



UNIVERSITY OF  
SAN FRANCISCO

Swig Program in Jewish Studies  
and Social Justice

## April Newsletter

### Fall 2022 JSSJ Courses

Course Name	Course No.	Days/Times	Instructor	Core Req.
Arabic (First Semester)	ARAB 101-01	MWF 1-2:05 p.m.	Walton-Price	Foreign Lang.
Arabic (Third Semester)	ARAB 201-01	MWF 3:30-4:35 p.m.	Walton-Price	Foreign Lang.
German Literature & Culture/1945-Today	GERM 320-01	TR 12:45-2:30 p.m.	TBA	C-1
Hebrew (First Semester)	HEBR 101-01	MWF 12-1:40 p.m.	Gvirtsman	Foreign Lang.
Hebrew (Third Semester)	HEBR 201-01	MWF 10:30-11:35 a.m.	Gvirtsman	Foreign Lang.
Holocaust & Genocide	THRS 136-01	TR 9:55-11:40 a.m.	Herr	D-3
Honoring Our LGBTQIA Elders	INTD 240-01	TR 4:35-6:20 p.m.	Angel	CEL
Jews, Judaisms, & Jewish Identities	THRS 130-01	MWF 2:15-3:20 p.m.	Kroll-Zeldin	D-2
MJT: Jewish Graphic Novels	THRS 325-01	MWF 1-2:05 p.m.	Bar-Gabai	D-2
Refugees: Justice & Ethics	THRS 236-01	MWF 3:30-4:35 p.m.	Bar-Gabai	CEL
Social Justice, Activism, & Jews	THRS 125-01	TR 12:45-2:30 p.m.	Hahn Tapper	D-3

Social Justice & the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict	THRS 237-01; POLS 380-01	MWF 10:30- 11:35 a.m.	Kroll- Zeldin	D-3
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For more information on the JSSJ minor requirements visit the **JSSJ web page**. Questions? Please contact JSSJ Director **Aaron Hahn Tapper**.



## Passover Parsley Handout Party

**Monday, April 18 • 4:30–6 p.m. • Gleeson Plaza**

Pick up parsley and other bitter greens grown by USF students and faculty for your seder plate. We will have live Klezmer music as well as an arts and crafts table! This event is co-sponsored by USF's **University Ministry**, the **Environmental Studies program**, and **SF Hillel**. If you have questions, please contact Rabbi-in-Residence **Camille Angel**.



## "Toward Climate Justice and Interfaith Solidarity" - 12th Annual Social Justice Passover Seder

**Tuesday, April 19 • 6:30–8 p.m. • ONLINE**

We are thrilled to present our twelfth annual Swig JSSJ Program Social Justice Passover Seder. Similar to 2021, this year's seder will focus on the urgent need for climate justice. Straddled between bondage and freedom, this interfaith seder will retell the Exodus narrative in an effort to recommit ourselves to working together for a world of peace and plenty, joy and renewal, and health and freedom — a world that all of our faiths and traditions teach us is possible. As such, this Social Justice Passover Seder will be part of a larger campus-wide environmental justice call to action. If you are interested in learning more about the Seder, please contact Rabbi-in-Residence **Camille Angel**.

[Register Here »](#)

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# HEBREW SAN FRANCISCO SUMMER 2022

## Hebrew San Francisco - Summer 2022

July 11–29 | Monday – Friday | 9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1–2 p.m. | Online

We are pleased to announce that registration is now open for the summer 2022 **Hebrew San Francisco: Ulpan program!** Similar to the previous two summers, this summer's three weeks of instruction will take place online. Class times will be from 9 a.m.–12 p.m. and teachers will hold additional optional instruction and office hours from 1–2 p.m.

Tuition for the program is \$1,500. Thanks to the Germanacos Foundation, we are able to offer scholarships for this intensive Hebrew language summer experience. Please email Swig JSSJ Program Assistant Director **Oren Kroll-Zeldin** with any questions. **Visit our web page** for more information.

[Register Here »](#)

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# ARABIC SAN FRANCISCO SUMMER 2022

## Arabic San Francisco - Summer 2022

July 11–29 | Monday – Friday | 9 a.m.–12 p.m. (Levels 1-2); 2–5 p.m. (Level 3)  
| Online

We are pleased to announce that registration is now open for the summer 2022 **Arabic San Francisco program**! Welcoming anyone interested in the Arabic language, we offer multiple levels of instruction in small class settings. The focus of the program is on the Levantine dialect of Arabic, though students in Level 1 will spend the first part of the program learning to read and write in Arabic. All instruction for the program will take place online. Classes for Levels 1 and 2 will be from 9 a.m.–12 p.m., and Level 3 will be from 2–5 p.m.

Thanks to the Germanacos Foundation, we are able to offer scholarships for this three-week intensive Arabic language summer experience. Tuition for the program is \$1,500. Please email Swig JSSJ Program Assistant Director **Oren Kroll-Zeldin** with any questions. **Visit our web page** for more information.

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## Student Opportunity from a Community Partner

### Avodah: The Jewish Service Corps

**Avodah: The Jewish Service Corps** is a year-long program for individuals ages 21-26 to spend a year working, learning, and living at the crossroads of Jewish life and activism. They are currently seeking applicants with a strong interest in justice work and a desire to learn in an inclusive Jewish framework. [Learn more about the program and apply »](#)

Your generous support of the Swig Program in Jewish Studies and Social Justice will help us engage students in both theoretical and practical approaches of social justice and activism rooted in the Jewish traditions.