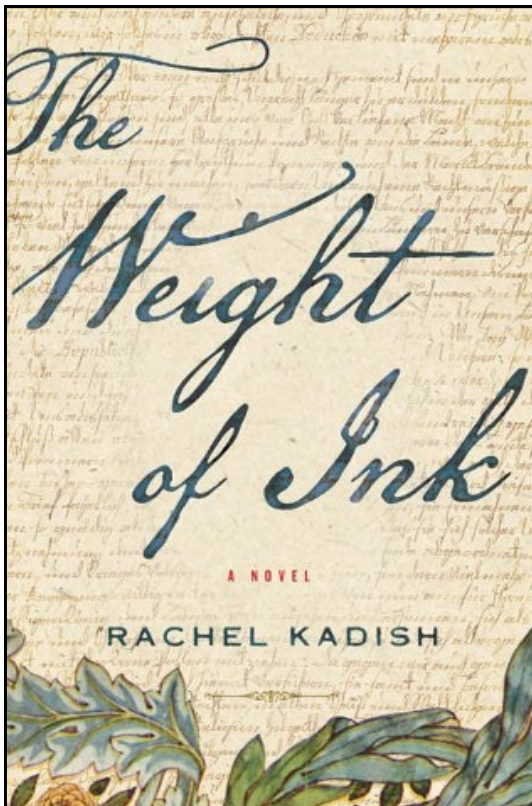


A Book Talk with Rachel Kadish

Author of *The Weight of Ink*

Tuesday, November 27, 2018
7:00 pm

The Emanuel Synagogue, 160 Mohegan Drive, West Hartford, CT

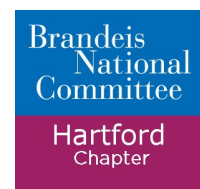


Join award winning author Rachel Kadish for a program about her new historical fiction novel, *The Weight of Ink*, winner of a 2017 National Jewish Book Award. Set in London of the 1660s and of the early twenty-first century, *The Weight of Ink* is the interwoven tale of two women of remarkable intellect: Ester Velasquez, an emigrant from Amsterdam who is permitted to scribe for a blind rabbi, just before the plague hits the city; and Helen Watt, an ailing modern historian with a love of Jewish history. As the novel opens, Helen has been summoned by a former student to view a cache of seventeenth-century Jewish documents newly discovered in his home during a renovation. Enlisting the help of Aaron Levy, an American graduate student, Helen embarks on one last project: to determine the identity of the documents' scribe.

\$10 In Advance (RSVP by November 20th)
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