Call for Papers: Graduate Student Jewish Studies Workshop

IU/Purdue Jewish Studies Workshop

The Jewish Studies Programs of Purdue University and Indiana University announce a graduate student workshop in Jewish Studies to be held at Purdue University’s West Lafayette campus on Sunday, February 26 2017 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This program is designed to bring together graduate students to collaborate on current projects and share constructive feedback. It is also intended to build collaboration between these two programs by bringing together students and faculty of both and providing an informational lunch session to provide participants with an introduction into the resources and activities of each program.

At the workshop, three graduate students from each university will pre-circulate a complete draft of a current project to all other participants who will prepare detailed feedback to be shared at the workshop. The six projects accepted will be divided into two panels, a morning panel and an afternoon panel, each of which will be chaired by a faculty commentator that will be chosen based on the topics and offer detailed feedback. Between the two panels, a lunch program will be hosted for the participants and opened to all other Purdue faculty and graduate students who wish to attend and hear an informative presentation by an IU Jewish Studies Faculty representative about IU’s Jewish Studies Program and relevant resources available for Jewish Studies at IU.

Eligibility: Graduate Students currently enrolled at IU Bloomington or Purdue University, West Lafayette that will have research writing ready to circulate by December 15, 2017. This could include dissertation chapters, MA theses, articles for publication, or graduate research papers.

Travel and Parking stipends will be provided to IU students participating.

Application:

- A brief paragraph introducing yourself, your current student status, and your career goals.
- A 200-300 word description of research writing to be shared, including type and purpose of the piece and anticipated length.

Email submissions to Sean Sidky ssidky@umail.iu.edu and Marc Smith soldiersmitty@gmail.com.

Application Deadline: October 21

Students will be notified of decision by: October 31
Accepted Students will be asked to confirm their participation by November 7 and submit their paper to the above email addresses by December 15.