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Summer course III and IV

Between April and July 2014, the final two EHRI Summer Schools in Holocaust Studies were held in Jerusalem and in Amsterdam offering trainees an up-to-date overview of current trends and questions in Holocaust Studies. Both were concluded successfully.

EHRI Summer Schools

Open to scholars from a variety of disciplines (historians, sociologists, psychologists, anthropologists and other academics who are interested in the Holocaust) as well as to archivists, the first 2014 EHRI Summer School was organized by Yad Vashem in Jerusalem, while the second (and final) EHRI Summer School was organized by NIOD in Amsterdam.

An EHRI Summer School is a graduate level seminar aimed at deepening the knowledge and comprehension of the extermination process of European Jews during World War II. It also provides a comprehensive overview on the most relevant methodologies and sources as well as an update on the current state of research in the field of Holocaust history. The seminar tackles the history of the Shoah from a European perspective. It is strictly hinged on sources, the latest historiographic interpretations and the most recent research work in the field. Traditional lectures alternate with more intensive document-based work sessions. While all EHRI Summer Schools share the same core curriculum, each has enough time available to cater for special local emphasis and excursions.

EHRI Summer School in Jerusalem, 24 April – 15 May 2014

During the seminar at Yad Vashem organized by Eliot Nidam-Orvieto, the twelve international participants were offered the opportunity to visit major locations related to Holocaust remembrance in Israel such as Yad Vashem itself, the Yad Ben-Zvi Institute, Ghetto Fighters' House, and the Central Zionist Archives. They also experienced the official Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Day Ceremony at Yad Vashem first hand.

Participants were also able to conduct their own research work at Yad Vashem's library and archives and also to visit the premises of nearby institutions such as the Central Zionist Archives.

Lectures and presentations were delivered by leading specialized Israeli and international historians and researchers from different institutions and associations (for topics, see below).

During the Summer School the twelve participants also had the unique opportunity to present and discuss the results of their own research work.

EHRI Summer School in Amsterdam, 5 July – 25 July 2014

The EHRI Summer School in Amsterdam was conducted by NIOD under the coordination of Karel Berkhoff. Twelve international participants took part in the extensive programme, which included a detailed introduction to the NIOD and its holdings and the scope of the EHRI project. It also featured lectures by leading international Holocaust researchers which included a treatment of questions connected with different source types such as photographs, maps, post-war judicial records, and audiovisual testimonies (for a full programme, see below). Participants had opportunities to visit the NIOD archives to pursue their research as well as presenting and discussing their own projects.

Excursions included in the programme encompassed a tour of Jewish history sites in Amsterdam, the Hollandsche Schouwburg, the Westerbork Trail, the Camp Vught National Memorial, and the Anne Frank House.

A thorough evaluation of EHRI Training activities in the Summer Schools and the Online Course, offering recommendations for the future, will be offered in D 5.4.

For concurrent reporting on the EHRI Summer Schools, please visit

<http://www.ehri-project.eu/ehri-summer-school-yad-vashem-network-young-scholars>

<http://www.ehri-project.eu/ehri-summer-school-amsterdam>

<http://www.ehri-project.eu/wendy-lower-ehri-summer-school-holocaust-studies>

<http://www.ehri-project.eu/ehri-summer-schools-2014-jerusalem-and-amsterdam>

Appendix 1: Participants

Appendix 2: Programmes of the Summer Schools

Appendix 1:

Participants of the EHRI Summer School in Jerusalem:

Anna Abakunova (Ukraine), PhD Candidate, Dnepropetrovsk National University, title of thesis: "The Rescue of Jews during the Holocaust in the Occupied Territories of USSR"

Marta Duch-Dyngosz (Poland), Ph.D. candidate in sociology, Institute of Sociology, Jagiellonian University, Krakow, title of thesis: "Commemorating pre-war Jewish communities in the present-day Poland as an expression of cultural trauma of the Shoah"

Adam Gellert (Hungary), lawyer and historian, independent researcher, title of PhD project: "The decision-making process and implementation of the Hungarian holocaust in 1944"

Marco Gietema (The Netherlands), Graduate student, University of Amsterdam / NIOD, title of MA thesis: "16000 unknown histories: Psychiatry in the Netherlands during World War II"

Jan Hendrik Issinger (Germany), doctoral candidate, Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg, title of thesis: "Organisational culture in the war of extermination. The "Kriegseinsatz" of Police Battalion 61"

Franziska Karpinski (Germany / Hungary), Ph.D. Student, Andrassy University Budapest, title of thesis: "In Defense of Honor –In-Group Pressure, Destruction, and Self-Destruction in the Third Reich´s Elite, 1933-1945"

Magdalena Nowak (Poland), PhD student, Pedagogical University of Kraków, title of thesis: "The War and Holocaust – the Jewish community of Wieliczka in the light of the extant documents and eyewitness' accounts."

