

2020

In Memory of Gertrude Schneider

10 Sep 2020



Professor Dr. Gertrude Schneider passed away on 7 September 2020. "With the passing of Gertrude Schneider we have lost a wonderful woman, journalist and historian, survivor of the Riga ghetto and several concentration camps. Baruch Dayan haemet. Our thoughts are with her family", says Hannah ...

CALL FOR TENDER Media technology for the future Austrian exhibition at Auschwitz

07 Sep 2020

The National Fund of the Republic of Austria is issuing an invitation to tender for the development and implementation of media technology (provision of hardware and software) for the new Austrian exhibition, which will be displayed in Block 17 on the grounds of the Auschwitz-Birkenau memorial. ...

1st September 2020 – a day of historical responsibility

01 Sep 2020



One date – two milestones:

Arbitration Panel for In Rem Restitution: Last filing period for applications to reopen proceedings comes to an end

27 Aug 2020

The last deadline for filing reopening applications to the Arbitration Panel for In Rem Restitution expires on 31 August 2020.

REVOCATION AND NEW INVITATION TO TENDER Construction of the future Austrian exhibition at Auschwitz

18 Aug 2020

At the end of July, in the absence of suitable offers the National Fund of the Republic of Austria revoked its invitation to tender issued in April for general contractor services for the interior design of the new Austrian exhibition in Block 17 on the grounds of the Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial.

Farewell to Dr. Kurt Hofmann

17 Jul 2020



Dr. Kurt Hofmann, retired Vice-President of the Supreme Court and long-standing member of the Claims Committee of the General Settlement Fund for Victims of National Socialism, passed away on Saturday, 4 July 2020, at the age of 88.

Appeal by the Documentation Centre of Austrian Resistance (DÖW) for the verification of the names for the Shoah Wall of Names Memorial

07 Jul 2020



The Shoah Wall of Names Memorial is currently under construction at Ostarrichi Park in the 9th District of Vienna. The names of the Jewish children, women and men from Austria who were murdered in the Shoah will be engraved on large stone tablets in memory of the over 64,000 who were robbed of their ...

Farewell to Gideon Eckhaus

29 Jun 2020



Gideon Eckhaus, founder and long-standing chairman of the Central Committee of Jews from Austria in Israel and of the Association of Pensioners from Austria in Israel, has passed away.

Construction of the Shoah Wall of Names Memorial in Ostarrichi Park commences

23 Jun 2020



Representatives of federal and provincial politics as well as of the National Fund and the Jewish Community of Vienna met today, Monday, on the grounds of Vienna's Ostarrichi Park in front of the Austrian National Bank to mark the start of construction of the Shoah Memorial Wall. Among them were ...

## Remembering the first transport of prisoners to Auschwitz 80 years ago

15 Jun 2020



On 14 June 1940, the first transport carrying Polish prisoners reached Auschwitz concentration camp, which was under construction at that time. The International Auschwitz Committee (IAK), an association of Auschwitz survivors, extended an invitation to a memorial service in Berlin on the 80th ...

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