Recent Talks, Lectures, and Workshops Led by Dr. Blutinger

“A Creature From Before the Flood: Jewish Reactions to Darwinian Thought in the 19th Century,” workshop at Limmud LA (February 2009).

“Did Appeasement at Munich Save Jewish Lives?” workshop at Limmud LA (February 2009).

“Tolerance and Acceptance in the Jewish Community,” workshop at Limmud LA (February 2009).


“‘As Brave With His Pen as a Maccabee with his Sword’: Graetz and the Embrace of Subjectivity in Jewish Historical Writing.” A paper given at the Association for Jewish Studies Conference in Washington, D.C. (December 2008).


“A Community Forum on the Controversial Works of Kevin MacDonald,” Alpert Jewish Community Center (June 2008).

“The Power of Tolerance in Community-wide Trans-denominational Programming,” LEAP to LA Program of the Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Detroit, Los Angeles, CA (June 2008).


“Judaism,” TV interview broadcast by Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, CSUDH (April 2007).

“Teaching the Holocaust from a Victim-Centered Perspective,” ADL Holocaust Educators' Workshop (February 2007).


“A Different Path or a Different Terrain: Reform and Jewish Nationalism in the Austro-Hungarian Empire.” A paper given at the Association for Jewish Studies Conference in Washington, D.C., (December 2005).


“Becoming ‘Orthodox’: The Adoption and Transformation of a German Lutheran Term by German Jews from 1750 to 1850.” A paper given at the Association for Jewish Studies Conference in Los Angeles, (December 2002).


"'Shas Polaks' and 'Romantic Bachers': The Use of Anti-Polish Imagery by German Jewish Reformers in the 1840’s." A paper given at the Association for Jewish Studies Conference in Boston, (December 2000).