

Hebrew and Judaic Studies

Department of Literatures, Cultures, and Languages

Fall 2021 Classes

Meets CA1 and/or CA4

HEJS 1103: Who Are the Jews? Jewish Identity Through the Ages | MWF 11:15-12:05 (Fridays online)
Survey of the Jews from biblical times to the present. (Professor Stuart S. Miller)

HEJS 2203: The Holocaust in Print, Theater, and Film | Tu 3:30-6:30
Representations of the Holocaust, including first-hand accounts and documentaries; artistic choices in genre, structure, imagery, point of view, and the limits of representation (Prof. Grae Sibelman)

HEJS 3301: The Jewish Middle Ages | TuTh 11:00-12:15
Survey of sacred and secular literature in a wide variety of genres produced by Jews in the medieval period from major centers of European settlement. (Prof. Susan Einbinder)

INTD 3260: The Bible | MWF 2:30-3:20 (Fridays online)
The literary, historical, and philosophical content, circumstances and problems of the Old and New Testaments. (Prof. Stuart S. Miller)

Meets CA1 and CA4-INT

HEJS 2104: Modern Jewish Thought | MWF 11:15-12:05 (Fridays online)
This course will introduce students to the major social, cultural, religious, and political transformations that shaped the lives of World Jewry from the 17th century until the present. (Prof. Avinoam Patt)

HEJS 3362: The Black Death: Medieval Responses to Catastrophe | TuTh 2:00-3:15
The challenges of past, present, and future pandemics. (Prof. Susan Einbinder)

Counts towards Judaic Studies major/minor

SPAN 1008: Christians, Muslims, and Jews in Medieval Spain | TuTh 12:30
Contacts, conflicts and coexistence among the diverse cultures and traditions of medieval Spain: Christian Hispania, Muslim al-Andalus, and Jewish Sefarad. (Prof. Daniel Hershenzon)

Graduate

HEJS 5397: Contemporary German Jewish Literature & Human Rights | Tu 3:00-5:45
Open to undergraduates with permission of instructor. (Prof. Sebastian Wogenstein)

Modern Hebrew Language

HEJS 1151: Elementary Modern Hebrew | TuTh 3:30-4:45 and W 10:10-11:00 | Sherry Shamash

HEJS 1153: Intermediate Modern Hebrew | TuTh 12:30-1:45 and W 9:05-9:55 | Sherry Shamash

HEJS 3251: Advanced Hebrew | TuTh 2:00-3:15 | Sherry Shamash