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EHRI Community Hub

Be part of the Holocaust Research Community and register for the EHRI Community HUB.

EHRI wants to actively support the Holocaust research community. We are creating an online portal that will give access to dispersed Holocaust sources. Additional to this portal we will develop a Virtual Research Environment (VRE) for Holocaust researchers. The Hub is a beginning.

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EHRI Fellow Nina Paulovicova

Nina Paulovicova was the first EHRI Fellow at the Jewish Museum Prague where she was based for two months in January-February 2012. She conducted research for her postdoctoral project 'The rescue of Slovak Jews in the final stage of the cleric-fascist Slovak state (1944-1945)'. The aim of this project is to offer a more nuanced interpretation of the rescue efforts in the period 1944-1945.

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Call for Papers: Early Attempts at the Historical Documentation of the Holocaust

EHRI would like to invite you to an international workshop on Early Attempts at the Historical Documentation of the Holocaust, to be held at the Holocaust Memorial Center in Budapest, Hungary on November 27-28, 2012.

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Peope in EHRI: Luc Levy, Head of International Relations at the Shoah Memorial in Paris

I graduated with a Doctorate and Postgraduate Diploma from the IEP of Paris (Institute of Political Studies) and am fluent in Russian and Serbo-Croatian. My Doctoral thesis was on the image of Nazism in the Soviet media during the Stalinist period.

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EHRI Survey: Have your Collections Represented

Do you work for an institution that holds materials related to the Holocaust?

Perhaps you are an archivist, a staff member at a museum, or devoting your time to a memorial site?

Then you could help us by filling out this survey.

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EHRI and the Digital Research Infrastructure for the Arts and Humanities (DARIAH)

On 2 and 3 April the first General Virtual

Competency Centre Meeting of DARIAH EU was held in Utrecht, the Netherlands. Tobias Blanke, one of the Directors of DARIAH-EU and member of EHRI's Executive Team, facilitated two panel sessions. Conny Kristel, Project Director EHRI, participated in a panel with representatives from the arts and humanities research community. She gave a presentation on the overlap between the overall objectives of EHRI and DARIAH.

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Call for Papers: 1942, from El Alamein to Operation Torch, a turning point of the war in North Africa

The conflict and its consequences for the Jews

EHRI partner Mémorial de la Shoah in France and the Ben-Zvi Institute, Israel, are organizing an international conference commemorating the 70 years since Operation Torch and the great battle at El Alamein. These events symbolize a turning point in the North African campaign of World War II and the struggle between the Allies and the Axis forces.
November 1942 was also a turning point in the destiny of the North African Jewry.

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Call for Papers: Simon Wiesenthal Conference 2012

EHRI partner VWI (Vienna Wiesenthal Institute for Holocaust Studies) organizes the Simon Wiesenthal Conference 2012:

Before the Holocaust Had its Name. Early Confrontations of the Nazi Mass Murder of the Jews.

Date: November 29 - December 1, 2012

Place: Vienna, Austria

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Call for Papers: Music and Genocide

The Department for Comparative Studies of Civilizations of the Jagiellonian

University in Krakow holds an International Interdisciplinary Conference on Music and Genocide.

November 16-17, 2012.

On first glance no two experiences could be further away from each other than genocide and music. The world of mass murder seems to be the opposite of the world of spirituality. When the machine of death is operating there is no space for contemplation that music brings.

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Jewish Museum in Prague (CZ)
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The Wiener Library - Institute of Contemporary History (UK)
Holocaust Memorial Center (HU)
HL-senteret Center for Studies of Holocaust and Religious Minorities (NO)
NAF National Archives of Finland (FI)
The Emanuel Ringelblum Jewish Historical Institute (PL)
King's College London (UK)
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DANS Data Archiving and Networked Services (NL)
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ITS International Tracing Service (DE)
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