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 jewish ritual and practice this volume provides a contemporary guide to this significant aspect of religious life and experience
 drawing on a wide range of disciplines this volume describes not only what takes place but the reasons behind this and the
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from the sixteenth century on hundreds of portuguese new christians began to flow to venice and livorno in italy and to amsterdam and hamburg in northwest europe in those cities and later in london bordeaux and bayonne as well iberian conversos established their own jewish communities openly adhering to judaism despite the features these communities shared with other confessional groups in exile what set them apart was very significant in contrast to other european confessional communities whose religious affiliation was uninterrupted the western sephardic jews came to judaism after a separation of generations from the religion of their ancestors in this edited volume several experts in the field detail the religious and cultural changes that occurred in the early modern western sephardic communities highly recommended for all academic and jewish libraries david b levy touro college nyc in association of jewish libraries news and reviews 1 2 2019

groundbreaking essays on sephardic jewish families in the ottoman empire and western sephardic communities

this volume on jewish studies presents surveys of today s interests and directions in the humanities and social sciences it covers the main areas taught and researched as part of jewish studies in universities throughout the world especially in europe the us and israel

ladino on the internet constitutes the first critical and systematic account written in english on the online revitalisation of ladino this book conclusively demonstrates that nowadays the global ladino speaking community connects first and foremost online which calls for a full comprehensive examination of the web based development of the sephardic diaspora including that of ladino as a qualitatively different stage termed sepharad 4 in this monograph drawing upon the methodological framework of revivalistics and including a comparative analysis with similar initiatives apropos yiddish this volume analyses case studies including youtube digital archives social media platforms language learning apps online schools and ladino on netflix plus on 3 0 platforms this monograph will appeal to scholars and postgraduate students seeking to familiarise themselves with the use of technological tools to further the revitalisation of endangered languages such as ladino the open access version of this book available at taylorfrancis com has been made available under a creative commons attribution non commercial no derivatives cc by 4 0 license

at the intersection of jewish studies and linguistic research the essays assembled in this book approach the topic of the languages of sephardic jews from different perspectives spanning chronologically from the middle ages to the present day drawing on diverse sources from medical glossaries to inquisition archives from rabbinic responsa to recordings of today s speakers the scholars collaborating on this project have endeavoured to reconstruct fragments of a complex and elusive linguistic reality which over the centuries has been shaped by the historical experience of its speakers an innovative collection of rigorously conducted synchronic and diachronic studies that contributes to expanding our knowledge and opening new perspectives on crucial issues such as the effects of contact on the linguistic structures the possibility of a norm for polycentric languages the relationship between the

lexicon of a language and the vitality of its speech community

in 2015 both portugal and spain passed laws enabling descendants of sephardi jews to obtain citizenship an historic offer of reconciliation for jews who were forced to undergo conversions or expelled from iberia nearly half a millennia ago drawing on the memory of the expulsion from sepharad the scholarly and personal essays in reparative citizenship for sephardi descendants analyze the impact of reconciliation laws on descendants and contemporary forms of citizenship

this book offers sociological and structural descriptions of language varieties used in over 2 dozen jewish communities around the world along with synthesizing and theoretical chapters language descriptions focus on historical development contemporary use regional and social variation structural features and hebrew aramaic loanwords the book covers commonly researched language varieties like yiddish judeo spanish and judeo arabic as well as less commonly researched ones like judeo tat jewish swedish and hebraized amharic in israel today

a significant number of sephardic jews tracing their remote origins to spain and portugal immigrated to the united states from turkey greece and the balkans from 1880 through the 1920s joined by a smaller number of mizrahi jews arriving from arab lands most sephardim settled in new york establishing the leading judeo spanish community outside the ottoman empire with their distinct languages cultures and rituals sephardim and arab speaking mizrahim were not readily recognized as jews by their ashkenazic coreligionists at the same time they forged alliances outside jewish circles with hispanics and arabs with whom they

