

Curriculum Vitae

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APPOINTMENTS

2023-	Research Assistant Professor, Humanities, Claremont Graduate University
2022-	Assistant Professor, Program in the History of Medicine, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
2021-	Director, Center for Medicine, Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
2020-2023	Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of History, University of California, Los Angeles
2019-2021	Postdoctoral Fellow, Program in the History of Medicine, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
2019-2020	Research Affiliate, Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies, Yale University
2018-2019	Geoffrey H. Hartman Postdoctoral Fellow, Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies, Yale University

EDUCATION

2011-2018	Ph.D., History, University of Southern California
2002-2006	B.A. (with Distinction), History, Yale University

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

2020	German Historical Institute Postdoctoral Fellowship (research grant)
2019-2020	Bernard and Mollie Steuer / JDC Archives Fellowship (research grant), American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee Archives
2019-2020	Dina Abramowicz Emerging Scholar Fellowship (research grant), YIVO Institute for Jewish Research
2019-2020	Claims Conference Saul Kagan Postdoctoral Fellowship in Advanced Shoah Studies (research grant – declined)
2017-2018	University of Southern California Graduate Advanced Year Fellowship (writing grant)
2016-2017	Harry F. Guggenheim Foundation Dissertation Fellowship (writing grant)
2015-2016	Miles Lerman Center for the Study of Jewish Resistance Fellowship, Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum (fellowship in residence, Washington, DC)
Fall 2015	Holocaust Educational Foundation Sharon Abramson Research Grant

- Summer 2015 Claims Conference Saul Kagan Fellowship in Advanced Shoah Studies
(Summer Fellow research grant)
- 2015 Junior Fellowship, Vienna Wiesenthal Institute for Holocaust Studies
(fellowship in residence, Vienna, Austria)
- Fall 2014 Institute for Contemporary History-United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
Exchange of Scholars Fellowship (fellowship in residence, Berlin and
Munich, Germany)
- 2014-2015 Linnie and Michael Katz Graduate Fellowship Research Grant, Department of
History, University of Southern California
- 2011-2016 University of Southern California Graduate Merit Scholarship

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

- “Shades of Gray on the Screen: *Out of the Ashes* and Other Account-Based Auschwitz Prisoner-Functionary Films,” *Quarterly Review of Film and Video*, 38 (2021): 608–635
- “The Coercion-Resistance Spectrum: Analyzing Prisoner-Functionary Behaviour in Nazi Camps,” *Journal of Genocide Research*, 23 (2021): 17–36
- “The Past and Promise of Jewish Prisoner-Physicians’ Accounts: A Case Study of Auschwitz-Birkenau’s Multiple Functions,” *S:I.M.O.N. – Shoah: Intervention. Methods. Documentation*, 3 (2016): 86–102
- “Treating an Auschwitz Prisoner-Physician: The Case of Dr. Maximilian Samuel,” *Holocaust and Genocide Studies* 28 (2014): 450–481

Review

- Recognizing the Past in the Present: New Studies on Medicine Before, During, and After the Holocaust*, ed. Sabine Hildebrandt, Miriam Offer, and Michael A. Grodin (New York: Berghahn Books, 2021), *Central European History* 56 (June 2023): 318–321

Other Publications

- “*Lancet* Commission Report on Medicine, Nazism, and the Holocaust: Historical Evidence, Implications for Today, Teaching for Tomorrow,” with Herwig Czech, Sabine Hildebrandt, Shmuel P. Reis, Tessa Chelouche, Matthew Fox, Esteban González-López, Etienne Lepicard, Astrid Ley, Miriam Offer, Avi Ohry, Volker Roelcke, Maïke Rotzoll, Carola Sachse, Michal Simunek, Amir Teicher, Kamila Uzarczyk, Anna von Villiez, Hedy S. Wald, and Matthew Wynia– in press
- “Esther Fox,” *Critical Editions: Holocaust Testimonies in Context*, Yale University Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies (2021, online)

LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS (“*” indicates an invited talk)

- “Courage, Complicity, Compromise – Complex Roles of Health Professionals in Nazi Camps,” Silvers Scholars Fellowship Program, University of Colorado School of Medicine, Aurora, CO (virtual), April 13, 2023
- “Blindspots about/in Auschwitz Jewish Prisoner-Physicians’ Memoirs,” Association for Jewish Studies Annual Conference, Boston, MA, December 20, 2022
- *“Jewish Prisoner-Physicians in Nazi Camps,” Lindenthal Symposium on Healthcare, the Holocaust, and Genocide, Yale School of Medicine, New Haven, CT (virtual), January 26, 2022
- *“Jewish Prisoner-Physicians,” Hess Seminar on Bioethics, Disease, and the Holocaust, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC (virtual), January 4, 2022
- *“Jewish Physicians and Medical Work in Nazi Camps,” STAJE Advanced Summer Institute, Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY (virtual), July 13, 2021
- “Macro-Level Contexts and the Recruitment of Jewish Doctors for Coerced Medical Labor in Nazi Camp,” American Association for the History of Medicine Annual Conference, Madison, WI (virtual), May 13, 2021
- *“Jewish Prisoner-Physicians During the Holocaust: Macro and Micro Contexts,” Colloquium on the History of Psychiatry and Medicine, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA (virtual), April 14, 2021
- *“Jewish Physicians and Medical Work in Nazi Camps and after Liberation,” YIVO Institute for Jewish Research, New York, NY (virtual), July 1, 2020
- *“Jewish Survivor-Physicians in Transition: From DP Camp Doctors to Emigrants, 1945–1950,” American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, New York, NY (virtual), June 24, 2020
- *Keynote: “Jewish Prisoner-Physicians in Nazi Camps,” Holocaust Remembrance Day Event, New York Medical College, Valhalla, NY (virtual), April 20, 2020
- *“The Recruitment and Activities of Jewish Prisoner-Physicians During the Holocaust,” History of Science, Medicine, and Technology Colloquium, University of California, Los Angeles, October 21, 2019
- “Jewish Prisoner-Physicians and the Coercion-Resistance Spectrum Approach,” Junior Scholars Conference in German Jewish History, Hamburg, Germany, September 25, 2019
- *“For Health, for Profit, for Nothing at All?: Jewish Physicians in the Warthegau Forced Labor Camps for Jews, 1940-1943,” Powell-Heller Conference for Holocaust Education, Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma, WA, October 26, 2018

