

Harvey Buchalter, Bio

Harvey has been a frequent presenter at NMJH Society conferences for many years, contributed articles to “Legacy” and provided interviews of notable Jewish New Mexicans to the Oral Archives. He has interviewed many who have influenced the commercial, religious, and educational lives of all residents of the Territory and State.

He is the historian of Congregation B’nai Israel and has written extensively about it over five decades as teacher, board member, and president, finishing out his third term as president in May, 2024.

He holds Masters degrees in History and Spanish from the University of New Mexico, is a retired high school teacher and an active professional sculptor whose practice includes a full line of Judaica.