

RS 115F: Seminar on the Hebrew Bible

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The Attributes of God

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This research seminar will analyze the famous attributes of the Biblical God as first presented in Exodus 34:6-7. It will focus on their several Biblical attestations with a view to developing individual research papers that tackle one or more of these attributes in either their Biblical or post-Biblical context. The seminar will develop research, organizational, and writing skills and will together produce a multifaceted picture of the Biblical deity.

Prerequisite: RS 115A or instructor's permission. Knowledge of Hebrew not required; the Biblical text will be studied in translation.