

# Zelikovitz Centre Annual Student Colloquium

## Religion in Context: Interdisciplinary Perspectives



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**April 12, 2024 | 303 Paterson Hall | 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.**

### Welcome and Introductions

**9:00**

Emily Biggar-Heil  
Dr. Pamela Walker

### Panel I: Religion & Methodology

**9:20-10:15**

9:20 - Syed Raza: Imam Ja'far as-Sadiq and Islamic Philosophy  
9:40 - Saar Raza: Bhuddist Social Media Use in Ottawa

### Panel II: Religion & Geography

**10:30-11:25**

10:30 - Emily Biggar-Heil: The History of Jews in the Land of Israel  
10:50 - Adam Jones: Pilgrimage and Syncretism in the Christianisation of Egypt

### Panel III: Religion & Government

**12:30-1:35**

12:30 - Krista Arnold: Far-right Religion and Politics on Marginalised Communities  
12:50 - Sean Proctor: Church and State in Utah  
1:10 - Gabriel Casola: Developing Intercultural Competencies to Teach Ukraine Refugees  
Religion in Poland

### Panel IV: Jewish Studies

**2:00-3:00**

2:00 - Peter Heyck: Brain-death Determination and Spiritual Care in Clinical Settings  
2:20 - Ben Stern: Casting Memories: Design Methods for Holocaust Remembrance

### Closing Remarks

**3:00**

Peter Heyck  
Dr. Deidre Butler