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At first, I attended Sefer's academic programs for students, eventually "graduating" to those for academics. This gradual process allowed me to enter the world of academic Jewish study and, via Eshnav, I was introduced to academic mentors and tutors who have a profound influence on my academic career, and my work at Hebrew University's Library provided the academic research I needed to complete my graduate thesis.

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