

Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory Network News

Newsletter No. 39

September 4, 2014

Follow us on [Twitter](#) and like us on [Facebook](#)!

Dear Colleagues:

Welcome to the new 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, 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.

The Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory Network is considering new work to feature in the **Working Paper (WP) Series**. The series editors are looking for unpublished texts that emerging scholars, practitioners and others are willing to “workshop” within our intellectual community. This is a unique format for online working papers, with opportunities for discussion and feedback. We will feature your WP on the Network website for a period of approximately two months, promoting the series on our bimonthly newsletter, blog, Twitter, and Facebook pages, encouraging members to read your paper and contribute to an online discussion. For submissions, there are no restrictions on topic, length, or citation format, though we recommend fewer than 30 pages in length and we require the use of a consistent citation method with complete references. There are no restrictions on author affiliation, training, or experience, and your WP can be a policy memo, a practice-oriented program outline, or a scholarly contribution. Copyright will remain with the author, so that posting in the WP series will not prevent you from pursuing publication with the same paper at a later time. Your paper will be archived once a new WP is posted, or if you request its removal. The discussion around your paper will remain accessible. The working paper series is an excellent opportunity to receive interdisciplinary feedback on your ideas and writing. We encourage you to send questions and Working Paper submissions to co-editors Michelle Bellino and Cathlin Goulding at dialogues@columbia.edu.

The academic year has started and, once again, we are excited to kick off 2014-2015 [series](#) of unpublished papers on issues of historical dialogue, historical and transitional justice, and public and social memory. To start off the school year, we are happy to share our [fourth working paper](#), written by Caterina Bonara, “Opening Up or Closing the Historical Dialogue: The Role of Civil Society in Promoting a Debate About the Past.” As usual, we encourage you to peruse the paper and add your thoughts and observations—however informal and brief—to the comments of this post.

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; 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.

We also draw your attention to our latest book reviews:

- Olivera Simic's [review](#) of Thorsten Bonacker and Christoph Safferling (eds.) (2013), *Victims of International Crimes: An Interdisciplinary Discourse*. The volume is a rich and comprehensive collection that brings together scholars and experts from various disciplines.

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.

Best wishes,

Ariella Lang and Carla De Ycaza

Editors, *Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory*
Alliance for Historical Dialogue and Accountability
Institute for the Study of Human Rights
Columbia University
dialogues@columbia.edu

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 Rezniewski](#) 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 if you are interested.

- Bryoni Trezise, [Performing Feeling in Cultures of Memory](#). Palgrave Macmillan, 2014.

Recent and Forthcoming Publications

December 2014

["International Criminal Tribunals and the Perception of Justice: The effect of ICTY in Croatia,"](#)

Roman David, *International Journal of Transitional Justice*

September 2014

["Ideational Change and the Emergence of the International Norm of Truth and Reconciliation Commissions."](#)

Michal Ben-Josef Hirsch, *European Journal of International Relations* 20, 3: 810-833

June 2014

[EU Foreign Policy, Transitional Justice and Mediation: Principle, Policy and Practice](#)

Laura Davis, Routledge

Announcements and Opportunities

Calls for Papers: Conferences and Workshops

The Second Euroacademia International Conference

'Identities and Identifications: Politicized Uses of Collective Identities'

Deadline: September 12, 2014

Dates: October 17 – 18, 2014

Location: Florence, Italy, Villa Victoria – Palazzo dei Congressi

International Conference: Historical Culture in Divided Societies

Deadline: September 14, 2014

Dates: December 19-20, 2014

Location: Home for Cooperation, Nicosia, Cyprus

Contact: ahdr@ahdr.info

20th Workshop on History and Memory of National Socialist Concentration Camps: "Occupation - Forced Labor - Extermination"

Location: Minsk (Republic of Belarus), including guided tours of the former ghetto, the State Memorial Complex "Khatyn" and the Maly Trostinets Memorial Site.