Johanna Oettl (Austria), PhD student, University of Salzburg, title of thesis: "The poetics of marginality. Forms and functions of the grotesque in literary texts about the Shoah."

Alicja Podbielska (Poland), Doctoral Student, Strassler Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Clark University (USA), working on a PhD dissertation on memory of the rescue of Jews during the Holocaust in Poland

Ion Popa (Romania / UK), Lecturer, University of Manchester, Phd (2013): A History of Denial: The Romanian Orthodox Church and the Holocaust, 1938-Present.

Johana Prouzová (Czech Republic), Researcher, Documentation Centre for Property Transfers of Cultural Assets of World War II Victims (Czech Republic)

Mark Zaurov (Germany), PhD-student, Hamburg University, title of thesis: "The Deaf Holocaust and Deaf Jews in art, politics and science – a double cultural minority from a Deaf Studies perspective"

Participants of the EHRI Summer School in Amsterdam:

Lauren Bartshe is from the United States, where she was a graduate research assistant at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum. Having obtained a Master's degree in German Studies from the University of Missouri, from the fall of 2014 she will be a Ph.D. candidate in Germanic Languages and Literature at Washington University in St. Louis, focusing on issues of representation, memory, and education. Besides English, she reads German and Polish.

Anne-Lise Bobeldijk is from the Netherlands and is working toward Master's degrees in Eastern European Studies and German Studies at the University of Amsterdam. She has been a research assistant at the NIOD Institute for War, Holocaust and Genocide Studies. Among her research interests are Nazi crimes in Belarus. She reads English, Dutch, German, and Russian.

Rohee Dasgupta is associate professor and executive director of the Centre for European Studies at the Jindal School of International Affairs, O.P. Jindal Global University, India. She has a Master's degree in Diplomatic Studies and International Relations, and a Ph.D. in Law from Keele University in the United Kingdom. Her doctoral thesis was an ethnographic study on the renewal of Jewish identity in Poland since World War II. She reads English, Hindi, Bengali, and French, fluently; intermediate-level German, Polish, and Russian, and basic Hebrew, Yiddish, and Spanish.

Milda Jakulytė-Vasil is from Lithuania, where she is a historian at the Vilna Gaon State Jewish Museum, creating, among others, online resources such as a Holocaust Atlas. She holds a Master's degrees in History from Vilnius University. She reads English, Lithuanian, German, Polish, and Russian.

Adam Knowles is from the United States. A visiting scholar at Emory University, he received a Master's degree in Philosophy and History at Ruprecht-Karls-Universität in Heidelberg and a Ph.D. in Philosophy from the New School for Social Research. He is working on a book about Martin Heidegger's public silence about Nazism and the Holocaust. He reads English, German, Spanish, Ancient Greek, and basic Latin.

Irina Matei is from Romania, where she is a lecturer at the Faculty of Political Science of the University of Bucharest. She has a Master's degree in German Studies and a Ph.D. dissertation in History from Babeş-Bolyai University in Cluj-Napoca, where she researched students from Romania in the Third Reich. She reads English, Romanian, German, and French.

Denisa Nešťáková is from Slovakia. A recipient of a Master's degree from Comenius University, Bratislava, she is currently both pursuing there a Ph.D. degree in History and working toward a Master's degree at the Hochschule für Jüdische Studien in Heidelberg, Germany. Her research focuses on the relations between Arabs, Jews, and British in British-mandate Palestine. She reads English, Slovak, Czech, German, Polish, and Hebrew.

Jonathan Neufeld is from Canada, where he obtained a joint Master's degree in European and Jewish Studies, and will be a Ph.D. candidate in History at the University of Toronto, studying the survival of Jews in Albania during the Holocaust. He reads English, German, French, and Albanian.

