



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14

2:00 – 2:30 pm	CONFERENCE OPENING	BB
2:30 – 3:30 pm	PLENARY SESSION	
	Martin and Debra Katz Keynote Lecture in Honor of Paul Melrood and Milton Katz Hasia Diner , <i>Heroes of the Road: Jewish Peddlers and the Great Migration</i> (E)	BB
4:00 – 5:00 pm	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	David Presler , "With a Song in My Heart" – Favorite Concert Selections accompanied by Gary Lawrence	BB
	Caren Neile , <i>From Belarus to Bronx: The Hero's Journey of Roslyn Bresnick-Perry</i> (E)	PI
	Barney Zumoff , <i>Great Yiddish Poetry by Women Poets</i> (Y/E)	PII
	Asya Vaisman Schulman , <i>Lomir ale zingen: using songs in teaching Yiddish</i> (Y/E)	PIII
6:00 – 7:30 pm	SHABES DINNER	BB
8:00 – 10:00 pm	ENTERTAINMENT	
	Jonathan Geffner (ventriloquist)	
	Yale Strom (violin)	
	Elizabeth Schwartz (vocals)	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15

7:00 – 8:30 am	EGALITARIAN SHAKHRIS, shames Refoyl Finkel	PIII
7:30 – 8:45 am	BREAKFAST	BB
9:00 – 10:00 am	PLENARY SESSION	
	Yiddish of Greater Washington Keynote Lecture Sarah Bunin Benor , <i>Mensch, Bentsh, and Pasken: Echoes of Yiddish in Contemporary American English</i> (E)	BB
10:30 – 11:30 am	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Yale Strom , <i>The Music of Chagall's Childhood: The Khasidim and Itinerant Klezmerim</i> (E)	SC
	Abraham Luski , <i>Pearls of the Yiddish Literature</i> (Y/E)	PI
	Marlis Humphrey , <i>Who Do You Think You Are Bubala? - An Introduction to Jewish Geneology</i> (E)	PIII
	Frank Handler , <i>The Heroism of Mendel Beylis and the Jews of the Ukraine</i> (E)	SA

11:45 – 1:45 pm	LUNCH & ENTERTAINMENT	
	Jane Pepler (vocals, violin, viola, English concertina)	BB
2:00 – 3:00 pm	PLENARY SESSION	
	Houston, Lexington, and Minneapolis Yiddish Clubs Keynote Lecture Maxine Schackman , <i>Yiddish Music and Song: the heart-beat of immigrant Jews.</i> (E)	BB
3:15 – 4:15 pm	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Karen Goodman , <i>Yiddish in Motion: The Dance Theatre of Benjamin Zemach</i> (E)	PI
	Dror Abend-David , <i>Life and Work of Yiddish Soviet Poet Dovid Hofshsteyn</i> (E)	SA
	Iosif Vaisman , <i>Likely and Unlikely Heroes of Jewish Czernowitz</i> (E)	PIII
	Etta Gold , <i>What Makes This a Jewish Book?</i> (E)	SB
	Dorothy Marden , <i>Yiddish Play Group Reading</i> (Y)	SC
4:30 – 5:30 pm	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Rochelle Zucker , <i>Tribute to Three Women of Song - Chana Mlotek, Beyle Schaechter Gottesman and Adrienne Cooper</i> (E)	PIII
	Hilda Rubin , <i>Using Undzer Oytser - Yiddish Poetry</i> (YIE)	SA
	Elizabeth Schwartz , <i>Romania, Romania: Searching for Schwartz</i> (film screening) (E)	PI
	Riva Ginsburg , <i>Jewish Resistance and the generation after the Holocaust</i> (E)	SC
6:30 – 7:30 pm	DINNER	BB
8:00 – 10:00 pm	ENTERTAINMENT	
	Cookie Blattman (vocals)	
	Naomi Miller (musical multimedia presentation)	
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16		
7:30 – 8:30 am	BREAKFAST	BB
9:00 – 10:00 am	PLENARY SESSION	
	Dr. Barnett Zumoff Keynote Lecture Mikhail Krutikov , <i>Dr Jakub Wygodzki: From a Real Mentsh to a Literary Hero.</i> (Y)	BB
10:30 – 11:30 am	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Genia Kutner , <i>My Illegal Immigration to Palestine</i> (E)	SA
	Refoyl Finkel , <i>Lomir Lernen a Blat Sholem Aleykhem</i> (Y)	PI

	Jane Pepler , <i>Yiddish Music From the Jazz Age: Singalong</i> (E/Y)	BB
	Claire Rolnik Aloof , <i>In Search of My Father's Poems: From Poland to France, North Africa, America and Brazil</i> (E)	SC
	Ruth Goodman , <i>Rabbis Gershom, Amnon and Rashi - Jewish Life in the Middle Ages</i> (Y)	PIII
12:00 – 2:00 pm	LUNCH & ENTERTAINMENT	
	Alejandra Czarny	BB
2:30 – 3:30 pm	PLENARY SESSION	
	Roberta Newman , <i>Dear Mendl, Dear Reyzl: Yiddish Letter Manuals from Russia and America</i> (E/Y)	BB
4:00 – 5:00 pm	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Leon Weissberg , <i>Yiddish: a Kingdom of its Own</i> (E)	PI
	Naomi Miller , <i>"You Are The Future"-a multi-media tribute to those who perished in the Holocaust</i> (E/Y)	BB
	Harold Ticktin , <i>Adam Biro - Yiddish Comic Writer</i> (Y)	SA
	Ruth Glasberg Gold , <i>A Woman's Story of Triumph Over Adversity</i> (E)	PII
	Abigail Hirsch , <i>Yiddish: a tale of survival</i> (film screening) (E)	PIII
5:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>Calling all Authors</i>	F
6:00 – 6:15 pm	<i>Seventh IAYC Yiddish Lifetime Achievement Award: Troim Katz Bliacher Handler</i>	BB
6:15 – 7:30 pm	DINNER	BB
8:00 – 10:00 pm	ENTERTAINMENT	
	David & Shira! - <i>Husband and Wife Duo</i> (vocals).	BB
10:00 – 11:00 pm	FILM SCREENING	
	Boris Sandler and Eddie Shraybman , <i>A little street in Rashkev</i> (Y, Screening of film about Yiddish writer Yekhiel Shraybman)	BB.
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17		
7:30 – 8:30 am	BREAKFAST	BB
9:00 – 10:00 am	PLENARY SESSION	
	IAYC Keynote Lecture in Honor of Fishl Kutner Gennady Estraiikh , <i>Heroism for the Czar Nikolas: Jewish Soldiers during World War I.</i> (Y)	BB
10:30 – 11:30 am	FILM SCREENING	
	Boris Sandler , <i>"Viina, My Viina".</i> (Y, Screening of film about Yiddish writer Avrom Karpinovitch)	BB
12:00 – 1:00 pm	LUNCH & CONFERENCE CLOSING	
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