

## [Lecture: Holocaust Memory and Britain's Religious-Secular Landscape](#)

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The **Elie Wiesel Center for Jewish Studies at Boston University** continues its lecture series: **Encounters with Holocaust, Genocide, and Human Rights Studies**. Two upcoming talks from **David Tollerton** (University of Exeter) and **Mark Geraghty** (University College London) will address this year's series theme of "Politics of Genocide" by examining Holocaust memory in Britain and ideological battles in the aftermath of the Rwandan genocide.

Mark your calendar for these exciting talks and help spread the word by sharing this message with your friends, colleagues and students.

Registration is open now, [reserve your place today](#).

On **Wednesday, March 24th at 4pm**, Jewish Studies Professor David Tollerton (University of Exeter) will give a talk called "**Holocaust Memory and Britain's Religious-Secular Landscape**." He will offer a broad survey of twenty-first century Holocaust memory in British public life. A particular focal point will be a new memorial project in central London and the ways in which its development has reflected Britain's religious-secular landscape.

### **Encounters with Holocaust, Genocide, and Human Rights Studies**

**David Tollerton on**

**"Holocaust Memory and Britain's Religious-Secular Landscape"**

Wednesday, March 24th

4-5:15pm on Zoom

[Register Now](#)

### **About the Speaker:**

David Tollerton is Senior Lecturer in Jewish Studies and Contemporary Religion at the University of Exeter. He was recently awarded a Leverhulme Research Fellowship for his work on religious responses to the Holocaust. His book, *Holocaust Memory and the Religious-Secular Landscape of Contemporary Britain*, was published by Routledge in 2020.

**About the Moderator:**

Abigail Gillman is Professor of Hebrew, German and Comparative Literature, and affiliated faculty in the Graduate Faculty of Religion and in Jewish Studies at Boston University. Gillman's scholarship focuses on Jewish literature and culture of the German-speaking world. She has lectured and published on Kafka; Schnitzler; Freud; Mendelssohn; Buber; Rosenzweig; and on Holocaust memory and monuments.

**Register here to join the lecture live on Zoom:**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/encounters-with-holocaust-genocide-and-human-rights-studies-tickets-141451815187>

**More Upcoming Events at the Elie Wiesel Center**

BU Conversations in the Arts & Ideas

Known and Strange Things:

An Evening in Conversation with Teju Cole

Tuesday, March 23, 2021

6-7:30pm

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Amy-Jill Levine and Marc Zvi Brettler

on The Bible With and Without Jesus:

How Jews and Christians Read the Same Stories Differently (HarperOne, 2020)

Tuesday, April 6 noon

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Mark Geraghty on

New Rwanda's Campaign Against "Genocide Ideology"

Wednesday April 14, 2021

4 - 5:15 PM

[Register Now](#)

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