

# Catholic Theologies of Jews and Judaism and the Challenge of Theological Dialogue

**A CCJS Spring Symposium | MAY 9th - 11th 2021**

The CCJS will host an invitation-only virtual symposium on May 9th - 11th to discuss themes in recent Catholic theologies of Jews and Judaism. Topics include the relation of the election of Israel to the universality of salvation in Christ, the nature and extent of the Church's mission, and the affirmation that God's covenant with the Jewish people has never been revoked, including the status of the land of Israel as an aspect of that covenant. The discussion will also include what theological dialogue is, and how it might relate to biblical studies, comparative theology, and philosophy. CCJS's Spring Symposium aims to provide a space for Catholic theologians to discuss with Jewish scholars these recent proposals, as well as methodological approaches to theological dialogue.

## Participants

[Dr. Clémence Boulouque](#), Carl and Bernice Witten Assistant Professor in Jewish and Israel Studies at Columbia University, NY.

[Dr. Alan Brill](#), Cooperman/Ross Endowed Chair for Jewish-Christian Studies at Seton Hall University, NJ.

[Dr. Holly Taylor Coolman](#), assistant professor of theology in the Department of Theology at Providence College, RI.

[Dr. Gavin D'Costa](#), professor of Catholic theology at the University of Bristol, England.

[Father William Goldin](#), parochial vicar at St. Irenaeus Catholic Church, Cypress, CA.

[Dr. Joel Kaminsky](#), Morningstar Professor of Jewish Studies and Professor of Religion at Smith College, Northampton, MA.

[Dr. Matthew Levering](#), professor of dogmatic theology at the University of Saint Mary of the Lake, Mundelein, IL.

[David Maayan](#), PhD student in comparative theology at Boston College, MA.

[Dr. Bruce Marshall](#), Lehman Professor of Christian Doctrine, Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX.

[Dr. David Novak](#), the J. Richard and Dorothy Shiff Chair of Jewish Studies as Professor of the Study of Religion and Professor of Philosophy at the University of Toronto, Canada.

[Dr. Devorah Schoenfeld](#), associate professor of theology at Loyola University Chicago, IL.

[Dr. Jennifer Hart Weed](#), associate professor of philosophy, University of New Brunswick, Canada.

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