

Hillel Montreal Presents: Alternative Trip to Israel May 2012

Please fax application to 514-842-6405,
email shira@hillel.ca, or deliver to the Jack Reitman Hillel House, 3460 Stanley



Contact Information

Name (first, middle, last):	
Birthday:	
School:	
Expected graduation date:	
Major/Minor:	
Permanent address:	
Telephone (mobile):	
Telephone (home):	
Email:	
T-shirt Size: XS S M L XL	

Passport Information

Name, exactly as it appears on your passport:
Passport number:
Expiration date:

Emergency Contacts

Emergency contact #1:	Emergency contact #2:
Name:	Name:
Address:	Address:
Primary phone:	Primary phone:
Secondary phone:	Secondary phone:
Email:	Email:
Relationship:	Relationship:

Legal Information

Have you ever been convicted of any crimes, excluding minor traffic violations?

If yes, please explain:

Email Updates

While on the trip, once or twice a week we will send updates to friends and family of participants. Please list the email addresses of those you would like to receive these updates:

Short Answer Questions

1. Please summarize any special skills and qualifications that you believe make you a good candidate to participate in Hillel's "Go back to give back" trip . You may have acquired these skills or qualifications from employment, previous volunteer work, or through other activities, such as hobbies or sports.

2. The trip will include communal living, working, and learning. Please describe any experiences you have had in group settings.

3. We will spend have some learning sessions where we will be discussing Jewish texts regarding social justice and the environment. What do you think you will contribute to this facet of the trip? What would you hope to gain from it? Please note, no previous experience with Jewish text-study is necessary.

4. Briefly describe any cross-cultural experiences you have had. These experiences may have come from study abroad or exchange programs, international travel, volunteering, or work experience. Also, please highlight any experience you may have had in the developing world.

5. Previous Israel experience:

Have you participate in the following trips? Birth right _____ March of the living_____.

How many times have you been to Israel? In what context?

6. Have you previously been involved with Hillel before? If so, under what circumstances?

7. Have you previously been involved with federation CJA/ JNF? If so, under what circumstances?

8. How did you hear about the trip?

Personal Statement

Please write a short statement (roughly 200 words) describing what you feel you could contribute as a participant, and what you are hoping to gain from the experience.

Hillel Montreal Commitment Statement

By submitting this application, I am officially submitting my candidature to be a participant on Hillel Montreal's "Go back to give back" mission to Israel.

With this application, I am submitting a \$100.00 deposit, payable via credit card online at www.hillel.ca. I understand that this deposit will be refunded to me if I am not allotted a spot on the trip. Also, I understand that if I choose to withdraw from the trip at any time, my deposit will not be returned to me.

The total cost of this program is approximately \$2500.00, however, through generous donations from Hillel Montrea, JNF and Federeation CJA partnership P2K, this price has significantly decreased to \$1900. We hope to once again significantly decrease the cost of participation through both group and individual fundraising, and I understand that I will be responsible for paying 1300\$ for the trip fees +600\$ fundraising obligation.

I also agree to the following responsibilities and expectations:

- I will attend all three mandatory pre-departure information sessions
- I will participate in both group and individual fundraising efforts
- After the trip, I will plan and execute a 'follow-up' project (examples: photo exhibit, writing an article for a school newspaper/journal, advocacy project)

I understand that photos will be taken of me and that Hillel Montreal will post these photos in a public domain. During the trip, I will participate in all activities; abide by all rules, restrictions, and regulations imposed by Hillel Montreal.

Name (printed): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____