



ISGAP

INSTITUTE FOR THE STUDY
OF GLOBAL ANTISEMITISM
AND POLICY

Antisemitism in Comparative Perspective Seminar Series 2016-2017 Schedule

Seminars are open to the university community and the interested public

Columbia Law School

William and June Warren Hall

1125 Amsterdam Ave., New York, NY

FALL 2016

Oct. 26 *"Bloodless Racism: Anti-Semitism/Antisemitism and Campus Politics"*
Professor Katya Gibel Mevorach
Anthropology Department and Chair, American Studies at Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA;
Location: WJ 103
Time: 6:00 P.M.

Nov. 30 *"BDS on University Campuses: Antisemitism or Free Speech?"*
Professor Stephen Sussman
Associate Professor of Public Administration, Barry University/PACE, and Affiliated Professor / University of Haifa;
Location: WJ Basement 107
Time: 6:00 P.M.

SPRING 2017

Feb. 23 *"The Roots of Contemporary Antisemitism, the Alt-Right, the Muslim Brotherhood and the Iranian Revolutionary Regime"*
Dr. Charles Asher Small
Executive Director, ISGAP;
Location: WJ Basement 107
Time: 6:00 P.M.

Mar. 23 *"Antisemitism on the Web"*
Seth Stephens-Davidowitz
New York Times Writer, Google Data Scientist;
Location: WJ Basement 107
Time: 6:00 P.M.

Mar. 23 *"Antisemitism on the Web"*
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New York Times Writer, Former Google Data Scientist;
Location: WJ Basement 107
Time: 6:00 P.M.
Convener: Dr. Larry Amsel, Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychiatry, Columbia

Apr. 20 *"Violence Against Jews in the United States: A Historical Perspective and Analysis"*
Ms. Yehudit Barsky
ISGAP Research Fellow and Author;
Location: WJ Basement 107
Time: 6:00 P.M.

McGill University

855 rue Sherbrooke Ouest, Montreal Quebec

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Convener: Michelle Whiteman, ISGAP Canada

Oct. 27 *"Understanding Antisemitism: A Comparative Analysis of National Socialist and Islamic Jihadist Hatred"*
Professor David Patterson
Hillel Feinberg Chair in Holocaust Studies, Ackerman Center for Holocaust Studies, University of Texas at Dallas;
Location: Leacock Building, Room 738
Time: 6:00 P.M.

Dec. 1 *"Emil Fackenheim's Quasi-Historicism: The Problem of Hitler's Posthumous Victories"*
Professor Sharon Portnoff
Elie Wiesel Associate Professor in Judaic Studies and Associate Professor of Religious Studies at Connecticut College;
Location: Leacock Building, Room 738

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Feb. 23 *"Conspiracy Theories Among Refugees in Germany. Preliminary findings of an Empirical Study."*
Dr. Günther Jikeli
Associate Professor; Justin M. Druck Family Scholar at the Institute for the Study of Contemporary Antisemitism, Borns Jewish Studies Program, Indiana University;
Location: ARTS Building, McGill Room W20
Time: 5:00 P.M.

Mar. 23 *"Religion and the Making of Nigeria" (A Book Discussion)*
Professor Olufemi Vaughan
Geoffrey Canada Professor of Africana Studies and History, Bowdoin College, Senior Editor of the Oxford Research Encyclopedia in African History;
Location: ARTS Building, McGill Room W20
Time: 6:00 P.M.

Apr. 20 *"Was it Possible to be a 'Bystander' to the Holocaust in Eastern Europe?"*
Professor Jan Grabowski
Professor of History of the Holocaust, University of Ottawa; Co-founder of the Polish Centre for Holocaust Research, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw;
Location: Canadian Institute for Jewish Research, Room 218
Time: 6:00 P.M.

ISGAP Center

165 East 56th Street, New York, NY

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Nov. 2 *"Iran, Israel and the Jews: Why the Obsession?"*
Professor David Menashri
Tel Aviv University;
Location: Third Floor
Time: 6:00 P.M.

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Jan. 27 *"New Conclusive Research: Message of Antisemitism and War on the Jews from PA and UNRWA."*
Dr. David Bedein
Director, Israel Resources News Agency, Center for Near East Policy Research;
Location: Third Floor
Time: 6:00 P.M.

Apr. 6 *"How to Blunt Europe's Antisemitic BDS Campaigns"*
Mr. Benjamin Weinthal
European Affairs Correspondent, Jerusalem Post, Fellow, Foundation for Defense Democracies;
Location: Third Floor
Time: 6:00 P.M.

June 6 *"Holocaust Guilt vs Holocaust Shame: On Processing Remorse for the Shoah"*
Dr. Richard Landes
Historian and Author;
Location: Seventh Floor
Time: 6:00 P.M.

National University of Kyiv Mohyla Academy
2 Skovorody St., Kyiv, Ukraine
FALL 2016

Moderator: Dr. Serhiy Hirik, Secretary of the
Ukrainian Association for Jewish Studies

- Sept. 27** *"The War Against the Jewish State: Countries, Terror Organizations and BDS"*
Maj.-Gen (Ret.) Yaakov Amidror
Former National Security Advisor to the Prime Minister of Israel and the Head of the National Security Council;
Location: NaUKMA Museum
Time: 6:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.
Introductory Greetings by:
Dr. Charles Asher Small
Executive Director, ISGAP
Dr. Ze'ev Khanin, Chief Scientist, Israeli Ministry of Immigrant Absorption

The American College of Greece
6 Gravias Street, Athens
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- Nov. 10** *"Business as Usual: The West's Acquiescence to Radical Islamism, the Iranian Regime, and the Threat it Poses to Democratic Principles and Human Rights"*
Dr. Charles Asher Small
Executive Director, ISGAP;
Location: Pierce Amphitheater
Time: 7:00 P.M.
- Dec. 1** *"Hitler's Legacy: Antisemitism in the Middle East"*
Dr. Matthias Küentzel
Hamburg Technical College Research Associate;
Location: Upper Level Library
Time: 7:00 P.M.

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- Feb. 6** *"The Changing Nature of Middle Eastern Politics"*
Dr. Uzi Rabi
Director, Moshe Dayan Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Tel Aviv University;
Location: Upper Level Library
Time: 3:00 P.M.
- Mar. 20** *"Antisemitism in Poland after 1945"*
Dr. Jan T. Gross
Norman B. Tomlinson Professor of War and Society;
Department of History, Princeton University;
Location: Upper Level Library
Time: 7:00 P.M.
- Apr. 3** *"Antisemitism in Modern Turkey Under Erdogan"*
Mr. Hay Eytan Cohen Yanarocak
Junior Research Scholar, Moshe Dayan Center in Middle Eastern and African Studies, Tel Aviv University;
Location: Upper Level Library
Time: 7:00 P.M.