

Antisemitism & the Importance of Holocaust Education in the 21st Century

Talk & Discussion with

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Necessity for the discussion

- generally limited knowledge about the Holocaust and other genocides and their effects on society
- Modern society is facing racism, xenophobia and a growing influence of the right-wing and far right political parties and associations (see "Einzelfälle").
- the educational task that the *Bündnis Vöcklabruck gegen Rechts* and the *Mauthausen Komitee* hold and the importance of raising awareness about historical and political events

About Trudy Gold:

- former chief executive of the London Jewish Cultural Centre
- has taught Jewish history, specialising in Holocaust studies, for the past 40 years
- academic editor of the online resource, *Explaining the Holocaust*, and was editor of the UK teaching programme, *Understanding the Holocaust*.
- author of *The Timechart History of Jewish Civilisation*
- various teaching assignments at universities in Belarus, Ukraine and China
- one of the founding members of the *International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance* on the British delegation

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