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JEWISH HERITAGE FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES SUMMER INTERN

KANSAS CITY, MO: The Jewish Heritage Foundation of Greater Kansas City is pleased to welcome Ms. Sara Lindenbaum as its summer intern. Ms. Lindenbaum just completed her first year at the University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law in Tucson, Arizona. She graduated from Washington University in St. Louis in May 2003 with a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology.

During her first year of law school, Sara found time to hold leadership positions in three different organizations – as a “first year volunteer” with Phi Delta Phi, the legal ethics fraternity, as the First Year Liaison” with the Law Women’s Association, and as Community Service Co-Chair of the Jewish Law Student Association.

Ms. Lindenbaum is the daughter of Jerry and Sharon Lindenbaum. She grew up in Wichita, Kansas, where she had her bat mitzvah. Her family moved to Leawood in 1995, and she graduated from Shawnee Mission East in 1999. Ms. Lindenbaum was confirmed at Beth Shalom, where she was a madricha at the religious school.

Ms. Lindenbaum’s focus has always been on helping people in need. While at Washington University, she tutored children in St. Louis’ desegregation program and interned with a domestic violence agency. With her experience this summer at the Jewish Heritage Foundation she hopes to gain a deeper understanding of how the nonprofit world works so that she can better understand how to make it work better in the future.

“We are very excited to work with Sara this summer,” says Steve Israelite, Executive Director. “We look forward to her expertise and enthusiasm, and we expect to learn much from her as the summer progresses.”

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