

Jamie Beran is the CEO of Bend the Arc's family of organizations. In her more than 17 years at Bend the Arc, she has been instrumental in building a trusted, impactful, values-driven organization.

Ms. Beran is a national voice in the fight to end antisemitism and all forms of bigotry, and the equally important work of refusing to let Jewish safety be used as a pretext to push policies that supercharge authoritarianism, and harm our neighbors and democracy. Ms. Beran has written and spoken extensively on these topics including in Ha'aretz, New York Daily News, USA Today, The Times of Israel, Common Dreams, and the Forward. She is also a regularly called-upon trainer and panelist on how to speak about and fight antisemitism effectively. At this moment when the American Jewish stake in fighting authoritarianism could not be more clear or more urgent, Ms. Beran is leading Bend the Arc to mobilize Jews to defend our communities and our democracy.

As CEO, Beran has created a model of leadership based on collaboration, humility, and optimism. She has built an intentional and resilient organizational culture grounded in Bend the Arc's commitment to dismantling antisemitism and fighting for a multiracial democracy where all people can thrive.

Jamie is an alumna of UJA Federation's and Columbia Business School's Institute for Jewish Executive Leadership, a graduate of The Rockwood Leadership Institute's Art of Leadership Training, and a member of Advancing Women Professionals Social Justice Cohort. She holds a BA from Goucher College.

Prior to joining Bend the Arc, Jamie was the Leadership Development Director for Habonim Dror North America and the Camp Director of Camp Galil.