Ukrainian Catholic University in Lviv

"Outlines of the Jewish Modern History"

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The syllabus of the course:

Preface. Jewish History: Chronology and peculiarity

- 1. Ideological and Social Foundations of Jewish Traditional Society
- 2. Legal Status and Economic Life of Jewish Medieval Community
- 3. Traditional Kehillah and its Institutions
- 4. Sabbatean Movement and the Crisis of Religious Authority
- 5. Philosophers, Freethinkers and Rabbies: the Portuguese Jewish Community of Amsterdam
- 6. Absolutism and the Jews: Hofjuden
- 7. Hasidism and its opponents
- 8. Out of the Ghetto: Emancipation and the Jewish Enlightenment (Haskala)
- 9. Jewish Religion Tradition and the Modernity: Reform and Orthodoxy
- 10. European Nationalism and the Jews
- 11. Modern Jewish Political Movements