

# Introduction to Jewish Studies

JWST/WCL 2380

Fall 2021: T/Th 1-2:30 p.m.

Questions we'll explore in this course:

- How does the public think about Jews, Judaism and Jewish history?
  - How have Jews survived persecution and diaspora?
- How have Jewish communities throughout the world fused Jewish traditions and local cultures?
  - What are the historical roots of contemporary anti-Semitism?
- What similarities are there between the history of Jews and that of other groups?

Counts towards:

- Jewish studies minor • world cultures & literatures major or minor  
religious studies major or minor • core in language, philosophy & culture

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