Irina Rebrova, who is from Russia, is a Ph.D. candidate at the Center for Research on Anti-Semitism of Technische Universität Berlin, studying the memory of the Holocaust in the North Caucasus, and a Research Associate of the Hadassah-Brandeis Institute. She wrote a

candidate dissertation in History at the Northwestern Academy of State Service in St Petersburg and has a Master's degree in Sociology from European Humanities University in Vilnius. She reads English, Russian, and German.

Bartłomiej Rusin is from Poland, where he is a Ph.D. candidate in Political Science at Jagiellonian University, Kraków. He has Master's degrees in Political Science and in Bulgarian Philology, and is a former editor-in-chief of the student scholarly journal at Jagiellonian University's Institute of Slavic Philology. He has been researching the Jews in Bulgaria and Bulgarian-ruled territory during the Holocaust. He reads English, Polish, Bulgarian, French, and Romanian.

Anna-Raphaela Schmitz is from Germany and a research assistant at the Centre for Holocaust Studies at the Institute of Contemporary History in Munich. She has Master's degrees in History and Political Science from the University of Trier and in Holocaust Communication and Tolerance from Touro College Berlin. She reads English, German, Latin, and basic Dutch, Spanish and Italian.

Alla Zakharchenko is from Ukraine, where she is an associate professor in International Relations at Odessa Mechnikov National University, and a Senior Research Fellow at the Odessa branch of the National Institute for Strategic Studies. She wrote a candidate dissertation at the Institute of World Economy and International Relations in Kyiv. Her research interests include Holocaust denial. She reads English, Ukrainian, and Russian, and basic Arabic and Hebrew.

Appendix 2:

Programme EHRI Summer School in Jerusalem

The International Institute for Holocaust Research
Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, Israel
EHRI Summer School
Seminar Program, 24 April 2014

Thursday, 24 April 2014

Arrival in Jerusalem

Friday, 25 April 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:00-10:30

Orientation of Summer School at Yad Vashem

10:30-12:00

Holocaust Research in Historiography

Prof. Walter Manoschek, University of Vienna

Saturday, 26 April 2014

8:00

Guided Tour to Masada and the Dead Sea with Ms. Karen Dengler (optional)

Sunday, 27 April 2014

Yad Ben-Zvi Institute and Yad Vashem

09:00-10:30

Introduction to the Archives and Library at Yad Ben-Zvi

North African Jewry During the Shoah

Dr. Haim Saadon, Ben-Zvi Institute, Jerusalem; and the Open University, Raanana

10:30-10:50

Break

10:50-12:10

Examining Resources Regarding the Shoah in North Africa

12:10-12:30

Break

12:30-13:00

Visiting the Library and Archives

13:00-14:00

Introduction to the Documentation Center of North African Jewry During World War II and Summation

14:00-15:00

Lunch

15:00

Return to Hotel

18:00

Leave Hotel for Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Day Ceremony at Yad Vashem

20:00-21:30

Ceremony for Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Day at Yad Vashem

Monday, 28 April 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:30-10:30

Ceremony for Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Day at Yad Vashem (Siren at 10:00)

10:45-12:00

Introduction to Yad Vashem Archives and Resources
Dr. Haim Gertner, Yad Vashem (Location: Yad Vashem Archives)

12:00-12:30

Break

12:30-13:30

The Third Reich and the Jews
Dr. Yaakov Borut, Yad Vashem

13:30-15:00

Lunch

15:00-16:30

German Jews under the Nazi Regime and the Utilization of German and Jewish Archival Data
Prof. Guy Miron, Yad Vashem; Schechter Institute of Jewish Studies

Tuesday, 29 April 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:30-12:00

Guided Tour of the New Holocaust History Museum of Yad Vashem – Educational, Archival and Methodological Approaches

12:00-13:00

Lunch

13:00-17:00

Free Time to Consult the Archives

Wednesday, 30 April, 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:30-10:45

Shtetls and the Holocaust
Prof. Yehuda Bauer, Yad Vashem; The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

10:45-11:00

Break

11:00-12:30

A Small Town Near Auschwitz: Ordinary Nazis and the Holocaust

Prof. Mary Fulbrook, University College, London

12:30-13:30
Lunch

13:30-15:30
Life During the Holocaust: Jewish Perspectives, Sources and Interpretations
Prof. Dalia Ofer, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

15:30-17:00
Free Time to Consult the Archives

Thursday, 1 May 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:30-11:30
The Jewish Ghettos Under the Nazis and Their Allies, the Reasons Behind their Emergence
Prof. Dan Michman, Yad Vashem; Bar-Ilan University

