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History 615A

WAR AND GENOCIDE IN EUROPE, 1939-1945
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Course Description

This course explores the connection between war and genocide as it occurred in Europe during World War II. It will focus on the contextual and instrumental significance of the war with the aim of gaining a better understanding of the evolution and implementation of the Holocaust and other genocidal policies. In line with recent developments in genocide studies, this course departs from previous historiographical conventions whereby the history of World War II was largely written “with the Holocaust left out” or, conversely, the genocide of Jews and the mass killing of other undesirables (the Disabled, Gypsies, and POWs) were rarely associated with the military context in which they occurred. Major topics for investigating the linkage of war and genocide include: ideological and political antecedents of genocide; Nazi occupation policy and collaboration; bureaucratic machineries perpetrators of genocide; total war (including Allied bombing) and partisan warfare; justice and memory. By addressing these topics the objective is to provide students with a conceptual framework that will aid them to comprehend more fully the brutalizing effects of modern war and its links to state orchestrated genocide, perpetrated and tolerated by “ordinary men” throughout Europe in the cataclysmic years of World War II.

Course Work

The first 9 sessions (I–IX, Sept. 21 – Nov. 23) will be devoted to the reading and discussion of books and articles on weekly seminar topics as listed below (see Schedule). Students are required to read the assigned literature and are expected to consult pertinent book reviews and supplementary readings. In order to participate constructively in these discussions, students will have to assess critically the work of historians and their contribution to our understanding of historical events and historiographical issues on a given topic of discourse. Close attention should be paid to their use of sources, methodology of research, and questions of analysis. These should be noted and brought to bear on the discussion.

To facilitate this sort of preparation students will write one critical book review early in the term. The book in question is Mark Naimark’s *Fires of Hatred*.

The final two sessions (Nov. 30 and Dec. 7) will be allocated to the presentation of historiographical discussion papers, which are based on a complete first draft of a student’s term

essay by the same title. Students are free to select their own topics provided they are related to one of the seminar themes and are sufficiently different to avoid duplication. A two page essay proposal and an annotated bibliography of not less than ten items is required prior to the instructor's approval of any topic, and is due on October 19.

The discussion paper must be distributed to all seminar members one week before presentation. Following the discussion of the paper, the presenter will receive a written critique of not more than two pages from his peers. The completion of the final draft will normally involve some reshaping and rewriting of the draft paper in the light of the discussion and written comments. **Note: Failure to distribute the discussion paper a week in advance of its presentation will be penalized by forfeiting the 10% presentation mark.**

Grade Distribution and Deadlines

(1)	Critical book review (5-6 pp), due 9 Oct.2009	= 10%
(2)	Leading class discussion	= 10%
(3)	Presentation of discussion paper (time to be determined)	= 15%
(4)	Critiques (December)	= 20%
(5)	Term paper (20-25 pp.), due date 14 December	= 35%
(6)	Participation*	= 10%

* This 10% class participation mark will generally be used to the student's advantage.

Required Texts (available at the WLU Bookstore)

- Bartov, Omer. Ed. *The Holocaust. Origins, Implementation, Aftermath*. London, 2000.
- _____. *Erased. Vanishing Traces of Jewish Galicia in Present-Day Ukraine*. Princeton University Press, 2007.
- Bauman Zygmund. *Modernity and the Holocaust*. Ithaca/New York, 1989.
- Bloxham, Donald. *Genocide on Trial*. Oxford University Press, 2001.
- Browning, Christopher. *Nazi Policy, Jewish Workers, German Killers*. Cambridge, UK & New York, 2000.
- Dean, Martin. *Collaboration in the Holocaust. Crimes of the Local Police in Belorussia and Ukraine, 1941-1944*. London: MacMillan Press Ltd, 2000.
- Friedlander, Henry. *The Origins of Nazi Genocide*. Chapel Hill & London, 1994.
- Hansen, Randall. *Fire and Fury. The Allied Bombing of Germany 1942-45*. Doubleday Canada, 2008.
- Herbert, Ulrich. Ed. *Nationalist Extermination Policies*. New York & Oxford, 2000.
- Hill, Alexander. *The War Behind the Eastern Front*. New York: Frank Cass, 2005.
- Marrus, Michael and Robert Paxton. *Vichy France and the Jews*. New York, 1981.
- Naimark, Mark. *Fires of Hatred: Ethnic Cleansing in 20th Europe*. Cambridge/London, 2001.

