



Leonid Nevzlin Research Center
for Russian and East European Jewry



International Forum of Young Scholars on East European Jewry

Online sessions: **July 5 and 6, 2021**

Starting time: 18:00 Israel and Moscow time, 17:00 in most of Europe and 10:00 EDT

July 5, 2021

Moderator: Jonathan Dekel-Chen

- 18:00** Short greetings by Forum organizers (5-6 min): Eli Lederhendler (Nevzlin Center), Jörg Deventer/Monika Heinemann (Simon Dubnow Institute) and Kamil Kijek (University of Wrocław)
- 18:05** A discussion on common experience of living through the pandemic during past year. The discussion is based on an opinion piece from "New York Times" ("**This Year Has Taught Me a Lot about Nostalgia**" by Leslie Jamison).
- 18:35** Thumbnail research presentations by the participants (5 minutes per presentation). Today's presenters:

Andrey Shlyakhter	Kennan Institute, Wilson Center
Rachelle Grossman	Harvard University
Sam Glauber-Zimra	Ben-Gurion University
Avraham Oriah Kelman	
Brett Winestock	Dubnow Institute
Thomas Varkonyi	University of Vienna
Mariann Farkas	Bar-Ilan University

Katarzyna Martinovic	University of Heidelberg (HfJS)
Jakob Stuermann	Dubnow Institute

July 6, 2021

Moderator: Eli Lederhendler

18:00 Thumbnail research presentations by the participants (5 minutes per presentation). Today's presenters:

Sylvia Hershcovitz	Bar Ilan University, Israel
Iulia-Maria Ticărau	"Lucian Blaga" University of Sibiu
Norman Salusa	Humboldt University Berlin
Paula Ansaldo	University of Buenos Aires
Franek Zakrzewski	EHESS, ERC Lubartworld
Lana Kupiec	
Ekaterina Oleshkevich	Bar Ilan University, Israel
Dorota Kurek	University of Szczecin
Samuel Finkelman	University of Pennsylvania

19:15 Senior scholars' comments on specific historical, methodological, or other questions posed by Forum participants.

19 45 Brief presentation about the Jewish Studies program at Wroclaw University as a preview for our next year offline session in Wroclaw (by Kamil Kijek).

Link to ZOOM meetings (same link for both days):

<https://huji.zoom.us/j/84001819300?pwd=Wnc3bC8yVlpuZFplZ003MnFXTGZidz09>

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