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# What our sacred texts say about others: Reading With Sensitivity

Jews, Christians and Muslims have sacred texts that traditionally have formed and shaped communal interfaith perceptions. At this conference, scholars from each tradition will select texts that have been and still are used to instruct their communities on how to relate to people of faiths other than their own. They will share how even passages that may sound harsh to the ears of others can be read with sensitivity and understanding in today's world. Responders from each community will share reactions to these presentations. The day ends with an open plenary discussion.

### Presenters

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### Responders

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