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## Tutorial

SIS.

## A List of Current Courses

SIS.

## Specialisation

feminism in religion, ecofeminism, gender and psychology, feminist futures and antiwar activism

## Education

### Ph. D., Religion, 2009

Specialization: Women's Studies and Theology, Culture and Ethics  
Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA, USA

### M.A.R., Religion, 2003

Yale University, New Haven, CT, USA

### B.A., Anthropology/Spanish, Museum Studies, 2000

magna cum laude, Departmental Honors in Anthropology,  
Beloit College, Beloit, WI, USA

## Research and Publications

### Books

*Women and the Vatican: An Exploration of Official Documents.* New York: MaryKnoll Publishing, 2012. (under name: Ivy A. Helman)

### Articles

*"Queer Systems: The Benefits of a More Systematic Approach to Queer Theology."* CrossCurrents 61 Issue 1. (March 2011): 45–62. (under name: Ivy A. Helman)

*"A Professor Tries to Teach Students to Be Activists."* The Chronicle of Higher Education 55, no. 8. (October 17, 2008): 36–37. (under name: Ivy A. Helman)

### Blog

#### 2012–present

Regular contributor, Feminism and Religion, [feminismandreligion.com](http://feminismandreligion.com)

### Presentations

- "Feminism and the Environmental Crisis: What is Ecofeminism and Why It is Essential," (Klimadílňa, Limity jsme my, Prague, Czech Republic, November 23, 2019).
- "From the Beginning: Refugees in the Jewish Tradition," (Conference on the Role of Academia and Religious Leaders in Relation to Refugees, Human Rights League, Bratislava, Slovakia, October 27, 2017).
- "Patriarchal Violence: The Connection between Feminism, the Environmental Crisis and the Situation of Refugees in the World Today," (Amnesty International, English Language Group, Prague, Czech Republic, May 24, 2017).
- "The Jewish Genocide," (Chelmsford High School, Chelmsford, MA February 10, 2014).
- "Intolerance and Dehumanization: Steps towards the Final Solution," (The Causes and Legacies of Genocide, Pentucket Regional High School, West Newbury, MA February 4, 2014).
- Facilitator (Can I Sit at Your Table? An interfaith-intercultural dialogue dinner about diversity and inclusion, Merrimack College, November 12, 2013.)
- Presenter (Opening Plenary "Boston – A Storied Place," Religious Education Association's Annual Meeting, Boston MA November 8, 2013.)
- Co-Facilitator (Men and the Monologues, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA, February 15, 2010.)
- "The Practice of Indulgences." (Guest Lecture, Carroll University, Waukesha, WI, November 2006.)
- "Rock is Cool but the Struggle is Better..." (Engendering Diversity, University of LaVerne, LaVerne, CA March 31, 2005).
- "Women's Music and the Queer Community." (Queering the Discourse, Claremont Graduate University, February 19, 2005.)
- Moderator "Exploring Embodied Knowledge rather than Revelation as Standard." (Exploring Pagan Spirituality from the Center, January 23, 2005.)
- "Being Out in the Academy." (American Academy of Religion, Western Region, Whittier College, Whittier, CA, March 2004.)

### Awards and Honours

**2007 Dissertation Grant**, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA

**2003–2005 Fellowship**, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA

**2001–2003 Fellowship**, Yale University, New Haven, CT

**2000 magna cum laude**, Beloit College, Beloit, WI

**2000 Departmental Honors in Anthropology**, Beloit College, Beloit, WI

### Teaching Experience

#### 2015–present

Lecturer, Gender Studies

Charles University, Faculty of Humanities, Prague, Czech Republic

#### 2015–present

Lecturer II, Jewish Studies

Anglo-American University, Prague, CR

#### 2010–2014

Lecturer in Religious and Theological Studies

Merrimack College, North Andover, MA, USA

#### 2012

Lecturer in the Women's Studies Department

Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA, USA

**2009–2012**

Lecturer in Religion and Philosophy  
Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA, USA

**2005–2007**

Adjunct Lecturer  
Carroll University, Waukesha, WI, USA

**2003**

Teaching Assistant “Death and Dying”  
Dr. Riaz Hassan, Sociology Department  
Yale University, New Haven, CT, USA

**2002**

Teaching Assistant, “Social Problems”  
Dr. Andrew Schrank, Sociology Department  
Yale University, New Haven, CT, USA