SUNDAY, AUGUST 16
NOON LUNCH
1:30 P.M. JUDAISM, DARWINISM AND THE TYPOLOGY OF SUFFERING
Shai Cherry (San Diego Jewish Academy)
CHAIR: Marc Swetlitz (Congregation Beth Shalom / Naperville, IL)
3:30 P.M. BREAK
4 P.M. BUSINESS MEETING 1
CHAIR: Hava Tirosh-Samuelson (Arizona State University)
6 P.M. DINNER
7:30 P.M. WE ARE ALONE IN A BIG UNIVERSE. WHAT SHOULD WE DO ABOUT IT?
Howard A. Smith (Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics)
CHAIR: Barry Ritchie (Arizona State University)
MONDAY, AUGUST 17
8 A.M. BREAKFAST
9 A.M. KABBALAH AND SCIENCE VS. MAGIC AND TECHNOLOGY
Matt Goldish (The Ohio State University)
CHAIR: David Cahan (University of Nebraska)
10:30 A.M. BREAK
11:00 A.M. APOPHATIC EMBODIMENT AND MATERIAL (IM)MATERIALITY: A KABBALISTIC COSMOLOGY
Elliot Wolfson (New York University)
CHAIR: Ron Margolin (Tel Aviv University)
12:30 P.M. LUNCH
1:30 P.M. THE THEOLOGY OF INTERRUPTION: RELIGION, SCIENCE AND ESTRANGEMENT
Laurie Zoloth (Northwestern University)
CHAIR: Elliot Dorff (Jewish University of America)
3:30 P.M. BREAK
4 P.M. WHAT IS “SCIENCE” AND WHY DOES IT MATTER?
Norbert Samuelson (Arizona State University)
CHAIR: Heidi Ravven (Hamilton College)
6 P.M. DINNER
7:30 P.M. INFORMAL MEETINGS
TUESDAY, AUGUST 18
8 A.M. BREAKFAST
9 A.M. BUSINESS MEETING 2
CHAIR: Elliot Dorff (Jewish University of America)
NOON LUNCH
1:30 P.M. DEPARTURE
In Attendance

Alan Astrow
Mark Bisman
Suzanne Brody
David Cahan
Jean Cahan
Shai Cherry
Adam Cohen
Joseph Cohen
Philip Cohen
Elliot Dorff
Carl Feit
Matt Goldish
Kenneth Kendler
Michael Kornreich
Barry Leshowitz
Farzad Mahootian
Ron Margolin
Kenneth Mossman
Rachel Pear
Arlette Poland
Heidi Ravven
Barry Ritchie
Norbert M. Samuelson
Donald Schon
Jules Simon
Howard A. Smith
Marc Swetlitz
Hava Tirosh-Samuelson
Lawrence Troster
Elliot Wolfson
Laurie Zoloth

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Yeshiva University
The Ohio State University
Virginia Commonwealth University
East Valley Diagnostic Imaging
Arizona State University
Arizona State University
Tel Aviv University
Arizona State University
Bar Ilan University
University of Redlands
Hamilton College
Arizona State University
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AZ Kidney & Hypertension Clinic
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