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Women's
Archive

REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY 2012



“Imagine learning about Jewish women who stood for justice during the Civil Rights Movement... It was an honor, a privilege, and a gift.”

— Institute participant Lillian Rappaport



{ GREETINGS FROM JWA LEADERSHIP

Dear Friends,

It is an honor to present the Jewish Women's Archive's 2012 Report to the Community.

For the past 16 years, JWA has been rescuing the stories of American Jewish women from obscurity, then preserving and transmitting them to inform and inspire a growing number of people of all ages and backgrounds.

Nearly 1.2 million people joined the ever-expanding JWA family this year: the educators who participated in our summer Institute, the growing online community that follows JWA's lively blog, the pre-teen girls exploring their emerging identities on MyBatMitzvahStory.org, the researchers, students, and curious members of the public who sought to learn more about any of the 5,000 Jewish women whose stories are told on jwa.org.

The word is getting out: jwa.org is the place to tap into the rich legacy of American Jewish women, women who advanced the arts and sciences, built businesses, led movements for social change, and changed one life at a time as teachers, healers, mothers, and grandmothers.

It is you, the individuals and institutions listed on pages 9-11 of this report who make it all possible. Your support ensures that anytime anyone anywhere in the world needs to hear these inspiring stories, jwa.org is there.

And there are so many more stories that need saving. With your help, we will continue our mission to "uncover, chronicle, and transmit" these stories so future generations will discover and define what it means to be a Jewish woman in America.

As you will see in these pages, JWA is now a typical 16-year-old, with boundless energy and exciting dreams for the future. We look forward to creating that future together with you.

Gail Twersky Reimer, *Executive Director*

Linda K. Morse and **Michele Rosen**, *Co-chairs JWA Board of Directors*



{ JWA BY THE NUMBERS

This past year ...

- 1.2 million unique visits to jwa.org from all 50 states and 203 countries
- 12,000 people a month followed JWA's gutsy and thought-provoking blog, *Jewesses With Attitude*
- 800 educators attended JWA's workshops, seminars, and webinars, and these educators reached thousands of students. JWA's annual Institute for Educators is also one of the Jewish world's most sought-after professional development programs
- 1,000 websites, blogs, and archives—from the Library of Congress and Harvard's Schlesinger Library to schools and synagogues, from Wikipedia to Facebook and Twitter—linked to jwa.org
- 42,000 downloads of the 16 lesson plans in JWA's "Go & Learn" series



EVERY DAY, JWA:

{ PRESERVES LEGACIES

By creating a continuum of Jewish women's experiences, JWA makes history personally relevant and emotionally powerful.

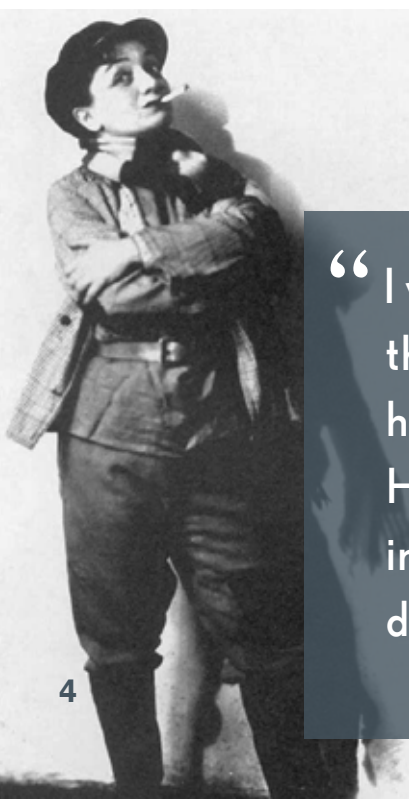


Living the Legacy: A Jewish Social Justice Education Project reveals the critical role played by Jewish women and men in America's Civil Rights and Labor Movements.

Major funding from *The Covenant Foundation*.



Weaving Women's Words was expanded in celebration of Jewish American Heritage Month to include video interviews with Susan Stamberg, Joan Nathan, and seven other trail-blazers from the Washington D.C. area.



Jewish Women: A Comprehensive Historical Encyclopedia is the go-to source for information on more than 2,000 Jewish women.

“I was blown away. The first thing I explored was the *Encyclopedia*. Here were Jewish feminists, history-makers, culture-makers. Bella Abzug, Hannah Arendt, Bea Arthur – and those were just in the A's. It was a journalist's and a feminist's dream resource.”

