Book Reviews

may be found by using various indexes. Examples:

Book Review Digest, 1905–
Book Review Index, 1965–
Humanities Index, 1974–

Use the book review section in rear of volume.

An Index to Book Reviews in the Humanities, 1960–

Index to Jewish Periodicals, 1963–
See: "Book Reviews"

Dissertations

may be found by consulting:

Comprehensive Dissertation Index, 1861–
Dissertation Abstracts International, 1938–

Customized searches on specific dissertation topics are available from University Microfilms International, Ann Arbor, MI.

Harriet Reiter, who compiled this Pathfinder in her capacity as Jewish Studies Librarian at the Hornbake Library of the University of Maryland, recently accepted a position as Reference Librarian and Coordinator of Collection Development at Montgomery College in Rockville, MD.

Register of Judaica Bibliographies in Progress

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It has been proposed that a regular column be set up in Judaica Librarianship to register work in progress in Judaica bibliography. This would help to eliminate unnecessary duplication and might encourage cooperation on specific projects. Anyone working on a project in Judaica bibliography is encouraged to send information about it to Barry Walfish, University of Toronto Library, Toronto, Canada, M5S 1A5. The following information should be included:

1. Precise topic of the bibliography.
2. Its scope: type of material included (popular or scholarly, primary or secondary, etc.); time span covered; languages covered, etc.
3. Plans for publication. Include only if contract signed with publisher (for monographs) or bibliography accepted by a journal. Include projected date of publication if known.
4. Plans for updating bibliography.
5. Name and institutional affiliation of compiler.

As examples, the following are projects that the editor of this column is currently engaged in:

A. 1. A Bibliography of the Karaites
   2. To include all primary material in all languages both in print and in manuscript that is accessible to Western scholars and as much Soviet material that is possible. All secondary material of a scholarly and popular nature will also be included except newspaper and encyclopedia articles.
   3. Publication arrangements not confirmed.
   4. Bibliography will be updated.
   5. Barry Walfish, University of Toronto Library.

B. 1. A Bibliography of Medieval Jewish Biblical Exegesis
   2. To include all Jewish commentaries on the Bible, in print or in manuscript, written in the Middle Ages (900–1500). Principal languages are Hebrew and Judeo-Arabic. Only secondary material dealing with specific commentaries and their identification will be included.
   3. Publication arrangements not confirmed.
   4. Bibliography will be updated.
   5. Barry Walfish, University of Toronto Library.