



Melanie Nelkin

Melanie Nelkin is a past President of American Jewish Committee's (AJC) Southeastern Regional Office in Atlanta. She serves on AJC's Executive Council and National Board of Governors. She is the Vice Chair of AJC's Regional Offices Committee, a member of AJC's National Policy Steering Committee, Administrative Council of AJC's Jacob Blaustein Institute for the Advancement of Human Rights and the board of AJC's Africa Institute.

After attending the 2009 inaugural Carl Wilkens Genocide Prevention Fellowship, she co-founded The Georgia Coalition to Prevent Genocide. In 2017 the annual renewal of Georgia's Resolution recognizing April as Genocide Prevention and Awareness Month was taken over by Atlanta's ACCESS (Young Business and Professionals). Ms. Nelkin is a member of the Atlanta Jewish Woman's Fund, Women's Solidarity Society of the National Center for Civil and Human Rights (NCCHR) and a past president of Women's Philanthropy for the Jewish Federation of Greater Atlanta. She previously served on the Jewish Council for Public Affairs Executive Committee and Board of Trustees.

Melanie Nelkin received a BS from Syracuse University in Clinical Nutrition and a BSMSc from Emory University as a Physician Assistant. In 2013 she was awarded the Porsche Driving Force Award from the NCCHR, the Tikun Olam Award from the JCPA and the Humanitarian Award from the Georgia Commission on the Holocaust in 2014.

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