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Spertus Institute for Jewish Learning and Leadership

Among programs highlighting leadership focus, statistician and author Nate Silver to speak May 19

(January 28, 2013) It was announced today that statistician and author Nate Silver will speak at the newly named Spertus Institute for Jewish Learning and Leadership on May 19. Silver joins an impressive line-up of speakers known for their forward-thinking leadership. Programs include:

Kenneth Feinberg on Who Gets What: Fair Compensation After Tragedy and Financial Upheaval
Sunday, March 10, 2013—2 pm
Tickets are $75, $50, and $35. All seats reserved. Tickets on sale now.
$75 tickets include a Meet & Greet Reception with Kenneth Feinberg at 1 pm.
Kenneth Feinberg directed the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund and has worked on victims’ compensation for the tragic shootings at Virginia Tech and the BP Deepwater Horizon disaster, among others. He currently serves as the Special Master for TARP Executive Compensation (popularly called the "pay czar").

Elana Drell Szyfer on Global Vision, Jewish Leadership, and a Woman’s Journey to the Dead Sea
Sunday, May 5, 2013—2 pm
Tickets are $35, $25, and $15. All seats reserved. Tickets go on sale January 28, 2013.
$35 tickets include a Meet & Greet Reception with Elana Drell Szyfer at 3 pm.
Elana Drell Szyfer is the CEO of AHAVA North America, where she increased sales by 50 percent. Recently selected by Jewish Women International as one of its ten “Women to Watch,” she speaks publicly about counteracting anti-Israel propaganda and serves as a mentor for the Fashion Institute of Technology.

Nate Silver on The Signal and the Noise: Why So Many Predictions Fail— but Some Don’t
Sunday, May 17, 2013—1 pm (with book signing and cocktail reception at 2 pm for all ticket holders)
Tickets are $50 and $35. All seats reserved. Tickets go on sale January 28, 2013.
A limited number of $15 student tickets available. (Student tickets by phone purchase only. Valid student ID will be required.)
The accuracy of statistician Nate Silver’s predictions have won him followers, fans, and commendation. He was named one of “The World’s 100 Most Influential People” by Time magazine, and his blog, FiveThirtyEight.com, was licensed by The New York Times. His book, The Signal and the Noise: Why So Many Predictions Fail—But Some Don’t was named one of the best books of 2012 by Amazon.com.

For information and to purchase tickets, visit spertus.edu or call 312.322.1773.
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