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## **Doron Ezickson**

## Understanding and Responding to Contemporary Antisemitism

presented by the Paul Peck Humanities Institute

Tuesday, November 9, 12:30 p.m. Virtual via Zoom

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In this presentation, Mr. Doron Ezickson will speak about the historical roots of antisemitism and the growing manifestation of antisemitism in contemporary society.

As Vice President of the Mid-Atlantic/Midwest Division, Mr. Ezickson and his teams in Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Philadelphia and Washington, DC, work daily to combat antisemitism and all forms of hate.

He joined ADL in 2017 as the Regional Director of ADL's Washington, DC office after a career in law most recently as a partner at Cadwalader, Wickersham and Taft in London and Washington, DC. He also previously served as an adjunct professor at Georgetown Law and as Deputy Chief of Staff and Head of Operations to Massachusetts Governor Bill Weld. He is a frequent speaker and media commentator on the issues of antisemitism, hate crimes and extremism and has testified before state legislatures and the US Civil Rights Commission. Mr. Ezickson also served on the Commonwealth of Virginia's Commission on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion following the violence in Charlottesville and completed 'Putting Racism on the Table' – an education series conducted by the Washington Regional Association of Grantmakers and Leadership Greater Washington.

Mr. Ezickson earned an A.B. from Dartmouth College in Middle East Studies and a J.D. from Boston University. He served as a judicial law clerk on the United States Court of Appeals for the DC Circuit, and is admitted to practice in Washington, DC and Massachusetts and before various courts including the Supreme Court of the United States.

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