Works of reference, collections, monographs and general overviews

- Yitzak Arad, *et al*, eds., *Documents on the Holocaust* (1981)
_____, *et al*, eds., *Einsatzgruppen Reports* (1989)
Karel Berkhoff, "Ukraine Under Nazi Rule (1941-1944): Sources and Finding Aids," *Jahrbücher für Geschichte Osteuropas*, vol. 45, no. 1 and 2 (1997): 85-103 and 273-309
K.D. Bracher, *The German Dictatorship* (1970 [1969])
Christopher R. Browning and Jürgen Matthäus, *The Origins of the Final Solution* (2004)
D. Cesarani, ed., *The Final Solution: Origins and Implementation* (1994)
T. Childers and J. Caplan, eds., *Reevaluating the Third Reich* (1993)
Lucy Dawidowicz, ed., *A Holocaust Reader* (1976)
R.J. Evans, *The Coming of the Third Reich* (2004)
_____, *The Third Reich in Power* (2005)
Saul Friedländer, *Nazi Germany and the Jews. The Years of Persecution, 1933-1939*. Vol. I (1997)
_____, *The Years of Extermination. Nazi Germany and the Jews 1939-1945*. Vol. II (2007)
F. Furet, ed., *Unanswered Questions. Nazi Germany and the Genocide of Jews* (1989)
Israel Gutman, ed., *Encyclopaedia of the Holocaust*, 4 vols. (1990)
Raul Hilberg, *Destruction of European Jews*. 3 vols. (1985)
_____, *Documents of Destruction* (1971)
_____, *Perpetrators, Victims, Bystanders. The Jewish Catastrophe 1933-1945* (1992)
I. Kershaw, *The Nazi Dictatorship. Problems & Perspectives of Interpretation* (4th ed., 2000)
_____, *Hitler*. Vol. 1: 1889-1936 *Hubris* (1999); vol. 2: 1936-1945 *Nemesis* (2000)
H. Krausnick, *et al*, *Anatomy of the SS State* (London: St. James's Place, 1968)
Michael Marrus, *The Holocaust in History* (1987)
H. Mommsen, *From Weimar to Auschwitz: Essays in German History* (1991) - WLU: DD240 .M56713
Michael Marrus, ed., *The Nazi Holocaust*, 15 vols. (1989)
Mark Mazower, *Hitler's Empire* (2008)
John, Mendelsohn, ed., *The Holocaust*, 18 vols. (1982)
J. Noakes and G. Pridham, *Nazism 1919-1945*, 4 vols. (1995-1998)
David S. Wyman, ed., *America and the Holocaust*, 13 vols (1989)
Leni Yahil, *The Holocaust: The Fate of European Jewry* (1990)

Journals

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|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>American Historical Review - AHR</i> | <i>Journal of Genocide Research - JGR</i> |
| <i>Central European History - CEH</i> | <i>Journal of Modern History - JMH</i> |
| <i>East Central Europe - ECE</i> | <i>Jerusalem Quarterly - JQ</i> |
| <i>East European Quarterly - EEQ</i> | <i>Leo Beck Institute Year Book -LBIYB</i> |
| <i>English Historical Review - EHR</i> | <i>Midstream</i> |
| <i>German History Society - GHS</i> | <i>New York Review of Books - NYRB</i> |
| <i>German Studies Review - GSR</i> | <i>Simon Wiesenthal Center Annual - SWCA</i> |
| <i>Holocaust and Genocide Studies - HGS</i> | <i>Wiener Library Bulletin - WLB</i> |
| <i>Jahrbücher für Geschichte Osteuropas</i> | <i>YIVO Annual of Jewish Social Science - YIVO</i> |
| <i>Journal of Contemporary History - JCH</i> | <i>Yad Vashem Studies - YVS</i> |

On-Line Websources

Be cautious about the 'scholarly appearance' of information posted on the web. The vast majority of online information about the Holocaust and World War II is not written by scholars. The ONLY sources recommended for this course are academic and historical: primary source documents from the period, historiographical surveys, and articles published in peer-reviewed journals are what you should consult for your written work. If you are unclear about the status of a source, especially a web-based source, please ask me for assistance. You may consult the following sites.

