

# The David Patterson Lectures

Week 1

**Professor Boaz Huss**  
(Ben-Gurion University)

## Book launch:

### *'Boaz Huss' Mystifying Kabbalah: Academic Scholarship, National Theology and New Age Culture'*

Professor Boaz Huss is the Aron Bernstein Chair in Jewish History at the Goldstein-Goren dept. of Jewish Thought at Ben-Gurion University. He is the vice-President of the European Society for the Study of Western Esotericism. His research interests include history of Kabbalah, Contemporary Kabbalah, Western Esotericism, New Age Culture and New Religious Movements in Israel. His recent publications include *Mystifying Kabbalah: Academic Scholarship, National Theology, and New Age Spirituality* (2020), and *The Zohar: Reception and Impact* (2016).

**Thursday, 20 January 2022**

**6-7pm (UK time)**

**Online via Zoom**

In order to participate in this lecture, please register at this link:

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