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**Age:** 36

Primary Gig: Education and Youth Director at Mosaic Law Congregation

**One the side (what do you do in your "free" time):** I spend time with good friends, work out, and watch my favorite show, "Friends." I also enjoy cooking and baking challah for Shabbat with my son, Joel.

**Describe yourself in 10 words or less:** I am energetic, positive, ethical, ambitious, a family person, and Zionist.

Celebrity Doppelganger/Who would play in a movie: Eva Longoria

Where I will be/hope to be in 10 years: I will have Joel's, Bar Mitzvah at Mosaic Law. I will establish my goals by having community involvement in Jewish-based activities and expand my knowledge by going back to school.

What I love about growing up or living in Sacramento: I love the pleasant environment and the kindness of the people. I love the Jewish community and the drive of the congregations to enrich the Jewish education through different activities and experiences.

What I love about growing up or living in the Sacramento region: Location, location, location. Yes, you will hear me frequently kvetching about the lack of direct flights out of Sacramento but in general I love the recreational activities we have with the rivers, hiking/biking trails, and proximity to the Bay Area, Tahoe and Chico! I love the local food systems as well!