Kantor Center & Database Bulletin
November – December 2016

Highlights from Our Database on Antisemitism & Racism

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♦ Responses in the Arab World to UNESCO's Resolution*
♦ Cars on Fire and Antisemitic Graffiti in Burien
♦ Rise in Open Antisemitism in Berlin
♦ Antisemitic Reactions in the Arab World to Results of the U.S. Elections*
♦ Antisemitic Graffiti in Massachusetts
♦ Antisemitic Graffiti in Ottawa and Montreal
♦ Protocols of the Elders of Zion Claimed As Genuine Document*
♦ Holocaust Memorial Desecrated in Uzhgorod
♦ Fidel Castro and the Cuba Jewish Community
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♦ Antisemitic Posters at the Swiss Train Station
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♦ Attack on a Jew in Paris
♦ Antisemitic Demonstration at El Venado Country Club
♦ Fired for "Promoting Jewish Themed Content"
Recent Publications on Antisemitism, Racism, Demography & Legislation

Books


Book Reviews


Articles


Norman Erwin, "The Holocaust, Canadian Jews, and Canada’s ‘Good War’ Against Nazism" (Canadian Jewish Studies, vol. 24, 2016, pp. 103-123).

Jason Chalmers, "Canadianising the Holocaust: Debating Canada’s National Holocaust Monument" (Canadian Jewish Studies, vol. 24, 2016, pp. 149-165).
✓ **Interview**


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**Conferences and Workshops**


- *Medicine in the Holocaust and Beyond*, Western Galilee College, Galilee Medical Center, Bar-Ilan Faculty of Medicine in Safed, the Ghetto Fighters’ House Museum, 7-11 May 2017.


- *Holocaust Studies after the Spatial Turn*, University of Bristol and University of London, 14-16 June 2017.

**Center's Recent Publications**


**Center's News and Events**

- On 2 November, Adv. Alan Silberstein, member of the Tel Aviv University Board of Governors visited the Center for a discussion about antisemitism today.
On 6-8 November, Prof. Dina Porat and Dr. Esti Webman participated in a conference at the Vienna University on "Islam and Anti-Semitism". More information about the conference is available [here](#).

On 9 November, Prof. Porat lectured on "Legitimate Criticism of Israel and Its Government and Anti-Semitism - A Thin Line?" at the Andrassy University in Budapest. More information is available [here](#).

On 14 November, Prof. Porat delivered a lecture at the opening of an exhibition at the Foreign Ministry on Romanian Righteous Among the Nations.

On 16 November, the Center's staff attended a meeting with Poland's Ambassador to Israel Jacek Chodorowicz at Tel Aviv University.

On 20 November, the Center's staff had a study trip in Acre.

On 24 November, the Center took part and co-sponsored an event in honor of the late Elie Wiesel at the Cymbalista Jewish Heritage Center, TAU.

On 27 November, the board of the Kantor Center held its annual meeting.

On 1 December, Yad Vashem held a launching event to the book by Dr. Esti Webman and Prof. Meir Litvak "MeEmpatia LeHakkhasha" (in Hebrew. English title: From Empathy to Denial). More information about the book is available [here](#).

On 6 December, Prof. Porat talked during an UNESCO event in Paris about the possibility to fight antisemitism through legislation and media.


On 22 December, for the 29th time, the Center held the Annual Raoul Wallenberg commemoration event, in cooperation with the American Embassy in Israel. Guest Speaker: Prof. Deborah Lipstadt. For more information, please click [here](#).

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