Max and Hilde Kochmann Summer School
for PhD Students in Modern European-Jewish History and Culture
7–10 July 2019, University of Sussex

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Programme

Venues:

Workshop: Arts A, Room A 108
Kurt Hellmann Lecture: Bramber House, The Terrace Room

Sunday, 7 July 2019

Arts A 108
9:15-9:30 Welcome
Gideon Reuveni/David Jünger

Session 1
9:30-11:00 (Chair: David Jünger)
Panel: Zionism

Boaz Albert (Ben-Gurion University of the Negev): The National Perception of Chaim Nachman Bialik

Rose Stair (University of Oxford): Gendered space and the grammar of Cultural Zionism

Coffee break: 11:00-11:30
Session 2
11.30-13:00 (Chair: Gerhard Wolf)
Panel: Transitional Justice

Borbála Klacsmann (University of Szeged): Restitution of Jewish property in Hungary in the aftermath of the Second World War

Lunch: 13:00-14:30

Session 3
14:30-16:00 (Chair: Gideon Reuveni)
Panel: Antisemitism & Antizionism

Lukas Uwira (Viadrina European University Frankfurt/Oder): Antizionism without Israel – On Forms of Antisemitic Delegitimization, Demonization, and the Alleged Impossibility of Jewish Statehood before 1948: A Critical Ideology Analysis of German Texts (1887-1931)
Carmel Anna Heeley (Queen Mary University of London): The Germans, the Jews and the Alps: How Moral Values, Bavarian Traditions and Sport were central to German self-understanding and German-Jewish claims to ‘belonging’ between 1920-1950

16.00-18.00 Walk in Brighton

18:00-19:00 Visit to Middle Street Synagogue, Brighton

19:30 Joint Dinner (Brighton)
Venue: Al Rouche, 44 Preston St, Brighton BN1 2HP
Monday, 8 July 2019

Session 4
10:30–13:00 (Chair: Olaf Terpitz)

Panel: Migration

Giordano Bottecchia (Université Paris8): *Twice foreigners, the departure of the Jews from Libya and their resettlement in Italy (1952–1987)*

Anastasiia Strakhova (Emory University): *Imagining Emigration: Crossing the Borders of Russian Jewry during the Era of Mass Migration, 1881-1914*


Lunch 13:00-14:15

14:15-15:15
Optional individual consulting sessions

Coffee: 15:15-15:45
Session 6
16:00-17:30
Conference Centre, Terrace Room (Level 3), Bramber House

Public Lecture

The Kurt Hellmann Memorial Lecture

Opening Remarks – Ernest Kochmann

Shirli Gilbert (University of Southampton)
“South African Jews, the Holocaust, and Apartheid"

The public lecture will be followed by a reception in the Conference Centre. All welcome

Tuesday, 9 July 2019

Session 7
9:30-11:00 (Chair: Gerald Lamprecht)
Panel: Holocaust

Annelies Augustyns (University of Antwerp, Belgium): Holocaust Studies and the Spatial Turn: Urban Experience and everyday life in autobiographical writing from the city of Breslau
Judith Vöcker (University of Leicester): The 'Generalgouvernement' under foreign law: Criminal prosecution through the German jurisdiction during Nazi occupation of Warsaw and Cracow

Coffee break: 11:00-11:30

Session 8
11.30-13:00 (Chair: Olaf Terpitz)
Panel: East Central Europe I

Iulia-Maria Ticărău, (University "Lucian Blaga"): Microsystem of Jewish Literature in Romania in the First Half of the 20th Century

Oskar Czendze (University of North Carolina): Galicia between Loss and Invention: The History and Memory of Jewish Migration from a Habsburg Province, 1880s-1960s

Lunch: 13:00-14:30

Session 9
14:30-16:00 (Chair: Gilad Sharvit)
Panel: Philosophy & Love

David J. Leitner Cohen, (University of Chicago / Hebrew University of Jerusalem): Development of a halachic philosophy and conceptualization of Jewish philosophy in early 20th century France and Germany

Ina Schaum (Goethe University Frankfurt): Being Jewish, Being German, Being in Love. An Investigation of Love Relationships of Young Jewish Adults in Germany
Session 10
16:00-17:00

Introduction to the “KEEP” Archives

Karen Watson
Jewish Sources in Brighton Archives

Further information: http://www.thekeep.info
The session takes place at the workshop venue (Arts A Room 108)

Optional individual consulting sessions
Free evening

Wednesday, 10 July 2019
Arts A Room 108

Session 11
9:30-11:00 (Chair: Gerald Lamprecht)
Panel: East Central Europe II

Ekaterina Oleshkevich (Bar-Ilan University): Jewish Culture of Childhood in the Pale of Settlement in the Second Half of the 19th and the Early 20th Centuries

Zuzana Sihelníková (University of Žilina, Slovakia): The extinct Jewish community of Čadca
Coffee Break 11:00-11:30

Session 12
11:30-12:00 Feedback

Lunch 12:00-13:00

Conference Ends