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HARRY  
FISCHEL  
SCHOOL  
FOR  
HIGHER  
JEWISH  
STUDIES

1961 SUMMER PROGRAM

Amsterdam Avenue and 186th Street, New York 33, N. Y.

**T**HE primary purpose of the Harry Fischel School for Higher Jewish Studies is to promote advanced Jewish study and research through the instruction of a select group of graduate students. Students may choose from four major fields of study: Bible; Jewish History, Literature, and Philosophy; Rabbinic and Talmudic Studies; and Semitic Languages, Literatures and Cultures.



The Harry Fischel School brings together for two short summer terms rabbis, scholars, and community leaders who are unable to make use of these Yeshiva University special resources during the regular school year. While pursuing professional advancement, they broaden their understanding of a wide range of issues by exchanging ideas of mutual concern with the advice and assistance of recognized authorities. Small classes assure the maximum development of each student and the satisfaction of his specific needs. Students engage in individual research which enables them to contribute to Jewish knowledge and letters, and return to their communities as better informed and more effective leaders.

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Programs lead to the degrees of Master of Hebrew Literature, Master of Arts, Doctor of Hebrew Literature, and Doctor of Philosophy.

*Courses are offered in:*

American Jewish History

Arabic

Aramaic

Biblical Exegesis

Codes

Gaonic Literature

Halachic Literature

Hebrew Paleography

Hebrew Philosophy

History of the Jewish Community

History of the Jews in the Middle Ages

Institutions and Life in the

Second Commonwealth

Jewish Philosophy

Medieval Responsa as Historical Sources

Midrashic Literature

Modern Hebrew Literature

Modern Jewish History

Research Methods and Techniques

Syriac

Talmud – Structure and History



## FIRST SEMESTER

The First Semester begins on Monday, June 26 and ends on Thursday, July 20.

## SECOND SEMESTER

The Second Semester begins on Monday, July 24 and ends on Thursday, August 17.

Classes meet four days a week, Monday through Thursday.



Registration will be held on Monday, June 19 through Thursday, June 22 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Friday, June 23 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Room 237, Graduate Hall, Amsterdam Avenue and 186th Street, New York City.

A course consists of two hours per day for eight weeks (two semesters). Courses meeting for two hours a day for one semester count as half courses; those meeting for four hours a day for one semester count as full courses. Normally, students are allowed to take a maximum of one course, or two half courses during one semester. Accordingly, a course, or a year's work in a subject, may be completed in four weeks.



The Yeshiva University Residence Hall provides comfortable housing for students.

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## **BERNARD REVEL GRADUATE SCHOOL**

The Bernard Revel Graduate School seeks to develop a body of scholars highly trained in Jewish and cognate learning, thereby raising the standards of Jewish culture throughout the community. To this end, the Graduate School provides opportunities for original research and creative advanced study under the supervision of an outstanding faculty. By means of small classes and seminars, the student is guided toward the realization of his full potential as a scholar. Programs lead to the degrees of Master of Hebrew Literature, Master of Arts, Doctor of Hebrew Literature, and Doctor of Philosophy.

The entire program of the Bernard Revel Graduate School is offered during the summer by the Harry Fischel School for Higher Jewish Studies.

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