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I first learned about Sefer in the summer of 2001 when I participated in Sefer's Youth conference and the follow-up school in Jewish studies. As I was at that time receiving a higher education utterly unrelated to any Jewish studies discipline whatsoever the courses of that summer and subsequent schools were highly useful for expanding my horizon.

While working on my thesis, I continued to attend Sefer conferences, presenting my study results at annual winter conferences and developing my teaching skills at summer and winter schools.

I can only add that I met my future husband at one of the conferences and in a way I owe the birth of my son to Sefer!