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Dear Colleagues:

Welcome to the thirtieth 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.

We are so pleased to present the <u>second working paper</u> in our new series of unpublished papers on issues of historical dialogue, historical and transitional justice, and public and social memory. The paper, "Transitional Justice and Addressing the History of Active Conflicts: The Case of the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict" is brought to us by Dr. Rafi Nets-Zehngut. We invite you, the members and followers of the Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory Network, to add your own comments and questions. Thanks for reading!

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.

Book Symposium- Special Call for Contributions

The Dialogues will be hosting a book symposium during the conference to mark the publication of <u>Transitional Justice in Established Democracies: A Political Theory.</u> Described by Margaret Urban Walker as a 'tour de force', and by Janna Thompson as 'remarkable', this book by <u>Stephen Winter</u> unifies the work of administrative, corrective and restorative justice in a single theory. The Dialogues is **seeking two to three**

contributors to a join a symposium on this ground-breaking work. Those interested should contact Ariella Lang at dialogues@columbia.edu for more information.

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

- Daniel Anderson's review of Angelica Nuzzo (2012), Memory, History, Justice in Hegel
- Aline Sierp's <u>review</u> of Rebecca Clifford (2013), Commemorating the Holocaust. The Dilemmas of Remembrance in France and Italy

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 <u>Dialogues website</u>, please email us at <u>dialogues@columbia.edu</u>.

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 if you are interested.

- Francisco Ferrándiz, El pasado bajo tierra. Exhumaciones contemporáneas de la Guerra Civil. Anthropos, 2014.
- Dawn Rothe and David Kauzlarich (eds.), Towards a Victomology of State Crime. Routledge, 2014.
- Estela Schindel, <u>La desaparición a diario</u>. Sociedad, prensa y dictadura. Eduvim: Poliedros, 2013.
- Jill Stockwell, <u>Reframing the Transitional Justice Paradigm: Women's Affective Memories in Post-Dictatorial Argentina</u>. Springer, 2014.

Recent and Forthcoming Publications

May 2014

How to Accept German Reparations

Susan Slyomovics, University of Pennsylvania Press

December 2013

Rapid response ethnographies in turbulent times: Researching mass grave exhumations in contemporary Spain

Francisco Ferrándiz, Anthropology Today, Volume 29, Issue 6, 18–22 [December 2013]

April 2013

<u>Judiciary Involvement in Authoritarian Repression and Transitional Justice: The Spanish Case in Comparative Perspective</u> Paloma Aguilar, *The International Journal of Transitional Justice*, Vol. 7, 2013, 245–266

February 2013

Exhuming the Defeated: Civil War Mass Graves in 21st Century Spain. Francisco Ferrándiz. American Ethnologist, Volume 40, Issue 1, 38–54

May 2011

Determinants of Attitudes Toward Transitional Justice: An Empirical Analysis of the Spanish Case Paloma Aguilar, Laia Balcells and Hector Cebolla-Boado, *Comparative Political Studies* 2011 44:1397

Announcements and Opportunities

Calls for Papers: Conferences and Workshops

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

The Role of Museums for Peace in Preventing War and Promoting Remembrance, Historical Truth and

Reconciliation

Deadline: April 30, 2014 Dates: September 9-22, 2014

Location: No Gun Ri Peace Memorial Park, South Korea

Contact: conference@inmp.net

School vs. Memory? Conflict, Identity, Coexistence (Central Europe)

Deadline: May 11, 2014 Dates: October 10-11, 2014 Location: Prague, Czech Republic Contact: eva.kubatova@ustrcr.cz

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

International Workshop within the Framework of the European Holocaust Research Infrastructure

(EHRI) Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe - Berlin

Deadline: June 15, 2014 Dates: October 20-21, 2014

Contact: anne.langer@stiftung-denkmal.de

Call for Papers: Journals and Book Chapters

Call for contributions: Edited Volume on Public Art in South Africa, 1999-2014

Deadline: June 1, 2014

Contact: Kim Miller, miller_kim@wheatoncollege.edu

Genocide Studies and Prevention: An International Journal (GSP)

Deadline: June 7, 2014

GSP is publishing a special issue on Humanitarian Technologies and Genocide Prevention. This special issue of GSP will focus on the latest developments in mapping, citizen-based monitoring, crisis mapping, crowdsourcing, e-humanities, and related fields, and their potential use in preventing genocide or dealing with the aftermath of genocide.

