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Scott Hilton Davis is an Emmy Award-winning filmmaker and Jewish storyteller.

While doing research for his book of retold tales, *Souls Are Flying! A Celebration of Jewish Stories*, Scott discovered the forgotten Yiddish writer Jacob Dinezon. Though a central figure in the development of modern Yiddish literature, Dinezon's works had never been translated into English.

Driven by curiosity and a love for Jewish stories, Scott commissioned the English translations of four Jacob Dinezon books and several research documents related to the Yiddish author's life and career. Over the past several years, Scott has been making these resources available online at www.jacobdinezon.com and is working to publish Dinezon's books in print and e-book editions. The first, *Memories and Scenes: Shtetl, Childhood, Writers*, a collection of autobiographical short stories translated by Tina Lunson, was published in September 2014. *Yosele: A Story from Jewish Life*, translated by Jane Peppler, was published in 2015. More about these books is available at www.jewishstorytellerpress.com.

Scott is a retired public television executive with more than thirty-five years of experience writing, producing, and directing documentaries and dramas. He founded Jewish Storyteller Press in 2007 to bring the works of 19th century Jewish writers to 21st century readers. He lives in Raleigh, North Carolina.