Submission Deadline: September 15, 2014

Dates: April 7-12, 2015

Contact: workshop-minsk@lists.nadir.org

Shaping Memory and Identity in Europe: Countervailing Forces from Above and Below

22nd International Conference of Europeanists, Contradictions: Envisioning European Futures

Location: Paris, France

Deadline: September 20, 2014

Dates: July 8-10, 2015

Contact: Paper proposals (250 words abstracts) should be sent to aline.sierp@maastrichtuniversity.nl and jwustenberg@gmail.com

Landscapes of War: Violence, Destruction, and Memory (19th/20th centuries)

Deadline: October 15, 2014

Dates: March 27-29, 2015

Location: Institute of Volkskunde / Cultural Anthropology, Universität Hamburg, Ohlsdorf Cemetery (in the Bestattungsforum), Fuhlsbütteler, Straße 758

Contact: kriegslandschaften@uni-hamburg.de

5th Global Conference: Trauma: Theory and Practice

Location: Lisbon, Portugal

Deadline: October 31, 2014

Dates: March 22 – 24, 2015

Contact: Peter Bray pbray@eit.ac.nz, Rob Fisher trauma5@inter-disciplinary.net

Landscapes of the Great War: imagination, representation, experience

International Society for First World War Studies Conference, 2015

Location: Trento and Padua (Italy)

Deadline: November 30, 2014

Dates: September 10-12, 2015

Contact: landscapesofwar@gmail.com

Call for Papers: Journals and Book Chapters

Conflict Trends 2014/4

Deadline: December 8, 2014

2016 Special Issue of the International Journal of Transitional Justice

"Reconsidering Appropriate Responses to Victims of Conflict"

Guest edited by Juan E. Méndez, UN Special Rapporteur on Torture, and Professor of Human Rights Law in Residence, Washington College of Law

Deadline: July 1, 2015

Contact: For questions or further information, please contact the Managing Editor at ijtj@csvr.org.za.

Call for Book Proposals

[Palgrave Critical Studies in Post-conflict Recovery](#)

Contact: For further information, or to submit a proposal, please contact the series editors at the Post-war Reconstruction and Development Unit (Kenneth Bush kenneth.bush@york.ac.uk or Sultan Barakat sultan.barakat@york.ac.uk) or the Commissioning Editor for International Relations at Palgrave Macmillan (Eleanor Davey-Corrigan eleanor.davey-corrigan@palgrave.com)

[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. See also <http://www.ashgate.com/default.aspx?page=5158>

Upcoming Events, Conferences and Study Programs

[Using Geospatial Technology to Support Human Rights Research and Documentation](#)

Location: Washington, DC

Date: September 5, 2014

[Mobilizing Memory: Women Witnessing](#)

Location: DEPO | Tütün Deposu Lüleci Hendek Cad. No:12 Tophane 34425 İstanbul

Dates: September 5 – October 3, 2014, Exhibit Opening: September 5th, 18:30

Contact: depo@depoistanbul.net

[Bearing Witness: Art and Resistance in Cold War Latin America, Closing Event](#)

Date: September 8, 2014, 6-8pm

Location: Anya and Andrew Shiva Gallery, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY, 860 11th Avenue (New Building), New York

RSVP to info@historicalmemoryproject.com 646.557.4744

[Report Launch: "Challenging the Conventional: Can Truth Commissions Strengthen Peace Processes?"](#)

Location: Jerome Greene Annex, 410 West 117th Street, Columbia University, New York, NY

Date: September 9, 2014 6:00pm - 7:30pm

Contact: Space is limited. Please reserve at rsvp@ictj.org

[Reconciliation in the Western Balkans and in East Asia: The Role of German Governmental and Civil Society Actors and Implications for the United States](#)

Location: AICGS, 1755 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Suite 700, Washington, DC 20036

Date: September 9, 2014, 8:30am – 12:45pm

Contact: Ms. Kimberly Frank at kfrank@aicgs.org

[The Legality Under International Law of Targeted Killings by Drones Launched by the United States](#)

Location: New York City Bar Association, New York

Date: September 10, 2014

[Preventing and Responding to Atrocities: The Responsibility to Protect, International Law, and the Case of the Central African Republic](#)

Location: New York City Bar Association, New York

Date: September 10, 2014

["Coming to Terms" with Gendered Memories of Genocide, War, and Political Repression](#)

Public Roundtables (with simultaneous translations)

Location: DEPO | Tütün Deposu Lüleci Hendek Cad. No:12 Tophane 34425 İstanbul

Date: September 17, 2014 13:00 – 19:00

Contact: depo@depoistanbul.net

[Seeking Witness: Voice of Witness and Building an Oral History Network](#)

Fall 2014 Oral History Workshop Series: Oral History, Medicine, and Health, Luke Gerwe

Location: Columbia University, Room 509, Knox Hall, 606 West 122nd Street, 5th floor

Date: Thursday, September 18, 6-8pm

[International Conference: Historical Culture in Divided Societies](#)

Dates: December 19-20, 2014

Location: Home for Cooperation, Nicosia, Cyprus

Contact: ahdr@ahdr.info

Fellowships, Grants and Job Opportunities

[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/>.