shared significant cultural and linguistic ties the failure among ashkenazic jews to recognize sephardim and mizrahim as fellow jews continues today more often than not these jewish communities are simply absent from portrayals of american jewry drawing on primary sources such as the ladino judeo spanish press archival documents and oral histories sephardic jews in america offers the first book length academic treatment of their history in the united states from 1654 to the present focusing on the age of mass immigration

the discipline of world literature has traditionally focused on written literatures particularly the novel with little emphasis placed on the unwritten verbal arts despite the significance of oral literary expressions around the world in the past as in the present this volume redresses this gap by putting the discipline of world literature into dialogue with scholarship on orature and folklore it asks what does world literature look like if we start from orature from oral texts and utterances and from the performances and audiences that support it featuring contributions from an international array of scholars oral literary worlds explores oral traditions from three multilingual regions the maghreb east africa and south asia essays discuss a variety of vernacular genres from swahili tumbuizo to na o folk songs shedding light on less studied forms of vernacular oral production collectively the contributions critique the characterisation of oral traditions as static and pre modern and underscore the contemporary relevance of orature to cultural and political discourse oral literary worlds offers a timely and accessible perspective on world literature through the lens of orature moving away from traditional hierarchies and dichotomies that have characterised previous scholarship it aims to open up new ways of thinking through local and transnational textual circulation literary power dynamics the interaction between textuality and

audiences and aesthetic philosophies this volume will be an invaluable resource for scholars of world literature folklore and performance studies and will further interest teachers and students of popular culture literature of dissent and music

discusses the history of the final century of the jewish community of monastir now bitola in macedonia which originated in the ottoman empire and ended its days under occupation by nazi allied bulgaria ch 9 pp 169 189 the holocaust recounts the nazification of policies toward the jews in bulgarian occupied macedonia where nuremberg like laws and ghettoization were introduced followed by aryanization of businesses and robbery by taxation registration of all jewish adults in bulgaria facilitated deportation which due to protests by prominent bulgarian non jews was limited to stateless residents of bulgarian occupied territories almost all of monastir s jews were deported to treblinka where 3 276 of them were gassed the small number who escaped deportation were spared as doctors or foreign nationals some jews managed to flee and join partisan groups pp 203 250 contain a list of names with addresses ages and occupations of the jews from monastir who were killed in treblinka

this rich interdisciplinary collection of articles offers fascinating new insights into the history and culture of sephardic jewry both in pre expulsion iberia and throughout the far flung diaspora

modern spain and the sephardim legitimizing identities addresses the legal political symbolic and conceptual consequences of the development of a new framework of relations between the spanish state and the descendants of the jews expelled from the iberian kingdoms in 1492 from its beginnings in the nineteenth century to its unexpected consequences during world war ii this

book aims to understand and explain the unchallenged idea of the sephardim as a mix of spaniard and jew that emerged in spain in the second half of the nineteenth century maite ojeda mata examines the processes that led to this ambivalent conceptualization of sephardic identity as both spanish and jewish and its consequences for the sephardic jews

winner of the memo palestine book awards 2017 spanning several decades ella shohat s work has introduced conceptual frameworks that fundamentally challenged conventional understandings of palestine zionism and the middle east focusing on the pivotal figure of the arab jew this book gathers together her most influential political essays interviews speeches testimonies and memoirs as well as previously unpublished material defying the binarist and eurocentric arab versus jew rendering of the israeli palestinian conflict shohat s work has dared to engage with the deeper historical and cultural questions swirling around colonialism orientalism and nationalism shohat s paradigm shifting work unpacks such fraught issues as the anomalies of the national colonial in zionist discourse the narrating of jewish pasts in muslim spaces the links and distinctions between the dispossession of the nakba and the dislocation of arab jews the traumatic memories triggered by partition and border crossing the echoes within islamophobia of the anti semitic figure of the jew and the efforts to imagine a possible future inter communal convivencia shohat s transdisciplinary perspective illuminates the cultural politics in and around the middle east juxtaposing texts of various genres written in divergent contexts the book offers a vivid sense of the author s intellectual journey

