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## Research Interests

-Historical-Critical Study of the Hebrew Bible  
-Ancient Israel in the Context of the Ancient Near East  
-Early Yahwism / The Original Nature of Yahweh

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## Education

**2020** | **PHD** | University of Toronto | Department of Near and Middle Eastern Civilizations | Supervisors: Robert D. Holmstedt, John L. McLaughlin  
**2013** | **MA** | University of Toronto | Department of Near and Middle Eastern Civilizations | Supervisors: Paul-Alain Beaulieu, Robert D. Holmstedt  
**2010** | **BA (hon.)** | Nipissing University | Religion; Political Science (*double major*)

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## Publications

**2024** | **MONOGRAPH** | *forthcoming* | The Sun King in the Hebrew Bible and the Ancient Near East | London: Transnational Press  
**2024** | **ARTICLE** | *forthcoming* | מִתְהַלֵּךְ: Was Yahweh Walking in the Garden? — A New Solar Interpretation of Gen 3:8 | Antiquo Oriente  
**2024** | **ARTICLE** | *in press* | The Equation of Athirat and Shapshu at Ugarit | Ugarit Forschungen 53 (2022): 193–224  
**2022** | **MONOGRAPH** | The Solar Nature of Yahweh: Reconsidering the Identity of the Ancient Israelite Deity | Coniectanea Biblica | Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield  
**2021** | **ARTICLE** | הַמְּבּוּל מַיִם, 'The Well of Waters': Yahweh's Fresh Water Reservoir Beneath His Mountain-Palace | Journal of Ancient Near Eastern Religions 21: 75–97  
**2020** | **DISSERTATION** | Heliolatry in the Hebrew Bible: An Investigation into Yahweh's Original Nature | PhD Dissertation, University of Toronto

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## Presentations

**2022** | The Sun King and Paradise in the Hebrew Bible | Canadian Society of Biblical Studies | May 31  
**2021** | Yahweh and his Cherubs—An Ancient Israelite Triad: A Solution to the Problem of אֱלֹהִים ? | Canadian Society of Biblical Studies | Jun 1  
**2021** | The Journey of the Sun as Depicted on a Silver Goblet from 'Ain Samiya | New England / Eastern Canada Regional SBL | Mar 6  
**2019** | הַמְּבּוּל מַיִם, 'The Well of Waters': Yahweh's Fresh Water Reservoir Beneath His Mountain-Palace | Canadian Society of Biblical Studies | Jun 1  
**2017** | Deciphering a Difficult Biblical Hebrew Passage (Deut 33:2–3) Using an Akkadian Incantation to Šamaš (Bīt Rimki III:1–6) | Canadian Society of Biblical Studies | May 28  
**2016** | רַבְּבַת קֹדֶשׁ: A Reference to the Divine Council in Deuteronomy 33:2 | Canadian Society of Biblical Studies | May 30  
**2015** | 'A Fire Kindles in my Nostrils, It Will Burn to the Lowest Sheol' | Canadian Society of Biblical Studies | Jun 1

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**2015** | ‘Morning by Morning He Gives His Judgment’: The Solar Dimension of the Biblical Legal Tradition | Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society | Mar 13

**2014** | Winged Scarab Imagery in Judah: Yahweh as Khepri | Eastern Great Lakes Biblical Society | Mar 28

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**Teaching Experience**

**2020** | **LECTURER** | Ryerson University | HIS 461: Cradle of Civilization: Ancient Near East (Fall Semester)

**2020** | **LECTURER** | University of Toronto | NMC 252: Hebrew Bible (Winter Semester)

**2020** | **LECTURER** | Queen’s University | RELS 210: Hebrew Bible (Winter Semester)

**2019** | **TEACHING ASSISTANT** | University of Toronto | NMC 104: The Biblical World (Fall Semester)

**2019** | **TEACHING ASSISTANT** | University of Toronto | NMC 370: Ancient Israel (Summer Semester)

**2018** | **TEACHING ASSISTANT** | University of Toronto | NMC 104: The Biblical World (Fall Semester)

**2018** | **TEACHING ASSISTANT** | University of Toronto | NMC 104: The Biblical World (Winter Semester)

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**Fellowships and Awards**

**2019** | CSBS Founder’s Prize (Student Essay Competition) | \$ 250

**2019** | Israel and Golda Koschitzky Fellowship in Jewish Studies | \$ 1,000

**2018** | Israel and Golda Koschitzky Fellowship in Jewish Studies | \$ 1,000

**2017** | Israel and Golda Koschitzky Fellowship in Jewish Studies | \$ 1,000

**2016** | Shiff Family Graduate Student Endowment | \$ 2,000

**2015** | Granovsky-Gluskin Graduate Scholarship | \$ 2,000

**2014** | Shiff Family Graduate Student Endowment | \$ 2,000

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**References**

*Available Upon Request*