Web Genocide Documentation Centre: <<http://www.ess.uwe.ac.uk/genocide.htm>>
German Propaganda Archive, Calvin College, US: <<http://www.calvin.edu/academic/cas/gpa/>>
Virtual Library, Drittes Reich (Third Reich): <<http://www.hco.hagen.de/history/index-e.html>>
Nizkor Project (trial of Adolf Eichmann): www.nizkor.org <<http://www.nizkor.org>>
Justiz und NS Verbrechen: Nazi Crimes on Trial: German Trial Judgments Concerning National Socialist Homicidal Crimes, 1945-1999
<<http://www.jur.uva.nl/juns/JuNSVEng/JuNSV%20Front%20page.htm>>
Avalon Project at Yale Law School: Documents in Law, History and Diplomacy:
<<http://www.yale.edu/lawweb/avalon/avalon.htm>>
Eurodocs: Western European Primary Historical Documents:
<<http://www.lib.byu.edu/~rdh/eurodocs/>>
Western European Studies Section: Documents, Sources and Maps Online: <<http://www-libraries.colorado.edu/wess/#historical>>
German Studies: Digital Web Projects (In German):
<<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~wess/wessdig.html>>
Internet History Sourcebooks Project (Fordham University, USA):
<<http://www.fordham.edu/halsall/index.html>>
Online Texts and Documents Related to Jewish History:
<<http://www.hum.huji.ac.il/Dinur/links/texts.htm>>
Documents on the Holocaust:
<<http://fcit.coedu.usf.edu/holocaust/resource/document/document.htm>>
Holocaust and Jewish Studies Sites: <<http://www.vwc.edu/~dgraf/holocaust.htm>>
Holocaust Rescuers: <<http://www.humboldt.edu/~rescuers/>>
Women and the Holocaust: <<http://www.interlog.com/~mighty/>>
Holocaust Survivors: : <<http://www.holocaustsurvivors.org>>
Survivors of the Shoah Visual History Foundation: <<http://www.vhf.org>>
Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust testimonies at Yale University:
<<http://www.library.yale.edu/testimonies/homepage.html>>
Cybrary of the Holocaust: <<http://www.remember.org>>
Voices of the Holocaust, Oral Histories: <<http://voices.iit.edu/>>
Jewish Virtual Library (The Holocaust): <<http://www.us-israel.org/jsource/holo.html>>

SCHEDULE OF SEMINAR TOPICS AND READINGS

Texts preceded by an asterisk (*) are available in the Bookstore for purchase, those by a number sign (#) are on loan, and those by a plus sign (+) are required reading in addition to item(s) chosen for the weekly seminars

Sept. 14 **ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING**
- Introduction
- Course Format, Requirements, and Scheduling of Assignments

Sept. 21 I. **GENOCIDE IN 20th-CENTURY EUROPE**

* Norman Naimark, *Fires of Hatred. Ethnic Cleansing in Twentieth-Century Europe* (2001) - UW: D 424.N35x

and

Yehuda Bauer, *Rethinking the Holocaust* (Yale University Press, 2001), chs. 1-3: 1-67

Supplementary: History and Concepts

A. Alvarez, *Governments, Citizens, and Genocide: A Comparative and Interdisciplinary Approach* (2001)

R.Gellately and B.Kiernan, eds, *The Spector of Genocide. Mass Murder in Historical Perspective* (2003)

J.Guilaine and J.Zammit. *The Origins of War. Violence in Prehistory* (2005)

E.D.Weitz, *A Century of Genocide: Utopias of Race and Nation* (2005)

A.S. Rosenbaum, *Is the Holocaust Unique: Perspectives on Comparative Genocide* (1996) - WLU: D804.348 .I8

H. Bley, *South -West Africa under German Rule* (1971, original German publication in 1968) - UW: JV2018 .B5813

A.L. Hinton, *Annihilating Differences: The Anthropology of Genocide* (2002)

