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**The Stephen Roth Institute for the Study of Contemporary Antisemitism and Racism, Tel Aviv University**

Are pleased to invite you to a lecture by:

**Prof. Benjamin Nathans**

**University of Pennsylvania**

## **From the Other Shore: Amnesty International and Soviet Dissidents**

BENJAMIN NATHANS is Ronald S. Lauder Endowed Term Associate Professor of History. He teaches and writes about Imperial Russia and the Soviet Union, modern European Jewish history, and the history of human rights. He edited *A Research Guide to Materials on the History of Russian Jewry (19th and Early 20th Centuries)* (Moscow, 1994) and is author of *Beyond the Pale: The Jewish Encounter With Late Imperial Russia* (Berkeley, 2002), which won the Koret Prize in Jewish History, the Vucinich Prize in Russian, Eurasian and East European Studies, the Lincoln Prize in Russian History and was a finalist for the National Jewish Book Award in History. Nathans' current research explores the history of dissent in the USSR from Stalin's death to the collapse of communism. Among his other activities, Nathans has chaired an international committee of scholars that helped design the content for the Museum of Jewish History in Moscow, which opened in November 2012.

**Sunday, March 22, 2015, 16:00-17:30**

**Tel Aviv University, Carter Bldg. Rm. 203**

\* The lecture will be held in English