11:30-12:15
Break

12:15-13:30
Mapping out the Jewish Ghettos: An Archival Perspective
Dr. Lea Preis, Yad Vashem

13:30-14:30
Lunch

14:30-16:30
The Ghettos: Contemporary Jewish Sources on the Struggle for Survival
Dr. Andrea Löw, EHRI Training Work Package Leader,; Center for Holocaust Studies at the
Institut für Zeitgeschichte

Friday, 2 May 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:30-10:45
Jews in Dutch Films: Reading Between the Frames
Mr. Eyal Boers, Film researcher, Tel Aviv University

10:45-11:00
Break

11:00-13:00
Reconstruction of a Failed Rescue Attempt in the Netherlands Based on Documents and
Letters: A Case Study
Ms. Nannie Beekman, Yad Vashem

Saturday, 3 May 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

9:00
Walking Tour of Ein Karem with Ms. Karen Dengler (optional)

Sunday, 4 May 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:00-10:15

France/ LeChambon-sur-Lignon: Understanding a Unique Rescue Operation Through a Longue Durée of a Historical Perspective
Dr. Jeannine Frenk, Historian

10:15-11:00

Break

11:00-12:15

Belgium/The Jewish Defense Committee in Belgium: A New Perspective
Dr. Jeannine Frenk, Historian

12:15-13:15

Lunch

13:15-15:30

The Holocaust, Italy, and the Vatican: A Question of Documentation
Dr. Iael Nidam Orvieto, Yad Vashem; The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

15:30-15:45

Break

15:45-17:15

Presentations and Discussion of Research Projects
The six participants will present each of their projects to the group.

Monday, 5 May 2014

Yad Ben-Zvi Institute

10:30-11:45

Holocaust Survivor Testimonies: Historical and Psychological Perspectives
Dr. Sharon Cohen Kangisser, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

11:45-12:45

Lunch

12:45-14:30

Conducting Interviews
Dr. Sharon Cohen Kangisser, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Tuesday, 6 May 2014

Israel Independence Day

9:00

Guided Tour of Different Quarters of the Old City with Ms. Karen Dengler (optional)

Wednesday, 7 May 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:00-10:30

Deportations Project and Documentation
Dr. Joel Zisenwine, Yad Vashem; Tel Aviv University

10:30-11:00

Break

11:00-12:30

Beyond the Written Sources: Archeological Evidence for Historical Research, The Case of Sobibór

Mr. Yoram Haimi, Archeologist, Tel Aviv University

12:30-13:30

Lunch

13:30-15:30

Real Time Photos from the Camps: Interpretation and Contextualization

Dr. Daniel Uziel, Yad Vashem

15:30-15:45

Break

15:45-17:15

Presentations and Discussion of Research Projects

The six participants will present each of their projects to the group.

Thursday, 8 May 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:30-12:00

The Soviet Union and the Killing Sites

Dr. Lea Preis, Yad Vashem

12:00-13:00

Lunch

13:00-14:30

Free Time to Consult the Archives

14:30-17:00

Hungary and Jewish Forced Labor on The Eastern Front

Dr. Robert Rozett, Yad Vashem

Friday, 9 May, 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

9:30-13:00

Ukraine: The Local Population and the Jews

Dr. Karel Berkhoff, NIOD Amsterdam

Saturday, 10 May, 2014

Free Day

Sunday, 11 May, 2014

Yad Vashem Archives and Nes Ammim

9:30

Free Time to Consult the Archives

16:00

Leaving for the North

Dinner and Overnight in Kibbutz Nes Ammim

Monday, 12 May, 2014

Ghetto Fighters' House

9:30-17:00

Study Seminar at the Ghetto Fighters' House

17:00

Return to Jerusalem; Dinner at Hotel

Tuesday, 13 May, 2014

Central Zionist Archives

09:30-11:30

Visiting the Central Zionist Archives

11:30-12:30

Lunch

12:30-17:00

Free Time to Consult the Archives

Wednesday, 14 May, 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

09:30-13:30

The Eichmann Trial – A Turning Point

Prof. Hanna Yablonka, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

Guest: Mickey Goldman-Gilad

13:30-14:30

Lunch

14:30-17:00

Free Time to Consult the Archives

Thursday, 15 May, 2014

Research Institute Lecture Hall

9:30-11:15

Unanswered Questions: What We Don't Know About the Holocaust

Dr. David Silberklang, Yad Vashem; The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

11:15-11:30

Break

11:30-12:30

Summation

Prof. Dina Porat, Yad Vashem; Tel Aviv University

12:30-13:30

Farewell Lunch

Departure

Programme EHRI Summer School in Amsterdam

July 5–25, 2014

NIOD Institute for War, Holocaust and Genocide Studies

Saturday, July 5

Arrivals and informal meeting at the Student Hotel

Sunday, July 6

5:00–9:00 p.m.

