

# Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory Network News

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Dear Colleagues:

Welcome to the twenty-eighth issue of the **Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory Network News** (formerly Historical Justice and Memory Research Network News). The Network, which operates from [www.historicaldialogues.org](http://www.historicaldialogues.org), provides information and resources for scholars and activists working on issues of historical justice and social and public memory to encourage innovative interdisciplinary, transnational, and comparative research.

The **Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory Network** is a joint initiative of the Historical Justice and Memory Research Network (HJMRN), housed at the Swinburne Institute for Social Research, Swinburne University of Technology, in Melbourne, and Columbia University's Alliance for Historical Dialogue and Accountability (AHDA), at the Institute for the Study of Human Rights (ISHR) in New York. It draws on an international team of collaborators and affiliates.

### **ANNUAL CONFERENCE: HUMAN RIGHTS AND MEMORY**

Lund University, Sweden, **December 4-6, 2014**

Building on successful conferences in New York and Melbourne, the Dialogues is pleased to announce the call for paper for this year's conference.

#### **Keynote speakers include:**

[Amir Eshel](#), Stanford University, USA

[Gunlög Fur](#), Linné University, Sweden

[Tyrell Haberkorn](#), Australian National University

[Erica Lehrer](#), Concordia University, Canada

[Samuel Moyn](#), Columbia University, USA

[Klaus Neumann](#), Swinburne University of Technology, Australia

Deadline for submission of paper or panel proposals is **April 1, 2014**. There is no conference fee. The call for papers is available at <http://humanrightsandmemory.wordpress.com/>.

**Request for information about best practices in the field of historical dialogue.** Please send us success stories and examples of historical dialogue that you know about or you've conducted or carried out that involve historical dialogue as a tool in conflict resolution or post-conflict education. Topics can be, but are not limited to, categories such as: historical commissions; addressing national trauma in memory; inclusion of historical acknowledgement in conflict resolution agreements; education and textbooks; museums. Please do NOT send activities that are framed entirely in a judicial context. We look forward to hearing from you at [dialogues@columbia.edu](mailto:dialogues@columbia.edu); check our website and newsletter for updates on activities that might help you in your HD endeavors.

We are currently updating the database of researchers on our website (see <http://historicaldialogues.org/affiliates/database-of-researchers/>). The database lists researchers who working on issues of historical historical dialogue, historical and transitional justice, and public and social

memory and have published at least one substantial article in an international refereed journal. If you would like to be included in that database, or if you would like to update your details, please send an email to [historicaljustice@swin.edu.au](mailto:historicaljustice@swin.edu.au).

### **Book Symposium- Special Call for Contributions**

The Dialogues will be hosting a book symposium during the conference to mark the publication of [Transitional Justice in Established Democracies: A Political Theory](#). Described by Margaret Urban Walker as a 'tour de force', and by Janna Thompson as 'remarkable', this book by [Stephen Winter](#) unifies the work of administrative, corrective and restorative justice in a single theory. The Dialogues is **seeking two to three contributors** to join a symposium on this ground-breaking work. Those interested should contact Ariella Lang at [dialogues@columbia.edu](mailto:dialogues@columbia.edu) for more information.

The 2014 conference is organized by the Center for European Studies and the Human Rights Studies division at the Department of History, Lund University; it is sponsored by the Alliance for Historical Dialogue and Accountability ([www.hrcolumbia.org/edu/ahda](http://www.hrcolumbia.org/edu/ahda)).

We also draw your attention to our latest book reviews, including:

- Gabriela Welch's [review](#) of Richard Vernon (2012), *Historical Redress: Must We Pay for the Past?*
- Joannie Jean's [review](#) of Cath Collins, Katherine Hite, and Alfredo Joignant, eds. (2013), *The Politics of Memory in Chile: From Pinochet to Bachelet*

Read these and [other reviews on our website](#).

If you have any information about calls for papers, new publications, forthcoming conferences, or jobs that could be publicized in future newsletters or via the [Dialogues website](#), please email us at [dialogues@columbia.edu](mailto:dialogues@columbia.edu).

