

Between Israel and the Caribbean Seaboard

The Worldwide web of Jewish Moroccan Migrants

A talk with
Aviad Moreno

This talk examines the process of Jewish emigration from Spanish-dominated northern Morocco, and points to the trans-regional, interpersonal, communal and institutional networks that jointly shaped the character and pace of that exodus to Israel and Latin America, beginning in the 19th century. Moreno is a faculty member at the Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, and current fellow at the Herbert D. Katz Center for Advanced Judaic Studies, University of Pennsylvania. His dissertation, *Ethnicity in Motion: Social Networks in the Emigration of Jews from Northern Morocco to Venezuela and Israel, 1860–2010*, earned the 2016 Ben Halpern Prize for best dissertation in Israel Studies by the Association for Israel Studies. His book *Europe from Morocco: The Minutes of the Leadership of Tangier's Jewish Community, 1860–1864* was published in 2015 by the Ben Zvi Institute.

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