Old Amsterdam–dinner / Excursion-I

Monday, July 7

9:30 a.m.

Introduction / Karel Berkhoff

Dr. Karel Berkhoff is Senior Researcher at NIOD and coordinator of the EHRI Summer School there. A recipient of a Ph.D. in History from the University of Toronto, he has published about Ukraine under Nazi rule and about Soviet propaganda during World War II. He is currently engaged in research for a book about the history and remembrance of Babi Yar, the main site of the Holocaust of the Jews of Kiev. Berkhoff also teaches at the University of Amsterdam.

9:45 a.m.

NIOD as an Institute for War, Holocaust and Genocide Studies / Puck Huitsing

Puck Huitsing is Director of Collections & Services at NIOD. Earlier, as director of the Unit War Victims and Remembrance of the Second World War at the Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sports, she was responsible for victims' pensions and other provisions, and for "Heritage of the War", a program that digitized and presented a wide variety of World War II collections from all over the Netherlands; see <http://www.oorlogsbronnen.nl/>.

10:45 a.m.

Tour of NIOD

11:15 a.m.

Toward a European Holocaust Research Infrastructure / Reto Speck and Petra Drenth

Dr. Reto Speck received his Ph.D. in History from Queen Mary, University of London. He is a Research Fellow at the Centre for e-Research at King's College London and a Researcher at NIOD. His research interests include digital research infrastructures and the impact of the digital turn on archival theory and practice. Within EHRI he is responsible for the research portal and dissemination.

Petra Drenth, who studied History at the University of Amsterdam and at the College for Booksellers and Publishers, is EHRI's Publicity and Dissemination Officer. Based at NIOD, she is responsible for the website <http://www.ehri-project.eu/> and the EHRI newsletter.

1:30 p.m.

The Jews in the Occupied Netherlands in Nazi Propaganda and Photography / René Kok / Contemporary Sources–I

René Kok is Picture Researcher in the Department of Collections & Services and has edited numerous paper and digital publications based on the pictorial and audiovisual record of the Netherlands and other countries during World War II.

3:00 p.m.

Ethical Issues in the Public Display of Holocaust Pictures / Karel Berkhoff / Contemporary Sources–II

4:30 – 5:50 p.m.

Welcome reception sponsored by NIOD

Tuesday, July 8

9:30 a.m.

The Holocaust in Ukraine / Karel Berkhoff

2:00 p.m.

German Holocaust Perpetrators According to German Judicial Investigations / Dick de Mildt
Trainees must have read the English section of the distributed text.

Dr. Dick de Mildt is co-editor of *Justiz und NS-Verbrechen. Sammlung deutscher Strafurteile wegen nationalsozialistischer Tötungsverbrechen*, a multi-volume book series documenting the post-war German trial judgments in cases relating to Nazi crimes, published under the auspices of the Faculty of Law of the University of Amsterdam. De Mildt studied history at the University of Leiden and received his Ph.D. at the University of Amsterdam with a study of the so-called “Euthanasia” and “Aktion Reinhard” trials in Germany.

3:30 p.m.

Mapping the Holocaust / Harrie Teunissen / Contemporary Sources–III

Trainees must have studied “The Holocaust in Contemporary Maps,” from

<http://www.siger.org/holocaustincontemporarymaps/>

Harrie Teunissen is an independent historian and map curator in Leiden, the Netherlands. He has collected (together with John Steeg) some 10,000 maps and 1,350 atlases and travel guides, mostly from 1750–1950.

Wednesday, July 9

9:30 a.m.

Dutch Jews and non-Jews during and after the Holocaust / Willy Lindwer and Johannes Houwink ten Cate / Oral Histories-I

Willy Lindwer, born in Amsterdam, is a documentary film and television producer and director with production companies in Amsterdam (AVA Productions) and Jerusalem (Terra Film Productions Ltd.). His many awards include an International Emmy Award for Best Documentary, for *The Last Seven Months of Anne Frank*, and the Order of Orange-Nassau, for his services to Dutch society. More information is available at <http://www.willylindwer.com/>

Dr. Johannes Houwink ten Cate is Professor of Holocaust and Genocide Studies at the University of Amsterdam and Senior Researcher at NIOD. He received a Ph.D. in History at the University of Utrecht and specializes in the history of the Holocaust in the Netherlands.