M..Levene and P.Roberts, eds., *The Massacre in History* (1999), esp. Introduction by Levene - UW: D24.M37

T. Dederling, "'A Certain Rigorous Treatment of All Parts of the Nation': The Annihilation of the Herero in German South West Africa, 1904," in Levene, *Massacre in History*: 205-22

L. Kuper, *Genocide: Its Political Use in the 20th Century* (1981)

H. Fein, *Genocide. A Sociological Perspective* (1993)

_____, "Genocide in a Sociological Perspective," *Current Sociology*, 38, 1 (1990), 1-111

_____, "Scenarios of Genocide: Models of Genocide and Critical Response," in I.W. Charny, ed., *Toward the Understanding and Prevention of Genocide* (1984)

- F. Chalk and K. Jonassohn, *The History and Sociology of Genocide* (1990)
- K. Jonassohn, "Definitions of Genocide and their Implication for Prevention," *HGS*, vol. 4, no. 2 (1989), 149-60
- _____, "Prevention without Prediction," *HGS*, vol. 7, no. 1 (1993), 1-13
- G.D. Andreopoulos, ed., *Genocide, Conceptual and Historical Dimensions* (1994)
- M. Freeman, "Genocide, Civilization and Modernity," *British Journal of Sociology*, 46 (1995), 207-23
- J. Steinberg, "Types of Genocide? Croats, Serbs and Jews, 1951-5," in D. R.G. Hovannisian, ed., *The Armenian Genocide in Perspective* (1986)
- V. Dadrian, *The History of the Armenian Genocide: Ethnic Conflict from the Balkans to the Caucasus* (1995)
- _____, *Warrant for Genocide: Key Elements of the Turko-Armenian Conflict* (1999)
- R. Melson, *Revolution and Genocide: On the Origins of the Armenian Genocide and the Holocaust* (1992)
- _____, "Revolution and Genocide," *HGS*, vol. 4, no. 2 (1989), 161-74
- _____, "Paradigms of Genocide," *Annals of the American Academy of Political Science* (1996), 156-68
- R.G. Sunny, "Rethinking the Unthinkable: Toward an Understanding of the Armenian Genocide," in *Looking toward Ararat* (1993)
- A. Bell -Fialkoff, *Ethnic Cleansing* (1996)
- C. Browning, "Human Nature, Culture, and the Holocaust," *Chronicle of Higher Education*, October 18 (1996)
- B.V. Valentino, *Final Solutions: Mass Killing and Genocide in the Twentieth Century* (2004)

Sept. 28 II. **MODERNITY AND GENOCIDE**

- * Zygmund Bauman, *Modernity and the Holocaust* (1989)-WLU, UW, GUELPH: D804.3B377
and
- # Bauer, "Overall Interpretations: Zygmund Bauman, Jeffrey Herf, Goetz Aly," in id., *Rethinking the Holocaust* (2001): ch. 4: 68-92
- or**
- # Omer Bartov, *Mirrors of Destruction. War, Genocide, and Modern Identity* (2000), 3-142 - UW: D804.348 . B37, and
- # Omer Bartov, *Murder in our Midst: The Holocaust, Industrial Killing, and Representation* (1996), 3-50 - WLU, UW, GUELPH: D804.348 .B37
- # Michael Burleigh, "A 'political economy of the Final Solution'? Reflections on modernity, historians, and the Holocaust," in id., *Ethics and Extermination: Reflexions on the Nazi Genocide* (1997) - WLU, UW: D804 .G4 B777