- “More Than a Death Camp: Prisoner-Physicians at the Intersection of Auschwitz-Birkenau’s Different Roles,” University of Southern California Shoah Foundation Center for Advanced Genocide Research Lecture Program, Los Angeles, CA, November 7, 2016
- “Historicizing the ‘Gray Zone’: Jewish Prisoner-Physicians and the Coercion-Resistance Spectrum,” Holocaust Educational Foundation’s Lessons and Legacies Biannual International Conference, Claremont, CA, November 4, 2016
- “Depictions in Shades of Gray: (Self-)Perceptions of Jewish Prisoner-Physicians in Nazi Camps,” Annual Workshop on the History and Memory of National Socialist Camps and Extermination Sites, Aix-en-Provence, France, May 28, 2016
- *“Jewish Prisoner-Physicians in Nazi Camps: A New Challenge to the ‘*Vernichtung durch Arbeit*’ Theory,” Association of Holocaust Organizations Annual Winter Seminar, Washington, DC, January 11, 2016
- *“Examining Jewish Prisoner-Physicians: Insights into the Holocaust,” Speakers Series of the Network for the Study of Nazism and the Holocaust, Odense, Denmark, October 28, 2015
- “Jewish Prisoner-Physicians and the Multiple Functions of Auschwitz-Birkenau and Labor Camps in the ‘Greater German Reich,’” German-Polish Society for the History of Medicine Annual Conference, Warsaw, Poland, September 10, 2015
- “Changing Circumstances, Shifting Approaches: Jewish Prisoner-Physicians in Nazi Concentration and Forced Labor Camps,” International Researchers Workshop on Medicine in the Holocaust and Beyond, Akko, Israel, May 6, 2015
- *“Prisoner-Physicians Under ‘Great Moral Distress’: An Educational Model,” First International Scholars Workshop for Medicine after the Holocaust, Houston, TX, March 3, 2015
- “Complicating the Grey Zone: Behavioral Trajectories of Prisoner-Physicians,” Beyond Camps and Forced Labour Triannual Conference, London, England, January 9, 2015
- *“Holocaust Experiments’ Effects on Modern Medicine,” ZYGO Inaugural Roundtable of the University of Southern California Levon Institute for Humanities and Ethics, Los Angeles, CA, February 28, 2014
- *“Shades of Gray: The Obedience-Resistance Spectrum of Prisoner-Physicians,” Los Angeles Museum of the Holocaust’s “New Conversations on the Holocaust” Lecture Series, Los Angeles, CA, August 2, 2013
- “The Case of Dr. Samuel: Resistance or Collaboration of an Auschwitz Prisoner-Physician?” Holocaust Educational Foundation’s Lessons and Legacies Biannual International Conference, Evanston, IL, November 3, 2012

“Dr. Gisella Perl and *Out of the Ashes*: Making an Auschwitz Prisoner-Physician Acceptable to an Audience,” Annual European Summer School Ravensbrück, Fürstenberg, Germany, August 31, 2011

*“Treating Dr. Maximilian Samuel: A Case Study in Historiographical Approaches to Controversial Prisoner Doctors in Nazi Concentration Camps,” United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Summer Workshop on Coercive Medical Research and Practice During the Holocaust, Washington, DC, August 13, 2010

TEACHING

Fall 2023	Doctors Across Borders: Refugee Doctors and Scientists in History, Program in the History of Medicine, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center (six-week course, co-taught)
Spring 2022	Medicine and Medical Ethics under the Nazi Regime, Dept. of History, University of California, Los Angeles (upper-level undergraduate lecture)
Fall 2022	The Jewish Medical Tradition, Program in the History of Medicine, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center (six-week course)
Summer 2022 (recording)	4 units of Medicine During the Holocaust and Beyond (Massive Open Online Course produced by the Hebrew University of Jerusalem)
Winter 2022	Codes of Medical Ethics across Centuries and around the World” (six-week course)
Spring 2021	Medicine and Medical Ethics under the Nazi Regime, Dept. of History, University of California, Los Angeles (upper-level undergraduate lecture)
Spring 2021	Medical (Mal)Practices under the Nazi Regime, Program in the History of Medicine, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center (six-week course)
Spring 2020	Medicine and Medical Ethics under the Nazi Regime, Dept. of History, University of California, Los Angeles (upper-level undergraduate lecture)
Spring 2019	Medical (Mal)Practices during the Nazi Regime, Yale School of Medicine (elective seminar)