

## March 15, 2013



# Faculty Updates...

Dr. Lucy Chester, Associate Professor of History, has been invited to present at a conference at





and actions.



Beginning the second week in Jerusalem, students will participate in team-based service learning projects with non-profit organizations working in the region. Students will have the opportunity to learn from and network with experts working in social justice, human rights and democracy in Israel and the Middle East.

The seminar will take students to various locations in Israel and the West Bank but will be based out of Jerusalem in the historic neighborhood of Talpiot in apartment-like suites. Founded in 1922, Talpiot has access to major shopping centers and public transportation. It has become a cultural hub in Jerusalem, especially for the growing music scene.

The course will be led by <u>Professor Caryn Aviv</u>, Senior Instructor in Secular Jewish Society and Civilization. She earned her PhD in sociology and anthropology at Loyola University in Chicago. Dr. Aviv conducts research on and teaches in the areas of gender, sexuality, Zionism, Israel, and contemporary Jewish cultures.



THERE ARE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE TO SUPPORT THIS PROGRAM! Please contact our study abroad advisor, Sarah. Westmoreland@ colorado.edu to learn more.

**Questions?** Contact Jamie Polliard, Assistant Director of the Program in Jewish Studies via email at <u>Jamie. Polliard@ colorado. edu</u> or via phone at 303.492.7143.

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## Maymester and Fall 2013 courses...

The Program in Jewish Studies is offering some great upcoming classes for both the summer and the fall semesters.

## Maymester 2013

Need a class to graduate? Looking for a core curriculum course in human diversity? Interested in Jewish culture?



JWST/HEBR 2350 Introduction to Jewish Culture is being offered as a Maymester course this summer 2013. Come and explore the development of Jewish culture as it moves across the chronological and geographical map of the historic Jewish people with an emphasis on the variety of Jewish ethnicity and their cultural productions. This course is one of the required

introductory courses for the Jewish Studies major and minor.

#### Fall 2013

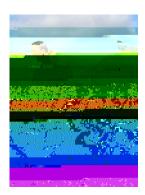
### Looking for Professional Experience Before You Graduate?...

We are beginning to fill positions for the Internship in Jewish Studies (JWST 3930-800) for the Fall 2013 semester. The Jewish Studies internship provides students with the opportunity to spend time working with a local non-profit or educational organization - enabling students to learn valuable skills and develop important relationships which they will draw upon as they pursue their careers. We currently have internship opportunities at the Boulder County AIDS Project, Rose



Community Foundation, the Boulder Jewish Community Center, the Offices of Congressman Jared Polis and Hazon.

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