Supplementary

- M. Biagioli, "Science, Modernity, and the 'Final Solution'," in S. Friedländer, ed., *Probing the Limits of Representation* (1992)
- Daniel Chirot, "Modernity without Liberalism: The Ideological Root of Modern Tyranny," *Contention*, 5, no.2 (Fall 1995)
- Vahaku N. Darian, "The Role of Turkish Physicians in the World War I Genocide of Ottoman Armenians," *HGJ*, 1, no. 2 (1986), 169-92
- Elizabeth Domanovky, "Military and Reproduction in World War I Germany," in G. Eley, ed., *Society, Culture and the State in Germany* (1996): 427-63 - WLU, UW: DD228..3 .S58
- Jeffery Herf, *Reactionary Modernism* (Cambridge: Cambridge Univ. Press, 1984)
- James C. Scott, *Seeing Like a State. How Certain Schemes to Improve the Human Condition have Failed* (1998) - GUELPH: HD87.5 S365
- J.R. Gillis, ed., *The Militarization of the Western World* (1989)
- M. Geyer, "The Militarization of Europe. 1914-1945," in Gillis, *Militarization*
- C. Browning, "Barbarous Utopia," *Times Literary Supplement*, 20 March 1992, 5
- UofT, Robarts Library, Periodicals Reading Room, AP/4/T55
- M. Eksteins, *Rites of Spring and the Birth of the Modern Age* (1989)
- D. Peukert, *The Weimar Republic: The Crisis of Classical Modernity* (1993)

Oct. 5 III. THE "BRAVE NEW WORLD" OF NAZISM

(A) Cleansing Society: Nazi Eugenics and Euthanasia

- * Henry Friedlander, *The Origins of Nazi Genocide. From Euthanasia to the Final Solution* (1995) - WLU, UW, GUELPH: DD256.5 .F739, and
- * Bartov, ed., *The Holocaust: Origins, Implementation, Aftermath* (2000): Burleigh, "Psychiatry, German Society and the Nazi 'Euthanasia' Programme," and Friedlander, "Step by Step: The Expansion of Murder, 1939-1941," 43-76
- UW: D804.3 .H6478
- * Ulrich Herbert, ed., *National Socialist Extermination Policies* (2000): Zimmermann, "The National Socialist 'Solution of the Gypsy Question'," 186-94
or
- # Michael Burleigh, *Death and Deliverance: "Euthanasia" in Germany, 1900-1945* (1994) - WLU, UW: R726.B87, and
- # Detlef Peukert, *Inside Nazi Germany* (Penguin Books, 1993), 208-49, - WLU, UW, GUELPH: DD256.5 .P4613, and "The Genesis of the 'Final Solution' from the Spirit of Science," in Thomas Childers and Jane Caplan, eds., *Reevaluating the Third Reich* (1993), 234-52 - GUELPH: DD256.5 .R384, also in D.F. Crew, ed., *Nazism and German Society, 1933-1945* (1994), 274-99

Supplementary

- E. Black, *War against the Weak: Eugenics and America's Campaign to Create a Master Race* (2003)
- R. Bridenthal, et al, eds., *When Biology became Destiny* (1984)
- M. Burleigh and W. Wippermann, *The Racial State. Germany 1933-1945* (1991)
- WLU, UW, GUELPH: DD256.5.B93
- Götz Aly, *Cleansing of the Fatherland: Nazi Medicine and Racial Hygiene* (1994)
- GUELPH/UW: R853.H8A42
- M. Kater, *Doctors under Hitler* (1989)
- _____, "Physicians in Crisis at the End of the Weimar Republic," in Peter D. Stachura, ed., *Unemployment and the Great Depression in Weimar Germany* (1986)
- Claudia Koonz, "Eugenics, Gender, and Ethics in Nazi Germany," in Childers and Caplan, *Reevaluating the Third Reich* - GUELPH: DD256.5 .R384
- _____, *Mothers in the Fatherland: Women, the Family and Nazi Politics* (1986)
- G. Lewy, *The Nazi Persecution of the Gypsies* ((2000)
- R.Lifton, *The Nazi Doctors: Medical Killing & the Psychology of Genocid* (1986)
- H.Huttenbach, "The Romani Porajmos: The Nazi Genocide of the Gypsies in Germany and Eastern Europe," in D. Crowe and J. Kolsti, eds., *The Gypsies in Eastern Europe* (1991), 31-49
- R. Proctor, *Racial Hygiene: Medicine Under the Nazis* (1988)
- Sybil Milton, "The Context of the Holocaust," *GSR* vol.13, no. 2 (1990), 269-83
- _____, "Nazi Politics Toward Roma and Sinti," *Journal of the Gypsy Lore Society*, vol. 2, no. 1 (1992), 1-18
- Larry V. Thompson, "Lebensborn and the Eugenics of the Reichsführer-SS," *CEH*, 4 (1971), 57-71 (also in Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 4)
- M. Zimmermann, *Rassenutopie und Genozid* (1996)
- H.-G. Zmarzlik, "Social Darwinism in Germany, Seen as a Historical Problem," in # Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 2
- L. R. Graham, "Science and Values: The Eugenics Movement in Germany and Russia in the 1920s," *AHR*, vol. 82 (1977), 1133-1164 (also in Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 2
- V. Rieß, *Die Anfänge der Vernichtung "lebensunwerten Lebens" in den Reichsgauen Danzig-Westpreußen und Warthegau 1939/40* (1995).