[Senior Researcher, Americas Division: Human Rights Watch](#)

Location: New York or Washington, DC

[Francophone Africa Program Officer: Natural Resource Governance Institute](#)

Location: Conakry, Guinea

Deadline: September 5, 2014

[Funding Policy and Strategy Coordinator: IDEA International](#)

Location: Stockholm, Sweden

Deadline: September 7, 2014

[Staff Attorney, Refugee Representation: Human Rights First](#)

Location: New York, NY

Deadline: September 8, 2014

[Senior Child Rights Programmes Advisor: World Vision UK](#)

Location: London

Deadline: September 8, 2014

[Research Officer: Institute of Development Studies](#)

Location: United Kingdom

Deadline: September 10, 2014

[Expert Consultant on Transitional Justice, Impunity Watch](#)

Location Flexible with Travel to Netherlands

Deadline: September 10, 2014

[Regional Director, Africa: American Friends Service Committee](#)

Location: Nairobi, Kenya

Deadline: September 12, 2014

[Equal Justice Works Fellowship](#)

Deadline: September 17, 2014

[Senior Disaster Law Officer: International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies in Geneva](#)

Location: Geneva

Deadline: September 19, 2014

[Frederick A.O. Schwarz Legal Fellow: Natural Resources Defense Counsel](#)

Location: New York

Deadline: September 26, 2014

[Call for Applications, Journalists and Writers Foundation, Peace Projects Funding \(open to applicants worldwide\) of up to \\$50,000](#)

Deadline: September 30, 2014

[Associate Professorship \(or Professorship\) of Refugee Studies and Forced Migration](#)

Location: University of Oxford

Deadline: October 1, 2014

[Marvin M. Karpatkin Fellowship: ACLU Racial Justice Program](#)

Location: New York

Deadline: October 15, 2014

[2015-2017 Aryeh Neier Fellowship: Human Rights Watch/ACLU](#)

Location: New York

Deadline: October 15, 2014

[Alan R. and Barbara D. Finberg Fellowship: Human Rights Watch](#)

Location: New York

Deadline: October 15, 2014

[Peacemaker in Action Award](#)

Tanenbaum Center for Interreligious Understanding

Deadline: October 17, 2014

Contact: Submit a nomination at <http://tanenbaum.org/peacemakers-in-action-network/nomination-process/nomination-form/>

[2015 Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship, Humanity in Action](#)

Location: Washington, DC and Paris

Deadline: Applications for the program are due October 30, 2014

Dates: May 29 to June 28, 2015

[Clinical Teaching Fellowship: UC Hasting Refugee and Human Rights Clinic](#)

Location: San Francisco, CA

Deadline: November 1, 2014

[Alfa Fellowship Program: Cultural Vistas](#)

Location: Russia

Deadline: December 31, 2014

[3-year New Attorney Program: US Department of State, Office of the Legal Adviser](#)

Location: Various

[2015 Human Rights Law Fellow: International Justice Resource Center](#)

Location: San Francisco

Deadline: Various

[Democracy Fellows: USAID](#)

Location: Washington, DC or US Missions abroad

Deadline: Rolling

[Conflict Resolution and Peacebuilding Internship](#)

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

Contact: hr@tanenbaum.org

[Design, Monitoring and Evaluation \(DME\) Specialist](#)

International Center for Transitional Justice, New York

Other

[The Fourth Institute for African Transitional Justice \(IATJ\) Report](#)

Using a combination of lectures, group exercises, reflective sessions, and structured debates, the 4th IATJ was held from 15-19 June 2014 in Kampala, Uganda, and addressed the theme of Global Transitions, Africa's Resource Riches, and the Future of Transitional Justice.

["Community Participation in Transitional Justice: A Role for Participatory Research,"](#)

A USAID Technical Guide, drafted by ABA ROLI. The guide discusses the role that participatory research techniques can play in mobilizing communities to advocate for and participate in transitional justice. The guide will be available in French in late September 2014.

[Invitation to a practitioner dialogue, "Transitional Justice from Below: West African Approaches,"](#) which will be held from September 24-26, 2014 in Bamako, Mali.

Copyright © 2014 Alliance for Historical Dialogue and Accountability, All rights reserved.
You are receiving this email because you are subscribed to our network.

If you wish to be removed from this mailing list, please e-mail ahda-dialogues-unsubscribe@lists.columbia.edu.

Our mailing address is:

Alliance for Historical Dialogue and Accountability
Institute for the Study of Human Rights
91 Claremont Ave, 7th Floor
New York, NY 10027