

Our Mission

The Holocaust and Genocide Research Partnership (HGRP) aims to re-frame public engagement, education, and heritage practice about the history and memory of the Holocaust and genocide.

Who We Are

The Holocaust and Genocide Research Partnership (HGRP) is a national research and public engagement consortium that comprises organisations and higher education institutions at the forefront of research and learning: The Wiener Holocaust Library (London); the Holocaust Research Institute at Royal Holloway, University of London; the Holocaust Survivors' Friendship Association (Leeds); and the University of Huddersfield.

What We Do

The HGRP aims to be the leading voice in the United Kingdom for research-led public engagement, education, and heritage practice about the history and memory of the Holocaust and genocide. It brings together scholars, educators and cultural practitioners from the north and south of the United Kingdom into an unprecedented powerhouse of research-led public learning and understanding. It aims to build a dynamic and culturally inclusive research vision to ensure that public knowledge of the Holocaust and genocide is shaped by expert knowledge and survivors' voices.

To achieve its mission, the HGRP will bridge the ever-widening gap between dynamic, interdisciplinary scholarship on the Holocaust and other genocides and public knowledge of these events through a series of local and national collaborative research-led activities, such as research projects, co-curated exhibitions, public events, seminars, conferences, research workshops, publications, and visiting fellowships.

The HGRP will deliver its mission through the following activities:

01. Undertake and nurture new and dynamic scholarly research in multiple disciplines of the Holocaust and other genocides through joint research projects, fellowship opportunities, conferences, research workshops and other activities designed to support knowledge incubation.
02. Share new research findings through sustained, co-ordinated pathways, informed by the needs of a wide variety of audiences, through publications, symposia, exhibitions, seminars, and public events. Online content such as webinars, skills workshops and other events will be an integral part of the offer.
03. Enable and inspire the next generation of Holocaust and Genocide Studies scholars and practitioners to ensure a long-term sustainable vision for evidence-based public understanding of these subjects through teaching, research and learning opportunities such as CPD courses, public history modules for MA courses, and other practice-based learning for post-graduate students, teachers and museum and heritage professionals.
04. Advance a reputation as a recognized voice of integrity and authority, providing expert-led commentary and advice in the fields of Holocaust and Genocide Studies to media, government, national and international research infrastructures, charitable organisations, educators, and cultural heritage professionals.