(B) Prelude to Genocide: Racial Demographics and "Resettlement" Policies in Eastern Europe

- # Christopher Browning, *The Path to Genocide* (1992), chs. 1-3: 3-76
- * _____, *Nazi Policy, Jewish Workers, German Killers* (2000), ch. 1: 25, and
- * Ulrich Herbert, *Extermination Policies: Aly*, "'Jewish Resettlement': Reflections on the Political Prehistory of the Holocaust," 53-82; Pohl, "The Murder of Jews in

the General Government,” 83-103; and Steinbacher, “In the Shadow of Auschwitz: The Murder of the Jews in East Upper Silesia,” 276-305, and # Michael Burleigh, “A ‘political economy of the Final Solution’? Reflections on modernity, historians, and the Holocaust,” in id., *Ethics and Extermination: Reflexions on the Nazi Genocide* (1997) - WLU, UW: D804 .G4 B777

or

Aly Götz, *‘Final Solution’: Nazi Population Policy and the Murder of the European Jews* (1995) - WLU, UW: D804.3 A45813

+# Bauer, “Overall Interpretation: Zygmund Bauman, Jeffrey Herf, Goetz Aly, “ in *Rethinking the Holocaust*, 68-92

Supplementary

Ch.R. Browning (with contributions by Jürgen Matthäus), *The Origins of the Final Solution. The Evolution of Nazi Jewish Policy, September 1939-March 1942* (2004)

R. Koehl, *RKFDV: German Resettlement and Population Policy* (1957)

Uwe D. Adam, “Nazi Actions Concerning the Jews Between the Beginning of World War II and the German Attack on the USSR,” in F. Furet, ed., *Unanswered Questions* (1989) , 84-95

M. Broszat, *The Hitler State* (1981 [1969])

P. Friedman, “The Lublin Reservation and the Madagascar Plan: Two Aspects of Nazi Jewish Policy during the Second World War,” *YIVO*, vol. 8 (1953), 151-77 (also in # Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 4)

R. Lukas, *The Forgotten Holocaust: The Poles under German Occupation, 1939-1944* (1986) - WLU/UW/GUELPH: D802.P6L85

J. Moser, “Nisko: The First Experiment in Deportations,” *SWCA*, 2 (1985), 1-35 (also in # Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 4)

L. Yahil, “Madagascar - Phantom of a Solution of the Jewish Question,” in Marrus, # *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 4

Oct. 12

THANKSGIVING

**OPERATION BARBAROSSA
THE GENOCIDAL *WELTANSCHAUUNGSKRIEG***

- * Heer and Naumann, *War of Extermination*, xii-xix, 1-91, 219-71
- * Herbert, *Extermination Policies*: Sandkühler, "Anti-Jewish Policy and the Murder of the Jews in the District of Galicia, 1941/42," 104-27; Gerlach, "German Economic Interests, Occupation Policy, and the Murder of Jews in Belorussia, 1941/43," 210-39; Dieckmann, "The War and the Killing of Lithuanian Jew," 240-275.
- # Christian Streit, "The German Army and the Policies of Genocide," and
- # Jürgen Förster, "The German Army and the Ideological War against the Soviet Union," in Hirschfeld, *Policies of Genocide* (1985), 1-29 - WLU: D810.J4P6
- A. Hillgruber, "War in the East and the Extermination of the Jews," *YVS*, 18 (1987), 103-22 (also in Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 3)
- Konrad Kwiet, "Rehearsal for Murder: The Beginning of the Final Solution in Lithuania in June 1941," *HGS*, vol. 9, no. 1 (1998), 3-29 - UW: D810.J4H643x
- or**
- # Omer Bartov, "From Blitzkrieg to Total War," in M. Fulbrook, ed., *20th Century Germany* (2001), 121-148 - WLU, UW, GUELPH: DD 232 . T945, and "Operation Barbarossa and the Origins of the Final Solution," in D. Cesarani, ed., *The Final Solution: Origins and Implementation* (1994), 119-36 - UW, GUELPH: D804.3.F564
- # J. Noakes and G. Pridham, *Nazism 1919-1945*, vol. 3 (1995): 1098-1143
- WLU: DD256.5.N365 and GUELPH: UK5 EX21 [also on loan from instructor]
- # H. Kausnick, et al, *Anatomy of the SS State* (London: St. James's Place, 1968 [this is a complete edition of the original published German title: *Anatomie des SS-States*, 1965]), 505-34 - WLU: DD256 .5 .152513; UW, GUELPH: DD256 .5 .A6313

