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### List of Publications

#### Books

- *Genocide in the Carpathians: War, Social Breakdown, and Mass Violence, 1914-1945*, **accepted for publication by Stanford University Press (in the series Stanford Studies on Central and Eastern Europe)** and forthcoming in early 2016
- *Days of Ruin: The Jews of Munkács during the Holocaust* (Jerusalem: Yad Vashem Publications, 2013); published in Hebrew by Yad Vashem Publications, 2011
  - Reviewed by Jan Láníček, in *East European Jewish Affairs* 43:2 (2013), pp. 223-6: "Segal's book is a key contribution for historians researching the history of the Final Solution in Greater Hungary, but also in Eastern Europe more generally. Additionally, Segal makes important observations concerning the study of so-called 'bystanders' and the broad theme of Jewish responses to persecution." (225)
  - Prof. Antony Polonsky, Albert Abramson Professor of Holocaust Studies at Brandeis University, has written (back cover) that "*Days of Ruin* is essential reading for all those interested in the history of the Second World War and the problem of genocide."

#### Articles in refereed journals

- "Beyond Holocaust Studies: Rethinking the Holocaust in Hungary," *Journal of Genocide Research*, Vol. 16 (1) (2014)
- "Imported Violence: Carpatho-Ruthenians and Jews in Carpatho-Ukraine, October 1938-March 1939," *Polin: Studies in Polish Jewry*, Vol. 26: *Jews and Ukrainians* (2013)
- "Becoming Bystanders: Carpatho-Ruthenians, Jews, and the Politics of Narcissism in Subcarpathian Rus'," *Holocaust Studies: A Journal of Culture and History*, Vol. 16 (1-2) (2010)
  - \*Also published in: Thomas Kühne and Tom Lawson (eds.), *The Holocaust and Local History* (London: Vallentine Mitchell, 2011)
- "The Jews of Huszt between the World Wars and in the Holocaust," *Yalkut Moreshet: Holocaust Documentation and Research*, Vol. 4 (2006); first published in the Hebrew edition, Vol. 82 (2006)

#### In preparation

- **Editor** of *Under Attack: Intimacy, Disintegration, and Violence in European Societies during World War II* (Hebrew), sponsored by the Ben-Zion Dinur Center for Research in Jewish History, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.  
Contributors: Dr. Natalia Aleksion, Prof. Omer Bartov, Dr. Christoph Dieckmann, Dr. Hannah Pollin-Galay, and Prof. Moshe Zimmermann  
I will also write a chapter, "Contesting 'antisemitism': Jews and Carpatho-Ruthenians in Subcarpathian Rus'," as well as a comprehensive Introduction
- **Guest Editor** of a special issue of *Zmanim: A Historical Quarterly* (Hebrew) on genocide, including an article of mine, planned for November 2016

- “Munkács” and “Huszt,” entries on ghettos in Subcarpathian Rus’ for Volume 3 of the *United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Encyclopedia of Camps and Ghettos, 1933-1945*, forthcoming

#### Other Publications

- "Holocaust Remembrance Day in Israel and Genocide" (Hebrew), op-ed, *Yedioth Aharonot*, 19 April 2015
- "Nation States and Genocide in the Twentieth Century" (Hebrew), review of Mark Levene, *The Crisis of Genocide*, 2 vols. (Oxford University Press, 2013), in *Haaretz*, weekend books section, 20 February 2015
- “Not Because of Democracy: Hitler’s Rise to Power” (Hebrew), op-ed, *Yedioth Aharonot*, 13 February 2013
- “Not in Our School: Holocaust and Genocide Studies in Israeli Universities” (Hebrew), op-ed, *Yedioth Aharonot*, 7 November 2012, also published in *Al-Monitor: The Pulse of the Middle East*, 9 November 2012 (<http://www.al-monitor.com/pulse/culture/2012/11/not-in-our-school.html>)
- “Yehuda Bauer: Holocaust and Genocide – Two Concepts or Part of Each Other?” Strassler Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies at Clark University, *2008-2009 Year End Report*

#### **Conference/Workshop Presentations (Selected)**

- "The Limits of Foundational Concepts: Holocaust, Antisemitism, and the Destruction of Jews in Hungary during World War II," *4<sup>th</sup> Global Conference on Genocide of the International Network of Genocide Scholars (INoGS)*, University of Cape Town, South Africa, December 2014
- “Multi-Layered Mass Atrocities in World War II: An Emerging Historiography,” *The Future of Holocaust Studies*, University of Southampton, England, July 2013
- “The Disintegration of a Borderland Society: Genocide and Mass Violence in Subcarpathian Rus’,” International Workshop for PhD Candidates from the USA and Israel Researching the Holocaust, Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, November 2011
- “Reevaluating the Holocaust in Hungary: The Destruction of Subcarpathain Rus’ Jewry as a Case Study,” *Lessons and Legacies XI*, Florida Atlantic University, November 2010
- “Between ‘ethnic cleansing’ and ‘final solution’: The Persecution and Destruction of Subcarpathian Rus’ Jews during World War II,” *The Sixth Annual Danyliw Research Seminar on Contemporary Ukraine*, University of Ottawa, Canada, October 2010
- “The Jews of Munkács in the Interwar Period: A Crisis of Late Modernism,” *15<sup>th</sup> World Congress of Jewish Studies*, Jerusalem, Israel, August 2009
- “The Holocaust in Israeli Discourses: Hebrew and Yiddish Translations,” *25<sup>th</sup> Association for Israeli Studies Annual Conference*, Be’er-Sheva, Israel, June 2009
- “National Revival and Genocide: The Case of Carpatho-Ruthenian Bystanders to the Destruction of Subcarpathian Rus’ Jewry,” *First International Graduate Students’ Conference on Holocaust and Genocide Studies*, Clark University, Worcester, USA, April 2009
- “Jewish Society in the Ghettos in Subcarpathian Rus’: The Complexities of Facing Genocide,” *39<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Jewish Studies*, Toronto, Canada, December 2007

