



Council of Centers on **JEWISH-CHRISTIAN RELATIONS**

Council of Centers on Jewish-Christian Relations TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING

Iona University, New Rochelle, NY
November 9-10, 2025

**Sunday, November 9, 2025 (All sessions except dinner in Romita Auditorium,
Ryan Library; dinner in Robert V. LaPenta Student Union, 2nd floor)**

12:00-1:30 pm	Arrival and Lunch
1:45-2:00 pm	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Greetings from Iona University• Adam Gregerman, Saint Joseph's University (CCJR Chair)
2:00-3:30 pm	Session 1: Evangelical-Jewish Relations <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moderator: Nick Scott Blakely, Fuller Theological Seminary• Mordechai Inbari, University of North Carolina at Pembroke and Kirill Bumin, Boston University: "The American Religious Landscape and the October 7 Events – A Study of Public Opinion"• Amy Weiss, University of Hartford: "Evangelical-Jewish Relations: What Role Does Israel Play in Interfaith Dialogue?"
3:30-4:00 pm	Break
4:00-5:30 pm	Keynote Address <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction: Adam Gregerman• Peter Ochs, University of Virginia, "God's Words in Dialogue: <i>Dabru Emet, Dei Verbum, Nostra Aetate</i>"
5:30-6:00 pm	Reception for CCJR Members
6:00-8:00 pm	CCJR Dinner and Presentation of the Shevet Achim award to Peter Ochs <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Memorial remembrance for Lawrence Frizzell• Blessings• Dinner• Shevet Achim Award (Laudations by Daniel Joslyn-Siemiatkoski and Victoria Barnett)

Monday, November 10, 2025 (All sessions in LaPenta Hall)

9:00-10:15 am	Session 2: The Past and Future of Nostra Aetate <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moderator: Elena Procario-Foley• Rev. Russell McDougall, C.S.C., Secretariat for Ecumenical and Interreligious Affairs, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops
10:15-10:30 am	Break
10:30-12:00 pm	Session 3: Opening the Archives: The Vatican and Holocaust Research <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moderator: Philip A. Cunningham• Suzanne Brown-Fleming, US Holocaust Memorial Museum• Anatol Steck, US Holocaust Memorial Museum• Zachary Levine, US Holocaust Memorial Museum• Rebecca Carter-Chand, US Holocaust Memorial Museum
12:00 - 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 - 2:15 pm	CCJR Business Meeting
2:15–2:30 pm	Break
2:30–4:00 pm	Session 4: Innovations in Jewish-Christian Relations Inside and Outside the University <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moderator: Bonnie Shafrin• Rachel Slutsky, Seton Hall University• Ben Kamine, Jewish Theological Seminary• Aubrey McClain, Greenville University
4:00 pm	Closing / departure