— Author Rebecca Traister



{ CONNECTS GENERATIONS

Tapping into the inspirational life stories of those who came before gives personal meaning and builds strong community.

MyBatMitzvahStory.org is a new website inviting bat mitzvah-age girls to explore and express their emerging identities.

Major funding from the *Boston Jewish Community Women's Fund* with additional support from the *Polinger Family Foundation*.



[Making Trouble/Making History: At JWA's 2012 Annual Awards Luncheon](#), Gloria Steinem presented awards to Letty Cottin Pogrebin, Elizabeth A. Sackler, and Rebecca Traister.



[We Remember](#), the section of jwa.org devoted to recently-deceased American Jewish women who had an impact on and beyond their own communities, now includes reminiscences of singer Adrienne Cooper, scholar Paula Hyman, philanthropist Myra Kraft, writer and director Nora Ephron, and poet Adrienne Rich.



“ I liked having all the profiles of the cool women and (thinking about) my future life. I thought it was really cool.”

— *MyBatMitzvahStory.org* user



{ INSPIRES CHANGE

Creating a deeper awareness of Jewish women's history today inspires a more just and equitable tomorrow.



JWA's Institute for Educators shares strategies for making Jewish education more inclusive. This year's focus: the Jewish contributions to two social justice movements that changed America.

Major funding from the *Dorot Foundation*.



The Natalia Twersky Educator Award in its inaugural year went to Baltimore teacher Allyson Mattanah for her creative use of JWA materials with her middle-school students. David Twersky endowed the prize in memory of his wife, mother of JWA founder Gail Reimer.



Jewesses with Attitude, JWA's award-winning blog serves up thought-provoking posts on everything from Jewish pro-choicers to attachment parenting, from gay marriage to Jewish hair.

“Thanks to the Jewish Women's Archive, we now have records of all of this good-bad behavior, the type of behavior that puts heat in my blood, and keeps so many of us hungry for justice.”

— Writer/blogger Elyssa Goodman

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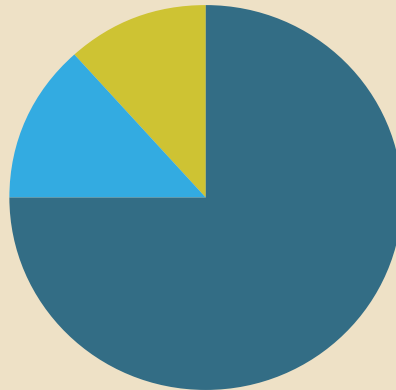
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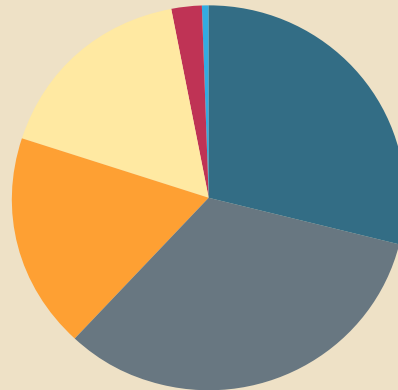
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- Program Expense
\$1,119,389.00
- Administration
\$193,023.00
- Fundraising
\$187,762.00

FISCAL YEAR 2011
EXPENSES



FISCAL YEAR 2011
OPERATING INCOME



- Foundation Grants
\$449,065.43
- Donations
\$504,904.97
- Event
\$287,777.40
- Endowment
\$258,082.00
- In Kind
\$41,087.22
- Program & Other
\$6,868.70

ASSETS		2011
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents		360,059
Short term investments		320,393
Pledges Receivable		259,667
Accounts Receivable		129
Prepaid Expenses		23,538
Total current assets		963,786
FIXED ASSETS, NET		
Total fixed assets		714
OTHER ASSETS		
Lease deposits		38,802
Pledges Receivable - non-current, net		23,667
Investments - Jewish Community Endowment Pool		6,001,732
Total other assets		6,064,201
TOTAL ASSETS		7,028,701
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable		17,821
Accrued Expenses		88,405
Total liabilities		106,226
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted		511,501
Temporarily Restricted		5,696,347
Permanently Restricted Endowment Fund		714,627
Total Net Assets		6,922,475
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		7,028,701

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— Gertrude Weil,
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— Journalist and author Susan Faludi