

**EMORY UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
STANDARD CURRICULUM VITAE**

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4. **Current Titles and Affiliations:**
 - a. **Academic Appointments:**
 1. **Primary Appointments:**
Associate Professor of Medicine, Emory University School of Medicine, 6/2023 – current
 - b. **Other Administrative Appointments:**
 1. Senior Fellow, Emory Center for the Study of Law and Religion, 6/2021 – current
 2. Executive Director of the Emory Purpose Project, 6/2023 – current
The Emory Purpose Project is part of the University Student Flourishing Initiative, which is a university-wide initiative that reimagines and connects Emory’s curriculum, extracurricular activities, and residential and campus life to create an integrated experience that embraces the whole student. Through the Emory Purpose Project, the university will develop distinctive pathways that guide students in ways to define and build meaningful lives. The Purpose Project will provide spaces, experiences, programs, and courses that encourage reflection on questions of ethics, purpose, and meaning and contribute to students' personal growth.
 3. Core Faculty, Emory Center of Ethics, 6/2023 – current
5. **Previous Academic and Professional Appointments:**
 - a. Private Sector, Real Estate, 2003 – 2009
 1. The Ackman-Ziff Real Estate Group, LLC, New York, NY; Associate, 2003-2004
 - Negotiated loan documents and equity contracts in order to secure mortgage financing and joint ventures
 - Evaluated numerous debt and equity proposals to determine the best returns for clients
 - Built and maintained a client base that uses the firm to procure the most favorable capital structure
 2. Groupe Pacific, Miami, FL; Director of Land, Acquisitions, and Finance, 2006 – 2009
 - Oversaw and managed the acquisition and disposition of assets
 - Negotiated contracts for purchase, sale, mortgage financing and joint ventures
 - Recognized as “30 under 30” by Real Estate Florida February/March 2008 issue, given to a top 30 rising star in real estate. Selection based on business accomplishments, rapid career advancement, and strong record of giving back to the community.
 - b. Assistant Professor of Medicine, New York Medical College, 6/2014 – 2019
 - c. Associate Professor of Medicine, New York Medical College, 6/2019 – 2021
 - d. Visiting Scholar, Emory University School of Law, 6/2021 – 6/2023
6. **Previous Administrative and/or Clinical Appointments:**
 - a. Director of the Biomedical Ethics and Humanities Program, New York Medical College, 6/2014 – 2021

In this role, I oversaw all ethics and humanities related curriculum at New York Medical College, including the oversight of 20 ethics-affiliated faculty. The program included the following School of Medicine (SOM) courses/curriculum:

- i. Two preclinical SOM courses
 - Interprofessional ethics courses which were cross listed with Touro Law Center and Touro College of Dental Medicine,
- ii. Two ethics electives for M3-4 students
 - Areas of Concentration Program
 - Medical Ethics master's degree

b. UNESCO Chair of Bioethics, New York Medical College, 6/2019 – 2021

c. Vaccine Exemption Committee (religious exemptions), member Emory University, 2021

7. **Education:**

a. BA (Honors), Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, 1998-2003, Major: Politics, Minor: Political Theory, Political Economy, Jewish Studies

b. MA, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, 2005-2006, Humanities (Religion & Philosophy)

c. PhD, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, 2009-2014, Religion

d. MA, Touro College, New York, NY, 2011-2012, Jewish Studies

8. **Society Memberships:**

a. American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, 2014-2019

b. Association for Jewish Studies, 2014-2019

c. Association for Practical and Professional Ethics, 2018-2019

9. **Committee Memberships**

a. Institutional

1. Professionalism and Integrity Committee for New York Medical College – Chair of Committee 2015-2019

2. First and Second Year Promotions Subcommittee for New York Medical College 2015-2019

3. Student Academic Progress Review Committee for Touro College of Dental Medicine 2017-2019

4. Education and Curriculum Committee for New York Medical College 2018-2019

5. First and Second Year Curriculum Subcommittee for New York Medical College – including being Chair of the Committee from 2018-2019

