

AMRAM SCHOLAR SERIES

Thought-Provoking Programs for the WHC Community

Professor Melvin I. Urofsky

Author and Lecturer at American University explores

Portraits from Three Acts of American Jewish History



Tuesday evenings, October 11, 18 & 25
7:00 pm at Temple

Professor Melvin I. Urofsky, who presented an extremely popular series of talks last year on Justice Louis Brandeis, Returns to the Amram Scholar Series this October to explore *Portraits from Three Acts of American Jewish History* on **Tuesday evenings October 11, 18, and 25**. He will discuss three different waves of Jewish migration — the early Sephardim from the Iberian peninsula, the mid-19th century Ashkenazim from Central Europe, and Eastern Europeans or “Yidden” in the late 19th and early 20th century. Professor Urofsky’s seminars will focus on leading figures representing each wave of immigration.

Professor Urofsky is the author of a critically-acclaimed 2009 biography of Justice Louis Brandeis. He has written or edited 51 other books, including *American Zionism from Herzl to the Holocaust*. A professor emeritus of history at Virginia Commonwealth University and a WHC member, he now lectures extensively and teaches at American University.

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