Symposium on Jewish Press in Nazi Germany

The symposium will take place on Sunday, October 27, 2013 in the Lecture Hall (room 223) of the International Institute for Holocaust Research, Administration and Research Building, Yad Vashem

Lectures will be given in English

The symposium is taking place with the generous support of the Gutwirth Family Fund
9:30-10:45  Greetings: Prof. Dan Michman
Head of the International Institute for Holocaust Research, Incumbent of the John Najmann Chair of Holocaust Studies, Yad Vashem; Bar-Ilan University
Opening remarks: Prof. Guy Miron, Schechter Institute of Jewish Studies, Yad Vashem
Opening lecture: Prof. Dr. Michael Nagel
1933 as a Watershed? Form and Function of the German-Jewish Press Before and After the Nazi Takeover

10:45-11:00 Break

11:00-12:30  Session I
Society and Culture in the Press
Chair: Prof. Dr. Michael Nagel, Staats- und Universitätsbibliothek Bremen
Dr. Daniel Fraenkel: Jewish Sport Under the Swastika – Sport Events and Organizations as Mirrored in the Jewish Press, 1933-1938
Dr. Chana Livnat: Children and Youth Supplements in the German Jewish Press under Nazism

12:30-13:30 Lunch Break

13:30-14:45  Session II
Religious Life and Emigration
Chair: Prof. Guy Miron, Schechter Institute of Jewish Studies, Yad Vashem
Dr. Yaakov Borut: Religious Life and Religious Practice of German Jewry Under the Nazi Regime as Mirrored in the Jewish Press
Dr. Rivka Elkin: The Promotion of Jewish Emigration from Germany by the Jüdisches Nachrichtenblatt, November 1938-1943 (The lecture will be given in Hebrew)

14:45-15:00 Break

15:00-16:00  Closing Panel
Moderator: David Witzthum, Channel 1, Israeli TV
Participants: Prof. Dan Michman, Dr. Yaakov Borut, Prof. Guy Miron