

# Workshop Schedule

**Sunday, June 5 (Mandel building, Room 530)**

13:30-14:00 –Welcome and Refreshments

14:00-14:15 – Introduction and Opening Remarks

## **Part I: Traces of Sanctity in Modern Law**

14:15-15:45 Shai Lavi (Tel-Aviv University)

**Secularizing Religion, Ritualizing Law: When Liberal Courts meet Jewish and Muslim Traditions**

15:45-16:15 – Coffee break

16:15-17:45 Shauna Van Praagh (McGill University)

**Traditions and Normative Systems: Intersecting Frameworks for Law and Religion**

17:45-18:15 – Coffee break

18:15-19:45 Jeremy Waldron (New York University) Keynote Speaker

**Law and the Limits of De-sanctification**

20:30 Dinner – HaHazer Restaurant

**Monday, June 6 (The Maierdorf Faculty Club, Room 501)**

## **Part II: Foundational Moments**

9:00-10:30 Jonathan Yovel (Haifa University)

**The Language of Sovereignty and Law as Exception in Genesis 1-3**

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:30 Menachem Lorberbaum (Tel-Aviv University)

**Founding the Discourse of Law and Politics: The Non-Theological Politics of Samuel 8**

12:30-13:30 Lunch

13:30-14:30 – Tour of the Historic Mt. Scopus Campus

14:30-15:00 Coffee break

## **Part III: Categories and Terminology**

15:00-16:30 Caroline Humfress (University of St Andrews)

**Ordering Divine Knowledge in Late Roman Legal Discourse**

**Paula Fredriksen (Boston University) – Respondent**

16:30-17:00 Coffee break

17:00-18:30 Avraham Melamed (Haifa University)

**The Concept of “Dat”: From Law to Religion**

**Tuesday, June 7 (The Maierdorf Faculty Club, Room 501)**

**Part IV: Early Modern and Modern Perspectives**

9:00-10:30 Leora Batnitzky (Princeton University)

**Hermann Cohen and Hans Kelsen: From Theology to Law and Back**

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-12:30 Russell Powell (Seattle University)

**Islamic Texts Related to Law and Pluralism**

12:30-13:30 Lunch

13:30-15:00 Yehuda Mirsky (Brandies University)

**Tentative Thoughts on Human Personhood and the Law**

15:00-15:30 Concluding Remarks

16:00-17:30 Behind the Scenes at the Kotel Tunnels: Recent Discoveries

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