Postdoctoral Fellowship in The American Jewish Experience

The University of Denver, the Center for Judaic Studies, and the Rocky Mountain Jewish Historical Society announce a new Postdoctoral Research Fellowship in the American Jewish Experience for a term of up to three years.

The fellowship provides scholars in a wide range of fields the unique opportunity to engage directly with The Ira M. & Perle Hayutin Beck Archives and the Rocky Mountain Jewish Historical Society through the lens of their own disciplinary areas of expertise. The successful fellow will connect creative classroom learning with in-depth original scholarship while expanding the reach and impact of our unique collection and helping ensure the longevity of the Archives and the Society for generations to come.

The Beck Archives, working in tandem with the Society to preserve and publicize the vibrant Jewish history of the Rocky Mountain region, boasts a strongly interdisciplinary collection (the largest in the region), with holdings in literature and poetry, drama, visual and performance arts, music, culinary arts, healthcare, political and social action records, and Soviet Jewry and Holocaust materials. Its vast collection of historical materials includes records from the Jewish Consumptives' Relief Society and National Jewish Hospital, beautiful examples of 19th & 20th century women's fashion, unique Judaica, personal records, and rare documents.

Broad support for this project is vital to its creation and longevity. We hope you will consider partnering with the Society, the Beck Archives, Judaic Studies, and the University on this important initiative. To discuss giving opportunities, please contact Isabel McKenzie as listed below.

Inset picture: Robert Lazar Miller and his grandson at the Denver Stockyards, ca. 1935; courtesy of the Beck Archives

| Current annual cost of a post-doctoral fellow at DU: | $55,000 | Cost for a post-doctoral fellow for 3 years: | $165,000 | Endowed post-doctoral position in perpetuity: | $1,230,000 |

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