

## 2008 Meeting Schedule

Hilton, Atlanta  
January 3-6, 2008

### Friday January 4

- 9:00-10:30 a.m. **Race and Class in the Criminal Justice System**  
*Society of Christian Ethics/Society of Jewish Ethics Plenary*  
*Grand Ballroom West*  
Speaker: William Montross, Southern Center for Human Rights, Atlanta  
Respondent: Robert Franklin, Emory University  
Convener: Christine E. Gudorf, Florida International University
- 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. **Of Ethics and Pandemics: Jewish Law and Pandemic Influenza**  
*Concurrent I*  
*Forsythe*  
PRESENTER: Barry Pakes, University of Toronto  
SJE Convener: Toby Schonfeld, University of Nebraska Medical Center  
SCE Respondent: Jim Keenan, Boston College
- 12:30-1:45 p.m. **Lunch**
- 2:00-3:30 p.m. **Halakhah and Ethics: against 'meta-halakhah'**  
*Concurrent II*  
*Forsythe*  
PRESENTER: Noam Zohar, Shalom Hartman Institute & BIU  
SJE Convener: Aaron Mackler, Duquesne University  
SJE Respondent: Scott Bader-Saye, The University of Scranton
- 4:00-5:15 p.m. **Open to attend SCE papers and/or prepare for Shabbat.**  
*Concurrent III*
- 5:25 p.m. **Shabbat Candle Lighting**
- 5:45-6:45 p.m. **Society of Christian Ethics Presidential Address**  
*Grand Ballroom West*
- 7:00-8:00 p.m. **Kabbalat Shabbat Services**  
*Walton*
- 8:15-9:30 p.m. **Shabbat Dinner** (pre-registration required)  
*Fayette*
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### Saturday January 5

- 7:15-8:45 a.m. **Marc Ellis, *Reading the Torah Out Loud: A Journey of Lament and Hope* (Fortress)**  
*Society of Jewish Ethics Breakfast with an Author*  
*Grand Ballroom West*

- 9:00-10:30 a.m.  
*Concurrent IV* PRESENTER: Peggy Bowers, Ph.D., Clemson University  
**Can the Messenger be a *Mensch*? Journalism Ethics' Reimagined Possibilities through Jewish Thought**  
*Cobb*  
SJE Convener: Marc Ellis, Baylor University  
SCE Respondent: David Smith, DePauw University
- 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. **Shabbat Service (Parashat Vayechi – Genesis 47:28 – 50:26)**  
*Douglas*
- 12:30-2:00 p.m. **Shabbat Lunch**  
*Fayette* (pre-registration required)
- 2:00-3:30 p.m.  
*Concurrent V* **Society of Jewish Ethics Text Study**  
*Rockdale*  
Paul Wolpe, University of Pennsylvania (or Emory?)  
Michael Cartwright, University of Indianapolis
- 4:00-5:30 **Society of Christian Ethics Plenary**  
**Managing Diversity in Academe**  
*Grand Ballroom West*  
SJE Respondent: Adrienne Asch, Center for Ethics, Yeshiva University
- 8:00-9:30 p.m. **Society of Jewish Ethics Business Meeting and Socializing**  
*Gwinnett*
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### Sunday January 6

- 9:00-10:30 a.m.  
*Concurrent VI* **Society of Jewish Ethics Plenary**  
PRESENTER: Baruch Brody, Ph.D., Baylor College of Medicine and Rice University  
**The Indeterminacy of Rabbinic Ethics**  
*Grand Ballroom West*  
SJE Convener: David Teutsch, Reconstructionist Rabbinical College  
SJE Respondent: Louis Newman, Carleton College  
SCE Respondent: Lisa Sowle Cahill, Boston College
- 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
*Concurrent VII* PRESENTER: Mark Popovsky, New York Presbyterian Hospital  
**A Jewish Perspective on Genetic Screening and Prophylactic Interventions to Prevent Cancer**  
*Rockdale*  
SJE Convener: Laurie Zoloth, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine  
SCE Respondent:
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