

JEWISH ARGENTINA VIRTUAL TOUR

Live via Zoom meeting



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Session 1: April 28th, 8 pm.

Immigration and history of the Jews in Argentina between the 16th century and WWII. Inquisition in Latin America. Jewish Gauchos. A pogrom in Buenos Aires. Q&A.
(Duration: 90 minutes)

Session 2: May 5th, 8 pm.

Argentina during WWII. Nazis in Latin America. Eichmann. Terror attacks. Political and economic crisis. Emigration waves. Antisemitism. Jewish life and Culture today. Q&A.
(Duration: 90 minutes)



Claudia Hercman is an Argentinian tour guide and translator. She is also a sculptor and painter, whose main subjects are Memory and Uprooting, in honour of her four grandparents who emigrated from Poland to Argentina in the '30s. Claudia was born and raised in Buenos Aires, into the Argentinian Jewish community. Twenty years ago, she became bored of translating books with a computer as her only company, so she decided to study tourism and history. She has been conducting city, art and Jewish tours ever since, and enjoying every single moment of it. And then, 2020 arrived, and with it the pandemic, which forced her to go back to spending time with her computer. So she decided to create these virtual Jewish tours as an excuse to be able to talk to people and meet new friends from all over the world, while helping them explore the history of the Jews in Argentina.

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