

**From 'Holocaust by Bullets' to Auschwitz:
Regional Dimensions of the Final Solution**

June 16-18, 2019

Presented by Uzhhorod National University, Salisbury University, John Wesley Theological College,
Galicia Jewish Museum

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

3:00—4:30 p.m.

Conference Registration

Uzhhorod National University, Rector Office, 3 Narodna sqr

17:00 p.m.

Conference Opening

Main Conference Hall

Welcome Remarks: Volodymyr Smolanka, Rector, Uzhhorod National University

Opening Remarks: Maarten Pereboom, Salisbury University/

Conference Goals and Objectives: George Eisen, Salisbury University/EV Global Education Consulting

17:45 p.m.

Keynote Address

Introduction: Andras Heisler, President, Federation of Jewish Communities in Hungary

Keynote Speaker: Peter Muller, Author, Budapest, "The Holocaust as a Reflection of Two Thousand Years of Anti-Semitism"

<p>Reception: 18:30 p.m. <i>Small Academic Council Hall</i></p>
<p>20:30 p.m. Free Evening Activities</p>

MONDAY, JUNE 17

	Panel 1: The Origins of the Holocaust	Panel 2: Diversity of Experiences During the Holocaust	Panel 3: Diverse Perspectives
	<i>Small Academic Council Hall</i>	<i>Archeological Museum of Uzhhorod National University</i>	<i>Room 56</i>
Session 1 9:00–10:30 a.m.	<p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Steven Kovacs, San Francisco State University, <i>"The White Terror of 1919"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Tamás Stark, Institute of History, Research Centre for the Humanities of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, <i>"Campaign against the</i></p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Imre Lebovits, Independent Scholar, Budapest, <i>"The tragedy of Hungarian Jewry"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Jordan Figueredo, Tulane University, <i>"What Exactly Was the Difference...And Who Decided Which People Wore the Striped Pajamas and</i></p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Judit Molnár, University of Szeged, <i>"Deportation of Hungarian Jews "Faithfully, Honorably, Valiantly"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Zoltan Tibori Szabo, Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj, <i>"The Deportation of the Jews From the Marmarosh region, 1941-1942"</i></p>

	<p><i>"Galician Jews" in the era of Horthy-regime"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Yuriy Slavik, Uzhhorod National University, <i>"The Life of Transcarpathian Jews in the Authorities Restrictions Conditions (1938-1944)"</i></p>	<p><i>Which People Wore the Uniforms?': The Holocaust Through the Eyes of Children"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Wolfram Slupina and Yuriy Kirieiev, Central European Office of Jehovah's Witnesses, <i>"The Nazi Persecution of Jehovah's Witnesses in Ukraine"</i></p>	<p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Marshall Katz, Independent Scholar, <i>"Transcarpathian Geneology"</i></p>
<p>Break: 10:30–11 a.m.</p>			
	<p>Panel 1: Education for Future Generations</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Small Academic Council Hall</i></p>	<p>Panel 2: Resistance & Murder</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Archeological Museum of Uzhhorod National University</i></p>	<p>Panel 3: Survival and Existence</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Room 56</i></p>
<p>Session 2 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.</p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Volodymyr Andryshyn, Uzhhorod National University</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Ildiko Barna, Eötvös Loránd University, <i>"A New Way of Teaching about the Holocaust"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Leonid Chupriy, National Aviation University, National Academy of Public Administration under the President of Ukraine. <i>"Memory of the Holocaust as an important factor in the formation of the historical memory of the Ukrainian people"</i></p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Dr. Zoltan Haberman, Theological Seminary - University of Jewish Studies, Budapest <i>"Like sheep to the slaughter? A case study of a Jewish partisan"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u>Dr. Daniela Ozacky-Stern, Bar-Ilan University, Israel, <i>"Fighting for their Survival: Jewish Partisans during the Holocaust"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Ákos Fóris, Clio Institute, Budapest, <i>"Partisan Hunt against Jews – The Hungarian Anti-partisan Warfare"</i></p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Gabor B. Bihari, Journalist, Budapest</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Daniel Brand, Israel, <i>"What makes the Hungarian Jewry's Holocaust so unique?"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Igor Sokolov, University of Haifa, <i>"The Holocaust outside the Babi Yar. Continuations and Discontinuations in the Jewish Survival in the Wartime Kiev"</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Zsuzsa Shiri and Balázs Wizner, Tel Aviv University, <i>"Home in</i></p>

