
EDUCATION

2024	<i>Yale University</i>	PhD in Assyriology Dissertation: <i>A Poem of Rare Design: Elucidating the Erra Epic</i> Adv. Eckart Frahm
2023	<i>Yale University</i>	MPhil in Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations
2018	<i>Tel Aviv University</i>	BA in Archaeology and Ancient Near Eastern Cultures (Magna Cum Laude) and General History

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

1. *Erra: An Ancient Myth in a New Translation*,
Yale University Press, New Haven / London (under contract).

ARTICLES

6. “Cultural Cannibalism and the Assyrian-Babylonian Conflict,”
Proceedings of the Workshops “Intertextuality in Cuneiform Literature” . . . Rencontre Assyriologique Internationale, Leiden 2023 and Helsinki 2024, eds. S. Wisnom, N. Artimov, and J. Bach. Münster: Zaphon (volume under preparation, article submitted and accepted by editors).
5. “How Išum Got His Name,”
Journal of Cuneiform Studies (forthcoming).
4. “*Erra’s Human Form*,”
Kaskal Nuova serie 2 (2025), 1–14.
3. “*Counting Lines in Erra*,”
Journal of the American Oriental Society 145/2 (2025), 369–379.
2. “*More than a Single Truth: Polyvalence in Gilgamesh’s Dreams of the Meteorite and the Axe*,”
Kaskal 20 (2023), 71–82.
1. “*Erudite Savagery: Intertextuality in Ashurbanipal’s Account of the Siege of Babylon*,”
Journal of Near Eastern Studies 82/1 (2023), 43–58.

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3. “Winnowing Down the Syntactical Possibilities of a Key Assertion in the *Marduk Ordeal*,”
Mémoires de NABU (forthcoming).
2. “On the Logic of Name Substitution in the Assyrian Version of *Enuma Elish*,”
Mémoires de NABU (forthcoming).
1. “*The Shared Use of the Address ‘You, Man!’ in Erra and Ezekiel*,”
Mémoires de NABU 2025/1, 49–50.

BOOK REVIEWS

2. [Review of *Enuma Elish: The Babylonian Epic of Creation*](#) (eds. J. Haubold, S. Helle, E. Jiménez, and S. Wisnom),
Journal of Near Eastern Studies 84/2 (2025), 385–389.
 1. [Review of *The Shape of Stories: Narrative Structures in Cuneiform Literature*](#) (eds. S. Helle and G. Konstantopoulos),
Journal of the American Oriental Society 145/3 (2025), 648–651.
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TEACHING

YALE UNIVERSITY, NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT

- Spring 2024 TF in *Modern Hebrew* (4th and 5th-semester levels)
Guest lecturer in *Advanced Akkadian: Akkadian Literary Texts*
- Fall 2023 TF in *Modern Hebrew* (3rd and 5th-semester levels)
- Spring 2022 TF in *Modern Hebrew* (2nd-semester level)
- Fall 2021 TF in *Modern Hebrew* (1st-semester level)
- Spring 2021 Instructor of record in *Elementary Akkadian* (2nd-semester level)
- Fall 2020 Instructor of record in *Elementary Akkadian* (1st-semester level)

NEW LEHRHAUS, BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA

- Spring 2025 *In the Shadow of Empires: Assyria-Babylonia, Egypt and Biblical Israel*
(Three sessions, remote. Instructor [Session 1](#), Co-instructor [Session 3](#))
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LECTURES

CONFERENCE PAPERS

- “A Baby on Fire: How Išum Got His Name”
70th Rencontre Assyriologique Internationale (July 7–11, 2025)
- “The God of Violence in Mortal Guise: On Erra’s Transformation in *Erra* and *Išum IV 3*”
235th Annual Meeting of the American Oriental Society (April 9–12, 2025).
- “Who is King of the World? On the Identity of *šar gimir dadmē* in *Erra I 1*”
234th Annual Meeting of the American Oriental Society (March 22–25, 2024).
- “Cultural Cannibalism: Intertextuality as a Weapon of War”
68th Rencontre Assyriologique Internationale (July 17–20, 2023).
- “More Than a Single Truth: Gilgamesh’s Dreams of Meteorite and the Axe”
233rd Annual Meeting of the American Oriental Society (March 10–13, 2023).
- “Erudite Savagery: An Instance of Intertextuality in Ashurbanipal’s Inscriptions”
232nd Annual Meeting of the American Oriental Society (March 18–21, 2022).
- “A Wrathful and Deluded God: The *Erra* Epic and the Mind”
231st Annual Meeting of the American Oriental Society (March 11–18, 2021).
- [“Erudite Savagery: An Instance of Intertextuality in Ashurbanipal’s Inscriptions”](#)
2nd Graduate Symposium in Ancient Near Eastern Studies (March 6–7, 2020).

VISITING LECTURES

- “The All Too Human Adventures of Erra and Išum”
Yale Assyriological Seminar (March 31st, 2025).
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ORGANIZATION

COLLOQUIA

- NELC Roundtable
Yale University, Department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations Departmental Graduate Colloquium, Fall 2020–Spring 2022, Fall 2023–Spring 2024; 18 meetings total).

SESSION CHAIRING

- “Cultural Memory in the Ancient Near East”
70th Rencontre Assyriologique Internationale (July 7–11, 2025)
 - “Ancient Near East II: Literary Texts”
235th Annual Meeting of the American Oriental Society (April 9–12, 2025)
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OUTREACH

LEGACY MEDIA

- “Go out to Battle, O Valiant Erra” (Hebrew),
Translation of *Erra* I 6–63, *Ho!* (הו!) 22 (2022), 13–15.
- *Once upon a Time in the East* (Hebrew),
Public-facing columns about the ancient Near East appearing on the website of *Haaretz*,
Subjects:
 - [The Babylonian Flood story and AI](#) (March 2023)
 - [Abortion and infanticide in ancient Mesopotamia](#) (July 2022)
 - [The Dialogue of Pessimism](#) (June 2022)
 - [Ludlul bēl nēmeqi](#) (May 2022)
 - [Erra and the invasion of Ukraine](#) (March 2022)
 - [Inanna/Ištar and gender](#) (February 2022)
 - [Plagues in the ancient Near East](#) (December 2021)

SOCIAL MEDIA

- YouTube Channel: *What Your Pastor Didn’t Tell You* (Host Zach Miller),
 - [The Erra Epic, the Biblical Flood, and the Sons of God ft. Eli Tadmor](#)
June 2nd, 2023.
 - [Ezekiel Thinking Like a Babylonian ft. Eli Tadmor](#)
May 27th, 2023.
- YouTube Channel: *Digital Hammurabi* (Host Megan Lewis),
 - [Gender in Ancient Mesopotamia, with Eli Tadmor!](#)
March 12th, 2022.
 - [Ezekiel and Babylon! Eli Tadmor investigates](#)
November 28th, 2021.

- [Ancient Plagues with Eli Tadmor](#)
September 25th, 2021.
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