



## *The Hebrew University of Jerusalem*

### *Syllabus*

## *Life Experiences in Yiddish Writing - 18877*

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*HU Credits: 2*

*Degree/Cycle: 2nd degree (Master)*

*Responsible Department: yiddish*

*Academic year: 0*

*Semester: 1st Semester*

*Teaching Languages: Yiddish*

*Campus: Mt. Scopus*

*Course/Module Coordinator: Prof. Avraham Novershtern*

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*Teaching Staff:*

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Prof Avraham Novershtern

Course/Module description:

Readings of autobiographical material of Yiddish speaking Jews in the 20th Century

Course/Module aims:

Intimate knowledge of the different life styles of Yiddish speaking communities in the 20th century

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

Critical reading of autobiographical and journalistic materials in Yiddish

Attendance requirements(%):

80 %

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: oral discussion and written assignments

Course/Module Content:

Educational tracks  
The world of Yiddish theatre  
Yiddish press  
Migration  
Gender aspects

Required Reading:

Fragments of autobiographical works by Scholem Aleichem, Y.Y. Singer, I. Bashevis Singer and others

Additional Reading Material:

Course/Module evaluation:

End of year written/oral examination 0 %  
Presentation 0 %

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*Participation in Tutorials 0 %*  
*Project work 0 %*  
*Assignments 100 %*  
*Reports 0 %*  
*Research project 0 %*  
*Quizzes 0 %*  
*Other 0 %*

*Additional information:*