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Education

The Divinity School, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois

Ph.D. Philosophy of Religions 2005

Dissertation Claiming God: Theological Predication and its Limits in the *Mekhilta de Rabbilshmael*
and *The Star of Redemption*

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A.M.R.S. Religious Studies 1995

Pitzer College Claremont, California

B.A. Philosophy, Literature, and Religion 1992

Areas of Specialization

Modern Jewish Thought, Jewish Exegetical Theology and Religious Language, Philosophy of Religion,
Religious Epistemology, Philosophical Hermeneutics

Awards, Honors and Grants

Creative Scholarship Grant, University of South Florida, 2013 (\$7500)

Baumgardner-Gelbart Foundation Grant to fund a semi-annual lecture in Jewish Studies, written with
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Presentations, continued

³The Cosmic Eye and its Pupil: Divine Perfection, Divine Providence, and the Problem of