Thursday, July 10

9:30 a.m.

Decision Making for the Holocaust /Dieter Pohl

11:00 a.m.

Collaboration in the Holocaust / Dieter Pohl

Dr. Dieter Pohl is Professor of Contemporary History, with special attention to Eastern and Southeastern Europe, at the University of Klagenfurt in Austria. He received his Ph.D. in History at the University of Munich, Germany and was a researcher at the Institute for Contemporary History in Munich. He published extensively on Nazi Germany and the

Holocaust and plays a leading role in publishing projects such as the multi-volume source publication, *Verfolgung und Ermordung der europäischen Juden*.

1:00 p.m.

Presentations by Trainees-I

3:00 p.m.

Romanian Pogroms during the Holocaust / Documentary / Simon Geissbühler

Dr. Simon Geissbühler received his Ph.D. degree in Social Sciences from the University of Bern, Switzerland. He has published several books, among them *Blutiger Juli. Rumäniens Vernichtungskrieg und der vergessene Massenmord an den Juden 1941*. A diplomat who has been posted at the Swiss embassies in Bucharest and Warsaw, Geissbühler currently is the Deputy Head of the Americas Division of the Directorate of Political Affairs in the Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs. (His presentation is a personal statement and does not reflect the view of the Swiss government.)

Friday, July 11

9:30 a.m.

The German Project *Verfolgung und Ermordung der europäischen Juden* / Susanne Heim / Contemporary Sources-IV

Dr. Susanne Heim is Project Coordinator of the German project *Verfolgung und Ermordung der europäischen Juden durch das nationalsozialistische Deutschland 1933–1945* (The Persecution and Extermination of the European Jews by Nazi Germany, 1933–1945; <http://www.edition-judenverfolgung.de/>). She is based at the Berlin branch of the Institute for Contemporary History. Heim received a Ph.D. in History at the Freie Universität Berlin and published (with Götz Aly) *Vordenker der Vernichtung. Auschwitz und die deutschen Pläne für eine neue europäische Ordnung*, which has seen many editions and translations into English and French.

2:00 p.m.

Geographies of the Holocaust / Tim Cole

Dr. Tim Cole is Professor of Social History at the University of Bristol in the UK. He received a Ph.D. in Geography from the University of Cambridge. His research focuses on the Holocaust, in particular its implementation in Hungary and its worldwide memorialization. Most recently, he edited (with Anne Kelly Knowles and Alberto Giordano) *Geographies of the Holocaust*, which puts forward models and a research agenda.

Evening:

Joint dinner

Saturday, July 12

No program

Sunday, July 13

10:00 a.m.

The Sites of Amsterdam's Jewish History / David Barnouw / Excursion-II

David Barnouw is a writer and lecturer based in Amsterdam specialized in the history, memory, and representation of World War II. For many years he worked at NIOD as a researcher and press officer. In 1986 he was one of the editors of the scholarly edition of Anne Frank's diary (together with A. Harry Paape and Gerrald van der Stroom). His website is <http://www.davidbarnouw.nl>.

11:30 a.m.

The Hollandsche Schouwburg / Annemiek Gringold / Excursion-III

Annemiek Gringold works at the Jewish Historical Museum in Amsterdam as Curator for Shoah history and the Hollandsche Schouwburg, or Dutch Theater, which in 1942–1943 was used as the main site to detain and deport the Jews from Amsterdam. She has also worked at the International Department of the Ghetto Fighters' House Museum in Israel.

12:30 p.m. Lunch

13:30 p.m. Hollandsche Schouwburg / Gringold (continued)

14:00 p.m.

From Audiovisual Memory to Digital Community and Open Jewish Homes / Denise Citroen / Aftermaths-I

Denise Citroen is an independent consultant in Amsterdam for the Jewish Historical Museum and others. In the 1990s and 2000s, she represented the Shoah Foundation in the Netherlands and coordinated the indexing at the Jewish Historical Museum of two thousand Netherlands-related interviews from the Shoah Foundation Visual History Archive. Citroen is also the initiator and leader of Open Jewish Homes, a project (www.openjoodsehuizen.nl) that since its start in 2012 has spread from Amsterdam to seven other Dutch cities as of 2014.

