

Monday, May 12

Time	Topic	Presenters
1:45-3:00 PM Limmud	How should the State of Israel Observe Shemitah in 5775?	Rabbi David Golinkin
	Behold You Are [Fill in the Blank] to me: Can There Be Jewish Marriage Beyond <i>Kinyan</i> ?	Rabbi Gail Labovitz
	Lab Grown Meat: Is it Kosher? Is it Real?	Rabbi Daniel Nevins
	There is No Written Torah, and That's a Good Thing	Prof. Benjamin Sommer
	Mendelssohn, Rosenzweig, and Us: The Continuing Relevance of Modern Jewish Thought	Chancellor Arnold Eisen
3:15-4:45 PM Ideas that Work	Transforming Communal Prayer & Minhah	Rabbis Bruce Dollin, Ed Feld, Salomon Gruenwald, Jan Uhrbach, Amy Walk Katz
5:00-6:30 PM	Movement Leadership: Working Together for our Future	Chancellor Arnold Eisen, Rabbis Julie Schonfeld, Steven Wernick, Bradley Artson
6:45-8:00 PM	Dinner	
8:15-10:00 PM	Joint Campaign Reception & Maariv Honoring Rabbi Amy Eilberg	Chancellor Arnold Eisen
9:30-10:30 PM Late Night Limmud	Ramah's Emerging Role as Partner to Congregations and Schools Year-Round	Rabbi Mitchell Cohen
10:00-11:00 PM	JTS Meet and Greet	

Tuesday, May 13

7:00-7:45 AM	Shaharit	
7:45-8:45 AM	Breakfast	
7:45-8:45 AM	Southeast Regional Breakfast	
8:45-12:45 PM	Putting God Second? The Primacy of Ethics in Jewish Tradition	Rabbi Donniel Hartman
12:45-1:45 PM	Lunch	
12:45-1:45 PM	Lunch for Women Rabbis	
2:00-2:45 PM	State of the RA If I am Not for My Values, Who will be for Them? Community, Commitment and Courage	Rabbi Julie Schonfeld
2:45-4:30 PM	Business Meeting	Rabbi Bill Gershon
5:15 PM	Board Buses to Shearith Israel	
6:00-7:15 PM	Dinner	
7:30 PM	Installation of Rabbi William Gershon, the Officers of the RA, & the Executive Council	

Wednesday May 14

7:00-7:45 AM	Shaharit	
7:45-8:45 AM	Breakfast	
7:45-8:45 AM	Social Justice Commission Breakfast	
9:00-10:15 AM	Israel and the Middle East: Challenges for 2014	Ambassador Dennis Ross
10:30 AM-12:00 PM	Faith in God, God's Faith in Humanity The Study of Beginnings	Dr. Micah Goodman
12:00-1:00 PM	Lunch	
1:15-2:30 PM Ideas that Work	Teaching our Torah: Creating a Vibrant Limmud Program	Rabbis Elliot Cosgrove, Gil Steinlauf, Menachem Creditor, and Annie Tucker
	Constructing Educational Environments that Kids (and Families) Really Like	Rabbis Dianne Cohler-Esses, Jeffery Abraham, and Amy Roth
2:45-4:00 PM Ideas that Work	Creating Warm & Welcoming Communities	Rabbis Felipe Goodman, Andi Merow, Randall Konigsburg, and Sharon Brous
	Bringing in Millennials & Gen X-ers	Rabbis Rachel Kobrin, David Singer, and Lizzi Heydemann
4:15-5:15 PM Limmud	Finding God in Prayer	Rabbi Elliot Dorff
	From Enemy to Friend: Jewish Text on Transforming the Most Difficult Relationships	Rabbi Amy Eilberg
	Parashat Hashavua Study: Bekhukotai	Dr. Walter Herzberg
	Personality and Sacred Texts: 8 Different Ways to Read Religious Literature	Rabbi Elliot Schoenberg
	Is the Bible a Monotheistic Book?	Dr. Benjamin Sommer
5:30-6:15 PM	Honoring 50 Year Rabbis & Minhah	
6:30-7:45 PM	Dinner	
8:00-9:00 PM Limmud Keynote	What is the Source of Our Strength & Maariv	Rabbi Bradley Artson

Thursday, May 15

7:00-8:00 AM	Shaharit & Azkarah	
8:00-10:15 AM	Executive Council Meeting	
8:15-9:00 AM	Breakfast	
9:00-10:00 AM Limmud	Jewish Peoplehood, Covenant, and Identity: Exploring the Meanings of Circumcision	Rabbi Lauren Berkun
	Intuition, Subjectivity, and Personal Autonomy in Medieval Responsa: Two Case Studies That Should Still Inform Our Approach	Rabbi Aaron Alexander
	The Friday Night Carlebach Minyan	Rabbi Daniel Greyber

	If I were a Rich Man...Or Woman: Even Gen-Xers and Gen-Yers Need to Save for Retirement	Mitchell Smilowitz
	Studying and Teaching Torah with Traditional Jewish Commentaries	Dr. Walter Herzberg
10:15-11:30 AM	Jewish Pluralism in the Jewish State	MK Aliza Lavie
11:45 AM -1:30 PM	Community Organizing for the Rabbi	Jeanne Appleman
1:30 PM	Lunch	