



NEW REALITIES OF JEWISH HERITAGE

A conference marking the 10th anniversary
of Jewish Heritage Europe

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June 26-27, 2022

Galicia Jewish Museum, Krakow, Poland

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WHAT:

A conference June 26-27 to mark the 10th anniversary of Jewish Heritage Europe – www.jewish-heritage-europe.eu – an expanding web portal to news, information, and resources regarding Jewish monuments and heritage sites all over Europe.

WHO:

The conference is organized by the Galicia Jewish Museum in Kraków in collaboration with the Taube Center for Jewish Life & Learning Foundation in Warsaw and Jewish Heritage Europe.

WHERE AND WHEN:

The Conference venue is the Galicia Jewish Museum in Krakow. The Conference will take place during the annual Krakow Jewish Culture Festival (June 24-July 3, 2022).

JEWISH HERITAGE EUROPE

Jewish Heritage Europe was developed in response to a call for effective strategies regarding the restoration, use, upkeep, and documentation of Jewish heritage sites across Europe.

Since going live online in February 2012, JHE has become the most comprehensive web site providing both current news and a wealth of resources on issues relating to Jewish built heritage across Europe.

It is a flagship project of the Rothschild Foundation Hanadiv Europe.

THE CONFERENCE

The Conference begins on Sunday, June 26, at 15:00 and closes at 18:10 on Monday, June 27.

Sessions will consist of panels on concepts related to Jewish heritage issues, with ample time for discussion. The conference will be recorded and live streamed at the Galicia Jewish Museum YouTube channel: www.youtube.com/user/galiciajewishmuseum

No registration required.



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PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE*

ACCOMPANYING EVENT

SUNDAY. 12.00

“PRESERVING MEMORY”

The 25th annual ceremony honoring Poles preserving Jewish Heritage

Organized by: Michael Traison Fund for Poland, Galicia Jewish Museum

Partners: Google LLC, Howard Pianko, Louis Sorrell, Fundacja Rodziny Nissenbaumów

1. SUNDAY. 15.00-15.15

WELCOMING REMARKS

2. SUNDAY. 15.15-16.30

OPENING SESSION

A conversation with JHE Coordinator Ruth Ellen Gruber looking back at more than three decades of her involvement in the Jewish heritage field, also noting the anniversaries of her groundbreaking books *Jewish Heritage Travel*, first edition 1992, and *Virtually Jewish: Reinventing Jewish Culture in Europe*, 2002.

Ruth Ellen Gruber, Edward Serotta, Prof. Jonathan Webber

3. SUNDAY. 16.40-17.40

UPDATE ON UKRAINE

4. SUNDAY. 17.45-19.15

OLD CHALLENGES. NEW SOLUTIONS

From technology to crowd-funding to digital reconstruction -- and more.

Moderator: Victor Sorensen

Panelists: Dariusz Popiela, Anna Szentgyorgyi, Dr. Magdalena Waligórska

5. MONDAY. 9.30-11.00

JEWISH HERITAGE AS EDUCATION

Using physical sites of Jewish heritage to teach about Jews, Jewish history, and Jewish heritage.

Moderator: Dr. Sofia Dyak

Panelists: Marta Eichelberger Jankowska, David Kraus, Edward Serotta

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6. MONDAY. 11.05-12.35

ART AND ARTISTS

Jewish heritage as inspiration and also setting.

Moderator: Natalia **Romik**

Panelists: Shaul **Bassi**, Gabi **von Seltsmann**, Adachiara **Zevi**

7. MONDAY. 13.30-15.00

JEWISH HERITAGE – STRATEGIES

Strategic thinking regarding restoration, use, upkeep, and protection.

Moderator: Dr. Samuel D. **Gruber**

Panelists: Dr. Maros **Borsky**, Piotr **Puchta**, Dr. Johannes **Reiss**

8. MONDAY. 15.05-16.35

PHOTOGRAPHERS OF JEWISH HERITAGE

Different styles, different objectives.

Moderator: Jason **Francisco**

Panelists: Matyas **Kiraly**, Dr. Rudolf **Klein**, Monika **Krajewska**

9. MONDAY. 16.40-18.10

JEWISH HERITAGE – WHO IS IT FOR?

This is a key question in countries whose Jewish population was decimated in the Shoah, and more recently, in places where synagogues and cemeteries are abandoned by population shifts and dwindling congregations.

Moderator: Michael **Mail**

Panelists: Lilian **Grootswagers**, Michał **Laszczkowski**, Susanne **Urban**



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