JubanoJazz Klezmer Kultur Festival 2014
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International Young Composers Join Klezmer Company Orchestra Maestro Aaron Kula is mentoring emerging young composers who are interacting with Florida Atlantic University’s Jewish Print Music Collection and re-imagining vintage melodies for his Klezmer Company Orchestra (KCO) performance. The ensemble will present two compositions by these young composers, one by 24-year-old Venezuelan-born Eric Benaim, and the other by 27-year-old Brazilian-born Diego Myra Medeiros, during “JubanoJazz!” Featuring a fusion of Klezmer melodies and Latin Jazz. The 27-piece KCO and returning guest vocalist Graham Fandrei will present 23 Latin Klezmer arrangements by Kula, veteran trumpeter Chaim Rubinov and the young composers. Fandrei will sing eight songs in Yiddish, Spanish and English that will incorporate Afro-Cuban, mambo, bolero and tango rhythms. “JubanoJazz!” is the main event for Kultur Festival 2014, FAU Libraries’ sixth annual celebration of Jewish music and arts that will take place from Saturday, March 1 through Saturday, March 8 at FAU. The Jewish Cultural Society (JCS) at FAU is the lead sponsor for the festival and the inaugural Composition Competition, which drew submissions from students around the country. Kula’s efforts to preserve and perform music from FAU Libraries’ Print Music Collection fit into the JCS’ mission to advance Jewish cultural traditions and education.