

# iEngage

Israel's Milestones  
and Their Meanings  
The Legacy of the Past  
and the Challenge of the Future



## **iEngage: Israel's Milestones and Their Meanings** *A Shalom Hartman Institute Lecture and Study Series* **Led by Rabbi Barbara Goldman-Wartell and Rabbi Geoffrey Brown**

*Through video lectures, text study, and lively group discussion, we are pleased to bring the world-renowned faculty of the Shalom Hartman Institute into the Binghamton Jewish community this spring and fall in partnership with Temple Concord, Temple Israel and the Jewish Federation of Broome County.*

***iEngage: Israel's Milestones and Their Meanings** explores the pivotal events of 1917, 1947, and 1967 as key moments when Zionism unleashed new thinking about the meaning of Jewishness for generations to come. Memory is a central element in defining modern Jewish identity. As we look to Israel's future, we need to engage anew with our past and explore its meanings and consequences. This iEngage series grapples with the different ideas and values that shape the meaning of modern Israel, Zionism, and Jewish identity today. Together we will engage in a new values-based discourse about Israel, including topics such as: nationhood, land, Sovereignty, Jerusalem, Occupation and Moral Red Lines.*

**Each session includes** text study and discussion led by Rabbis Brown and Goldman-Wartell, and video lectures and roundtable discussions with leading Hartman scholars.

**Thursdays, May 31 and June 21 | 7:00-9:00pm**

**Fall sessions - TBA**

**Location: May 31 - Temple Concord and June 21 - Temple Israel**

**Cost including materials: \$20 per person**

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