



## EUROPEAN HOLOCAUST RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE



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### Final Conference of the 2nd Phase of the EHRI Project: Holocaust Studies in its Social Setting

09/09/2019

*As an international platform that explores the meaning of the Holocaust as a European phenomenon, the EHRI project felt it appropriate to discuss the Holocaust in its 21<sup>st</sup> century societal and international dimensions. The societal challenges and technological changes make Holocaust Studies an ever-changing multidisciplinary field. Therefore an international conference was organized to enable established scholars, young researchers and other interested parties to take stock of the current situation and exchange their views. The result was a lively event, emphasizing the need for transnational collaboration in research and education.*



The international conference **Holocaust Studies and its Social Setting: Challenges and Trends** was organised within the framework of the European Holocaust Research Infrastructure and took place in Amsterdam on July 3, 2019. It marked the conclusion of the second phase of the EHRI project. Therefore, the main ambition of this conference was to discuss the achievements of the project, to focus on the importance of EHRI's human network and to reflect on the important interaction between Holocaust research and society at large.

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## EHRI Receives New Funding to Build a Permanent Home for International Holocaust Research



26/08/2019

On 23 August, it was announced that the European Holocaust Research Infrastructure (EHRI) will continue to receive funding from the European Union to sustain and expand its resources and activities and to enable it to become a permanent European home for international Holocaust research and collaboration.

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## New Video About EHRI's Human Network

16/07/2019

### VIDEO: The EHRI Fellowships

In this [short video](#) EHRI presents its human network, which plays a vital role in the success of the project, next to the digital infrastructure. Meet several EHRI fellows and hear about their experiences during their fellowship.

If you want to read more about the EHRI Fellowships, you can take a look at the [Fellows in 2016-2018](#).



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## New Issue of Forum Historiae Dedicated to “Slovak Autonomy 1938–1939: The Initial Phase of the Holocaust and Persecution”

Slovak Autonomy 1938 – 1939: The Initial Phase of the Holocaust and Persecution

1/2019



03/09/2019

The latest issue of *Forum Historiae*, the semi-annual journal of the Institute of History of the Slovak Academy of Sciences, is published in cooperation with the **Holocaust Documentation Center** in Bratislava under the framework of the EHRI project. The idea to

compose a special issue on the period of the Slovak Autonomy in 1938–1939

came up last autumn around the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the declaration of the Slovak Autonomy on October 6, 1938.

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## New EHRI Document Blog: Integrating New Data from Yad Vashem's Archives into the EHRI Portal

08/07/2019

This blog, written by Avishai Danino, Judith Levin, Kepa Rodriguez, Olga Tolokonsky and Emma Yavashan from [Yad Vashem](#), describes Yad Vashem's data integration journey as part of their activities in EHRI's Work Package on Resource Identification and Integration Workflows. The goal was to update the Yad Vashem

content on the [EHRI Portal](#), improving the quality of the descriptions and adding a few new records.



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## 2020 Fellowships at the Center for Holocaust Studies at the Leibniz Institute for Contemporary History



07/08/2019

The [Center for Holocaust Studies](#) at the Leibniz Institute for Contemporary History (a partner within EHRI) will be offering grants for research stays at the Center in Munich during 2020.

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## Call for Applications: Saul Kagan Claims Conference Fellowship for Advanced Shoah Studies

29/08/2019

**The Conference on Jewish Material Claims Against**

**Germany (Claims Conference) is offering a limited number of fellowships for Ph.D. and Post Doctoral Candidates Conducting Research on the Holocaust. The application deadline is December 23, 2019 for the Fall 2020 - Summer 2021 Funding Year.**



*The Saul Kagan Claims Conference Fellowship for Advanced Shoah Studies* aims to strengthen Holocaust studies and Shoah memory throughout the world. Their mission is to support the advanced study of the fate of Jews who were systematically targeted for destruction or persecution by the Nazis and their allies between 1933 and 1945, as well as immediate post-war events.

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## EHRI partners

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- NIOD Institute for War, Holocaust and Genocide Studies (NL)
- CEGES-SOMA Centre for Historical Research and Documentation on War and Contemporary Society (BE)
- Jewish Museum in Prague (CZ)
- Institute of Contemporary History Munich - Berlin (DE)
- YAD VASHEM The Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Authority (IL)
- United States Holocaust Memorial Museum (USA)
- Bundesarchiv (DE)
- The Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide (UK)
- Holocaust Documentation Centre (SK)
- Polish Centre for Holocaust Research (PL)
- The Jewish Museum of Greece (GR)
- Kazerne Dossin: Memorial, Museum and Documentation Centre on Holocaust and Human Rights (BE)
- Jewish Historical Institute (PL)
- King's College London (UK)
- Ontotext AD (BG)
- Elie Wiesel National Institute for the Study of Holocaust in Romania (RO)
- DANS Data Archiving and Networked Services (NL)
- Shoah Memorial, Museum, Center for Contemporary Jewish Documentation (FR)
- Arolsen Archives: International Center on Nazi Persecution (DE)
- Hungarian Jewish Archives (HU)
- INRIA Institute for Research in Computer Science and Automation (FR)
- Vilna Gaon Jewish Museum (LT)
- VWI Vienna Wiesenthal Institute for Holocaust Studies (AT)
- Foundation Jewish Contemporary Documentation Center (IT)

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