MONDAY, JUNE 27, 2022

8:30 am–6:00 pm  Registration Desk Open

9:30 am–10:45 am  Tour of the National Museum of American Jewish History (FULL)

10:00 am–11:00 am  Exhibit Hall Open Ballroom
Newcomer’s Welcome Concourse Lobby

10:00 am–5:00 pm  Museum Store Open

11:00 am–1:00 pm  Lunch and Keynote Address: Ballroom
Dr. Ellen Frankel on “Jewish Publishing in America”

1:00 pm–6:00 pm  Exhibit Hall Open Ballroom

1:15 pm–2:45 pm  SESSION I
□ Recommended Reads from the AJL Fiction Award Committee Dell Theater
□ Documenting History through Collections Concourse Lobby

3:00 pm–4:30 pm  SESSION II
□ Digital Infrastructures for Archival Collections 3rd Floor Freedom Experience
□ Meet the AJL Fiction Award Winners: Derek B. Miller & Jai Chakrabarti Dell Theater
□ In Real Life (IRL): Building and Updating Physical Judaica Collections Concourse Lobby

4:30 pm–5:00 pm  Book Sales & Signing with the AJL Fiction Award Winners Museum Store

4:45 pm–5:45 pm  SESSION III
□ LGBTQIA+ Representation in Jewish Children’s Literature Concourse Lobby
□ Library of Congress Israel and Judaica Section Update 3rd Floor Freedom Experience

6:00 pm–7:00 pm  Dinner Break (on your own; kosher meals available with advance reservations)

6:00 pm–12:00 am  Hospitality Suite Wyndham Hotel/Adams Room

7:30 pm–9:00 pm  Ladino Culture from Yesterday to Today: A Musical Journey with Sarah Aroeste
Dell Theater (Reserve a ticket here)

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**Tuesday, June 28, 2022**

7:30 am–8:45 am  Breakfast *Ballroom*

8:00 am–8:45 am  Book Discussion: *How to Find Your Way in the Dark* by Derek Miller *Ballroom*

8:30 am–6:00 pm  Registration Desk Open

8:30 am–5:00 pm  Exhibit Hall Open *Ballroom*

9:00 am–10:30 am  **SESSION IV**

- The Changing Landscape of Jewish Children’s and Young Adult Books *Dell Theater*
- Nonfiction Favorites from the Sophie Brody Book Award Committee *Concourse Lobby*
- Highlighting Reference Sources and Research in Jewish Studies *3rd Floor Freedom Experience*

10:00 am–5:00 pm  Museum Store Open

10:45 am–11:30 am  Schools, Synagogues, Centers, and Public Libraries (SSCPL) Division Meeting

*Concourse Lobby*

Research Libraries, Archives, and Special Collections (RAS) Division Meeting

*3rd Floor Freedom Experience*

11:30 am–12:15 pm  AJL General Membership Meeting and Installation of the 2022–2024 Board *Dell Theater*

12:30 pm–1:30 pm  Lunch and the Presentation of the Fanny Goldstein Merit Award *Ballroom*

**SESSION V**

2:00 pm–3:15 pm  Tales in the Diversity of the Judaica Collections at the New York Public Library

*3rd Floor Freedom Experience*

2:00 pm–4:00 pm  A Fresh Look at Jewish Historical Fiction: The 2022 Sydney Taylor Book Award Winners

*Dell Theater*

3:30 pm–4:30 pm  Cataloging, Metadata, and Access at National Libraries

*3rd Floor Freedom Experience*

Tour of the National Museum of American Jewish History *(FULL)*

4:00 pm–4:30 pm  Book Sales & Signing with the Sydney Taylor Award Winners

*Concourse Lobby*

4:30 pm–6:00 pm  **SESSION VI**

- Institutional Collections: Materiality and Accessibility
  *3rd Floor Freedom Experience*

- Heroes, Survivors, and Upstanders: The 2022 Sydney Taylor Honor Books
  *Dell Theater*

- Jewish Publishing in the 21st Century
  *Classroom*

6:30 pm–8:30 pm  Awards Banquet *Ballroom*

9:00 pm–12:00 am  Hospitality Suite *Wyndham Hotel/Adams Room*

9:00 pm–10:30 pm  Happy Hour with the Jewish Kidlit Mavens Facebook Group

Library Student Happy Hour *Wyndham Hotel Bar*

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**Wednesday, June 29, 2022**

7:30 am–8:45 am  Breakfast *Ballroom*
Meet Your AJL Chapter *Ballroom*

9:00 am–12:30 pm  Registration Desk Open

9:00 am–10:30 am  **SESSION VII**

- Jewish GLAM: Collecting Contemporary Judaica Across Galleries, Libraries, Archives, and Museums *Dell Theater*
- Birds of a Feather: SSCPL Roundtables *Concourse Lobby*

10:00 am–5:00 pm  Museum Store Open

10:45 am–12:15 pm  **SESSION VIII**

- Recommended Recent Jewish Children's Books *Concourse Lobby*
- Jewish Books on the Move *Dell Theater*

12:30 pm–2:00 pm  Lunch and the Feinstein Lecture: *Ballroom*
Dr. Arthur Kiron on “Who Owns Jewish Cultural Heritage?”

2:30 pm–4:30 pm  Walking Tour of Historic Jewish Philadelphia ($15; reservations required)

2:45 pm–4:15 pm  Tour of the Rare Book Room at the Katz Center for Advanced Judaic Studies at the University of Pennsylvania (FULL)

**NOTE:** There is an additional pre-conference tour of the Rosenbach Library and Museum on **Sunday, June 26, 2:00 - 4:00 pm** ($15; reservations required) and a post-conference tour of the National Constitution Center on **Thursday, June 30 at 10:00 am** (free; reservations required).

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**For More Information:**
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