 Course Name:

Women in Jewish Law

**Type of course :** Lecture

**Year of Studies:** 2021-2022 **Semester:** Spring  **Hours/credits**: 2

**Instructor**: *Mrs. M. Schwartz*

**Course Description:** This course is designed to be a springboard for discussion about the halachic and philosophical issues that relate to -Jewish women.

**The Process of the Course:** Discussion based on sourcebook of primary and secondary sources which will serve as the required readings for the course.

**Detailed Lesson plan:**

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| Comment | Required Reading | Topic of the Lesson | Number of Lesson |
|  |  | Self Esteem | 1 |
|  |  | Chessed | 2 |
|  |  | Dating and Relationships | 3 |
|  |  | Family Purity 1 | 4 |
|  |  | Family Purity 2 | 5 |
|  |  | Family Purity 3 | 6 |
|  |  | Yichud | 7 |
|  |  | Marital Intimacy | 8 |
|  |  | Challah/Shabbat Candles | 9 |
|  |  | Divorce/Agunah Crisis | 10 |
|  |  | Mikvah Trip | 11 |
|  |  | Final Exam | 12 |

**Course requirements**

Attendance

Participation in Discussion

**Grade Components (Number grade)**

Attendance/Participation 25%

Midterm Assignment 25%

Final Exam 50%

#### Required Readings:

#### Sourcebook

#### Readings distributed for the Midterm Assignment for each semester