**JRI-Poland adopts Log-In system for database searches**

The Executive Committee of Jewish Records Indexing - Poland has decided to institute a log-in system to access our database. This decision was taken for a number of reasons, including future system enhancements and the concerns of our data donors.

As most of you know, JRI-Poland is an independent organization and our database is hosted by JewishGen as a convenience to researchers. To simplify the login process, JRI-Poland is using the secure JewishGen log-in system.

Please use your JewishGen researcher number and password to log-in to the JRI-Poland database.

If you are a subscriber to the JRI-Poland discussion group, you already have a JewishGen researcher number and password.

If you are not already logged in to JewishGen when you start your search of the JRI-Poland database, you can do so here. Otherwise you will be prompted to do so after the first stage results are displayed.

If you do not have a JewishGen researcher number and password, you can register here.

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**JRI-Poland invaluable to US Television Series “Who Do You Think You Are?”**

Actress Gwyneth Paltrow’s ancestral search was featured in an episode of NBC’s “Who Do You Think You Are?” Her roots go back to a long line of rabbis named Paltrowicz from northeastern Poland.

The show’s researchers were able to tap into JRI-Poland’s online database as the starting point in documenting Paltrow’s ancestry. They stated, “JRI Poland is a wonderful resource for anyone researching Jewish Polish ancestry and was invaluable during the research for the Gwyneth Paltrow episode.” Click here to read the full story.

To watch this episode online, click here

Listen to JRI-Poland Executive Director Stanley Diamond discuss this episode on the Canadian Broadcasting Company.

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