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Sefer provided me with a cherished opportunity to be immersed in the world of Jewish studies and join a community of likeminded colleagues and peers from different regions who have chosen this path for their lives. Communication with them has enabled me to establish broad scholarly contacts, to find my own niche and estimate my standing in today's scholarly milieu, and to access unique lectures, trips and debates in my field of interest. Sefer's field schools made it possible to amass invaluable material for traditional Jewish art studies.