo Haya*, students' journal of the School of History.
- (2) **Other:**
- 2016 Participation in the production of an online database of the Revised *Regesta Regni Hierosolymitani* project: <http://crusades-regesta.com/>
Responsible for the coordination of the programming, content and design teams, and for the planning of the database and website.
- 2015 Participation in the Seventh German-Israeli Frontiers of Humanities Symposium, titled "Boundaries and Bridges: The Dynamics of Urban Diversity", organized by the Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities and the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation.
- 2015 Participation in a workshop for young scholars led by Prof. Denys Pringle, organized by the Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities.
- 2013-2014 Member of a methodological monthly seminar held at Yad Ben-Zvi, Jerusalem, for doctoral students focusing on the history of Palestine.
- 2010 Translation, from English to Hebrew, of an interview with Prof. Patrick Geary for the Journal *History*.
- 2009-2012 Research assistant to Dr. Iris Shagrir (Department of History, Philosophy and Judaic Studies, The Open University, Israel), in a study of Crusader Jerusalem.
- 2001-2003 Israeli military service as psycho-technical evaluator

Academic Awards and Scholarships:

- 2013-2016 Nathan Rotenstreich Scholarship for PhD candidates granted by the Council for Higher Education.
- 2011-2013 Polonsky Scholarship.
- 2013 Jacob Talmon Prize for outstanding students in the Department of History.
- 2012 Ginter prize for scholars of Jerusalem.
- 2008-2010 George L. Mosse fellowship, granted by the Department of History.
- 2008 Award granted by the Department of Comparative Religions.
- 2007 Rector's Prize for outstanding M.A. students.
- 2007 Dean of the Faculty of Humanities' scholarship for outstanding M.A. students.
- 2006 Yehoshua Arieli Prize for outstanding seminar paper, written under the supervision of Prof. Michael Heyd, Department of History.
- 2005-2006 Studies in the School of History's honors program.
- 2004-2005 Dean's list for B.A. students, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Lectures:

- 2/2016 “The Holy City Reconsidered: A New Perspective on the Role of Documents in the Study of Urban Development in Twelfth-Century Jerusalem”. Lecture in the weekly seminar of the Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies in Stanford University.
- 6/2015 “Joshua Prawer and the Study of Frankish Jerusalem”. Invited short presentation in a conference in honour of Joshua Prawer.
- 5/2015 “The Formation of Urban Landscape in Frankish Jerusalem”. Lecture in the monthly seminar at the Scholion Interdisciplinary Research Center for the Humanities and Jewish Studies.
- 7/2014 “Reading Urban Fabric: The Case of Frankish Jerusalem”. Invited lecture at the seminar of medieval history, Heidelberg University.

Presentations in Conferences:

- 5/2017 [Forthcoming] “A Transforming Civic Landscape: Social networks, municipal authority, and urban change in Frankish Jerusalem”. 52nd *International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo MI.
- 6/2016 “De Situ Urbis Ierusalem - Urban development and the formation of Frankish Jerusalem’s hinterland”. *Diversity of Crusading. Ninth Quadrennial conference of the SSCLE*. Odense.
- 5/2016 “Municipal Mechanisms in the Holy City: socio-economic networks in 12th century Frankish Jerusalem”. 51st *International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo MI.
- 1/2015 “The Constraints of Royal Topography in Frankish Jerusalem”. Picturing Royal Charisma in the Near East (3rd Millenium BCE to 1700 CE). *International Workshop held by the Mandel Scholion Interdisciplinary Research Center in the Study of the Humanities and Jewish Studies and the Israel Institute for Advanced Studies*.
- 12/2014 “"Location, Location, Location": Real Estate Exchanges, Property Values and the Development of Urban Landscape in Frankish Jerusalem.” *Jerusalem and the Crusades: New Trends in the Study of the Crusading Movement and the Medieval Levant. Joint Research Conference of The Israel Institute for Advanced Studies, The Israel Science Foundation and The German Israel Foundation*. Jerusalem, Israel.
- 11/2014 “The Worldly Landscape of the Heavenly City: The Development of Frankish Jerusalem’s Urban Layout.” “*Remembering Jerusalem: Imagination, Memory, and the City*”. *Conference held by the The AHRC-funded network Imagining Jerusalem, 1099 to the Present Day*. London, UK.
- 7/2014 With Dr. Iris Shagrir: “Deciphering and Mapping the Socio-Cultural Landscape of 12th Century Jerusalem: Texts, Artifacts and Digital Tools.” “*Digital Palaeography: New Machines and Old Texts*”. *Seminar held at the Schloss Dagstuhl Leibnitz-Zentrum für Informatik, Schloss Dagstuhl, Germany*.

- 7/2014 “The Development of Urban Environment in Frankish Jerusalem – A New Perspective.” “*The Making of Jerusalem: Constructed Spaces and Historic Communities*”. Conference Held by the Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation, Jerusalem, Israel.
- 7/2013 “Urban Landscape in 12th century Jerusalem – Patterns of Development and Municipal Administration.” *The 3rd Biennial Conference of the Society for the Study of the Mediterranean*, Cambridge, UK.
- 7/2013 “The (Long) 1140s as a Formative Decade in the Urban Development of Frankish Jerusalem.” *International Medieval Congress*, Leeds, UK.
- 12/2012 “Cultural Exchanges in Frankish Jerusalem from a Spatial Perspective.” *The 2nd Annual International Conference of the Center for the Study of Relations between Jews, Christians and Muslims*, The Open University, Israel.
- 7/2011 “Saints and Their Posthumous Fate in Medieval Rus’.” *International Medieval Congress*, Leeds, UK.
- 9/2010 “Accounts of the Battle of Kulikovo – History, Historiography and National Myth.” *Religion and Violence in Transcultural Contexts: Historicizing Traumatic Experience from the Middle Ages to Modern Times*, Jerusalem, Israel.
- 7/2010 “Female Piety, Religious Poverty and Royal Patronage in Medieval Rus’.” *International Medieval Congress*, Leeds, UK.

Publications:

“The Earthly Landscape of the Heavenly City – A New Framework for the Examination of the Urban Development of Frankish Jerusalem”, *Al-Masāq: Journal of the Medieval Mediterranean*, 28:3 (2016): 265-81.

Submitted for peer review: “Reconsidering Royal Sovereignty in Frankish Jerusalem – a new look on the transformation of Jerusalem’s cityscape in the first half of the twelfth century” – Submitted (December 2015) to the proceedings volume of the 2015 workshop *Picturing Royal Charisma in the Near East (3rd Millennium BCE to 1700 CE)*, which will be published as part of a peer reviewed series.

Languages:

- Modern: *Russian and Hebrew*: Mother tongue.
French, German, Spanish, Italian: Reading and conversation skills at different levels.
- Ancient: *Latin, Greek, Old Russian and Old Church Slavonic*: Reading skills.