Monday, July 14

9:30 a.m.

German Women and the Holocaust / Wendy Lower

Dr. Wendy Lower is the John K. Roth Professor of History at Claremont McKenna College, USA, and director of the Center for Human Rights at the Claremont Colleges. Since receiving her Ph.D. from American University she has published and edited books on the Holocaust, particularly in Ukraine. Lower's book *Hitler's Furies: German Women in the Nazi Killing Fields*, was a finalist for the U.S. National Book Award and has been translated into several languages.

1:00 p.m.

Presentations by Trainees-II and a documentary

Tuesday, July 15

9:30 a.m.

"Standing By" and "Collaborating" in the Holocaust in Poland / Jan Grabowski

Dr. Jan Grabowski is Professor of History at the University of Ottawa, Canada, and a member of the Polish Center for Holocaust Research in Warsaw. Born in Poland, he received a Ph.D. in History at the Université de Montréal, Canada. Grabowski has published in various languages about the Holocaust, such as *Hunt for the Jews. Betrayal and Murder in German-Occupied Poland*.

1:00 p.m.

Presentations by Trainees-III

3:00 p.m.

Auschwitz-Birkenau in Photographs Old and New / Hans Citroen / Aftermaths-II

Hans Citroen is a writer and artist based in Rotterdam, the Netherlands, who has engaged in extensive archival and pictorial research on the history and remembrance of Auschwitz-Birkenau as a site of extermination and forced labor as well as industry, agricultural innovation, and city planning. One book resulting from this investigation, *Auschwitz-Oświęcim, Oświęcim-Auschwitz*, which was co-authored with Barbara Starzyńska, appeared in Dutch, English, and German. Many of Citroen's personal photographs of the area appear in an app for the iPad; see <http://auschwitzoswiecim.com/>.

Wednesday, July 16

9:30 a.m.

Holocaust Memorials / Stefanie Endlich /Aftermaths-III

Dr. Stefanie Endlich is Honorary Professor for Arts in the Public Space at the Berlin University of the Arts. A recipient of a Ph.D. in Economic and Social Sciences from the Freie Universität Berlin, she has published books and produced exhibitions about visual art, architecture, city development, and memorialization. In addition, Endlich has cooperated for many years with memorial sites (Gedenkstätten) as a member of projects and committees.

Afternoon

Part of the Westerbork Trail / Excursion-IV

Tens of thousands of Jews were herded into cattle wagons and deported from Amsterdam to Westerbork Transit Camp, located near the German border. The 336-kilometer-long Westerborkpad, or Westerbork Trail, traces their train journey. Officially opened in January 2012, the walk passes safe-houses, cemeteries, and monuments.

<http://www.rnw.nl/english/article/westerbork-trail-tracing-holocaust-netherlands>

<http://www.westerborkpad.nl/> (in Dutch only)

Thursday, July 17

Morning for Independent Research by Trainees-I

3:00 p.m.

Vichy France and the Jews / Michael Mayer

Dr. Michael Mayer is Lecturer in Contemporary History at the Akademie für Politische Bildung (Academy for Civic Education) in Tutzing, an independent institution funded by the state of Bavaria, Germany. Recipient of a Ph.D. in History simultaneously from the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München and the École des hautes études en sciences sociales in Paris, Mayer published the first book-length comparison of the anti-Jewish policies in Nazi Germany and Vichy France.

Friday, July 18

9:30 a.m.

Audiovisual Testimonies as Historical Sources and for Mapping Hiding Places / Bettine Siertsema and Dienne Hondius / Oral Histories-II

Dr. Bettine Siertsema is a researcher in the Department of Philosophy and a teacher on the Holocaust at VU University, Amsterdam. She received her Ph.D. in Humanities at VU University with an analysis of the written diaries and memoirs written by Dutch prisoners of Nazi concentration camps.

Dr. Dienne Hondius is Assistant Professor of Contemporary History at VU University. A recipient of a Ph.D. in Social and Behavioral Sciences from the University of Amsterdam, her research interests include racism, oral history, and the Holocaust. Hondius is also a longstanding member of the International Department of the Anne Frank Foundation in Amsterdam.

Late afternoon

Brown café

Saturday, July 19

No program

Sunday, July 20

12:00 a.m.