Best wishes,

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## **Books for Review**

We currently have available a number of English, French, and German books for review. Please contact the relevant editor ([Stephen Winter](#) for English-language titles; [Elizabeth Rechniewski](#) for French-language titles; [Nina Schneider](#) for German-language titles; [Daniele Salerno](#) for Italian-language titles; and [Juan José Cruz](#) and [Rosario Figari Layús](#) for Spanish-language titles) on our website [www.historicaldialogues.org](http://www.historicaldialogues.org) if you are interested.

- Kerry Clamp, [Restorative Justice in Transition](#). Routledge, 2013.
- Annie E. Coombes, Lotte Hughes and Karega-Munene, [Managing Heritage, Making Peace: History, Identity and Memory in Contemporary Kenya](#). IB Tauris, 2014.

## **Recent and Forthcoming Publications**

**May 2014**

[How to Accept German Reparations](#)

Susan Slyomovics, University of Pennsylvania Press

**January 2014**

[The Last Man: A British Genocide in Tasmania](#)

Tom Lawson, I.B. Tauris

## **Announcements and Opportunities**

## **Calls for Papers: Conferences and Workshops**

### [Beyond Camps and Forced Labour](#)

Deadline: March 31, 2014  
Dates: January 7-9, 2015  
Location: Imperial War Museum London  
Contact: Carmen Mangion [Beyondcamps@iwm.org.uk](mailto:Beyondcamps@iwm.org.uk)

### [Fourth Annual Conference of the Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory Network: Human Rights and Memory](#)

Deadline: April 1, 2014 for submission of paper or panel proposals  
Dates: December 4-6, 2014  
Location: Lund University, Sweden  
Contact: [hrcm2014@ht.lu.se](mailto:hrcm2014@ht.lu.se)

### [From Informal to Insurgent Governance: Modes and Transformation of Social Capital in the Caucasus \(and beyond\)](#)

Deadline: April 10, 2014  
Dates: June 7-8, 2014  
Location: Tbilisi State University, Tbilisi, Georgia  
Contact: Emilia Pawlusz: [emilia.pawlusz@gmail.com](mailto:emilia.pawlusz@gmail.com)

### [Looted Art and Restitution in the Twentieth Century: Europe in transnational and global perspective](#)

Deadline: April 13, 2014  
Dates: September 18-20, 2014  
Location: Cambridge, Newnham College, University of Cambridge  
Contact: Bianca Gaudenzi [bg265@cam.ac.uk](mailto:bg265@cam.ac.uk)

### [Oxford Transitional Justice Research Summer Conference: Borders and Boundaries in Transitional Justice](#)

Deadline: April 21, 2014  
Date: June 27, 2014  
Location: University of Oxford, UK  
Contact: OTJR Convenor, Miles Jackson [miles.jackson@law.ox.ac.uk](mailto:miles.jackson@law.ox.ac.uk)

### [Collective vs Collected Memories. 1989-1991 from an Oral History Perspective](#)

Deadline: May 15, 2014  
Dates: November 6-8, 2014  
Location: Warsaw, Poland  
Contact: [genealogies@enrs.eu](mailto:genealogies@enrs.eu)

## **Call for Papers: Journals and Book Chapters**

### [Irish Community Development Law Journal](#)

The theme for this issue is Economic, Social and Cultural Rights in practice.

Deadline: March 28, 2014

This edition seeks to examine the practical application of economic, social and cultural rights, stimulate debate, encourage reflective practice, highlight casework and evidence, and engage a global audience. Submissions are welcome from practitioners and academics working across a broad spectrum of professions and academic disciplines.

Contact: If you are interested in writing an article, a book review or a case-study, please email [editor@nclc.ie](mailto:editor@nclc.ie).

