10:15 AM – 10:30 PM: Welcome and Refreshments

10:30 AM – 12:00 PM: Session 1: Co-Authoring Scholarship on Jewish Argentina and Jewish Canada
Chair: David M.K. Sheinin, Trent University
Robert Brym, University of Toronto David Koffman, York University
Yolande Cohen, Université de Québec à Montréal Ruth Panofsky, Toronto Metropolitan University

12:00 – 2:00 PM: Lunch n’ Launch: Catered ACJS Book Launches
Randal Schnoor (York University) and Robert Brym (University of Toronto), *The Ever-Dying People? Canada's Jews in Comparative Perspective*
Norman Ravvin, Concordia University, *Who Gets In? An Immigration Story*

2:00 – 3:30 PM: Session 2: "Why Don’t You Digitize Everything?": Prioritizing and Strategizing in the Area of Digital Copying for Researchers
Chair: Janice Rosen
Donna Bernardo-Ceriz, Ontario Jewish Archives, Toronto
Sarah Benlolo Digital Archivist, Jewish Public Library Archives
Melissa Castron, Archives Technician, Alex Dworkin Canadian Jewish Archives

4:00 – 5:00 PM: Session 3: Pop Culture
Chair: TBD
Jonathan Slater, SUNY Plattsburgh: *If Superman is Jewish, why is he Working in Montreal Disguised as Charles Leblanc?*
Sigrid Thomsen, University of Vienna: “I’m Growing Where I’m Going to Grow and That’s in Multiple Directions”: *Fluidities of Genre and Identity in Shiva Baby and Periphery*

6:00 – 8:00 PM: Louis Rosenberg Canadian Jewish Studies Distinguished Service Award Presentation to Morton Weinfeld, Followed by Discussion on Toronto Holocaust Museum
Location: Accolade West (Address: 89 York Blvd, Room ACW 307)
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8:00 – 10:00 AM: Annual General Meeting and Open Board Meeting

10:00 AM – 11:30 AM: Session 4: Community Affairs
Chair: TBD
Anna Sheftel and Naomi Frost, Concordia University; and Sonia Bazar, Independent: What Can the Dead Teach us about the Living? Studying Jewish Migration and Integration Through Montreal’s Back River Cemetery
Joanna Krongold, University of Toronto: “Common Knowledge”: Antisemitism and the Quota System at the University of Toronto’s Faculty of Medicine
Ovgu Ulgen, Université de Montréal: Understanding Pluralism Through the Lens of Language and Recognition: Francophone and Hispanophone Jewish Immigrants in Canada

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM: Lunch Break

1:00 – 2:00 PM: Session 5: Individuals
Chair: TBD
Peter Usher, Independent: The Making of a Jewish Hero
Tyler Wentzell, University of Toronto: From Port Arthur to the Hitler Line: Lieutenant Benjamin Cowan in the Second World War

2:30 – 4:00 PM: Session 6: Holocaust Memorialization
Chair: TBD
Audrey Bélanger, Université de Sherbrooke: Étudier l’histoire de l’Holocauste à l’aide d’un récit mémoriel: proposition d’un dispositif interdisciplinaire
Belarie Hyman Zatzman, York University: Performing Objects: Responding to the “Heart from Auschwitz”
Hadassah Danit O’Reilly, Independent: The Evidence Room Exhibition: Engaging in the Act of Seeing the Forensic Architecture of Auschwitz Crematorium II from a Visual Art Perspective

4:00 – 6:00 PM: Dinner Break

6:00 – 8:00 PM: Exhibition and Roundtable at the Archives of Ontario (on York campus):
Belonging and Identity in Canada: Canadian Jewish Studies in conversation with other Canadian Studies
Location: Archives of Ontario; 134 Ian MacDonald Blvd, George Spragge Classroom
Chair: Vardit Lightstone, University of Maryland
Satwinder Bains, University of the Fraser Valley
Paul Gareau, University of Alberta
Athanasios (Sakis) Gekas, York University
Respondent: David S. Koffman, York University
Exhibit Curators: Amir Lavie
Roberto Perin, York University
David Wilson, University of Toronto
Satwinder Bains, University of the Fraser Valley
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Exhibit Curators: Amir Lavie
Simon Vickers
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9:00 – 10:00 AM: Extra meeting time if required

10:00 - 11:30 AM: Session 7: Québec
Chair: TBD
Ira Robinson, Concordia University: The Contextualization of Canada in an Early Twentieth Century Montreal Yiddish Newspaper
Ori Werdiger, University of Toronto: Léon Askenazi in Montreal
Simone Grossman, Bar Ilan University: Les voix poétiques réunies de Rachel Korn et Chantal Ringuet dans Forêt en chambre

11:30 – 1:00 PM: Lunch Break

1:00 – 2:30 PM: Session 8: Community Affairs II
Chair: Randal Schnoor
Rebecca Mintz, York University: Eating Disorders and Orthodox Jewish Life: Navigating the Conflict between Jewish Identity and Mental Health
Deniz Sheikh-Hassani, York University: Transgender Jewish Life in Orthodox Jewish Communities
Aaliah Lewis, York University: Understanding the Complex Identity of Black Jews in Canada and the US

3:00 – 4:30 PM: Session 9: Jews and Gentiles
Chair: TBD
David Weinfeld, Rowan University: The Canadian Council for Christians and Jews in Comparative Perspective
Peter Kopplin, University of Toronto: Dr “Jakey” Markowitz: Anglophilic Jungle Surgeon — Academic Hero

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