



Syllabus

LATIN AMERICAN JEWRY ORIENTATION - 29806

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HU Credits: 2

Responsible Department: Department of Romance and Latin American Studies

Academic year: 1

Semester: 2nd Semester

Teaching Languages: Hebrew

Campus: Mt. Scopus

Course/Module Coordinator: Dr. Leonardo Senkman

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Course/Module description:

Institutional, Cultural, Religious, Transnational and Intellectual Networks of Latin

American Jews: a Comparative Perspective.

Course/Module aims:

A discussion in a comparative perspective of multi-disciplinary approaches to Jews in diverse regions, which correspond with contemporary Jewish history, international relations, demography, literary studies, communication, political science and sociology.

Learning outcomes - On successful completion of this module, students should be able to:

Attendance requirements(%):

100%

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: Frontal Lecture

Course/Module Content:

*March 12: Opening session of the Researcher's Seminar:
Prof. Gabriel Horenczyk and Dr. Marcelo Dorfsman-
Intentions and Concerns of a Threatened Minority: the Case of Introducing
Christianity in the Jewish Museum in Chile*

*Comments: Dr. Yosi Goldstein
Lecture will be held in Hebrew*

*March 19: MA Florinda F. Goldberg-
Extra±a pareja: la paridad identitaria entre judo y cubano en la narrativa cubana y
cubano-norteamericana reciente
Comments: Prof. Ruth Fine
Lecture will be held in Spanish*

April 16: Jonathan Grossman (doctoral student, Liwerant Center and Davis Institute)-

*Who gave the order? Brazil and the Endorsement of the 3379 Anti-Zionist Decision
in the UN General Assembly, November 1975
Comments: Prof. Arie Kacowicz
Lecture will be held in Hebrew*

*April 30: Dr. Margalit Bejarano-
Analysis of a Transnational Zionist and ethnic Sephardi Institution: the development*

trajectory of FESELA

Comments: Prof. (Emeritus) Sergio DellaPergola

Lecture will be held in Hebrew

May 14: Dr. Silvia Schenckowski-Kroll-

Non-Formal Jewish Education in Community Centers in Uruguay and Chile- a Comparative Perspective

Comments: Prof. Gabriel Horenczyk

Lecture will be held in Hebrew

May 28: Dr. Batia Siebzener-

Adoption and institutionalization of religious trends: Towards a comparative framework between Judaism and Islam in Argentina

Lecture will be held in Hebrew

June 4: Dr. Martina Weisz (Vidal Sassoon, International Center for the Study of Antisemitism)-

Splitting the Soul: Spanish Conservatives, Anti-Secularism and the "Enemizing" of Islam, (1997-2006)

Comments: Dr. Silvina Shammah Gesser

Lecture will be held in English

June 11: Dr. Efraim Zadoff-

Involvement of Latin American consuls in saving Jews during the Holocaust: The Case of Paraguay consul

Dr. Yosi Goldstein-

Between personal and collective memory: Holocaust Survivors in Argentina and Uruguay- comparative analysis of memoirs

Comments: Dr. Avraham Milgram (Yad Vashem)

Lecture will be held in Hebrew

June 18: Prof. Marta Topel (USP Brazil)-

The Brazilian Jewish Communities: Globalization and Glocalization

Comments: Prof. Dov Shinar

Lecture will be held in English

June 25: International Colloquium on the subject-

Latin American Intellectuals Looking at themselves, the Middle East and the State of Israel

The colloquium will be attended by university-professors and researchers at the Hebrew University, and guest lecturers from other Israeli Universities.

Required Reading:

Relevant required reading material will be sent a week prior to every lecture.

Additional Reading Material:

Course/Module evaluation:

End of year written/oral examination 0 %

Presentation 0 %

Participation in Tutorials 40 %

Project work 60 %

Assignments 0 %

Reports 0 %

Research project 0 %

Quizzes 0 %

Other 0 %

Additional information:
