



# UCLA

Alan D. Leve Center for Jewish Studies

## JEWISH STUDIES AT UCLA

### SPRING 2026 SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

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#### ANCIENT NEAR EAST 10W–

##### *Jerusalem: Holy City*

Instructor(s): Schniedewind, W.M.  
Youngstrom, A.

Lec: Varies Online – Asynchronous

#### ANCIENT NEAR EAST M135 / RELIGION M135

##### *Religion in Ancient Israel*

Instructor(s): Smoak, J.D.

Lec: TR (12:30pm-1:45pm) Royce Hall 152

#### ANCIENT NEAR EAST M164 / ARCHAEOLOGY M164 / ART HISTORY M111E / MIDDLE EASTERN STUDIES M164

##### *Archaeology of Levant*

Instructor(s): Burke, A.A.

Lec: MW (2pm-3:15pm) Dodd Hall 78

#### GLOBAL STUDIES 160

##### *Selected Topics in Global Studies: Conflict over Israel-Palestine*

Instructor(s): Waxman, D.

Lec 3: MW (11am-12:15pm) Broad Art Center 2100A

#### ETHNOMUSICOLOGY 91Z

##### *World Music Performance Organizations: Klezmer Music Ensemble (Open Ensemble)*

Instructor(s): Markham, J.E.

Act 5: W (7pm-9:50pm) Schoenberg Music Building 1440

#### ETHNOMUSICOLOGY 161Z

##### *Advanced World Music Performance Organizations: Klezmer Music Ensemble (Open Ensemble)*

Instructor(s): Markham, J.E.

Act 5: W (7pm-9:50pm) Schoenberg Music Building 1440

#### FILM TV 188A

##### *Special Courses in Film, Television, and Digital Media: Israel and Palestine on Screen*

Instructor(s): The Staff

Lec 2: MW (1pm-2:20pm) Melnitz Hall 2586B

#### HEBREW 1C

##### *Elementary Hebrew*

Instructor(s): Birnbaum, S.H.

Lec: MTWRF (10am-10:50am) Bunche Hall 2156

#### HEBREW 102C

##### *Intermediate Hebrew*

Instructor(s): Birnbaum, S.H.

Lec: MTWRF (9am-9:50am) Bunche Hall 2156

#### HEBREW 110C

##### *Readings in Biblical Hebrew*

Instructor(s): Smoak, J.D.

Lec: TR (2pm-3:15pm) Bunche Hall 2121

#### HEBREW 111A

##### *Israeli Society through Hebrew Song and Video*

Instructor(s): Birnbaum, S.H.

Lec: TR (12:30pm-1:45pm) Kinsey Science Teaching Pavilion 1200B

#### HEBREW 220

##### *Studies in Hebrew Biblical Literature*

Instructor(s): Schniedewind, W.M.

Sem: W (3:30pm-6:20pm) Renee and David Kaplan Hall 398

#### HISTORY 109B

##### *History of Israeli-Palestinian Conflict, 1881 to Present*

Instructor(s): Gelvin, J.L.

Lec: MWF (11am-11:50am) Bunche Hall 1209B

#### HISTORY M182C / JEWISH STUDIES M182C

##### *Modern Jewish History*

Instructor(s): Myers, D.N.

Lec: MW (8am-9:15am) Public Affairs Building 2270

#### INTERNATIONAL AND AREA STUDIES 188

##### *Special Courses in International and Area Studies: Comparative Challenges to Democracy under Pressure in U.S. and Israel*

Instructor(s): Erel, R.

Sem: TR (12:30pm-1:45pm) Franz Hall 2288

#### YIDDISH 101C

##### *Elementary Yiddish*

Instructor(s): Koral, M.R.

Lec: TR (10am-11:50am) Kaufman Hall 136

For questions about the Jewish Studies major/minor or  
Israel Studies minor, please contact:

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