

Hebrew and Jewish Studies Unit

THE DAVID PATTERSON SEMINARS

- Week 1:** **13 October**
Dr Ruth Harris
(New College)
"The Man on Devil's Island": The Orthodoxy of the Dreyfus Affair revisited
- Week 2:** **20 October**
Professor Steven Bowman
(University of Cincinnati)
The Agony of Greek Jewry in the Second World War
- Week 3:** **27 October**
Dr Emanuele Ottolenghi
(Foundation for the Defense of Democracies)
Israel's strategic predicament before and after Iran goes nuclear
- Week 4:** **3 November**
Professor Yael Feldman
(NYU, New York)
Isaac the Warrior? From Jewish Martyrdom to National Heroism
- Week 5:** **10 November**
Dr Jordan Finkin
(Oxford)
Talking Jewish: Discourse and Literature [Book Launch]
- Week 6:** **17 November**
Dr Gary Rendsburg
(Rutgers University)
Alliteration as a Stylistic Device in the Bible
- Week 7:** **24 November**
Professor Ahuvia Kahane
(Royal Holloway, University of London)
"Jewish Ruins"? Perceptions of the Past and Cultural Difference
- Week 8:** **1 December**
Professor Jonathan Webber
(Birmingham University)
How is the Jewish past being remembered in Poland?

The Seminars are held at the Oxford Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies
Yarnton Manor, Yarnton, Oxford OX5 1PY (Tel. 01865 377946)

Wednesdays at 8pm

Light buffet from 7pm

All are welcome

THE OCHJS MINIBUS WILL DEPART FROM THE PLAYHOUSE, BEAUMONT STREET AT 6.40pm AND 7.30pm AND WILL LEAVE YARNTON MANOR AT 9.30pm. SINGLE FARE £2.10 (STUDENTS MAY TRAVEL FREE ON PRODUCTION OF THEIR UNIVERSITY CARD)