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mini  
course

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## MIGRATION IN THE HISTORY OF EAST EUROPEAN JEWRY

Migration has played a central role in East European Jewish history. Therefore, the course will focus on the structural factors that influence migrations and on the dynamics that typify migration. Based on a systematic approach, it will be possible to identify the origins of East European Jewry. The course will deal with the spread of the Jewish population in Eastern Europe – first as a process of deurbanization and then as renewed urbanization. Specific attention will be given to the migration of Jews in the 19th and 20th centuries to the United States and elsewhere. This migration was not random and identifying the gender and age breakdown as well as geographic breakdown explains how and why it took place.

The mini course  
will take place  
**in November 2017**

<b>13</b> Monday	13:30
<b>14</b> Tuesday	15:00
<b>15</b> Wednesday	11:40
<b>16</b> Thursday	11:40

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