6. Strategic Planning: Governance, Ethics, Mission, Vision, and Core Values Sub-committee – 2018-2019

7. Curriculum Redesign Steering Committee – 2018-2019

10. **Peer Review Activities:**

a. **Manuscripts:**

1. Journal of Jewish Studies, 2015-current

2. Journal of Medicine, Health Care and Philosophy (Springer), 2015-current

3. Neurosurgery (Wolters Kluwer Health), 2016- current

4. Journal of Clinical Psychiatry and Neuroscience, 2017- current

5. Studies in Judaism, Humanities, and the Social Sciences, 2017- current

11. **Consultants/Advisory Boards:**

a. Senior Scholar, Aspen Center for Social Values, 2014- current

b. Judge for The National Jewish Book Awards, Jewish Book Council, NY, 2017 - 2019

c. Co-Director, Maimonides Institute for Medical Education and the Holocaust, 2017- current

d. Expert Witness, Forensics Group, 2019- current

12. Organization of Conferences:

a. National and International:

1. Administrative Positions:

- i. Co-Director, Aspen Ethical Leadership Program, 2016-2023

13. Contributions to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion:

- a. Incorporated DEI into teaching at NYMC and Emory Law School
- b. Participated in DEI training at Emory University
- c. Served as a DEI contributor in *Forbes*

14. Community Outreach:

a. Media Appearances:

1. Aspen Public Radio – Cross Currents, “When Life Meets Death,” July 15, 2015
2. Television guest for Medicine in the Mountains, 2015-2016
3. Host of The Good Life Television Show, 2018
4. First Opinion: A physician and philosopher on the dangers of ‘curating’ natural deaths and executions. STAT, Oct. 27, 2021.
5. For a list and brief summaries of my news articles, please see the following link:
<https://muckrack.com/ira-bedzow/articles>

15. Formal Teaching:

a. Course Direction and Organization:

1. Course Director for “Medical Ethics 1,” 200 M1 students, NYMC, 10 contact hours, 2014-2021
2. Course Director for “Medical Ethics 2,” 200 M1 students, NYMC, 10 contact hours, 2014-2021
3. Course Director for “Medical Malpractice,” 18 M3/4 students, NYMC, 20 contact hours, 2016-2021
4. Course Director for “Ethics and Clinical Practice in End-of-Life Care,” 18 M3/4 students, NYMC, 20 contact hours, 2016-2021
5. Course Director for “Clinical Ethics,” 9 M3/4 students, NYMC, 20 contact hours, 2016-2021
6. Created an Area of Concentration Program in Ethics, NYMC, 2016
7. Created a Global Health Scholars Program, NYMC, 2017
8. Created a Master of Science in Medical Ethics, NYMC, 2020-2021
9. “Law and Ethics in Healthcare Delivery,” Emory Law School, 20 students (law and bioethics), 2022-2023
10. “Leadership for Lawyers,” Emory Law School, 25 students, 2023
11. “Seminar: Health Law, Bioethics, and the President’s Commission for the Study of Bioethical Issues,” Emory Law School, 12 students (law and bioethics), 2023

b. Other Categories:

1. Created: SimClinic: Building Skills for Religio-Cultural Competence through Simulation and Gamification, through a project with the Tannenbaum Center for Interreligious Understanding, 2015

16. Supervisory Teaching

a. Mentoring Activities

Other

Name	Year(s)	Current position and employer
Noam Stadlan, MS Student	2018	Clinical Assistant Professor, NorthShore Medical Group
Jackie Weiss, Law Student	2022-2023	Current student at Emory Law School

17. Lectureships, Seminar Invitations, and Visiting Professorships:

a. National and International:

1. "Is there a Place for Religion in End-of-Life Care? a Jewish Bioethical Approach," Misericordia University, October 17, 2018.
2. "How Am I Supposed to Feel About This?" Addressing Moral Distress Caused by COVID-19, for Center to Advance Palliative Care (CAPC), May 26, 2020.
3. "How to do Well and Good in Medicine - Developing Skills for Values-Driven Leadership," The Endowed Lecture Series at the Saint Louis University Bander Center for Medical Business Ethics, March 19, 2021
4. "What is the Importance of Holocaust Bioethics, Office of Medicare Hearings & Appeals, April 20, 2023

b. Regional:

1. "Choosing Your Last Day: Death with Dignity Forum," hosted by Assemblywoman Sandy Galef, Wednesday, October 14, 2015.
2. "Can Religion Contribute to Bioethics and Public Policy?" Princeton University, November 10, 2015
3. "The Future of Reproductive Medicine," Touro College, December 6, 2015
4. "Bioethics and Treatment Decisions: Who Chooses?" The Mental Hygiene Legal Service, April 6, 2016.
5. "The Ethics of Reproductive Technology" Princeton University, November 29, 2016
6. "Medical Error and Malpractice," Westchester Ophthalmologic Society Academic Series, May 10, 2018
7. "The Consequences of Medicalizing Social Issues," Grand Rounds, Albany Medical Center, November 1, 2018.
8. "Is there room for common sense in surgical decision-making," Grand Rounds, Westchester Medical Center, May 23, 2019.