#### **Invited Lectures (Selected)**

- “The Holocaust in the Ethno-National Frontiers of Southeast Europe: Antisemitism, Colonial Violence, and Social Destruction,” finalist for a position in the School of

- History, University of Leicester, United Kingdom, August 2015
- "Antisemitism, Judeophobia, and Other Anxieties in the Twentieth Century," *Forum for the Study of the Holocaust, Genocide, and Mass Violence*, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, March 2015
  - "Instances of Bystanding: Jews and non-Jews Respond to Each Other's Plight in Hungary's Borderlands during World War II," *Minorities and Nativity Workshop*, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, May 2014; *The International Conference on Holocaust and Genocide Studies: Twenty Years to the Genocide in Rwanda*, The Open University of Israel, November 2014; *Rubin Forum*, Tel Aviv University, November 2014
  - "Narrating Multiple Agencies and the Emergent Nature of Mass Violence in Southeast Europe during World War II," co-authored with Yehonatan Alsheh, The Israel Academic Exchange Inaugural Seminar, Clark University, April 2014
  - "Rethinking Holocaust History: Multi-Layered Mass Violence in Southeast Europe during World War II," Research Seminar of the Avraham Harman Institute of Contemporary Jewry, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, November 2013; Research Seminar of the Richard Koebner Minerva Center for German History, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, March 2014
  - "The Holocaust in Subcarpathian Rus' and New Directions in Research on the Holocaust, Genocide, and Political Mass Violence," Seminar of the Department of Politics and Government, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, October 2012; Research Seminar of the Cummings Center for Russian and East European Studies, Tel Aviv University, December 2012
  - "The Life and Destruction of the Jewish Community in Munkács during World War II: A History of Jews, A History of Europe," lecture in Jerusalem College, February 2012
  - "The Destruction of the Jewish Communities in Subcarpathian Rus': A Holocaust in Context," Research Seminar of the International Institute of Holocaust Research, Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, January 2011
  - "'Ethnic Cleansing' and Genocide in Subcarpathian Rus': The Destruction of Jewish Life in a Multiethnic Region during World War II," *Natalia and Mendel Racolin Memorial Lecture*, Max Weinreich Center, YIVO Institute, New York, February 2010

#### **Organization of Conferences, Workshops, and Lecture Series**

- 2014-(16): Coordinator of the organizing committee for the 5<sup>th</sup> *Global Conference on Genocide of the International Network of Genocide Scholars* (INoGS), which, following a successful site proposal, is planned to take place in Jerusalem, 26-29 June 2016, at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem and the Van Leer Jerusalem Institute
- 2014-15: Initiated, organized, and serve as academic coordinator of *Genocide Studies: Reflections on the Twentieth Century*, an international lecture series at Tel Aviv University
- 2011-2014-: Initiated the Israel Academic Exchange program between the Strassler Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Clark University, and the Avraham Harman Institute of Contemporary Jewry, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem
 

The program, envisioned as a long-term collaboration that is open to scholars from all the universities in Israel, held its first seminar on 3-6 April 2014 at the Strassler Center. The second seminar will take place on 17-20 September 2015, also at the Strassler Center, and the third seminar is planned for 2017 in Israel. We plan to include additional activities as part of this program in the next few years.
- 2011-2012: Coordinator of the organizing committee for the International Research

- Symposium on the Holocaust and Genocide, Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities, 2-4 September 2012
- 2007-2009: Proposed and organized—with my fellow doctoral students, faculty, and staff at the Strassler Center—the first-ever *International Graduate Students' Conference on Genocide Studies*, which took place at the Strassler Center, 23-26 April 2009. The success of this conference created a permanent, triennial event at the Strassler Center: the second conference was held on 29 March-1 April, 2012, and the third on 9-12 April 2015. The fourth conference is planned for spring 2018.
  - 2006-2007: Initiated and co-organized (with Yehonatan Alsheh) the first conference in Israel for graduate students in Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Tel Aviv University, Israel, February 2007

**Other Professional Activities and Service**

- 2015-(18): Member of the editorial board of *Holocaust Studies: A Journal of Culture and History* (published by Taylor & Francis)
- 2010-2011: Reviewer for *History & Memory* and *Dapim: Studies on the Holocaust*
- June 2011: Participation in the *Experts Roundtable of the Ukrainian Jewish Encounter Initiative on the World War II Period in Ukraine*, Berlin and Potsdam, Germany
- July, 2009: Participation in the *International Forum of Young Scholars on East European Jewry*, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

**Languages**

Hebrew, English – native fluency

German, Yiddish, Hungarian – research knowledge

**Membership in Professional Organizations**

Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies (ASEEES)

International Network of Genocide Scholars (INoGS)