

The Zelikovitz Centre for Jewish Studies and  
The Religion Program in the College of Humanities  
Annual Student Colloquium:

# Religion Out Of Bounds



April 12, 2019 | 303 Patterson Hall | 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

9:15-10:15, Religious Identity, Politics and Policy

*Ryrie Dirksen*

B.A. Honours in History and Religions and Cultures, Nipissing University  
**Make Peace Not War: The History of the Non-Resistant Relief Organization (NRRO)**

*Carly Cushing*

M.A. Religion and Public Life, Carleton University  
**Identity Crisis: How Comprehensive Sex Education is Perceived as a Threat to Christian Values**

*Adam Berk*

M.A. Religion and Public Life, Carleton University  
**Anti-Catholic Polemics and 'Protestant Unity' in Late Seventeenth-Century England**

10:30-11:30, Wielding Terms: Possibilities for Inclusion and Justice

*Sharon Angnakak*

Ph.D. Religious Studies, University of Ottawa  
**Reframing the Question: On the Applicability of the Term 'Religion' to Inuit Shamanism to Gain New Insights**

*Vanessa Turyatunga*

M.A. Religious Studies, University of Ottawa  
**African Traditional Religions Within the Bounds of Religious Studies**

*Joseph Stern*

M.A. Religion and Public Life, Carleton University  
**Reconciling the Secular and Religious in Israel through the Pursuit of Justice as a Path to Reconciling the Israeli/Palestinian Conflict**

11:30-12:30, Catered Lunch (Kosher)

12:30-1:30, Gender and Religion

*Ayesha Tak*

M.A. Sociology, Carleton University  
**Taking Off the Veil: Muslim Women Who Don't Wear the Hijab**

*Kika Otiono*

B.A. Honours in Humanities and Biology, Carleton University  
**Agency, Faith and Martyrdom: The Complex Roles of Women in Early Christianity**

*Lx Silver-Mahr*

B.A. Social Work, Carleton University  
**The Zionist Remaking of Jewish Masculinity**

1:45-2:45, Performance and Group Identity

*Zachary Doiron*

M.A. Religions and Cultures, Concordia University  
**The Devil's Haunted House: Performance and Conservative Religious Identity in Evangelical Hell Houses**

*Marylene Pilon*

M.A. Religion and Public Life, Carleton University  
**On the Edge of a State: Sing to Commemorate, Sing to Celebrate**

*Idoia Arana-Beobide*

M.A. Religion and Public Life, Carleton University  
**Olentzero: The ReMythification of Basque Christmas**

3:00-4:00, Contemporary Non-Religion

*Hannah McKillop*

M.A. Religious Studies, University of Ottawa  
**Harry Potter and the Creation of Spiritual Technologies**

*Alexandra Valeriote*

M.A. Religion and Public Life, Carleton University  
**Om in the Marketplace: The Commodification of a Religious Hindu Symbol**

*Erin Roberts*

M.A. Religion and Public Life, Carleton University  
**Meditation Teachers as Professionals: The Role of the Meditation Teacher Across the Secular-Religious Spectrum**

This event is free to the public. Please RSVP to confirm your attendance. Complimentary refreshments (Kosher) will be provided to those that RSVP. Direct any questions to: [zccolloquium2019@gmail.com](mailto:zccolloquium2019@gmail.com)

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