

Graduate Seminar in Jewish Studies

CJS1000 H1Y (MA)/CJS2000 H1Y (PhD)

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DESCRIPTION

This half-credit seminar exposes students to advanced research across the various disciplines that make up Jewish Studies. Participants in the seminar attend 12 public lectures over the academic year and then gather to discuss the lecture. In this way, the seminar is forum in which graduate students learn about approaches and topics in Jewish Studies different from their own and practice speaking about their own field with those outside of it.

EVALUATION

- Participation
- Six response papers
 - Responses to the 3 of the public lectures submitted each semester
 - Students choose the lectures to which they write responses, but are strongly encouraged to write some responses on topic outside their own research areas
 - Responses should be between 500 and 800 words long, double-spaced, and primarily analytical (i.e., not merely a summary)
 - Responses must be submitted within 10 days of the lecture
 - Please drop off a copy of your responses to Emily Springgay at the Centre for Jewish Studies

Titles for all the lectures list below can be found at:

<http://cjs.utoronto.ca/events/calendar>

SCHEDULE: FALL 2013

Elissa Bemporad

Queens College, City University of New York

Monday, September 30 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.

George Street

Avishai Margalit

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Monday, October 7 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.

George Street

Rebecca Comay, Robert Gibbs, Kenneth Hart Green, and Michael Morgan

Monday, October 21 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 418, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.

George Street

Naomi Seidman

Graduate Theological Union

Monday, October 28 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 418, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.

George Street

Adrian Wanner

Pennsylvania State University

Monday, November 25 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.
George Street

SCHEDULE: WINTER 2014**Gary Knoppers**

Pennsylvania State University

Monday, January 20 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.
George Street

Hillel Kieval

Washington University in St. Louis

Monday, February 10 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.
George Street

Tzvi Novick

University of Notre Dame

Monday, February 24 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.
George Street

Daniel Falk

University of Oregon

Monday, March 3 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.
George Street

Daniel Boyarin

University of California, Berkeley

Monday, March 10 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.
George Street

Susan Shapiro

University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Monday, March 24 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.
George Street

Natalie Zemon Davis

University of Toronto

Monday, March 31 at 4:00pm

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100, 170 St. George Street

Discussion: Jackman Humanities Building, Room 318, 170 St.
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