beginning with the informal establishment of jewish orthodoxy by a hungarian rabbi in the early nineteenth century this book traces

the history and legacy of jewish hungarian orthodoxy over the course of the last 200 years to date no single book has provided a comprehensive overview of the history of hungarian orthodoxy a singularly zealous fundamental and separatist faction within jewish circles this book describes and explains the impact of this strand of jewish orthodoxy developed in hungary in the second half of the nineteenth century across the jewish world the author traces the development of hungarian orthodoxy in the new jewish territories created in the wake of hungary s dismantlement following its defeat in world war i the book also focuses on hungarian orthodoxy in the two spheres where it continued to develop after the holocaust namely israel and the united states the book concludes with a review of hungarian orthodoxy s legacy in contemporary communities worldwide most of which are known for their radical anti zionist and anti modernistic strands the book will prove vital reading for students and academics interested in religious fundamentalism hungarian history and jewish studies generally

in this epic examination a celebrated historian explores the evolution of judaism and islam through a lens of middle eastern stability publishers weekly the relationship between jews and muslims has been a flashpoint that affects stability in the middle east with global consequences in this eloquent book martin gilbert presents a fascinating account of the hope and fear that have characterized these two peoples through the 1 400 years of their intertwined history harking back to the biblical story of ishmael and isaac gilbert takes the reader from the origins of the fraught relationship the refusal of medina s jews to accept mohammed as a prophet through the ages of the crusader reconquest of the holy land and the great muslim sultanates to the present day he explores the impact of zionism in the early twentieth century the clash of nationalisms during the second world war the mass

expulsions and exodus of 800 000 jews from muslim lands following the birth of israel the six day war and the political sensitivities of the current middle east ishmael s house sheds light on a time of prosperity and opportunity for jews in muslim lands stretching from morocco to afghanistan with many instances of muslim openness support and courage drawing on jewish christian and muslim sources gilbert uses archived material poems letters memoirs and personal testimony to uncover the human voice of this centuries old conflict ultimately gilbert s moving account of mutual tolerance between muslims and jews provides a perspective on current events and a template for the future a reliable source and a pleasure to read herman wouk pulitzer prize winning author of the caine mutiny moving and important the independent

the first collection to emphasize the complex interaction between gender and postcoloniality most people in the world from africa to asia and beyond live in the aftermath of colonialism their day to day lives are defined by their past history as colonized peoples often in ways that are subtle or hard to define in dangerous liaisons eminent contributors address the issues raised by the postcolonial condition considering nationhood history gender and identity from an inter disciplinary perspective among the questions they address are what are the boundaries of race and ethnicity in a diasporic world how have women been so effectively excluded from national power what have been the historical aftermaths of different forms of colonialism what are the cultural and political consequences of colonial partitions of the nation state representing an essential intervention dangerous liaisons is a crucial guidebook for those concerned with understanding postcoloniality at the moment when it is becoming more and more widely discussed

this book traces the history of early seventeenth century portuguese sephardic traders who settled in two communities on senegal s petite côte there they lived as public jews under the spiritual guidance of a rabbi sent to them by the newly established portuguese jewish community in amsterdam in senegal the jews were protected from agents of the inquisition by local muslim rulers the petite côte communities included several jews of mixed portuguese african heritage as well as african wives offspring and servants the blade weapons trade was an important part of their commercial activities these merchants participated marginally in the slave trade but fully in the arms trade illegally supplying west african markets with swords this blade weapons trade depended on artisans and merchants based in morocco lisbon and northern europe and affected warfare in the sahel and along the upper guinea coast after members of these communities moved to the united provinces around 1620 they had a profound influence on relations between black and white jews in amsterdam the study not only discovers previously unknown jewish communities but by doing so offers a reinterpretation of the dynamics and processes of identity construction throughout the atlantic world

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