SPRING 2011 LUNCH & LEARN SERIES
Four Thursdays • 12:00 - 1:30 p.m. • In the MPR on the 1st floor, at UConn, Stamford

Masterworks of the Judaic Genius

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24th

The Maria and Ishier Jacobson Annual Lecture
Laughter from Tears:
(Sholem Aleichem, Marienbad and Letters of Menakhem Mendel)

Dr. Nehama Aschkenasy
UConn, Stamford

THURSDAY, MARCH 3rd

The Herbert and Sarah M. Gibor Lecture
Other Voices:
Crises of Jewish Identity in Holocaust Literature

Dr. Frederick Roden
UConn, Stamford

THURSDAY, MARCH 24th

The Saul Kwartin Memorial Lecture
Women to Reckon with:
Writing Sephardic Identities in France
(Chochana Boukhobza, Eliette Abecassis, and Annie Cohen)

Dr. Nina Lichtenstein
Trinity College

THURSDAY, MARCH 31st

The Hyancinthe Hoffman Lecture
Spiritual Witness to the Holocaust
(Elie Wiesel, An Interrupted Life and Letters from Westerbork)

Dr. June-Ann Gleeley
Sacred Heart University

The following are free to the Community:

MONDAY, APRIL 4th

3:30 - 5:30 p.m. / In the Auditorium
The Red Box
an original play by Jason Mitchell
Sponsored by the UConn Human Rights Institute
Co-Sponsored by the Center for Judaic & Middle Eastern Studies
& the Women’s Studies Program
A multi-media staged reading with an ensemble of New York actors followed by a Q&A with playwright Jason Mitchell.
For more information please visit: http://www.jasonmitchell.info/redbox.html

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16th

2:35 - 3:30 p.m. / Rm. 340
The Book of Judith and its Afterlife in Art & Music
The Rev. Dr. Blaine Edele
Union Memorial Church, Stamford, CT
Co-Sponsored by the UConn, Stamford
Women’s Studies Program

REGISTRATION FOR SPRING 2011 LUNCH & LEARN

Please make your check of $50 for the entire four-session series (including lunch)
payable to: Judaic Studies, UConn, Stamford, and mail to: Center for Judaic & Middle Eastern Studies,
UConn, Stamford, One University Place, Stamford, CT 06901-2315.

NAME: ____________________________
ADDRESS: ________________________
TELEPHONE: _______________________ EMAIL: __________________________
NUMBER OF RESERVATIONS: _______ ENCLOSED CHECK FOR $_____
I ALSO WISH TO RESERVE _______ SEATS FOR THE APRIL 4TH PLAY READING.
Dietary Laws Observed
Please indicate your luncheon choice: ☐ Veggie Wrap ☐ Tuna on Rye ☐ Bagel with Cream Cheese and Lox
Discounts for local educators and students, and the UConn Stamford community, but advance registration is required.
Registration for the entire series only! Please respond by February 19, 2011
For more information call our office at (203) 251-9525 or write to stamfordcjmes@uconn.edu

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The Center for Judaic & Middle Eastern Studies at UConn, Stamford, offers credit courses within the academic curriculum in the Humanities as well as non-credit outreach programs for the community at large in all areas of Judaic culture, literature, and history, from antiquity to modern times, Israel, and Middle Eastern literature and politics, as well as in interfaith studies.

Celebrating its thirtieth year last fall, the Center has created a learning community around itself which gathers for intellectual pursuits and discussions of scholarly and contemporary issues. The Center has been recognized for its innovative programs in the areas of traditional academic education and particularly outreach projects. Since its inception, the Center has enjoyed broad community recognition and has been financially supported by individuals, foundations, corporate gifts, and matching grants.

The Center is a recipient agency of the United Jewish Federation of Greater Stamford, New Canaan and Darien.

For information on our current programs and the Certificate in Judaic & Middle Eastern Studies, please call 203-251-9525.

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Free Admission for
* February 24th Lecture
&
* April 4th Play Reading
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