



The Wyner Family Jewish Heritage Center™ at NEW ENGLAND HISTORIC GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Genevieve Geller Wyner Research Fellowship Application

The Genevieve Geller Wyner Research Fellowship at the Wyner Family Jewish Heritage Center (JHC) at New England Historic Genealogical Society provides an opportunity for a post-graduate scholar to conduct research at the JHC's archives, whose collections focus on New England Jewish history. While the research project does not have to take place solely at the JHC archives, JHC collections should comprise a significant portion of the project's source research. Research can take place between April and September 2021, to be scheduled with JHC archivists. At the conclusion of the Fellowship period, the Fellow is asked to present a paper based on their research at a public event, the Genevieve Wyner Annual Lecture, in Fall 2021.

One fellowship will be offered in 2021, in the amount of \$2,500. Applications must be received by February 1, 2021. Applicants will be notified by March 31, 2021 of their fellowship status.

Applicants are encouraged to familiarize themselves with the archival collections at the JHC. You can find a list of our finding aids, subject guides, and information about our Digital Library & Archives on our website at www.jewishheritagecenter.org. If you wish to speak to an archivist directly, please email jhcreference@nehgs.org or call 617-226-1245.

Section I: Applicant Information

Name	
Address	
City	
State	
Zip	
Country	
E-mail	
Phone	
Educational status (i.e. post-doctoral, ABD, independent scholar, university faculty, etc.)	
University Affiliation (if any):	
What are three collections at the Wyner Family Jewish Heritage Center that you may want to access? Please list the call number (ex: I-223; or JHCI-001), followed by the name of the collection.	
Area of Study:	

Section II: Supporting Documentation

Please submit the following documentation with your application.

1. Current curriculum vitae.
2. A research proposal, between 500-700 words, that clearly demonstrates:
 - a. Your research interests.
 - b. How the archival collections and resources at the Wyner Family Jewish Heritage Center support your research.

Section III: Recommendations

Applicants must provide two letters of recommendations, preferably from academic supervisors or colleagues. Doctoral candidates should include one recommendation from their dissertation advisor. Please provide reference names and addresses below.

Reference #1:

Name	
Institution or organization	
Address (Street, City, State, Zip)	
Email	
Phone	

Reference #2:

Name	
Institution or organization	
Address (Street, City, State, Zip)	
Email	
Phone	

Directions for submitting your application packet (including this application, supporting documentation, and references)

- 1) Your application packet must be received by February 1, 2021 and may be mailed via postal service or emailed.
- 2) If preferred, references may be sent separately from the application.
- 3) If emailing materials, use the following format for the subject line:
Fellowship application: First Name, Last Name

Submit your application packet to:

Stephanie Call, Associate Director of Archives and Education
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