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Dr. Hal M. Lewis

August 18–20, 2021
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Dr. Keren E. Fraiman

June 6–8, 2021
Leading People Through Change
Dr. Russ Rogers

January 10–12, 2021
This American Jewish Life
Faculty TBA

Six Courses Taught by Leading Faculty

June 7–9, 2020
Jewish Studies for Jewish Executives
Dr. Dean P. Bell

August 30–September 1, 2020
Working with Constituents
Dr. Barry Chazan

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