Supplementary

- Ch. Browning, *The Path to Genocide*. Cambridge, UK & New York, 1992
- _____, (with contributions by Jürgen Matthäus), *The Origins of the Final Solution. The Evolution of Nazi Jewish Policy, September 1939-March 1942* (2004)
- Andrew Ezergailis, *The Holocaust in Latvia 1941-1944* (1996)
- Jürgen Förster, "The Wehrmacht and the War of Extermination Against the Soviet Union," *YVS*, 14 (1981), 7-34.
- Mark Levene, "Frontiers of Genocide: Jews in the Eastern War Zones, 1914-1920 and 1941," in P. Panayi, ed., *Minorities in Wartime* (1993)
- H. Kausnick and H. Wilhelm, *Die Truppe des Weltanschauungskrieges. Die Einsatzgruppen der Sicherheitspolizei und des SD, 1939-1942* (1981)
- UW: DD256 .5 .K72x
- Jürgen Matthäus, "Jenseits der Grenze: die ersten Massenerschiessungen von Juden in Litauen," *Zeitschrift für Geschichtswissenschaft*, vol. 44 (1996), 101-17

**THE “FINAL SOLUTION OF THE JEWISH QUESTION”
DECISIONS AND IMPLEMENTATION**

- * Browning, *Nazi Policy*, 26-88 and # *Path to Genocide*, 77-121
- * Bartov, *The Holocaust: Aly*, “The Planning Intelligentsia and the ‘Final Solution’,” 92-105; Gerlach, “The Wannsee Conference, the Fate of the German Jews, & Hitler’s Decision in Principle to Exterminate all European Jews,” 106-61.
- * Ulrich Herbert, “Extermination Policy: New Answers and Questions about the History of the ‘Holocaust’ in German Historiography,” in Herbert, *Extermination Policies*, 1-52.

or

M. Broszat, “Hitler and the Genesis of the ‘Final Solution’: An Assessment of David Irving’s Thesis,” *YVS*, 13 (1979), 73-125 (also in Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 3).

Ch. Browning, “A Reply to Martin Broszat Regarding the Origins of the ‘Final Solution’,” *SWCA*, 1 (1984), 113-32 (also in Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol.3).

- * Hans Mommsen, “The Realization of the Unthinkable: The ‘Final Solution of the Jewish Question’ in the Third Reich,” in G. Hirschfeld, ed., *The Policies of Genocide* (1986): 93-144.
- E. Jäckel, “Hitler Orders the Holocaust,” in id., *Hitler in History*, 44-65 (also in Marrus, *Nazi Holocaust*, vol. 3).

- + # Bauer, “Overall Interpretations: Daniel J. Goldhagen, John Weiss, Saul Friedländer,” in *Rethinking*, ch. 4: 93-118

Supplementary

- # Christopher Browning, *Fateful Month: Essays on the Emergence of the Final Solution* (1985) - WLU, UW, GUELPH: DS135 .Y82 S493 [87pp]
_____, (with contributions by Jürgen Matthäus), *The Origins of the Final Solution. The Evolution of Nazi Jewish Policy, September 1939-March 1942* (2004)
- Erich Haberer, “Intention and Feasibility: Reflection on Collaboration and the Final Solution,” *East European Jewish Affairs*, vol.31, no. 2 (2001), 64-81
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