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There was a thriving Jewish Calcutta in the 18th and 19th century. They played an important role in the city's economic, social and cultural development. Today there are barely 20 Jews left in Calcutta.

In order to document the Jewish presence, Jael Silliman has collected images of community members living across the world, which she will share while providing a rich visual and cultural tour of the Calcutta Jewish community.

Hillel will host a reception in 1117 UCC immediately following the presentation.



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RECALLING JEWISH CALCUTTA: AUTHOR AND ARCHIVIST



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