

**From:** [Wilson, Barbara Jan](#)  
**To:** [Kaler, Robin Neal](#)  
**Cc:** [Downs, Meaghan](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Tweet forwarded by @Illinois\_Alma  
**Date:** Monday, July 21, 2014 10:40:00 AM

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Robin,

Because we know so little about this or the faculty member, my first impulse is [REDACTED].

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**From:** Kaler, Robin Neal  
**Sent:** Monday, July 21, 2014 10:27 AM  
**To:** Wilson, Barbara Jan  
**Cc:** Downs, Meaghan  
**Subject:** FW: Tweet forwarded by @Illinois\_Alma

Hi Barb:

I'm not familiar with this professor. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Thanks,  
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**From:** Downs, Meaghan  
**Sent:** Monday, July 21, 2014 10:19 AM  
**To:** Kaler, Robin Neal  
**Cc:** Harris, Chris  
**Subject:** Tweet forwarded by @Illinois\_Alma

Got about 5 or 6 of these from a CBS sports reporter about incoming professor Steven Salaita's tweets regarding the conflict in Gaza. Apparently, the Daily Caller came out with a piece about Salaita this morning, and it's gotten a little bit of attention on social media.

@CJUrban @Illinois\_Alma Spewing anti-Semitic hate speech is apparently cool among professors. But don't you dare cheer for Chief Illiniwek.

Original Tweet: <https://twitter.com/wischlist/status/491239283500396546>

Sent via TweetDeck

Daily Caller article: <http://dailycaller.com/2014/07/21/university-of-illinois-professor-blames-jews-for-anti-semitism/>