

# Jewish Heritage Center honors Wyner couple

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NEHGS celebrants, from left, Brenton Simons, Rachel King and Justin "Jerry" Wyner  
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BOSTON – The Jewish Heritage Center at New England Historic Genealogical Society named the center in honor of Justin "Jerry" Wyner and his wife Genevieve Wyner for their vision and support. NEHGS president and CEO Brenton Simons made the announcement at a gala honoring the Wyners at Boston's Taj Hotel.

The center is home to the records of the Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society-Boston, the archival records of the Combined Jewish Philanthropies, the Boston Jewish Times newspaper collection, as well as the personal papers of some of the region's most prominent Jewish citizens and institutions. In total, more than 1.2 million documents have been digitized as part of an ongoing project to make the records accessible to the public online.