c. Institutional:

1. "Organ Transplantation & The Biology Brain Death: Ethical, Economic, & Cultural Implications," Grand Rounds, NYMC, November 2014.
2. "Magic, Medicine, and Relying on Miracles in the Jewish Tradition," as part of the Harry Potter's World Exhibit Reception, NYMC, December 2014
3. "Cultural Competency, Language Barriers, and Medical Error," Grand Rounds, NYMC, April 2015.
4. "Eichmann, Arendt, and the Banality of Evil: Biomedical Ethics and the Holocaust," NYMC, Nov 29, 2017
5. "Discussing Futility with Patients and Their Families," Department of Medicine Grand Rounds, NYMC, Wednesday, April 25, 2018.

18. Invitations to National/International, Regional, and Institutional Conferences:

a. National and International:

1. Four talks at International Conference on Jewish Medical Ethics, Ottawa, CA, July 28 – August 1, 2016
 - “Is Jewish medical ethics relevant for today’s doctors?”
 - “Pulling the plug, deactivating a pacemaker”
 - “Choosing recipients of donated organs”
 - “Jewish and American views on the suicidal patient”
2. “Teaching Professionalism through Gamification,” American Society of Bioethics and Humanities Conference, Baltimore, MD, October 20, 2017.
3. “70 Years after the Nuremberg Code: What Have We Learned?,” Department of Bioethics and the Holocaust of the UNESCO Chair of Bioethics (Haifa), New York, NY, November 17, 2017.
4. “Free Will, Determinism, and Cognitive Pluralism in Halachic Living Judaism,” XIIIth International Conference on Torah and Science, December 12-15, 2017.
5. “The Concept of Futility,” Global Bioethics Initiative International Bioethics Summer School, New York, NY, July 24, 2018
6. International Expert Workshop for University Lecturers: Enhancing Capacity to Teach Integrity and Ethics, Oxford, United Kingdom, August 9-10, 2018.
7. “Offering Treatment Alternatives to Children for the Sake of their Caregivers,” Global Bioethics Initiative International Bioethics Summer School, New York, NY, July 16, 2019.
8. “The Difference Between History, Tradition, and Narrative – And What that has to do with Bioethics and the Holocaust,” National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Athens, Greece, January 29, 2020.

b. Regional:

1. “Levinas and Letting the Stranger In,” Encountering the Stranger Conference, Aspen, CO, June 3-6, 2018.
2. “Giving Voice to Values,” Association for Practical and Professional Ethics, Baltimore, MD, March 1, 2019.
3. “Conflicting Foundations of Moral Authority in Medicine,” Touro Law Review Conference, New York, NY April 1, 2019
4. “Giving Voice to Values in Healthcare,” GIVING VOICE TO VALUES: The “HOW” of Values-Driven Leadership For Educators Conference, Virginia Darden School of Business, Alexandria, VA, June 4, 2019.

19. Research Focus:

My research focuses on understanding the ethical implications of biotechnology and healthcare policy, and how organizations create ethical cultures through values-driven leadership. Ethical implications impact the tension between professional integrity and patient autonomy, and has ramifications for the relationship between religion, law, and healthcare delivery broadly.

20. Bibliography:

a. Published and Accepted Research Articles (clinical, basic science, other) in Refereed Journals:

1. **Ira Bedzow**, "Rabbi Yohanan Had Five Disciples: A Hirschian theory of Jewish education," Jewish Educational Leadership vol. 9:2, 2011.
2. **Ira Bedzow**, "Minhag Israel Torah He (The Custom of Israel is Torah): The Role of Custom in the Formation of Orthodoxy," Leo Baeck Institute Year Book, 57(1), 2012.
3. **Ira Bedzow** and Michael Broyde, "Learn Law Young: What Happens When Elementary Schools Teach (Jewish) Law," HaYidion, Winter 2012.
4. Michael Broyde and **Ira Bedzow**, "The Codification of Jewish Law and an Introduction to the Jurisprudence of the Mishna Berura," Hamline Law Review, vol. 35, issue 3, Summer 2012.