## **Call for Book Proposals**

### [Where Peace and Conflict Take Place. Analysing Peace and Conflict from a Spatial Perspective](#)

Edited by Annika Björkdahl, University of Lund and Susanne Buckley-Zistel, Philipps University Marburg

Deadline: March 31, 2014

Contact: We invite contributions which address the topic from a purely theoretical as well as from an empirically sustained perspective. Please send your abstract (500 words) and a biographic note (100 words) to [space@staff.uni-marburg.de](mailto:space@staff.uni-marburg.de)

### [Call for Proposals: Ashgate's \*Memory Studies-Global Constellations Series\*](#)

Edited by Henri Lustiger-Thaler, Ramapo College of New Jersey, USA and Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, France  
Contact: Claire Jarvis, Senior Commissioning Editor [cjarvis@ashgatepublishing.com](mailto:cjarvis@ashgatepublishing.com). See also <http://www.ashgate.com/default.aspx?page=5158>

## **Upcoming Events, Conferences and Study Programs**

[International Conference: "Education in Conflict – Conflict in Education"](#)

Dates: March 29-30, 2014

Location: Home for Cooperation, The Association for Historical Dialogue and Research (AHDR)

[Book Launch and Lecture on "The International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights"](#)

Date: April 2, 2014, 6PM-7:30 (followed by a book signing and reception)

Location: 40 Washington square south, Vanderbilt Hall, Room 206 (NYU School of Law)

Contact: Please RSVP to Audrey Watne at [watnea@exchange.law.nyu.edu](mailto:watnea@exchange.law.nyu.edu) by March 28<sup>th</sup> to be guaranteed admission.

["The Magical Violin of Vahan Bedelian"](#)

Date: April 3, 2014

Location: Home for Cooperation, Association for Historical Dialogue & Research, Cyprus

Contact: [ahdr@ahdr.info](mailto:ahdr@ahdr.info)

[Does the Genocide Convention Protect All Nations from Genocide?](#)

With Professor Hannibal Travis

Date: April 14, 2014 6:30pm

Location: National Press Club of Washington, 529 14th Street, NW, Washington, DC

Contact: Joe David, [j david@bfat.com](mailto:j david@bfat.com)

[2014 Transitional Justice Fellowship Programme](#)

Deadline: April 15, 2014

Dates: June 8-29, 2014

Location: Johannesburg and Cape Town, South Africa and The Hague, Netherlands

Contact: Ms. Anthea Flink on [aflink@ijr.org.za](mailto:aflink@ijr.org.za)

[The transmission of a troubled past: Between the personal and professional](#)

Date: May 12, 2014

Location: University College London, European Institute

Contact: Uta Staiger, [u.staiger@ucl.ac.uk](mailto:u.staiger@ucl.ac.uk)

[Peace, Order & Conflict in Times of Crisis: Theory & Practice](#)

International Summer School in Peace and Conflict Studies

Dates: July 20-30, 2014

Location: Nicosia

Contact: Mr. Thanos Koulos [lloulos.athanasios@lucy.ac.cy](mailto:lloulos.athanasios@lucy.ac.cy)

## **Fellowships, Grants and Job Opportunities**

[Internship, Conflict Resolution](#)

Location: Tanenbaum Center for Interreligious Understanding, New York, NY

Contact: Please send a cover letter, résumé, and two brief writing samples (less than five pages) to [hr@tanenbaum.org](mailto:hr@tanenbaum.org). Be sure to include the name of the position in the subject line of your email and how you learned of the position.

[Human Rights Advocates Program \(HRAP\) 2014 applications now open](#)

The application for the 2014 session of the annual Human Rights Advocates Program (HRAP) at Columbia University is now available. The application is available online at <http://hrcolumbia.org/hrap/apply/>.

[The Swinburne Institute at Swinburne University of Technology](#) in Melbourne, Australia is looking for a couple capable students to do a PhD on issues of historical justice under the supervision of Professor Klaus Neumann. Three-year scholarships (A\$25,392 p/a) are available. Applicants ought to have an MA or

equivalent qualification with first-class results (at least 85/100) and be fluent in at least one language other than English. Students in anthropology and history are particularly encouraged apply. Interested students are requested to send an expression of interest, including a CV, academic transcripts, a research proposal and two writing samples, to [kneumann@swin.edu.au](mailto:kneumann@swin.edu.au).

## Other

[Konf: "Der verwaltete Raub". "Arisierung" und Versuche der Wiedergutmachung. 15. Laupheimer Gespräche - Laupheim 02/14](#)

Haus der Geschichte Baden-Württemberg, und Stadt Laupheim  
20.02.2014-23.05.2014, Laupheim, Kulturhaus Schloss Großlaupheim -  
Museum zur Geschichte von Christen und Juden  
Deadline: 15.05.2014

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