



Ketubah (marriage contract), 1838.

Hebrew manuscripts week

An opportunity to study original Hebrew manuscripts from the Wellcome Library's Asian Collection

Date:	15–19 February 2010
Course tutor:	Prof. Semen Yakerson, Institute of Oriental Manuscripts Russian Academy of Sciences, St Petersburg
Venue:	Gibbs Building, Wellcome Trust, 215 Euston Road, London NW1 2BE

Timetable

Monday 15–Friday 19 February, 14.00–18.00

Practical sessions in reading Hebrew manuscripts

Handouts and learning packs will be provided, and a certificate of attendance will be issued upon successful completion of the course.

Participants should have completed at least three years of Hebrew studies; final-year undergraduates, postgraduates and others with a good knowledge of Hebrew will be welcome.

The course is free, but pre-registration is essential and numbers are limited to 15. Please email t.tillotson@wellcome.ac.uk to book a place.

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This course is the latest in a series of lectures and workshops designed to enable Orientalist/Asian studies students to learn about the manuscript cultures of Eastern and African peoples, and to examine handwritten works dating back many centuries.

Based upon the rich manuscript holdings of the Wellcome Library, these lectures and workshops will also offer a taste of traditional Asian and African medical teachings. Each session will be led by an experienced tutor who is an authority in the field of manuscript research and/or a specialist conservator.

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