Guest Lecturers in Jewish Studies

The Jewish Studies Program is pleased to announce the availability of funds to develop a Jewish Studies component for a courses that are not primarily about Jewish studies.

Grants up to $2000 are available and can be used to:

- Bring a scholar to give a lecture on a Jewish Studies topic in a course that does not focus primarily on Jewish studies. The guest lecture can happen virtually or in person.

- Consult with the guest lecturer, virtually or in person, about the content of the lecture and/or about ways to further introduce Jewish Studies-related material to your course.

Recipients of the grant will be expected to incorporate Jewish Studies content into at least one class session of future versions of the course.

All TTS and NTS faculty, including part-time faculty on multiyear contracts, are eligible to apply. Applicants need not be members of the Jewish Studies Program.

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

Applications must include in ONE PDF:

1. A recent syllabus for the course.

2. A one-paragraph description of the Jewish Studies component you would like to add to the course.

3. A one-paragraph bio of the proposed visitor.

4. If requesting funds for consultation with the guest lecturer (in addition to funds for a guest lecture), applications should include a one-paragraph description of possible questions/topics you would like to discuss with the visitor for purposes of incorporating Jewish Studies-related material into the course.

5. An itemized budget outlining proposed expenses.

6. A current CV (no more than 5 pages)

To apply, send all materials to Rachel Kranson, Director of Jewish Studies, at jsp@pitt.edu