

UKRAINE EMERGENCY VISITING GRADUATE RESEARCHER at the UCLA Alan D. Leve Center for Jewish Studies

The UCLA Alan D. Leve Center for Jewish Studies is offering a one-year Visiting Graduate Researcher (VGR) fellowship at UCLA for a current graduate student at any Ukrainian university. The fellowship recipient should work on any aspect of Jewish Studies including, but not limited to, East European Jewish studies, Holocaust studies, Rabbinics, Yiddish and any area of Jewish studies such as literature, languages, music, culture, history, etc.

Starting Date: as soon as possible

Prospective students should explore the Leve Center website and get to know the work of our faculty to see if they would be a good fit: <https://levecenter.ucla.edu/leve-center-affiliates/>

Students should also look into the UCLA libraries' collections to see if the archives might be of some relevance to their research: <https://guides.library.ucla.edu/jewish>

The fellowship will include travel to UCLA, an official affiliation with the university, coverage of the student's fees and health insurance, and a stipend of \$50,000 for the year to cover living expenses.

Eligibility and other notes:

- The Student must be a current student pursuing a Ph.D. at any Ukrainian university.
- A conversational command of English is required.
- This is not a degree-granting program, but an opportunity to access UCLA's faculty, libraries, and to join our thriving graduate student cohort in Jewish studies.
- This is a one-year fellowship that may begin any time during the calendar year with the potential for renewal.
- To apply for this fellowship, reach out to the Leve Center's Assistant Director, Vivian Holenbeck (vdios@humnet.ucla.edu), with the following: an academic CV and a one page letter of intent describing your research plans while at UCLA.

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