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# Stop fighting with trolls. Jewish Federation offers free series to combat antisemitism

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If you've found yourself exchanging memes or harsh words when facing antisemitism online, the Jewish Federation in the Heart of New Jersey has some advice for you — stop it.

With antisemitism on the rise, combatting it in effective ways is crucial, the organization says, and it's offering an online training series to help. Everyone is invited to take part.

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The Federation's Jewish Community Relations Council's "Uniting To Combat Antisemitism" will feature partnerships with organizations including StandWithUs, the Anti-Defamation League, CAMERA (Committee for Accuracy in Middle East Reporting and Analysis), OpenDor Media and more.

The series says participants will:

- Learn how various organizations push back against antisemitism on the state and national level, on campuses, in the media and online;
- Get training and tools to be a powerful advocate fighting antisemitism in the Monmouth and Middlesex counties;
- Acquire strategies and tactics and learn how to apply these tools in our community.

The series begins at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 17, via Zoom, with an introduction and information from participating organizations.

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It continues with the following sessions:

Dec. 15: Jewish Federation in the Heart of NJ - Community engagement opportunities.

Jan. 19, 2022: Jewish Federations of NJ - How to advocate for different issues and how the method is unique for each issue.

Feb. 23, 2022: StandWithUS – How to help teens talk about Israel and antisemitism in school.

March 30, 2022: How to build and maintain interreligious relations.

April 27, 2022: ADL - Methods to address online hate and overview of 2021 audit of antisemitism.

June 15, 2022: Heart of NJ: What have we learned, and what's next.

Registration is free. For more information and to register, visit [jewishheartnj.org/learnadvocacy](https://jewishheartnj.org/learnadvocacy) or contact Dan Rozett at [danr@jewishheartnj.org](mailto:danr@jewishheartnj.org) or 732-588-1836.

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