Yefim Kogan



Yefim Kogan, is the Leader and Coordinator of Bessarabia SIG at JewishGen. Yefim organized the Bessarabia Special Interest Group in 2011 and developed the Bessarabia SIG website and several Kehilalinks. Some of his important projects are the Revision List, translations of more than 250,000 records and indexing and photographing more than 80- Jewish cemeteries in the region many of which have been indexed and photographed. Yefim was born in Kishinev, Moldova and emigrated from the Soviet Union in 1989. He has a Masters in Mathematics from Moscow and Masters of Jewish Liberal Studies from Hebrew College, Boston with focus in Jewish cultural history in Eastern Europe. Yefim has presented at Jewish genealogical conferences and in several Jewish genealogical societies on topics related to the Bessarabia/Moldova region. Published an article in Avotaynu on Migration of Jews in Bessarabia/Moldova.

Sessions: Opening Symposium – Bessarabia SIG

Laws for Jews in Russian Empire

Panel: Where Can I Find Information About My Bessarabian Roots? (panelist)

Closing Symposium - Bessarabia SIG