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ANNOUNCING DR. SARAH PESSIN
2016 Everding Distinguished Lecturer

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RESPONSIBILITY, DIALOGUE, FORGIVENESS: Jewish and Christian Perspectives

The Everding Lectureship in Anglican and Inter-Religious Affairs is a gift to the community from Emeritus Professor H. Edward and Lee Palmer Everding. Through a cooperative partnership between Saint John’s Cathedral, the Iliff School of Theology, and the Denver Foundation, the Everding Lectureship seeks to enhance interfaith dialogue via a series of speaking engagements by a guest lecturer.

Dr. Sarah Pessin

January 31-March 9
Saint John’s Cathedral

January 8-March 11
Iliff School of Theology
Dr. Sarah Pessin is the Emil and Eva Hecht Chair in Judaic Studies, Professor of Philosophy and Judaic Studies, and Director of the Center for Judaic Studies, University of Denver, as well as a widely published author and presenter. Pessin is involved in diversity initiatives and inter-cultural/inter-religious bridge-building projects, and is engaged in interrelated studies of alterity, materiality, receptivity, and the theological implications of exile, memory, and agonism. In that spirit, she has reflected on what she calls a “Jewish Philosophy of Shadowed Light” and is developing a redemptive theological discourse of non-forgiveness. She has played a core role in the development of DU’s Holocaust Memorial Social Action Site.

The Everding Lectures, featuring Dr. Sarah Pessin, “Responsibility, Dialogue, Forgiveness: Jewish and Christian Perspectives,” will be hosted by Saint John’s Cathedral and Iliff School of Theology. This year’s lectures will include a four-week series and two lectures on Sunday, January 31, at Saint John’s Cathedral. Pessin will also team-teach “Forgiveness,” a winter term upper division graduate level course (four credits) for Iliff and DU students.

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“Towards Uncomfortable Interfaith Work,”  
January 31, 2016, 2 p.m.

“Jewish and Christian Perspectives on Forgiveness,”  
a 4-part lecture series, Wednesdays, February 17, 24, March 2, 9, 2016, 7 p.m.

Iliff School of Theology  
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“Forgiveness,” 2016 Winter Course, Fridays,  
January 8 – March 11, 9 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Course examines religious, philosophical, and theological themes of forgiveness, ‘loving the enemy,’ and reconciliation. Team-taught by Drs. Sarah Pessin and Edward Antonio, Iliff’s Harvey H. Potthoff Associate Professor of Christian Theology and Social Theory.