The Jewish Social Studies Program of Hunter College

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#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

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#### SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Hunter College Jewish Social Studies Program inaugurated the Occasional Papers in Jewish History and Thought Series on March 24, 1994. The late Professor Irving Howe launched the series with an interesting talk on "The End of Jewish Secularism." It was only appropriate that Professor Howe initiated the series since he was a literary expert and a member of the committee that created the Jewish Social Studies Program at Hunter College in 1971. On May 11, 1994, Professor Eli Faber presented a paper titled "Slavery and the Jews: A Historical Inquiry; this was followed by Professor Maria Hirsch Rosenbloom's presentation on "What Can We Learn from the Holocaust?" These initial talks were funded by the Schneider Endowment which provided scholarships for Hunter College students of Jewish history and Hebrew and sponsored visiting scholars and other activities to further Jewish studies at Hunter College.

Dr. Robert M. Seltzer, Chair of the Hunter College Jewish Social Studies Program, graciously donated twenty-four papers from The Occasional Papers in Jewish History and Thought Series to the division of Archives & Special Collections of the Hunter College Libraries in April 2006...

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