	<p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Renáta Anna Dezső, University of Pécs, “<i>Remembrance Education of Future Educators</i>”</p>	<p><i>and the Holocaust in the Occupied Eastern Territories”</i></p>	<p><i>the forest – The Jewish baby boom of Transcarpathian region, the story of an exodus”</i></p>
<p>Lunch 12:30–14:00 p.m.</p>			
<p>Session 3 14:00– 15:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Panel 1: Saviors Amidst Atrocity</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Small Academic Council Hall</i></p>	<p>Panel 2: Reconstituting a Community: Post Holocaust Generations</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Archeological Museum of Uzhhorod National University</i></p>	<p>Panel 3: Poetry and Mass Murder</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Room 56</i></p>
	<p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Inna Rogatchi, Rogatchi Foundation, “<i>Humanity in Action: Returning the Victims of Holocaust to Life and Keeping the Memory on Them. by Patrick Desbois, late artist Pat Mercer Hutchens, and musicologist Francesco Lotoro</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Péter Tibor Nagy, John Wesley Theological College, “<i>The murdered and the saved</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Paul Marer, Independent researcher, “<i>The fascinating life and deeds of Marianne Vaney, Raoul Wallenberg’s last (and still living) staff</i>”</p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Diana Kupař, Uzhhorod National University</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Karoly Vador and Dr. Rachel Korazim, The Shalom Hartman Institute, “<i>Piecing Memories Together – A Genealogist and his “Subject Matter” travel in Transcarpathia</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> David Clark, Independent Researcher, “<i>The emotional impact of visiting sites connected with family history</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Éva Nádor, Budapest, “<i>Subjective memories: Holocaust in the mirror of the subjective recollections</i>”</p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Katalin Gyurke, Journalist, Budapest</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Diti Ronen, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “<i>Holocaust Poetry and resistance to human crimes</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Krystyna Lenkowska M.A. Poland, “<i>The Corsets</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> “Rachel Korazim, The Pardes Institute of Jewish Studies Jerusalem, “<i>Abel, Isaac and Joseph – Biblical Motives in Israeli Holocaust Poetry</i>”</p>

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Break: 3:30–4 p.m.			
Session 4 16:00– 17:30 p.m.	Religion, Faith, and the Holocaust <i>Small Academic Council Hall</i>	Panel 2: Teaching the Holocaust for Future Generations <i>Archeological Museum of Uzhhorod National University</i>	Panel 3: The Holocaust in Contemporary Political Discourse <i>Room 56</i>
	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Mohammed Shafiq, Nazareth College</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Bartosz Duszyński, Galicia Jewish Museum and Jagiellonian University in Krakowie, <i>”Faith during Holocaust. Searching for Rywka from the Łódź Ghetto”</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Ardent Pangadjanga Kalema, University of Kinshasa, <i>”God can not be, but Jesus Christ yes”</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Matthew Temple, Nazareth College of Rochester, <i>”Thou Shalt Not Kill: the Radical Obedience of Sheptytsky in the Holocaust”</i></p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Alexander Bokotey, Uzhhorod National University</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Eszter Gombocz, John Wesley Theological College, <i>”Jewish pupils (1920 -1949): Empowering autonomy with peer guiding method – a travelling exhibition”</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Kateryna Nastojascha, Taras Shevchenko National university of Kyiv, <i>”Dissemination of information about the Holocaust as a social vaccine against neo-Nazism”</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Hana Bor, Towson University, <i>”Global and Local Issues in Teaching the Holocaust: An Israeli-American discourse”</i></p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Tibor Deutsch, Semmelweis University</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Ildikó Eperjesi ATV, Hungary, <i>”New Antisemitism”</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Paul Sanders, NEOMA Business School, <i>”Reframing the narrative confines of the historiography of the Holocaust in Hungary”</i></p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Moshe Zimmermann, Hebrew University Jerusalem, <i>”Reinterpretation of the Holocaust in Light of Contemporary Israeli Politics”</i></p>

Keynote Address: 6 p.m.