Camp Vught National Memorial / Excursion-V

1:30 p.m. Lunch

2:15–4:30 p.m.

Perspectives on the History of SS Concentration Camp Herzogenbusch / Marieke Meeuwenoord

Dr. Marieke Meeuwenoord received her Ph.D. in History from the University of Amsterdam and later in 2014 will publish her monograph with the first full-length history of SS Concentration Camp Herzogenbusch. Her main focus is the diversity in experiences and perception of the people — prisoners as well as guards — living and working within the camp. Meeuwenoord is Policy Officer on Sports, Culture, Recreation, and Tourism of the Municipality of Woudenberg, the Netherlands.

Evening

Dinner in the city of Den Bosch ('s Hertogenbosch)

Monday, July 21

9:30 a.m.

Soviet Jewish Photographers and the Holocaust / David Shneer

Dr. David Shneer is the Louis P. Singer Chair in Jewish History and Professor of History and Religious Studies at the University of Colorado, USA. He received a Ph.D. in History from the University of California at Berkeley. His book *Through Soviet Jewish Eyes: Photography, War, and the Holocaust* was a finalist for the National Jewish Book Award, and was declared Best Book in Arts and Culture by the Association for Jewish Studies. Shneer is also editor-in-chief of the journal *East European Jewish Affairs*.

1:00 p.m.

Yahad–In Unum's Search for Witnesses and Mass Graves / Andrej Umansky / Oral Histories-III

Andrej Umansky is a Research Associate of Yahad–In Unum, a Paris-based organization founded and led by Father Patrick Debois, that seeks out and interviews witnesses to mass executions of Jews and Roma in Eastern Europe, so as identify each murder site and mass grave (<http://www.yahadinunum.org/>). Having received Master's degrees in Law and History, Umansky is currently a Ph.D. candidate at the University of Picardie, Amiens, France and at the University of Cologne, Germany, where he is also a Research Assistant at the Institute for Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure.

Tuesday, July 22

9:30 a.m.

Bystanders, Actors, Perpetrators? German Society and the Persecution and Murder of the Jews / Frank Bajohr

Dr. Frank Bajohr is Head of the Zentrum für Holocaust-Studien, which was opened in 2013 as a part of the Institute for Contemporary History in Munich. He received a Ph.D. in History from the University of Hamburg, where he was a Senior Researcher and Lecturer. Topics of Bajohr's works include German antisemitism, local anti-Jewish persecution, and the views on the Holocaust held by diarists and foreign diplomats in Nazi Germany.

1:00 p.m.

The Ghettos under Nazi Rule / Andrea Löw

Dr. Andrea Löw is Deputy Head of the Zentrum für Holocaust-Studien at the Institute for Contemporary History in Munich. She received a Ph.D. in History from Ruhr-Universität Bochum. Löw's work has focused on Jewish life and death in the major ghettos in occupied Poland. She also edited (with Doris L. Bergen and Anna Hajková) *Alltag im Holocaust*, a collection of studies on the everyday life of Jews in the Third Reich.

Wednesday, July 23

The Anne Frank House and the Anne Frank Foundation / Dienke Hondius, Jan Erik Dubbelman, Ivana Gabalova, Luba Shynder, and Serhiy Kulchevych / Excursion-VI

Jan Erik Dubbelman is Director of the International Department of the Anne Frank Foundation.

Ivana Gabalova, Luba Shynder, and Serhiy Kulchevych are trainers and coordinators in the International Department. *Coordinator's comment: the last three speakers were not present; instead came Doyle Stevick of the University of South California, and Ronald Leopold, Executive Director of the Anne Frank House.*

2:00 p.m.

The Holocaust in American Society / Alan Steinweis / Aftermaths-V

Dr. Alan Steinweis is Professor of History, Miller Distinguished Professor of Holocaust Studies, and Director of the Center for Holocaust Studies at the University of Vermont, USA. He received his Ph.D. in History from the University of North Carolina. Among his works is *Studying the Jew: Scholarly Antisemitism in Nazi Germany*, which was a finalist for the National Jewish Book Award. As part of a leave of absence, Steinweis is currently Chair of Jewish History and Culture at Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München.

The session had to be cancelled due to illness of the scheduled speaker

Trainees' final reports about the summer school (e-mail)

Thursday, July 24

Morning for Independent Research by Trainees-II

Concluding Session

Concluding Event

Friday, July 25

Departures