5. **Ira Bedzow**, "It Takes an (Eco-)Village to Raise a Child," *Jewish Educational Leadership* vol. 11:1, 2013.
6. **Ira Bedzow** and Michael Broyde, "The Multifarious Models for Jewish Marriage," *AJS Perspectives: The Marriage Issue* (Spring 2013).
7. Michael Broyde, **Ira Bedzow**, and Shlomo Pill, "The Pillars of Successful Religious Arbitration: Models for American Islamic Arbitration Based on the Beth Din of America and Muslim Arbitration Tribunal Experience," *Harvard Journal on Racial and Ethnic Justice*, June, 2014.
8. **Ira Bedzow** and Asher Siegelman, "Four who entered the Pardes: Do they have anything to contribute to the study of PTSD?" *Verapo Yerape*, 2015
9. **Ira Bedzow**, "Advance Directives: A Case of Changing Social Norms and Their Legal Implications." *Journal of Aging, Longevity, Law, and Policy* 1.1 (2016).
10. **Ira Bedzow**, "'Going round' the squirrel and whether neuroscience is relevant to clinical psychiatry." *Journal of Clinical Psychiatry and Neuroscience*. 1.1 (2017)
11. **Ira Bedzow**, "Why Religious Discourse Has a Place in Medical Ethics: An Example from Jewish Medical Ethics," *Studies in Judaism, Humanities, and the Social Sciences*, 2017.
12. John Loike, **Ira Bedzow**, and Moshe Tendler, "Parve Cloned Hamburgers: Health and Halakhic Considerations," (with John Loike and R. Moshe Tendler), *Hakira*, vol. 24, 2018.
13. **Ira Bedzow**, "The Confused Ethics of Cognitive Enhancers," *Journal of Clinical Psychiatry and Neuroscience*. 1.2 (2018).
14. John Loike, Moshe Tendler, and **Ira Bedzow**, "Does Halakha Consider Female Infertility an Illness?" (with John Loike and R. Moshe Tendler), *Hakira*, 2018.
15. **Ira Bedzow**, "Patient Autonomy, Physician Responsibility, and 'Putting a Stumbling Block Before the Blind,'" *Studies in Judaism, Humanities, and the Social Sciences*, 2018
16. John Loike, Moshe Tendler, and **Ira Bedzow**, "Epigenetics Revolution: The Power to Self-regulate and Control Human Behavior," *Hakirah*, 2019.
17. **Ira Bedzow** and Lila Kagedan, "Must Jewish Medical Ethics Regarding Infertility be Viewed Solely Through A Gendered (Halakhic) Lens?" *AJS Perspectives*, Fall 2019.
18. **Ira Bedzow**, "Is it Time to Rethink Health Care Ethics?" *The American Journal of Bioethics*. Vol 20.1, January 2020.
19. **Ira Bedzow**, "The Necessity of Teaching Medical Students to Voice their Values." *The American Journal of Bioethics*. Vol 20.1, January 2020.
20. **Ira Bedzow**, "The Necessity of Teaching Medical Students to Voice Their Values." *The American Journal of Bioethics*, 20(1), pp. W3–W4.
21. Stacy Gallin and **Ira Bedzow**. "The Holocaust & (Bio-) Ethics Education: Setting the Context." *Conatus* 4.2 (2019): 9-16.
22. **Ira Bedzow** and Matthew Wynia, "Teaching Ethics Can Turn an 'Ought' into a 'Can,'" *American Journal of Bioethics*, 20(4), pp. 73-75.
23. **Ira Bedzow**, Noam Stadlan, John Loike, "Is Vital a Halakhic Concept," *Touro Law Review*, vol 36:1, 2020, pp 3-16.
24. **Ira Bedzow**, "Male circumcision as an example of bioethics as (immaterial) social ethics," *Ethics, Medicine and Public Health*, Volume 14, July–September 2020.
25. **Ira Bedzow**, Noam, Stadlan, John Loike, "We Shouldn't Wait for HEAVEN: How Head/Body Transplantation Causes Us to Reevaluate Halakhic Conceptions of Life and Death," *Journal of Law and Religion*, Spring 2020, 1-24.

b. **Editorial and Commentaries:**

1. **Ira Bedzow**, "Compassionate Care and the Jewish Imperative Visit the Sick," *Looking Forward* vol. 1:3, 2014.
2. **Ira Bedzow**, "Changing How We View Mental Illness: A Paradigmatic Jewish Response," *Looking Forward* vol. 1:1, 2014.
3. **Ira Bedzow**, "Friendship and Social Media," *Looking Forward* vol. 2:2, 2015.
4. **Ira Bedzow**, "On the Difference between Philosophy and Reality," *En Route*, January 2016.

