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# THE ADULT STUDY WEEKEND IS BACK!

## Come to Learn More About Israel Today

### Friday-Sunday, March 19-21, 2010

When the Henry S. Jacobs Camp was founded 40 years ago, its founders hoped that, in addition to fulfilling its core mission of serving as a residential summer camp for Jewish children from across the Deep South, the site would also become an educational center for the Jewish community of the region, providing opportunities for individuals of all ages to have an enriching Jewish experience at Camp.

**We are pleased to announce the return of the Adult Study Weekend to our annual schedule. Adults (21+) are invited to join us in Utica for a weekend of learning and fellowship.**

***Israel will be the theme of our study weekend!*** We are thrilled to be joined by Rabbi Rich Kirschen and Paul Liptz, the Director and Education Director respectively of the World Union for Progressive Judaism's Anita Saltz International Education Center in Jerusalem.



**Rabbi Rich Kirschen** teaches and lectures extensively on issues of public culture, sovereignty & religion in the Jewish State.

Before making Aliyah, he served as a Hillel director for eight years – first at the University of Michigan, and then at Brown University. Rabbi Kirschen recently finished his military service and had the honor of being at one time the oldest private in the Israeli army. He lives in Jerusalem with his wife Cara Saposnik (a documentary filmmaker), their three children (Gili, Liron & Ayal), and their dog (Michigan).



**Professor Paul Liptz** is a social historian who lectures in the Department of Middle Eastern and African History at Tel Aviv University, and in Israel Studies at the Hebrew Union College in Jerusalem. He has published articles on contemporary Jewry & Jewish History and has lectured & conducted workshops in 12 countries. In addition, he has traveled throughout Europe with numerous groups and is recognized as an outstanding Scholar-in-Residence capable of translating complex issues & realities into language we can all understand.

**REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!**

To download an application, visit  
[www.jacobs.urjcamps.org/yearround/](http://www.jacobs.urjcamps.org/yearround/)

#### TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

##### **Friday, March 19**

- 4:00-6:00 PM Registration Opens
- 6:00 PM Kabbalat Shabbat Service
- 6:30 PM Shabbat Dinner
- 8:00 PM Program: "Making Sense of Jewish Public Culture in Israel and the Diaspora" (Rich Kirschen)
- 9:30 PM Oneg Shabbat

##### **Saturday, March 20**

- 8:00 AM Breakfast
- 9:00 AM Shabbat Morning Service
- 10:30 AM Program: "Maximalism & Minimalism: Confusing Questions for Israel in 2010" (Paul Liptz)
- 12:00 PM Lunch
- 1:00 PM Afternoon Free Time, Rest Time
- 4:00 PM Program: "The Changing Face of the Middle East" (Paul Liptz)
- 6:00 PM Dinner
- 7:00 PM Havdallah
- 7:15 PM Program: "Jewish Responses to Power and Powerlessness" (Rich Kirschen)
- 9:00 PM Late Night Film & Discussion

##### **Sunday, March 21**

- 8:00 AM Breakfast
- 9:00 AM Lecture: "The Future of Jerusalem" (Paul Liptz)
- 10:00 AM Program: "Like All the Nations? Reform Judaism in Israel Today" (Rich Kirschen)
- 12:00 PM Lunch, Departure



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# ADULT STUDY WEEKEND REGISTRATION FORM

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**(Registration Deadline is March 3<sup>rd</sup> – or when we reach capacity!)**

## PARTICIPANT INFORMATION (please print):

#1 - First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

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Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Congregational Affiliation, City/State (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Special Dietary Needs (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Special Information We Need to Know (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

## HOUSING REQUEST (Check One):

\*Participants will be housed in double-occupancy private- or shared-bath rooms with linens provided.

House me with Spouse/Partner  House me with \_\_\_\_\_

No Roommate Preference  Single Private Room Preferred (extra charge of \$40)

## FEE - \$180/PERSON (Includes full program, all meals, housing w/linens provided)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ = Registration Fee (\_\_\_\_ # of Registrants X \$180/Person)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ = Single Private Room Add-On (\$40)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ = **TOTAL ENCLOSED** (Make checks payable to "URJ Henry S. Jacobs Camp")

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

(a) Applications must arrive with full-payment for processing. (b) In the event of cancellation after the registration deadline, a full refund less a \$20 deposit will be issued following the event. (c) It is mutually understood that the URJ Henry S. Jacobs Camp accepts no responsibility for loss or damage to any participant's property. (d) All event participants are expected to respect and observe the rules and regulations of the camp. (e) Jacobs Camp may use any photograph or likeness of myself for camp publicity. (f) In case of medical emergency, I hereby give permission to the camp director and/or representative to authorize the administration of healthcare services by a physician or other healthcare service provider. *My signature indicates that I have read the above information & I agree to the terms set forth therein.*

Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Send completed applications (with full payment) to: URJ Henry S. Jacobs Camp – 3863 Morrison Road – Utica MS 39175