# Nomi Eve Novelist, Teacher

#### Teaching and Administrative Experience

**Director, Drexel University MFA in Creative Writing** Fall 2019-Present

**Assistant Professor, Drexel University**Spring 2015- December 2021

Assoc. Teaching Professor, Drexel University

Visiting Writer, Bryn Mawr College

Spring 2014-Spring 2015

Instructor, The Word Studio in Chestnut Hill Spring 2013
Adjunct Professor, Pennsylvania State University Fall 2010-2013

Wheaton CollegeFall 1999-Spring 2000New England School of EnglishMay 1997-May 1999

**Brown University** Fall 1992

# **Professional Certification**

**Inside Out Prison Exchange Program** 

Certified Instructor Fall 2017

### **Education**

**Brown University** 

Master's of Fine Arts- Fiction Writing May 1993

### **Penn State University**

BA English, with Honors May 1990

#### **Publications**

#### Novels

Henna House	Scribners (paperback)	2015
Henna House	Scribners (hardback)	2014
The Family Orchard	Vintage (paperback)	2001
The Family Orchard	Knopf (hardback)	2000

#### **Essays**

100 Book Club	Publisher's Weekly	2015
The Wrong Uncle	The New York Times	2014

### **Anthologies**

Where Love is Found, 24 Tales of Connection (Washington	200
Best Contemporary Jewish Writing (Michel Lerner, Editor)	200
Conjunctions 37 Twentieth Anniversary Issue (Bradford	200

### **Short Fiction**

The Body of the Great Writer" Conjunctions	201
"The Deerskin Torah" JewishFiction.net 2015	201
"The Education of Benesh the Matchmaker,"	<b>201</b>
"To Conjure the Twin" Glimmer Train Stories	199
"Al Jud" International Quarterly	199
"Esther and Yochanan" Glimmer Train Stories	199
"How Two Juggle" Village Voice Literary Supplement	199
"The Double Tree" VLS	199

### **Non-fiction**

"Why They Came to Tiananmen" *The Wittenberg Review* 1991

#### Reviews

Published in: The Village Voice Literary

Supplement New York Newsday,

Publishers' Weekly,

The Boston Globe, The Jerusalem Post and Booktrib

Selection of Books Reviewed:

Various Antidotes by Joanna Scott

The Way to the Cats by Yehoshua Knaz

Sister Carrie by Lauren Fairbanks

The Virgin Suicides by Jeffrey Eugenidies

*Hester* by Christopher Bigsby

Ship Fever by Andrea Barrett

The Book of Intimate Grammar by David Grossman

The Queen's Mistake by Diane Haeger

### **Awards**

Goren Family Fund CBL Award	2020
E&P Department Travel Award Grand	2018
Study Abroad Office Travel Experience Grant	2018
Dean Donna Murasko Award for Civic Engagement	2018
Provost's Market Driven Academic Program Venture Award	2016
WNBAs 2015 Great Group Reads Selection	2015
One Book One Community Selection/Philadelphia	2014
Finalist – National Jewish Book Award	2001
The International Quarterly Award for Innovative Fiction	1996
Scherman Foundation Fellow	995
David and Rosamond Putnum Transportation Fund	1995

### **Creative Residencies**

The MacDowell Colony	1997
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# Scholarly work referencing The Family Orchard

The Golem in Jewish American Literature: 2007

Risks and Responsibilities in the Fiction of Thane Rosenbaum,

Nomi Eve and Steve Stern Amerikastudien 50/3, Early

American Visual Culture 2005

The Cambridge Companion to Jewish American Literature 2003

# Scholarly Work on Henna House

Zaydi Discriminatory Decrees and Their Effect on Yemenite Jews in Nomi Eve's Henna

House

Author: Ebrahim Alwuraafi Al-Baha University, Saudi Arabia

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Culture

# **Author Speaking Events**

Henna House was the One Book One Jewish Community Featured Selection Read for Philadelphia in 2015. As the featured author I did over 75 in-person Events at Philadelphia area synagogues and Jewish Community Centers from September of 2015-June 2016. Below is a listing of the events that I spoke at that were either not part of the One Book program or were held following the end of my term. In addition to the events below, I also visited 227 bookclubs over the past five years as part of my 100 Book Club Challenge for Henna House

•	Philadelphia Free Library Event Featured Author		2015
•	Open Book Reader's Retreat Speaker/Workshop Leader		2015
•	One Book One Jewish Philadelphia Keynote Introductory Speaker		2016
•	American Association of University Women Event Speaker		2016
•	Emily's Entourage (Cystic Fibrosis Foundation) Fundraising Event		2016
•	Hadassah Brandeis Institute for Gender and Judaism	2016	
	Featured Speaker: 7 National Events		
	Boston, Baltimore, Chicago, Maryland, New		
	York City,Palm Beach, Stamford		
•	Edith Askin Book Review Lunch Event Speaker		2016
•	Meadowbrook Women's Initiative		2016
•	Federation of Jewish Agencies Annual Donor Event		2017
•	Cherry Hill JCC Jewish Book Fair with author Nicole Krause		2017
•	Conjunctions 69# Books Are Magic, Reading Cobble Hill, Brooklyn	2018	
•	Philadelphia Stories Panelist Writer's At Work Conference		2018
•	Open Book Author Cabaret, Headliner Philadelphia		2018

# **Panel/Event Appearances**

•	Melissa Broder Interview Drexel Week of Writing	Spring 2022
•	Wayward Literary Festival Presenter University of Aberdeen	Fall 2021
•	Realizing Pediatric Creativity Through Digital Animation and Augmented Reality:	
	A Case Study in Undergraduate Collaborative Community Based Learning/	
•	Guni International Conference in Barcelona	2018
•	Philadelphia Free Library Melissa Broder Interview	2021
•	Philadelphia Free Library Nicole Krauss Interview	2020
•	Drexel Writing Festival Featured Speaker	2017
•	Women's Fiction Writers Association Panel Participant	2016
•	Writer's Digest Annual Conference Panelist	2015
•	The Week of Writing, Drexel University	2007
	Push to Publish, Philadelphia Stories	2006

# **Presentations at Drexel**

•	Institutional Advancement retreat on the Power of Storytelling	Spring 2022
•	Coas Engaging the World Symposium Presenter	Fall 2021
	Social Media Talk for MFA	Spring 2021
•	Artist Colony Talk for MFA	Spring 2021
•	Parents Council Talk for IA	Spring 2021
•	MFA Overview for DUO	Fall 2020

Summer 2020

# **Committee and Volunteer Service**

•	Collaborative Committee Secretary	Spring 2022
•	CoAS Resource Fair volunteer	Fall 2022
•	Judaic Studies Chair Search Committee	Summer 2021
•	Department Admin Search Committee	Winter 2020/21

### Other

- AWP 2022 Host Committee member
- Newly appointed board member Drexel Hillel Summer 2022