

Parkes Institute for the Study of Jewish/non-Jewish Relations, University of
Southampton

1st International Workshop on Jewish Heritage 2016

Heritage and Its Communities

Highfield House Hotel, Southampton and University of Southampton

11-13 July 2016

Draft Programme

Conference venue: Highfield Hotel, 119 Highfield Lane, Southampton, SO17 1AQ

Sunday, 10 July 2016

- 18.30 Welcome and drinks for speakers and participants at Highfield House
- 20.00 Dinner at own expense in Portswood

Monday, 11 July 2016

- 11.00 Welcome by Professor Joachim Schloer, Director of the Parkes Institute for the Study of Jewish/non-Jewish Relations, University of Southampton, and Dr Kathrin Pieren and Professor Tony Kushner, organisers of the programme
- 11.15 Jakub Nowakowski, Executive Director, Galicia Jewish Museum
'Jewish museums in post-Jewish spaces' (Lecture)
- 12.45 Lunch
- 13.45 Cilly Kugelmann, Program Director and Deputy Director, Jewish Museum Berlin
'Jewish communities and their relation to Jewish museums' (Workshop)
- 15.45 Coffee break
- 16.15 Project showcase by participants
- 18.15 Poster session with drinks
- 19.45 Conference dinner

Tuesday, 12 July 2016

- 9.00 Trip to Southampton and Winchester on the search of the hidden traces of Jewish history in the built heritage led by Professor Tony Kushner
- 11.30 Coffee break
- 12.00 Peter Aiers, Director South East and Head of Regeneration, The Churches Conservation Trust
'Working successfully with communities to turn sacred into secular spaces' (Workshop)
- 13.30 Lunch
An opportunity to discuss your heritage project with Sally Berkovic, CEO, Rothschild Foundation (Hanadiv) Europe. (Sign up on arrival to the workshop for 1:1 10 minute slots).
- 14.30 Ruth Ellen Gruber, Writer and Researcher, Co-ordinator Jewish Heritage Europe
'Jewish heritage in the digital age: impact on communities' (Workshop)
- 16.00 Coffee break
- 16.30 Dr Alla Sokolova, Curator, State Museum of the History of Religions, St Petersburg and Lecturer at the Center 'Petersburg Judaica' at the European University of St Petersburg
'Collecting and representing tangible and intangible heritage: source communities and authenticity' (Lecture)
- 17.45 Screening of the film 'A town called Brzostek' (2014), followed by a discussion
- 19.15 Dinner at participants' own expense

Wednesday, 13 July 2016

- 9.30 Dr Karen Robson, Head of Archives (including Anglo-Jewish Archives), University of Southampton
'Archives and audiences: engaging with our users' (Workshop)
- 11.00 Coffee break
- 11.30 Professor Joachim Schloer, Director of the Parkes Institute for the Study of Jewish/non-Jewish Relations, University of Southampton
'Jewish migration and the archive' (Lecture)
- 13.00 Lunch
- 14.00 '(How) can heritage empower communities?' (Debate)
Debra Brunner, Director, The Together Plan (Brest Headstone Memorial Project)
Peter Aiers, Director South East and Head of Regeneration, The Churches Conservation Trust
Edward Dickenson, Learning Officer, Ben Uri Gallery, London
- 15.30 Feedback session and discussion of next workshop theme
- 16.00 End of conference