Call for Book Proposals

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 <u>cjarvis@ashgatepublishing.com</u>. See also <u>http://www.ashgate.com/default.aspx?page=5158</u>

Upcoming Events, Conferences and Study Programs

Memory Work and Memory Activism in and after Conflict: Internal versus External Reconciliation

Date: April 23, 2014 6:00-7:30pm

Location: Faculty House, Garden Room 1, Columbia University, New York

Contact: cumemory@gmail.com

The Rwandan Genocide: Twenty Years Later

Date: April 24, 2014, 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Location: University at Buffalo, North Campus - 120 Clemens Hall

Contact: Helene Kramer at Helene.Kramer@gmail.com

Displaying Human Rights: Museums, Archives and Post-Dictatorship in Latin America

Dates: April 24-26, 2014

Location: Casa Hispanica, Columbia University, 612 W. 116th Street, New York NY

Annual Observance of Holocaust Memorial Day

Date: April 27, 2014 -- 3:00 p.m.

Location: Free Synagogue of Flushing, 136-23 Sanford Ave. Flushing, NY 11355

Guest speakers: Monsignor Edward Wetterer of St. Michael's RC Church, Adem Carrol, Armenian Poet Alan

Semerdjian, Rabbi Michael Weisser

The Past in Public: Museums and Memory

Date: May 2, 2014, 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Location: 918 International Affairs, 420 West 118th Street, Columbia University

Contact: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1xrMrgIdpH0w06cVZTUdNNpaE90XmleI07bfQy2- 0NI/viewform

Human Rights and Transitional Justice in Latin America: Developing multiple strategies on the road from impunity to accountability

Date: May 7, 2014 10:00am-12:30pm

Location: Faculty of Theology, St Michielsstraat 4, Leuven, Collegium Veteranorum, Romero Room (02.10)

Contact: Participation is free, but we kindly ask you to register before 5 May with

sonja.wellens@law.kuleuven.be.

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

Disturbing Pasts: Reverberations of the Second World War in Europe after 1945

Dates: July 3-5, 2014

Location: University College London (UCL)

Contact: Please contact Julia Wagner j.wagner@ucl.ac.uk or Christiane Wienand c.wienand@ucl.ac.uk for

further information.

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: Thanos Koulos <u>lloulos.athanasios@lucy.ac.cy</u>

Fourth Annual Conference of the Dialogues on Historical Justice and Memory Network: Human Rights and

Memory

Dates: December 4-6, 2014 Location: Lund University, Sweden Contact: hrmc2014@ht.lu.se

Fellowships, Grants and Job Opportunities

International Consultant, Rule of Law in Nepal, UN Women

Deadline: April 28, 2014 Contact: jobs.np@unwomen.org

Conflict Resolution Network Coordinator

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

This is a part-time position.

Bertha Justice Initiative: Program Officer

Application deadline: May 1, 2014

Bertha UK Ltd is seeking a full-time Program Officer for the Bertha Justice Initiative. The successful

candidate will be based in the Bertha offices in London.

European Roma Rights Centre: Executive Director

Application deadline: June 8, 2014

Location: Budapest

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/.

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 https://motanenbaum.org. Be sure to include the name of the position in the subject line of your email and how you learned of the position.

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.

Other

International Hrant Dink Award Nominations

Proposals for nominations will be accepted until April 30th 2014.

Contact: award@hrantdink.org.

Aboriginal People's Television Network Investigative Report

The piece will explore whether the Residential School system in Canada was genocidal in its intent and effect.

Memoria Barcelona

A multilingual website and app for smart phones that proposes 10 routes to discover historical and memorial sites of the twentieth century in Barcelona, a city that was systematically bombed during the Spanish Civil War and that lived in the streets the struggle to recover a democratic system.

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