

Third Annual Holocaust, Genocide, Memory Studies Conference

Friday, September 4

9 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Zoom

9:15-10:45 Session 1: Traces in Literature, Traces of Literature

Chair and Respondent: Brett Ashley Kaplan

Zachary Hader

Re-Searching the Arctic in the works of Ellen de Bruin's *Onder het ijs* and Christoph Ransmayr's *die Schrecken des Eises und der Finsternis*

Alice Balestrino

Symptomatic Histories. Normalizing Traumas through Illness in Flaiano's Tempo di Uccidere and Roth's Nemesis.

Jacob Neis

“Permission to Bury Our Brother”: Black Mourning and Receptions of the *Antigone*

11:00

Keynote Candice Jenkins (English and African American Studies) *Toward a Theory of Speculative Pessimism*

1- 2:30

Session 2: Locations of Memory: In and Beyond the Nation

Chair and Respondent: Claire Baytas

John Slattery

Deconstructing National Narratives in Jenny Erpenbeck's *Gehen, ging, gegangen (Go, Went, Gone)*

Ragini Chakraborty

Fri-ability...Fall-ability...Ability of Memory: Remembering 1947 Partition Through Oral Narratives

Tamar Segev

Searching for 48 Limanowskiego Street, Bałuty, Łódź

3:45- 5:15

Session 4: The Body and Collective Memory, Interdisciplinary Reflections

Chair and Respondent: Helen Makhdounian

Sana Saboowala

Complicating institutional narratives: intersection in history and biology

Ben Crane

Yom Kippur at St. Cyprien: An Analysis of the Makeshift Machzor

Group member names to be finalized

Revamping the ICR History: An Exercise of Collective Memory by Graduate Students Collaboration