

Announcing the 2020–21 Katz Center Fellows

The Herbert D. Katz Center for Advanced Judaic Studies proudly announces the outstanding cohort of scholars who will be in residence at the University of Pennsylvania during the 2020–21 academic year to pursue research on the topic of **America's Jewish Questions**.

Elazar Ben-Lulu | Netanya Academic College
Israel Institute Visiting Faculty Fellowship
Celebrations in LGBT Families: A Comparative Analysis of Reform Jewish Life-Cycle Rituals in the United States and Israel

Lila Corwin Berman | Temple University
Thomas and Elissa Ellant Katz Fellowship
A History of Jewish Citizenship in the United States

Tobias Brinkmann | Pennsylvania State University
Maurice Amado Foundation Fellowship
Beyond the Ethnic Paradigm: The History of Jewish Migration to North America

Ayelet Brinn | Fordham University & Columbia University
Ivan and Nina Ross Family Fellowship
Rethinking Americanization and the Yiddish Press

Michael Casper | New York Public Library
Jody Ellant and Howard Reiter Family Fellowship
Housing the Nation: Jews and Public Housing in Twentieth-Century America

Alanna E. Cooper | Case Western Reserve University
Ivan and Nina Ross Family Fellowship
Preserving and Disposing of the Sacred: America's Jewish Congregations

Jessica Cooperman | Muhlenberg College
Primo Levi Fellowship
Jewish-Christian Dialogue After the Holocaust

Deborah Dash Moore | University of Michigan
Ellie and Herbert D. Katz Distinguished Fellowship
Walkers in the City: Jewish Street Photographers of New York

Hasia R. Diner | New York University
Louis Apfelbaum and Hortense Braunstein Apfelbaum Fellowship
How the Irish Taught the Jews to Become American

Libby Garland | Kingsborough Community College, CUNY
Primo Levi Fellowship
Inventing the Refugee: United States Activists and Refugee Policy, 1945–1965

Kathryn Hellerstein | University of Pennsylvania
Albert J. Wood Fellowship
Jewish American Women Poets as Translators, Liturgists, and Anthologists

Melissa R. Klapper | Rowan University
Ariel and Joshua Weiner Family Fellowship
At Home in the World: American Jewish Women Abroad, 1865–1940

Markus Krah | University of Potsdam
Ruth Meltzer Fellowship
Cultural Transfers and Translations between Europe and the United States: Schocken Books and the Transnational Dimension of American Jewry

Jon Levisohn | Brandeis University
Dalck and Rose Feith Family Fellowship
The Discourse of American Jewish Literacy and Illiteracy

Heather Nathans | Tufts University
Maurice Amado Foundation Fellowship
Playing the Land of Milk and Honey: Performing Southern, Jewish, and African Diasporic Identities, 1776–1915

Noam Pianko | University of Washington
Charles W. and Sally Rothfeld Fellowship
Cold War Zionisms and the Making of American Jewish Politics

Lana Dee Povitz | Middlebury College
Ariel and Joshua Weiner Family Fellowship
Sisters of Fire: Intertwining Spirituality, Psychology, and Feminist Politics in Jewish American Women's Lives

Kate Rosenblatt | Emory University
Charles W. and Sally Rothfeld Fellowship
Towards a Reconsideration of Consensus History: American Jews and the Limits of Dissent in the 1950s

Laurence Roth | Susquehanna University
Ruth Meltzer Fellowship
Unpacking My Father's Bookstore: A Memoir and Critical Study

Britt Tevis | Yale University
Jody Ellant and Howard Reiter Family Fellowship
Sanctioned Bigotry: Antisemitism and American Law

Amy Weiss | College of Saint Elizabeth
Thomas and Elissa Ellant Katz Fellowship
Prophetic Partners: American Jewish Interfaith Relations in the Age of Evangelicalism

Beth S. Wenger | University of Pennsylvania
Honorary Distinguished Fellowship



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