



## About Janine Schloss

### **Upstanders Book Club Coordinator**



Janine is former Co-Director of Melbourne Jewish Book Week. She has completed a Bachelor of Honours in English Literature and an MA in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages. She has worked as a freelance writer and in education both locally and overseas. She is currently Co-Program Manager of Melbourne Jewish Book Week and can otherwise be found writing a compilation of short stories.

*'John Paul Sartre once said – if literature isn't everything, it's not worth a single hour of someone's trouble. The trouble facing many of us today is how to find that extra single hour to take the trouble to do things like read, contemplate, think and discuss things that aren't necessarily work but should be as important, aren't always fun but are thought-provoking, aren't about making a living but make living so much more worthwhile' - Janine*