

Position: Director, Koschitzky Centre for Jewish Studies

ORU: Koschitzky Centre for Jewish Studies (CJS)

Term Start and End Date: July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2027

Application Due Date: November 15, 2021

Applications and nominations are invited for the position of Director of the Koschitzky Centre for Jewish Studies for a term of five years, to begin July 1, 2022.

The Israel and Golda Koschitzky Centre for Jewish Studies was founded in 1989. In addition to its ORU mandate as a centre for cutting-edge research on the broad range of Jewish Studies and its dissemination through publications, lectures, conferences, and symposia, the Centre also oversees a graduate diploma program, a program in Jewish Teacher Education, maintains close relations with the B.A. program in Jewish Studies, and plays an important role as a liaison between York and the broader non-academic community.

Position Requirements:

Applicants are expected to be members of the full-time faculty at York University, and to have a distinguished record of scholarship and research interests. The Director is expected to administer the financial, organizational and academic and collegial activities of the ORU, to develop external funding sources, and to maintain an active individual and collaborative research program. The Director of the Centre reports to the Associate Vice-President Research, Jennifer Hyndman.

Stipend and Course Release:

The successful applicant will receive an administrative stipend and the appropriate course load reduction as stipulated by the YUFA Collective Agreement.

Application Process:

Applications and nominations (including curriculum vitae and the names of three references who may be contacted) should be sent to Tiffany Pollock, ORU Research Manager (tpoll@yorku.ca).

Applicants are also asked to submit a statement about their vision for the Centre including goals, objectives, strategy of action and leadership style.

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