



## EUROPEAN HOLOCAUST RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE



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### Geography and Holocaust Research

**International Workshop within the Framework of the European Holocaust Research Infrastructure (EHRI) supported by the European Commission.**



EHRI organizes an international workshop on **Geography and Holocaust Research**, to be held at the International Tracing Service at Bad Arolsen, Germany on May 27-29, 2013, and would like to invite you to submit a proposal.

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### (Re-)presenting EHRI

**In May and June 2012, EHRI was presented on various occasions by Veerle Vanden Daelen, who is leader of the EHRI team for Identification and Investigation.** On 22 May the 5th Contact Day Jewish Studies on the Low Countries took place, organized by the Institute of Jewish Studies at the University of Antwerp. This venue brings together researchers in Jewish Studies on the Low Countries, even though



presenters are certainly not limited to local researchers from Belgium or the Netherlands.

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## EHRI Workshop 'Truth and Witness'

The Wiener Library in London was delighted to host the latest international workshop of the European Holocaust Research Infrastructure. The workshop, held from 30 April to 2 May 2012, focused on five topics: audio-visual testimony; the timing of testimony; testimony as evidence, evidence as testimony; translation of Holocaust testimonies and false testimony.



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## Linda Margittai Talks about her EHRI Fellowship

Linda Margittai is one of the twelve EHRI fellows of 2012. Linda, who is from Hungary, was hosted at NIOD Institute for War, Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Amsterdam, in May and June to further her research on the fate of Hungarian Jews living abroad during the Holocaust. She was happy to answer a few questions about her fellowship.



*1. Why did you apply for an EHRI fellowship?*

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## People in EHRI: Wolfgang Schellenbacher



### EHRI Work Package Member on Trans-institutional Research Guides

When Michal Frankl, Head of the Shoah History department at the Jewish Museum in Prague, asked me to be a part of EHRI, I was really excited to be involved in such a large and ambitious project, working together with Holocaust institutions throughout Europe and Israel. From the opening meeting in Brussels in 2010, it was clear that close cooperation between people would be a vital element of EHRI's success.

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## Public Opening of Mémorial de la Shoah at Drancy

In September French EHRI partner *Mémorial de la Shoah* opened a new place in Drancy, devoted to history and education, located in front of the *Cité de la Muette*. At the initiative and with the support of the *Fondation pour la Mémoire de la Shoah*, the Center aims to present the history of the Drancy internment and transit camp, from where more than 63,000 Jews were deported from France to the extermination camps.



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## Saul Kagan Claims Conference Fellowship for Advanced Shoah Studies

The Conference on Jewish Material Claims Against Germany (Claims Conference) is offering a limited number of fellowships for Ph.D. and Post Doctoral (new!) candidates pursuing advanced Holocaust studies.



**The Saul Kagan Fellowship  
in Advanced Shoah Studies**  
Claims Conference ועידת התביעות

The application deadline is January 11, 2013 for the academic year of 2013-2014. Awards up to \$20,000 per year.

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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)
- 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)
- Georg-August-Universität Göttingen - Göttingen State and University Library (DE)
- Athena RC/IMIS (GR)
- DANS Data Archiving and Networked Services (NL)
- Shoah Memorial, Museum, Center for Contemporary Jewish Documentation (FR)
- ITS International Tracing Service (DE)
- Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe (DE)
- Terezín Memorial (CZ)
- Beit Theresienstadt (IL)
- VWI Vienna Wiesenthal Institute for Holocaust Studies (AT)

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