

***Global Holocaust?  
Memories of the Destruction of European Jews in Global Context***

University of Augsburg/Chair for Transatlantic Cultural History  
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Program

**Friday, June 10**

14:00 – 14:30: *Opening Session*

Philipp Gassert, University of Augsburg  
Alan E. Steinweis, University of Vermont

14:30 – 16:00: *Panel 1:*

Chair: Francis Nicosia, University of Vermont

*The Concept of the Shoah's Singularity and the Intellectual Unease it Evoked: Three  
Decades of an Israeli Debate.*

Gilad Margalit, University of Haifa

*Facing the Enemy's Sorrow: Arab Responses to the Holocaust*

Götz Nordbruch, University of Southern Denmark

16:00 – 16:30: *Coffee Break*

16:30 – 18:00: *Panel 2:*

Chair: Lutz Kaelber, University of Vermont

*Collective Amnesia? The USSR and the Holocaust*

Denise Youngblood, University of Vermont

*Is There a Holocaust Memory in Ukraine Today? Recent Political, Cultural and  
Regional Trends*

Wendy Lower, University of Munich

20:00: *Conference Dinner*

**Saturday, June 11**

09:00 – 10:30: *Panel 3:*

Chair: Jacob S. Eder, University of Pennsylvania

*Nuestra Shoa: Memory and Post-Memory in Latin American Perspectives*

Amalia Ran, University of Nebraska

*"We learn about the Holocaust so that we can become more compassionate":*

*Holocaust Memory in South Africa*

Susanna B. Schrafstetter, University of Vermont

10:30 – 11:00: *Coffee Break*

11:00 – 12:30: *Panel 4:*

Chair: Reinhild Kreis, University of Augsburg

*The Perception of the Holocaust in India: Preliminary Findings*

Maria Framke, Jacobs University Bremen

*Holocaust and Jewish Studies in Modern China: Functions of a Political Agenda*

Jonathan Goldstein, University of West Georgia

12:30 – 13:00: *Concluding Session*

Philipp Gassert, University of Augsburg

Alan E. Steinweis, University of Vermont

13:00 – 14:00: *Lunch and End of Conference*

The conference language is English.