5. **Ira Bedzow**, "New York's End-of-Life Options Act," *En Route*, January 2016.
6. **Ira Bedzow**, Moshe Tendler, Tzvi Flaum, and John Loike, "The Future of Reproductive Medicine: What Does Halacha Say?" *Jewish Action*, Spring 2017.
7. **Ira Bedzow**, Moshe Tendler, and John Loike, "Direct-to-Consumer DNA Testing: What Does Halachah Say?" *Jewish Action*, Spring 2019.
8. **Ira Bedzow** and Michael Broyde, "Why We Should Teach Legal-Reasoning Skills to Students," *Education Week*, June 17, 2019.
9. Matthew Wynia and **Ira Bedzow**, "Values-Based Leadership During the Transformation of Health Care," *People and Strategy*, July 2019.
10. **Ira Bedzow**, "Changing Healthcare Delivery, Holding Steadfast to Healthcare Goals and Values," *Westchester Physician*, vol. 35.9, October 2019.
11. **Ira Bedzow**, "The Challenge of Creating a Professional Culture," *HR People & Strategy Blog*, October 22, 2019.
12. **Ira Bedzow**, "How Informed Consent Can Facilitate Shared Decision-Making," *Society for Perioperative Assessment and Quality Improvement Newsletter*, Spring 2020.
13. **Ira Bedzow**, "A strategy for securing religious freedom and tolerance in health care," *StatNews*, February 11, 2020.
14. **Ira Bedzow**, "Does Diversity and Inclusion Training Work," *HR People & Strategy Blog*, February 20, 2020.
15. **Ira Bedzow** and Ali Jackson-Jolley, "Generation COVID: From the eye of the storm, a new generation is born," *Simply Family Magazine*, May 15, 2020.
16. **Ira Bedzow**, "Families, Colleagues, and the Company We Keep," *HR People & Strategy Blog*, May 21, 2020.

c. **Book Chapters:**

1. Michael Broyde and **Ira Bedzow**, "Noahide Laws, Universal Justice, and Tikkun Olam," *Tikkun Olam: Repair / Perfect the World - Judaism, Humanism & Transcendence*, Ed. David Birnbaum (New Paradigm Matrix Publishing: 2015)
2. **Ira Bedzow**, "Epistemology, Ethics, and Moral Education: A Methodological Justification for a Moral Curriculum Based on Jewish Social Values." *Applied Jewish Values in Social Sciences and Psychology*. Springer International Publishing, 2016. 89-109.
3. **Ira Bedzow**, "Selection from the Writings of Rabbi Israel Meir Kagan," *Jewish Legal Theories: Writings on State, Religion, and Morality*, eds. Leora Batnitzky and Yonatan Brafman (Brandeis, 2017)
4. Stacy Gallin and **Ira Bedzow**, "Holocaust as an Inflection Point in the Development of Bioethics and Research Ethics," *Handbook of Research Ethics and Scientific Integrity*, ed. Ron Iphofen, Springer, 2019.
5. **Ira Bedzow**, "Godwin's Law and the Limits of Bioethics and Holocaust Studies," In: Gallin, S., Bedzow, I. (eds) *Bioethics and the Holocaust*. The International Library of Bioethics, vol 96. Springer, 2022.
6. Paola Nicolas and **Ira Bedzow**. "Overview of ethical concerns raised by kidney organoids." *Regenerative Nephrology*. Academic Press, 2022. 481-486.
7. **Ira Bedzow** y Adam Herbst. "Telemedicina y El Rostro Cambiante de la Atención Médica." *La Privacidad Como Derecho Humano: Contribuciones para la promoción de una nueva agenda bioética*. Universidad Católica de Santiago de Guayaquil, 2022.
8. **Ira Bedzow**, "Giving Voice to Values as a Way to Teach Virtue Ethics." *Giving Voice to Values*. Routledge, 2021. 7-20.
9. **Ira Bedzow** and Heidi Waldron, "Giving voice to values in health professions education." *Giving Voice to Values*. Routledge, 2021. 87-100.
10. **Ira Bedzow** and Noam Stadlan, "Is there Room for Common-Sense in Surgical Decision-Making?" *Surgical Decision Making in Geriatrics: A Comprehensive Multidisciplinary Approach*, Springer: 2020, 15-22.
11. **Ira Bedzow** and Michael Broyde, "The Role of Custom in the Jurisprudence of the Mishna

Berura," Minhagim: Custom and Practice in Jewish Life, De Gruyter, 2020.

