

Jews and the Left

Between History and Memory

09:45-10:00 | Reception

10:00-11:45 | **Historical Approaches**

Opening Remarks

Scott Ury, Director, Roth Institute, Tel Aviv University

Gilad Sharvit, Towson University, Maryland

Chair: **Dina Moyal**, Tel Aviv University

Alex Valdman, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev & Bar Ilan University

The Pupils' Will? Jewish Secondary Students and the Question of Political Radicalism in Late Nineteenth-Century Russia

Katarzyna Czerwonogóra, Tel Aviv University

Jewish Women and the Left: Men, Nation and Revolution in the Lives of Rosa Luxemburg, Puah Rakovsky and Rahel Katznelson-Shazar

David Juenger, University of Sussex

Holocaust Memory, Civil Rights and Jewish Survival: The Case of Rabbi Joachim Prinz

11:45-12:00 | Coffee Break

12:00-13:15 | **Philosophical Questions**

Chair: **Yosef Schwartz**, Tel Aviv University

Gilad Sharvit, Towson University, Maryland

Jews as a Diasporic Minority: Hermann Cohen, Franz Rosenzweig, Judith Butler and the Return of the "Jewish Question"

Gilad Shenhav, Tel Aviv University & Goethe University, Frankfurt

Messianic Remembrance and "the Case for Reparations"

13:15-14:30 | Lunch

14:30-16:15 | **Literary Encounters**

Chair: **Hannah Pollin-Galay**, Tel Aviv University

Yarden Ben Zur, Tel Aviv University

Reading Shakespeare in Postwar Munich: Gustav Landauer and the Bavarian Revolution, 1918-1919

Mia Spiro, University of Glasgow

Antifascism and the Jews in 1930s British Literature

Noam Gil, Tel Aviv University

Occupying Jewishness: Reclaiming the Postcolonial in Twenty-First Century Jewish Literature

16:15-16:30 | Coffee Break

16:30-18:15 | **Contemporary Concerns**

Chair: **Orit Rozin**, Tel Aviv University

Moshe Naor, University of Haifa

The Left and Mizrahi Jews: The Sephardi Problem and the Arab Question in Mandate Palestine

Johannes Becke, Heidelberg Center for Jewish Studies

Philozionism in the Radical German Left

Yifat Gutman, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

The Suffering of the Other: Nakba Memory Activism in Contemporary Israel

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Tel Aviv University
Naftali Building, Room 527

An International Workshop



• The Lester and Sally Entin Faculty of Humanities • The Stephen Roth Institute for the Study of Contemporary Antisemitism and Racism • The Minerva Institute for German History • The S. Daniel Abraham Center for International and Regional Studies • Center for German-Jewish Studies, University of Sussex • The Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung, Tel Aviv