

# Kol Mevasser:

## The Voice of Jewish Studies at CU-Boulder

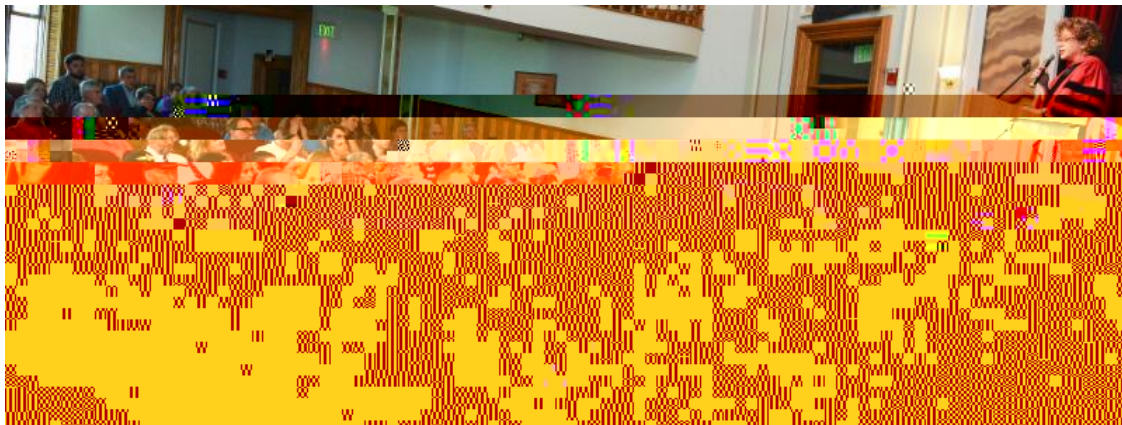
### Letter from our Director, Nan Goodman



In Act I, Scene 1 of the Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman play, "You Can't Take It With You," the character known as Grandpa, the patriarch of the eccentric Vanderhof family, returns home after attending the graduation ceremony at Columbia University, which he does every year for the sheer fun of it. "Well sir, you should have been there," he announces. "That's all I can say-you should have been there."

Allow me to echo Grandpa's words. The Program in Jewish Studies graduated 14 undergraduates, one Master's student, and our very first PhD student on May 6, 2016, and "you should have been there." [Read More](#)

### Congratulations to our 2015-2016 Graduates!



On May 6, 2016, the Program in Jewish Studies along with family, friends, faculty and community members celebrated the accomplishments of the Jewish Studies class of 2015-2016. This year, we graduated six Jewish Studies majors, eight minors, and awarded two graduate student endorsements. We also honored our numerous scholarship, fellowship and award winners and interns.

All of our students are doing incredible things after graduation and with their awards. Click the links below to learn more.

### Graduating Class of 2015-2016:

#### Majors in Jewish Studies

Alexis Brooke Aeng  
David Thomas Coons  
Michelle De Nardis

#### Minors in Jewish Studies

Michelle Christine Ferris  
Alex Kareene Giltz  
Emily Rose Goodman

Benjamin Israel Sanders  
Paul Schirmer  
Henry Ostrom White

Rachel Brooke Rappaport  
Kayla Eve Soskin

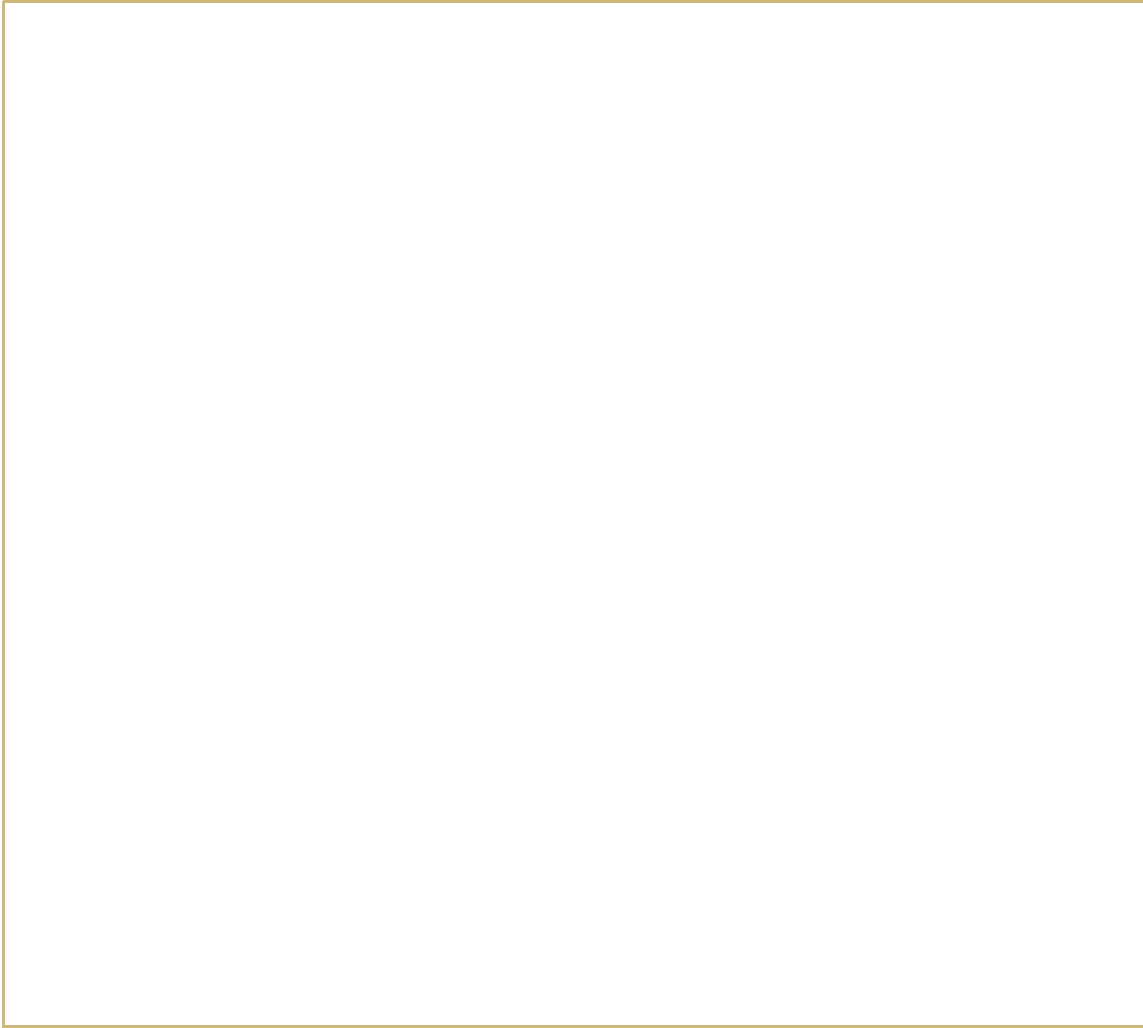
**Minors in Hebrew and Israel Studies**

Aliza Gayelle Gold  
Michelle De Nardis  
Jeffrey Silverstein

**Graduate Endorsement Recipients**

Kathryn Agnes Huether  
Nicholas Lee Underwood

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**Liora Halperin**, Assistant Professor of History and Jewish Studies, gave lectures about her book, *Babel in Zion:*

**Yonatan Malin**, Associate Professor of Music Theory

**Eyal Rivlin**, Hebrew Language Instructor, received a CU-Engage

*Jews, Language, and Nationalism in Palestine, 1920-1948* at Middlebury College (VT) and the University of Oxford. [Read More](#)