12. **Ira Bedzow**, "Religious Viewpoints: Judaism." *Xenotransplantation: Ethical, Regulatory, and Social Aspects*. Cham: Springer International Publishing, 2023. 187-197.

d. **Books Edited and Written:**

1. **Ira Bedzow**, *Birkat HaMakom (Hebrew)* (Jerusalem: Pele Publications, 2007).
2. **Ira Bedzow**, *Halakhic Man, Authentic Jew: Modern Expressions of Orthodox Thought* (Jerusalem: Urim Publications, 2009).
3. **Ira Bedzow**, *Compelling a Mentally Incompetent Husband to Divorce [According to Jewish Law] (Translation)* (Jerusalem: Puah Institute Publications, 2011).
4. **Ira Bedzow**, *Things Overhead in the Synagogue* (Jerusalem: Urim Publications, 2011).
5. **Ira Bedzow**, *Standing on Both Feet: The Value of Promoting Jewish Social Values* (ACSV Publications, 2013).
6. **Ira Bedzow**, *When Life Nears Death: A Patient's Guide to Medical Ethics in End-of-Life Care* (ACSV Publications, 2015).
7. Michael Broyde and **Ira Bedzow**, *The Codification of Jewish Law and an Introduction to the Jurisprudence of the Mishna Berura* (Academic Studies Press, 2013).
8. **Ira Bedzow**, *Maimonides for Moderns: A Statement of Contemporary Jewish Philosophy* (Springer, 2016).
9. **Ira Bedzow**, *Giving Voice to Values as a Professional Physician: An Introduction to Medical Ethics* (Routledge, 2018).
10. **Ira Bedzow** and Stacy Gallin (Eds). *Bioethics and the Holocaust: A Comprehensive Study in How the Holocaust Continues to Shape the Ethics of Health, Medicine, and Human Rights*. Springer, 2022.

e. **Book Reviews:**

1. **Ira Bedzow**, "Not in the Heavens: The Tradition of Jewish Secular Thought. By David Biale. Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2015. Pp. 248. \$24.95 (paper). ISBN: 9780691168043." *Journal of Law and Religion* (2017): 1-3.
2. **Ira Bedzow**, "Patents on Life: Religious, Moral, and Social Justice Aspects of Biotechnology and Intellectual Property. Edited by Thomas C. Berg, Roman Cholij, and Simon Ravenscroft. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2019. Pp. 313. 88.00 (digital). ISBN: 9781108659802." *Journal of Law and Religion*: 1-3.

f. **Other Publications:**

1. **Ira Bedzow**, "Generations of Man" & "Dusk" (Hebrew), Pseifas, Tel Aviv: Eked Publishers, 2010.
2. **Ira Bedzow**, "Family Meal" & "The Son Returns" (Hebrew), *Hador Journal*, 2011.
3. **Ira Bedzow**, "Rosh HaShana," *The Jewish Georgian*, September-October 2011.
4. **Ira Bedzow**, "Medical students creating their own oaths: Is that the best way to enter the profession?" *KevinMD.com*, August 16, 2019.
5. **Ira Bedzow**, "United States Must Address 'Socially Accepted' Anti-Semitism," *The GlobePost*, January 27, 2020.
6. **Ira Bedzow**, "Jewish identity is so much more than a person's biology," *KevinMD*, February 17, 2020.
7. **Ira Bedzow**, "Balancing darkness and light as Passover 2020 approaches," *Times of Israel Blogs*, April 6, 2020.
8. **Ira Bedzow**, "Saving ourselves from the Groundhog Day effect," *Times of Israel Blogs*, May 3, 2020.
9. **Ira Bedzow**, "Leaving the cave," *Times of Israel Blogs*, May 24, 2020.
10. **Ira Bedzow**, "On Raising Idols and Razing Statues," *Times of Israel Blog*, July 1, 2020.

21. **Contributions Not Otherwise Noted:**

- a. Rabbinical Degree (Yoreh Yoreh), Rabbi Zalman Nehemiah Goldberg, Jerusalem, 2005
- b. Rabbinical Degree (Yoreh Yoreh), Rabbi Daniel Channen, Jerusalem, 2005
- c. Ira Bedzow, "WHITE PAPER: Overview Regarding the Ethical Procurement of Placental Tissue for Research and Therapy," Written for Pluristem Therapeutics, Inc. April 16, 2008.
- d. Rabbinical Degree (Yadin Yadin), Rabbi Yitzchak Oshinsky, Jerusalem, 2015
- e. Rabbinical Degree (Yadin Yadin), Rabbi Dovid Schochet, Toronto, 2015