



The Jewish Genealogy Society of New Zealand

Membership Application form

The JGSNZ is a non-profit, non-sectarian organization dedicated to the research and sharing of worldwide Jewish genealogical and family history. Anyone interested in research in Jewish family history, regardless of religion or heritage, is welcome to apply for membership.

The JGSNZ is a member of the International Association of Jewish Genealogical Societies (IAJGS), which connects members with over 70 Jewish Genealogical Societies worldwide

The objectives of the JGSNZ are to:

- Assist and promote the research of Jewish family history
- Provide opportunities for sharing Jewish genealogical information
- Educate members and the public on Jewish genealogy with lectures, seminars and Workshops
- Provide instruction in and advance the use of sound research methodology to attain the highest standards of accuracy and thoroughness
- Serve as a service and support group for genealogical libraries and historical associations
- Promote preservation of and access to Jewish genealogical records and resources

Meetings are held quarterly. The two groups and remote members link for discussion via internet. Meetings provide a mix of lectures, workshops or films to assist genealogists' in researching Jewish family history. Meetings provide an opportunity to network with others researching similar areas and history.

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To apply for membership, please complete the form below and forward to the Secretary at jewish.genealogical.society.nz@gmail.com

The membership fee for 2022/2023 is NZ\$20 and is due at the time of joining. Thereafter it is payable by 1 April for the following financial year.

Please pay by direct deposit into the following bank account, clearly labelled with the name recorded in your application letter.

Bank account details (ASB bank)

Name of account: Jewish Genealogical Society of New Zealand

Account number: 12-3140-0298711-00

If you are unable to do direct deposits, please liaise with the Treasurer at treasurer.jgsnz@gmail.com to organize an alternative payment method

Date of application: _____

Name: _____

Mailing Address:

Home Phone:

Mobile phone

E-mail address: _____

We respect your privacy, and will not be sharing your personal information with other members without your permission. If you are willing to share your name/email address with other members for networking purposes, please indicate this below. (Please cross out whichever does not apply)

I am willing/not willing to share my name, email address and research interests with other members of this group

Please complete the following in order to assist the executive committee to plan topics

Do you have any language or genealogy skills that you would be willing to share with others?

Would you be willing to provide a presentation at a meeting? If so, on what topic/s?

Do you have any friends or colleagues who would be willing to present?

How would you describe your level of genealogical research expertise? (delete those that do not apply):

None

Beginner

Intermediate

Advanced

How did you learn about the JGSNZ? (Friends, newspapers, synagogue posting, email, etc)

What activities would you like the Society to provide to support your research in Jewish Genealogy? (delete any that do not apply and add any others you would find helpful)

Workshops

Presentations

Networking opportunities

One-to-one Advice

Optional additional research interests to enable networking between members working on similar topics

What family names are you researching?

What geographical regions are of interest to you?

Have you done DNA testing? (If yes, with which DNA company have you tested?)

Is there a specific genealogical question that you are trying to resolve?