Main Conference Hall

Introduction: Maarten Pereboom, Salisbury University

Keynote Speaker: Diana Groo, Independent Film Maker, Budapest, “Regina: An Inspiring Story of the First Woman Rabbi”

TUESDAY, JUNE 18

Session 5 9:00–10:00 a.m.	Panel 1: Holocaust in Comparative Perspectives <i>Small Academic Council Hall</i>	Panel 2: Holocaust in Comparative Perspectives <i>Room 56</i>
	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Volodymyr Hutsul, Uzhhorod National University</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Stefan Purici and Harieta Sabol, “Stefan cel Mare” University of Suceava, Romania “Extremes and Exceptions: Civilian Attitudes toward Jews in Bukovina during the World War II”</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Laszlo Karsai, University of Szeged, “The Hungarian Holocaust in Historical Context”</p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Pavlo Khudish, Uzhhorod National University</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Janos Desi, “The Jeff and Toby Herr Testimony Initiative: Perpetrators, Collaborators, and Witnesses”</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Katarína Ristveyová and Lucia Sotáková, Museum of the Slovak National Uprising, “Politics of Holocaust in Slovakia and Slovak territories annexed to Hungary (a comparative study)”</p>
Break: 10:00—10:15 a.m.		
Session 6 10:15–11:15	Panel 1: Holocaust in Film <i>Small Academic Council Hall</i>	Panel 2: Personal Approach to the Holocaust <i>Room 56</i>

<p>a.m.</p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Steven Kovacs, San Francisco State University</p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Joan Stein Schimke, Adelphi University, “<i>Film and Its Role in Understanding Human Motivation</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> George Csicsery, Zala Films, “<i>Angel of Mercy</i>” Video presentation and Discussion</p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> John C. Swanson, Ph.D. University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, “<i>Why is there an Auschwitz Album?</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Nina Frederikke Grünfeld, Inland University of Applied Sciences, Norway, “<i>MY GRANDMA FRIDA</i>”</p>
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Special Student Presentations

11:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

<p>Session 7 11:30–12:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Panel 1: Holocaust in Transylvania</p> <p align="center"><i>Small Academic Council Hall</i></p>	<p>Panel 2: Students’ Reflections:</p> <p align="center"><i>Room 56</i></p>
	<p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Enikő Orsolya Nagy, graduate student, Babes-Bolyai University, “<i>The Destruction of the Jews of Marmarosh County, as Reflected by the Local Press, 1940-1944.</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> Boróka Darvas, graduate student, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj, “<i>The Press of the Time on the Deportations of Jews from Maros and Udvarhely Counties, 1940-1944</i>”</p> <p><u>Presenter 3:</u> Zsanett Krisztina Vakár, graduate student, Babes-Bolyai University, “<i>The Press of the Time on the Deportations of Jews from Szatmár County, 1940-1944</i>”</p>	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Arnold Bienstock, Salisbury University</p> <p>Panel Discussion by Students from Salisbury University: “What Have We Learned about & from the Holocaust”</p>

Lunch 12:45-14:00 p.m.	
14:00 – 14:45 p.m.	<p>Special Presentation</p> <p>Concluding Panel Discussion: The Implementation of the Holocaust: Regional Experiences</p> <p><i>Small Academic Council Hall</i></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p><u>Participants:</u> Lucia Sotáková, Katarína Ristveyová, Adrian Cioflâncă, Zoltan Tibori Szabo, Yuriy Slavik, Tamas Stark, Péter Tibor Nagy</p>
15:00 – 17:00 p.m.	<p>ROUND-TABLE DISCUSSIONS</p> <p><i>Small Academic Council Hall</i></p> <p>Discussion Leaders:</p> <p>Religion & Faith in the Holocaust -- Mohammed Shafiq</p> <p>Holocaust Education: Lessons for Future Generations – Hana Bor</p> <p>Contemporary Politics & the Holocaust – George Eisen</p> <p>The Holocaust in the Mirror of Literature, Art, Film and Music – Maarten Pereboom</p> <p>Post Holocaust Generations – Eva Nador</p>

HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL CONCERT

by
Balogh Kalman & Gypsy Band from Budapest
&
Hudaki Village Band from Upper Tisza

Philharmonic Concert Hall
Main Synagogue of Uzhhorod

19:00 p.m.

Special thanks to Galicia Jewish Museum for the Holocaust Exhibit
Accompanying this Conference